

LIUNA's United Public Employees of California (UPEC) Local 792 in Redding, California is proud to announce that two of their members, Margi Perotti and Leslie Fenton, have returned to work after being put on administrative leave over a year ago, and being fired in March of last year based on false allegations of misconduct. As part of their individual settlement agreements they also received full back pay, benefits, attorney's fees, and costs due to the efforts of the Local's staff and community involvement.

Ellis Miller, the UPEC labor representative for Local 792's South Bay region, which covers Carmel, and Ocean Mottley, the Local's staff attorney, were responsible for the members' defense.



From left to right: Ocean Mottley (Staff Attorney), Leslie Fenton, Doug Schmitz (City Administrator), Margi Perotti, Michelle Welsh, and Don Freeman (City Attorney) pose together for a picture after signing settlement agreements.