



Council: May 21, 2019 · 3:30-5 p.m. at the MTA CC

1. The **Blanche Chester Teacher Advocate Award** will be announced at Council. The 2018 Recipient Iva Chen Kang (PHE) will disclose the name of the 2019 Blanche Chester Teacher Advocate Honoree. The winner was nominated by a colleague and selected by the past Blanche Chester Teacher Advocate recipients.
2. Election Chairperson Terry SalasOrtiz (CCE) will report **the Executive Committee/State Council & Alternate election results**.
3. Treasurer Andy Shinn (BGI) will present the first reading of the **2018-2019 Strategic Plan Budget**. The budget will be adopted at the June 4 Council meeting.
4. The Association is meeting with the District regarding **elementary student progress reports**. Representatives will meet Assistant Superintendent, Education Services Dr. Kaivan Yuen Thursday, May 23. Vice President Alma Orta (SUE) will discuss current issues with the progress reports at Council.
5. The National Education Association Representative Assembly (**NEA RA**) will be in Houston, Texas July 2-8. Delegate Jessica Zwaal (MAI) will provide a preview of some of the issues at Council.

The Representative Assembly (RA) consists of roughly 8,000 delegates representing state and local affiliates. These delegates are elected by their local and state Associations and represent preK-16 educators, including education support professionals, student members, retired members, and other segments of the united education profession.

6. Members have participated in **CTA conferences** throughout the year. Phil Rodriguez (BGH) and Xochitl Maldonado (WIE) will report on their conference experiences. CTA annual conferences include: GLBT Conference, Issues Conference, Good Teaching Conference, and Equity and Human Rights Conference.