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Political Action

Local 2250, AFL-CIO

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WHY SHOULD I SUPPORT LOCAL 2250'S P.A.C.?

Because there are three very important bills that could have a damaging or positive impact on school employees.

- **Retirement Legislation** – Attempts are being made to require local government to pay the cost of funding school employee's retirement contribution (currently state pays employee contribution). This would place a large burden on local government which could affect future wage increases and benefits.
- **Binding Arbitration for School Employees** – This would allow school employee unions to take disputes with the Board of Education to a neutral third party for resolution.
- **Mandatory Penalties for Assaults on School Employees** – This legislation could reduce assaults on school employees; transportation employees, school secretaries, paraprofessionals, etc.

Local 2250 members are being asked to support the Local 2250 Voluntary Political Action Committee which would give the Union the resources to deal with elected officials who will vote on these legislative proposals.

Any questions please talk with your steward, building representative or call the union at 301-809-0472.

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