# **SMMCTA 10-MINUTE MEETING**

## **August 2022**

# Confidentiality:

The content of this message is confidential. It is forbidden to copy, forward, or in any way reveal the contents of this message to anyone outside of SMMCTA.

### Negotiations

After 5 years of working together, the Health Benefits Joint Committee has
recommended that we move away from CalPERS to SISC (Self Insured Schools of
California). There will be a Webinar on Wednesday, 8/24/22 at 6pm to explain these
changes. You can find all of the documents on our <u>SMMCTA padlet.</u>
SMMCTA will have a Q & A General Membership meeting on Monday, 8/29/22 at 4:15.
We will have the membership vote on the <u>Health Benefits MOU</u> from <b>8/26-8/31</b> .
An electronic ballot will be distributed to all current SMMCTA members later this week
If you have not been receiving emails or have changed your email address in the last
year, please update your <u>personal email address here</u> .
SMMCTA will also be negotiating COVID mitigations.

#### Elections 2022

- We have three openings in Executive Board:
  - o Vice President (2022-2024)
  - o Secretary (2022-2023)
  - High School Representative (2022-2024)
- Timeline.

# **Grievance Committee Report**

- Samohi Collab Grievance Settled in June 2022.
- Roosevelt grievance Settled in July 2022.

#### Political Action Committee

 Ned Acker is the new Chair of PAC. He is recruiting volunteers for the Board of Education endorsement interviews that will take place 9/12-9/16. Please contact him or cbautista@smmcta.com

### Calendar for <u>2022-2023</u>

• Rep Assembly has voted to continue on Zoom for the Rep Assembly meetings

# **Important Meetings/DATES**

8/24 Health Benefits Webinar on **Zoom** at 6pm

8/29 SMMCTA Health Benefits Q & A at 4:15pm

8/26-8/31 Vote on MOU

9/1 SMMUSD Board Meeting

#### **Action Items**

- Please review the proposed language changes to the bylaws to reflect current federal law and CTA changes. We will vote on proposed changes at the Sept Meeting. <a href="Proposed">Proposed</a> by-laws changes.
- Please help us update our member's email address: Link.
- Only CTA Members will be allowed to vote on the MOU, for EBoard Positions, or apply
  for professional development grants. If you have new teachers not yet members at your
  site, you can encourage them to join with this link. Or they can email me for a paper
  application.
- Review <u>Site Rep Responsibilities</u>
- Hold Elections for Union site representatives (1 per 15 staff members) and FAC (1 per 7 staff members.
- Provide a list of all names of 22-23 Union Reps and FAC members at your site with non-SMMUSD email addresses to Larissa (<a href="mailto:smmcta.com">smmcta.com</a>) and Claudia (<a href="cbautista@smmcta.com">cbautista@smmcta.com</a>)

#### **Important Links**

Reopening Protocols for K-12 Appendix T1 (8-11-22)

Covid-19 Exposure Management Guidance Appendix T2 (8-8-2022)

<u>Isolation Order</u> (5-18-2022)

TK-12 Schools and Youth Programs Covid 19 Data Dashboards

#### **CTA Conferences**

Please consider attending. We also have <u>Professional Development grants</u> available for our members.

# LACOE's EASE (Employee Assistance Service for Education) Program

# **Counseling Services**

EASE provides confidential counseling, phone consultations and community referrals.

For more information call: 1-800-882-1341

EASE Brochure 1-800-882-1341