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To the Faculty and Staff of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville

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MEMO TO: University Faculty and Staff
FROM: Earl Lazerson *[Signature]*
SUBJECT: SIUE Charitable Fund Drive

For a number of years the members of the University faculty and staff have participated in the annual United Way campaign which provides money and services to numerous agencies within the region served by the University. Along with other state agencies, the University has also participated in the Combined Health Appeal of Illinois. The Combined Health Appeal was organized to benefit a number of worthy agencies which are not normally included in the United Way drive. This year the United Negro College Fund will also be included in the SIUE Charitable Fund Drive. The United Negro College Fund supports 42 private, historically black colleges and universities throughout the United States.

The 1989 SIUE Charitable Fund Drive will be conducted from November 13 through December 1. Campaign material will be distributed to each employee by solicitors in the various units.

Last year University employees contributed more than \$37,000 to the joint campaigns. This was an increase of approximately \$3,700 over the previous year and represents the largest University donation to date. The success of the SIUE contribution to charitable organizations and agencies is due, in large part, to the increased number of employees who have elected to use the payroll deduction plan. I urge your participation in this year's campaign, as well as your consideration of the payroll deduction method. Your generosity will be greatly appreciated by all those who benefit from the work of Combined Health Appeal, the United Negro College Fund, and the United Way.