



Monday, September 18, 2017

NSEA / CCEA Negotiations: CCEA Walks Out After Eight Minutes

NSEA team came to table prepared and ready to work for its members

Monday, September 18, 2017, the Nevada State Education Association (NSEA) and a team of education union leaders from around the state met with representatives from the Clark County Education Association (CCEA). The CCEA team consisted of Executive Director John Vellardita, President Vikki Courtney, Vice President Theo Small, and Director of Strategic Initiatives Michelle Kim.

NSEA and its team spent significant time preparing for the meeting and was ready to negotiate, in good faith, an affiliate agreement with CCEA. NSEA asked CCEA for a proposal and they refused. After eight minutes, with numerous disruptions from CCEA's team, CCEA walked out of negotiations.

NSEA represents more than 24,000 members in Nevada, including its members in Clark County, providing services and benefits members value and rely on. NSEA would hope CCEA leadership will return to the table to work for the common purpose of strengthening its union and serving all members.

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