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## **Council: November 12, 2019 · 4-5 p.m. at the MTA CC**

1. It's time to start thinking about the **Winter Holiday New Member and Building Rep Council Dinner**.
  - a. The dinner is **December 17 at Tamayo's Restaurant** from 3:30 – 6 p.m.
  - b. **RSVPs** are due no later than **Monday, December 2**.
  - c. **Building Reps, Alternates, and New Members are invited!** The definition is new members to the Association (not to the site). New Bargaining Unit members who were hired in 2018-2019 and missed last year's dinner are eligible to attend.
  - d. The MTA Office sends invitations to all new members, however sometimes the office has incomplete information. ***Please personally invite new members at your site to join you at this enjoyable event.*** Call or email Alonso Ibanez if you need a list of new members or other information. Email [MTA@MontebelloTeachers.org](mailto:MTA@MontebelloTeachers.org).
2. The **CTA State Council of Education** met October 25-27. State Council delegates will report on the meeting. The focus of the meeting was the launch of the Schools and Communities First funding initiative. Political Action Chairperson Jaime Quintero (FPA) will report on the petition drive activities.
3. The 2018-2021 contract has been printed and distributed. Limited reopeners will begin this spring. Bargaining Chairperson David Navar (WGE) will distribute a **bargaining survey** via personal email. The survey will open November 12 and close November 22. Additionally, the Association accepts bargaining input throughout the year at [Bargaining@MontebelloTeachers.org](mailto:Bargaining@MontebelloTeachers.org).
4. The Association will conduct the first **Revenue and Expense Open Hearing** at Council. Chairperson Alma Orta (SUE) will lead the discussion. The Revenue and Expense Committee has been advocating for responsible reporting of the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) as it relates to the Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP). The hearing will also focus on bond revenue and facilities.
5. A discussion on the Securities and Exchange Commission findings and penalties was tabled at the October Council meeting. Lu Cruz (CCE) referred to the **\$10,000 penalties Superintendent Martinez personally paid for signing a false document presented by past employee Ruben Rojas**.
6. Treasurer Andy Shinn (BGI) will report on the **Association budget**. The 2019-2020 fiscal year began September 1.