

Communications Workers of America Local 9408 says:

Hey AT&T - If we throw a STRIKE, **YERRR OUT!**



But our customers are the ones who really lose!

**ATT IS NOT WORRIED ABOUT THE CUSTOMERS.
NOR IS ATT WORRIED ABOUT CORPORATE GREED.
BUT CWA UNION MEMBERS ARE; SO WE BARGAIN RATHER THAN STRIKE!**

AT&T is at the bargaining table with over 100,000 employees in 22 states, including about 25,000 in California and over 3000 right here in the Central Valley. Can AT&T afford to provide decent, middle class jobs to its employees: the kind of jobs that support communities and help our struggling economy? Yes, AT&T can. Let's check the facts.



In 2008, AT&T:

- > **made \$12.9 billion** in profits;
- > **paid \$33.5 million** to its top 5 executives;
- > **paid \$9.8 billion** in dividends to investors;
- > **spent \$6.45 million** on campaigns, lobbying and gifts (Sacramento Bee);
- > **spent \$250,000** on the Rose Bowl, Celine Dion, and Bruce Springsteen concerts. (Sacramento Bee)
- > **spent \$50,000** on Gov. Schwarzenegger's 2nd inaugural. (Sacramento Bee);
- > **hired three full-time, in-house lobbyists and nine lobbyist firms.** (Sacramento Bee)

How about CEO compensation?

- > **2006 to 2008, AT&T paid over \$48 million** to CEO Randall Stephenson. (Annual Stockholders Report)
- > **In 2008, AT&T paid over \$13 million** to CEO Stephenson in stock and option awards. (Annual Stockholders Report)
- > **In 2008, AT&T paid over \$284,000** for the CEO's personal use of Company aircraft, auto and relocation benefits, country club membership fees and "financial counseling". (Annual Stockholders Report)

ATT is ready to spend its billions in an attack on working families! Today, AT&T sits across the table from the CWA, demanding huge concessions. AT&T wants American families to bear the brunt of increased health care costs, while offering pennies in wage increases over the next five years. And if we don't bow to AT&T, AT&T wants us to strike, so it can replace us with a workforce of managers and scabs. **If Corporate America wins this one: who's next?**

We need the community to send a message to AT&T:

Would you rather do business with a corporation leads in providing quality jobs, or one that is leading California further into recession? We've seen where that would end. If you agree, take a minute to log on to support AT&T employees:

www.standwithworkers.com