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Resolution on Funding New York City Public Schools

Whereas, New York City Public Schools have suffered from decades of chronic under funding.

Whereas, New York State has delivered an increase of \$600 million for our public schools.

Whereas, said funding could be used to ensure smaller class size, safer schools. New school construction access to Pre K and quality principals and teachers.

Whereas, The City of New York seeks to renege on it commitment of \$450 million that was promised as a result of the CFE lawsuit.

Be it resolved that we the members of the CEC of District 3 support the Keep the Promise Coalition in its mission to get the city budget cuts for schools restored to the city education budget.

Further be it resolved that we the members of the Community Education Council of District 3 ask the Mayor and City Council to adequately fund our public schools and to restore the \$450 million dollars to the city education budget and keeping it focused at the classroom level.