

We, the undersigned SFUSD Employees and Retirees petition the RETIREMENT BOARD – NOT INVEST OUR PENSION MONIES INTO HEDGE FUNDS today or in the future for the following reasons:

- 1. Hedge Funds are HIGH RISK and not appropriate for Pension Plans for retirees who live on fixed incomes.
- 2. As it stands now, the proposed investment in hedge funds will cost our Pension Plan fund \$100 Million a Year in fees alone!
- 3. CalPERS, the largest Public Pension Fund in the country with assets of \$300 BILLION is getting out of hedge funds because of excessive fees and mediocre returns.

Return this petition to 350 Rhode Island Street attn: Dennis McLaughlin or dennis.mclaughlin@seiu1021.org by February 9.