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TO: All CWA Local 4250 Members:

SUBJECT: 2009 AT&T United Way Campaign(s) Via Payroll Deduction

Although CWA District 4 and 9 members recently ratified a new contract and our Legacy T (C&T) members have reached a "Tentative Agreement," yet to be ratified, over 80,000 CWA AT&T members are still working without AT&T contracts. Therefore, I request Local 4250 members show our support and unity for our CWA District 6, 3 & 1 sister and brother AT&T members by the following mobilization activity:

SUPPORT CWA/AT&T Districts Six, Three & One AT&T Members!

DO NOT contribute to the AT&T United Way Campaigns via **AT&T PAYROLL DEDUCTION!**

Since 1946, the American Federation of Labor and the Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO) and United Way of America have enjoyed a cooperative relationship through which they and state and local United Ways provide services to members of organized labor, their families and their communities. Organized labor is also part of the decision-making process at United Way of America. Currently, there are four AFL-CIO representatives serving on United Way of America's Board of Trustees, with two of them on the executive committee. There are four union trustees in the volunteer structure of United Way International (UWI), including Jeffrey A. Rechenbach, Secretary-Treasurer of the Communications Workers of America. United Way is focused on the building blocks for a good life - a quality education that leads to a stable job, enough income to support a family through retirement, and good health. Our worldwide network is working to advance the common good in 47 countries and territories, including nearly 1,300 local organizations in the U.S. With your help we can reignite a movement that is committed to creating opportunities for everyone. With your support we can achieve these goals. Please consider United Way in your year-end giving plans. Give as generously as you can - a gift to United Way is 100 percent tax deductible. We all win when a child succeeds in school, when a family becomes financially stable and when people have good health. Join the 14 million people throughout the country that are a part of this dynamic movement. **SHOW YOUR SUPPORT FOR OUR CWA DISTRICT 6, 3 & 1 MEMBERS & RETIREES WHO ARE WORKING WITHOUT CONTRACTS BY CONTRIBUTING TO THE UNITED WAY ON-LINE AT: <http://www.liveunited.org/give/>**

In Unity-Strength & Solidarity:

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