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Dear Mr. Verrone and Mr. Winship:

On behalf of ACTRA and our 21,000 members, I would like to express our profound solidarity and support for your members and your strike.

As you know, ACTRA members went on strike in January 2007, over many of the same issues you are facing today - particularly - fair compensation for use of our work on the internet and in other forms of new media.

After six weeks on the picket line, we won that strike.

We defeated producer proposals to slash our rates by 10-25%, gained a 10% increase over three years and secured payment for work in new media.

It was worth the fight.

We know you will achieve these gains as well.

Be assured ACTRA extends our full support to the WGA and stands in solidarity with the membership of the WGA during this strike.

ACTRA will support your struggle to the fullest extent permitted by law, including prohibiting the acceptance of struck work by ACTRA members.

We have walked in your shoes. We stand with you.

In solidarity,

Richard Hardacre  
National President  
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