

Resolution Condemning ICE Violence, Killings, and Medical Neglect in Immigration Detention

WHEREAS, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) has a documented history of violence, abuse, and neglect toward people in its custody, resulting in serious harm and preventable deaths; and

WHEREAS, the most recent killing of Renee Good underscores the deadly consequences of ICE enforcement practices and the lack of accountability for violence committed against immigrant communities; and

WHEREAS, persistent failures to provide timely and adequate medical care in immigration detention facilities—including delayed treatment, denial of care, and inhumane conditions—have directly led to deaths that were preventable; and

WHEREAS, these deaths are not isolated incidents but are the predictable outcome of a detention system rooted in punishment, dehumanization, and systemic neglect; and

WHEREAS, as education workers and union members, we serve immigrant students, families, and communities who are directly impacted by ICE violence and live with the constant threat of detention, separation, and death; and

WHEREAS, as educators we remain committed to our students regardless of their immigration status;

WHEREAS, the values of the labor movement demand that we oppose state violence, racism, and the dehumanization of workers and communities, and affirm that no human being is illegal;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Asociación de Maestros Unidos Site Representative Council unequivocally condemns ICE for killings, violence, and medical neglect in immigration detention facilities, including the killing of Renee Good; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Asociación de Maestros Unidos Site Representative Council recognizes the deaths in ICE custody as acts of state violence resulting from systemic abuse and neglect; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Asociación de Maestros Unidos Site Representative Council affirms its solidarity with immigrant workers, students, and families impacted by ICE enforcement and detention; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Asociación de Maestros Unidos Site Representative Council calls for accountability, transparency, and an immediate end to detention conditions that cause injury, suffering, and death; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Asociación de Maestros Unidos Site Representative Council urges unions, school districts, and public institutions to refuse collaboration with ICE and to take concrete steps to protect immigrant communities; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Asociación de Maestros Unidos Site Representative Council commits to educating its membership, supporting collective action, and working alongside community partners to oppose ICE violence and defend human rights.

Adopted by the Asociación de Maestros Unidos Site Representative Council on the 12th of January, 2026.