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## **Council March 17, 2020 · 4:00-5 p.m. at the MTA CC**

1. The **Grievance Symposium** will be immediately following Council. Dinner will be served. RSVP to [MTA@MontebelloTeachers.org](mailto:MTA@MontebelloTeachers.org). Bargaining Chairperson David Navar (WGE) will navigate the grievance process. Participants will have opportunities to practice grievance processing skills.
2. **The Local NEA RA Election results** will be reported by Elections Chairperson Terry SalasOrtiz (CCE).
3. **The MUSD calendars for 2021-2022, 2022-2023, and 2023-2024** were presented at the February 18 Council meeting. The draft calendars are available at [MontebelloTeachers.org](http://MontebelloTeachers.org). Council will **vote to approve** the calendars at this meeting.
4. Elizabeth Kocharian (BGH) will report on **Member Engagement activities** planned for this spring. If you would like to recommend an activity, Elizabeth is open to suggestions.
5. The signatures we gathered for the **Schools and Communities First** initiative are currently being verified for the November 3, 2020 ballot. The Association will begin educational activities to highlight the importance of its passage. Organizing Team Chairperson Elizabeth Kocharian (BGH) will discuss the plans for phone banks and community walks this spring.
6. The **nominations for the Executive Committee and State Council (& Alternate) election will be opened** by Nominations Committee: Lisa Navarro Gutierrez (BGE), Lucia Quintero (LMI) and Rey Vogel (MHS). Nominations will be closed at the April 21 Council meeting. The Nominations Committee can be contacted at [Nominations@MontebelloTeachers.org](mailto:Nominations@MontebelloTeachers.org).
7. Concerns have been raised regarding the **Eureka Math Adoption**. Also, members have inquired about the upcoming change in high school graduation requirements including making **“C” a passing grade rather than “D”** and the passing of **UC A-G class requirements**. Education Services has been invited to Council to discuss both concerns.
8. **Site Specific Waivers for Banking Minutes** are due Friday, April 24. Some sites chose to teach four longer days and a one shorter day to create a dedicated time for planning, training, and meetings. A single form is completed for both the District and the Association. Forms are available at [MontebelloTeachers.org](http://MontebelloTeachers.org).
9. **CTA State Council** met January 24-26. The representatives will report on the meeting. The meeting of the CTA State Council is March 27-29.