AFL-CIO Hails Choice of Cardona as Next U.S. Secretary of Education

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The Texas AFL-CIO, the AFL-CIO’s largest state federation, today announced its support for the choice of Mr. Miguel Cardona as the next U.S. Secretary of Education. Mr. Cardona, a tireless education leader who has served as superintendent of schools in Connecticut, as well as the next U.S. Secretary of Education.

AFL-CIO President Rich Trumka said: “We are pleased to announce our endorsement of Mr. Miguel Cardona as the next U.S. Secretary of Education. As the son of a janitor, Mr. Cardona has dedicated his career to improving the lives of students and teachers. He has worked tirelessly to ensure that every child has access to a quality education, regardless of their background.

Mr. Cardona has been a strong advocate for unions and their members, recognizing the value of collective bargaining and the need to support our educators. He understands the importance of ensuring that all students have access to a high-quality education, and he has been a strong ally of the teaching profession.

We believe that Mr. Cardona will be a strong leader for our nation, and we are confident that he will work to improve the lives of students and teachers across the country. We look forward to working closely with him to ensure that every child has access to the education they deserve.”

Cardona has been praised for his commitment to equity, his support for the teaching profession, and his dedication to ensuring that every child has access to a quality education. He has been a strong advocate for expanding access to high-quality pre-K programs and for ensuring that all students have access to the tools they need to succeed.

Mr. Cardona has also been a strong supporter of unions and their members, recognizing the value of collective bargaining and the need to support our educators. He has been a strong ally of the teaching profession, and he has worked to ensure that our schools are safe and secure for all students.

The Texas AFL-CIO is proud to support Mr. Cardona as the next U.S. Secretary of Education, and we look forward to working closely with him to ensure that every child has access to the education they deserve.