

# PR-13

## LEGISLATURE STRONGLY CAUTIONED

GOING WITHOUT A PAY RAISE IS INAPPROPRIATE FOR STATE EMPLOYEES

**\$3600 FOR ALL STATE AND UNIVERSITY WORKERS  
WE NEED IT - WE DESERVE IT - PAY RAISE 2013**

Contact your  
elected officials  
**TODAY!** 

MY STATE SENATOR IS: \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME PHONE NUMBER

MY STATE REPRESENTATIVE IS: \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME PHONE NUMBER

**CALL THEM AND SAY:**

*My name is \_\_\_\_\_ and I'm a member of the Texas State Employees Union. I am asking you to support and work for a statewide pay raise that is: a flat amount, across-the-board raise for all state and university employees, **including university workers**, of at least \$3600/year with no cuts to our health care or pension plans. Can I count on your support?*

**RECORD THE RESPONSE AND FORWARD THIS INFORMATION TO YOUR LOCAL TSEU OFFICE OR ORGANIZER.**

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Dear Senator \_\_\_\_\_

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Sincerely, \_\_\_\_\_

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# THREE STEPS on the road to state employee victory!

## SEND A POSTCARD

### **\$3600 FOR ALL STATE AND UNIVERSITY EMPLOYEES**

Fill in, cut out and mail your pay raise post card to your State Senator and Representative. **IMPORTANT:** Write in the names and office phone numbers for your elected officials on the back of this sheet. Follow up your postcard with a call to their offices. Keep the contact information handy so you are able to call them about other matters throughout the session.

## VOTE FOR ELIAS

### **ERS BOARD OF TRUSTEES ELECTION 2013**

Voting for the next ERS Board election is March 8 - April 12. Electing TSEU's candidate Elias McClellan to the Board means getting someone who represents the needs of front-line employees and our families. Get involved in the campaign to elect Elias McClellan. Contact any TSEU office or organizer for more information.

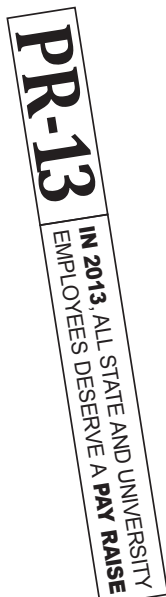
## MARCH, RALLY, LOBBY!

### **STATE EMPLOYEE LOBBY DAY APRIL 10 / AUSTIN, TX**

State workers from across Texas are coming to Austin for a march and rally to defend public workers and services. TSEU is calling for a massive show of strength to tell the legislature that we will fight to restore funding for public services, protect state employee benefits, and win a \$3600 across-the-board raise. Everything is at stake; we need you to be there.

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