Build the New Civil Rights Movement!

**ELECT LEADERS fighting to stop schools from opening while COVID-19 rages out of control**

**Elect**

**MARK AIRGOOD**
for NEA President

**Elect**

**TANIA KAPPNER**
for NEA Vice-President

**Elect**

**ADARENE HOAG**
for NEA Secretary-Treasurer

We are living in a historic moment. Most of cannot remember another time in U.S. history when the masses of people who have taken to the street again and again across the nation actually had so much power to dictate the direction of our country and make national changes in laws and policies.

It has become clear that this movement, in fighting for justice for George Floyd, is fighting for justice for all victims of racist police murder, and even more: is fighting for the vision of an America truly based on equal rights for all. This is also the vision of what public education should be. This is the time to realize it!

The importance of NEA leadership has never been clearer than now. With the COVID-19 pandemic endangering the lives of millions in the US and around the world, we must make the defense of the health of our members, students and communities our first priority.

We must demand that state and local school districts make free and repeated mass testing for COVID-19 available and easily accessible to every student and school employee on a regular basis, before a date is set for the reopening school sites. Every country that has gotten control of the pandemic has done it through these measures.

There is no solving the problems of racism with Trump and Pence in the most powerful office in the country. There is no chance of taking the measures necessary to track and control the pandemic with Donald Trump in power. He is anti-science. The US—the wealthiest country in the world—is alone among developed countries in failing to bring transmission of the coronavirus under control through mass testing and contact tracing. Trump and Pence must resign or be removed. Forcing them out will save tens of thousands of lives.

EON/BAMN candidates have a long record of struggle – against the expansion of charter schools, in defense of special education, for affirmative action, immigrant rights, and DACA, for an end to deportations and closing the immigrant concentration camps, and for public education. Vote Mark Airgood, Tania Kappner and Adarene Hoag. We are movement leaders as well as union leaders. We will make this fight to win.

**Take Action Now. Sign the Petition:**

No School Reopening. Protect Our Children.

Please sign the urgent petition calling for no school reopening in the Fall. There is no way to bring students and staff back to campus safely. If we organize we can stop any premature opening from going forward for the schools. We must protect our students and communities.

www.change.org/noschoolreopeningduringpandemicprotectourchildren

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