## Lee County Association of Professional Substitute Teachers Inc.

13013 River Road, Ft Myers Shores, Florida 33905 Telephone (230) 693-5209

## Dear Substitute Teacher:

Welcome to the Lee County Substitute Teacher Corp. On behalf of the Lee County Association of Professional Substitute Teachers, we applaud your decision.

We would like to take this opportunity to introduce ourselves. We are an organization of substitute teachers, like yourself, who enjoy the opportunity to be a replacement teacher when the regular staff members are absent in order to maintain the continuity of education for the young people of Lee County.

The goal of our organization is to promote dignity and respect for substitute teachers who provide educational continuity for our students. We encourage the development and professional training of substitutes, improved wages and health employment. We affirm that substitute teachers can best achieve these gains through collective bargaining. We also affirm that we follow the principles of a fair evaluation/grievance process and the right of the substitutes to receive full, unbiased consideration for contractual employment.

We will facilitate communication among substitute teachers (locally) and substitute teacher associations (nationally). We will gather, study and distribute information about substitute teachers to the members and to the public. We also encourage this organization to lead the way for Lee County substitute teachers to engage in dialog with all entities that have an effect on the role of substitute teachers.

We, the Board, hope you will join with us in this organization to continue to strive for the esteem, dignity and respect that a substitute teacher is entitled to. Only by joining together can we accomplish these goals. We need you, your ideas, your concerns, and your membership.

Best of luck to you on this your new endeavor. We are there for you!

Respectfully,

Sheridan Chester, President Lee County Association of Professional Substitute Teachers

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## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FOR LEE COUNTY ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSIONAL SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS

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Would yo	ou consider serving as an officer or o	n a committee	:Yes	No
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