October 1, 2015

## MESSAGE REGARDING FULL MEMBERSHIP

## Dear AAUP-BHSNJ Member:

As you have heard, the AAUP-BHSNJ and Rutgers Administration has settled the contract. The highlights of the settlement agreement are on the front page of our website at <a href="https://www.aaupbhsnj.org">www.aaupbhsnj.org</a>.

According to our records, you are not listed as a "full member." Without a signed Authorization Card, you won't have an opportunity to vote to ratify the contract. The cost is nominal, it's an additional \$3.90 per pay period. This allows you to vote on the contract ratification and all other matters which require a vote of our membership.

We expect voting to begin on October 19th, after a series of meetings with our members explaining the agreement. Once the poll is open, you will not have an opportunity to add your name.

If you want your voice heard, please fill in an Authorization Card which can be found on our website at: <a href="http://aaupbhsnj.org/authorization-form.html">http://aaupbhsnj.org/authorization-form.html</a> and return it via e-mail to: <a href="mailto:george@aaupbhsnj.org">george@aaupbhsnj.org</a> or by fax at 973-972-0776.

Thank you.