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Board Member Ed Chau speaks to Council March 20 about the Superintendent Search. He reported there are 17 candidates at this time. The Board will have a special meeting soon to narrow the field.

MTA Elections Are in May: Nominations Are Open

The nominations for the Executive Committee and State Council will close at the Council meeting on **Tuesday, April 24**. The meeting will begin at 3:30 p.m. at the MTA CC. Eligible members may be nominated in one of three ways: (1) complete the petition posted on montebelloteachers.org, (2) nomination on the floor of Council, or (3) via the Nominating Committee. The Nominating Committee can be contacted through the MTA office.

The members of the Nominating Committee are Kathy Arriola (WAE), Elizabeth Kocharian (BGH), Gloria Cunningham (WIE), Theresa Flores (GWE), Christopher Kakimi (CIS), and John Ramirez (EAI).

More information regarding the offices can be found in the Bylaws. The MTA bylaws are available on our website at montebelloteachers.org.

Nominations are open for: Vice President, Secretary, Elementary Director, High School Director, Adult Education Director, and a CTA State Council Seat.

NEA RA Local Election Results

Two Year Term

Maria E. Balderas 149
 *Julian De La Torre.....311

One Year Term

*Alma Orta205
 Andy Shinn 179
 *Guillermo Sandoval214
 *Brian Stevens183
 *Dianne Stevens383
 *Christopher Kakimi208
 Laura Quintana177
 William P. Rodriguez70
 *Lorraine Richards230
 Tony Richards..... 155
 *Kathy Reyes234
 Sandra Day88
 Evia De La Cruz-Lopez..... 163
 David Mata85
 Veronica Fernandez151
 Colleen Nishikawa-Alanis114
 *Irma Navarro181
 *Ed Guzmán220

* Indicates Elected

Bargaining Update: Bargaining Team Named

Bargaining Chairperson Andy Shinn (BGI) introduced his team and asked the Council to approve: Elvia De La Cruz-Lopez (MOA), Gilbert Gomez (MHS), Alma Orta (SUE), and Sandra Morales (DO). Executive Director Kathy Schlotz serves as an advisor to the team. Bargaining surveys are at Montebelloteachers.org through March 30.

2011 Tax Information

The amounts shown below are the annual amount for the calendar year 2011, which covers parts of two different membership years. Please note that your Trust Fund contribution is included since it is collected as “dues” under Category 1. Trust Fund contributions are also included with dues if you are a Category 2 employee and have elected to participate in the MTA Trust Fund.

JANUARY – DECEMBER 2011 MEMBERS

Cat. 1	Full Time	\$2,009.00 (Rep Fee \$1,009.00)
2	30-60%	\$1,521.50 (w/o TF \$521.50)
3	30% or less	\$ 278.10
Retired 6/11		\$1,203.00 (Rep Fee \$603.00)

NEW MEMBERS SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER

Cat. 1	Full Time	\$ 806.00 (Rep Fee \$406.00)
2	30-60%	\$ 611.00 (w/o TF \$211.00)
3	30% or less	\$ 113.64

Political contributions are as follows: MTA-ABC \$25/year. FACT \$10/year, NEA-PAC \$10/year (or what you have designated).

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**California Teachers Association and the
Southeastern Service Center Council
Present the.....**

Special Ed Issues Workshop

Facilitator: Stacy Begin, CTA IPD Staff

Special and general educators will “unwrap” the impact and implications of state and federal special education law.



Topics Covered Will Include:

Teacher rights, IEP's , Discipline, Changes to Service Delivery, Response to Intervention. This session will enlighten and empower educators.



Date: Thursday, May 3, 2012

Time: 4:00-5:30PM

Place: Santa Fe Springs CTA office
11745 E. Telegraph Rd.
Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670

**RSVP by April 30, 2012 to Tina Martinez at
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