



Council: May 15, 2018 · 3:30-5 p.m. at the MTA CC

1. Election Chairperson Terry SalasOrtiz (CCE) will report **the Executive Committee/State Council & Alternate election results.**
2. The **Blanche Chester Teacher Advocate Award** will be announced at Council. The 2017 Recipient Christina Paz (BVE) will disclose the name of the 2018 Blanche Chester Teacher Advocate Honoree.
3. **Bargaining** Chairperson Larry McKiernan (SUI) will update the Council on current negotiations. The team includes Paul Chavez (SHS), Gabriela Orozco-Gonzalez (MGE), David Navar (WGE), Jessica Zwaal (MAI). Executive Director Kathy Schlotz serves as an advisor to the team.
4. Political Action Chairperson Jaime Quintero (FPA) will report on the work we are doing on the **June Primary**. CTA recommends **Gavin Newsom for Governor and Tony Thurmond for State Superintendent of Public Instruction**. Also, endorsed candidates for the November 2018 Board of Education election have begun to canvass voters. **Volunteers are needed for Jennifer Gutierrez, Miki Moreno, and Marisol Uribe.**
5. Treasurer Andy Shinn (BGI) will present the first reading of the **2018-2019 Strategic Plan Budget**. The budget will be adopted at the June 6 meeting.
6. The **movie “Backpack Full of Cash” will be shown the evening of Wednesday, March 30** at the Bell Gardens High School Auditorium. A panel discussion will follow. Panelists will include President Doug Patzkowski and Superintendent Anthony Martinez. Organizing Chairperson Elizabeth Kocharian (BGH) will give an update to the Council on the recent activity from Charter School petitions.
7. **The deadline for MOU applications for Banking Minutes has been extended to Friday, May 18.** Principals should receive materials from the Instructional Services Division prior to the deadline.