

PAT Representative Assembly Minutes and Notes

3/13/24

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1. Meeting called to order at 4:33 p.m.
2. **Motion:** Motion to approve meeting agenda and 2/21/24 meeting minutes. Multiple seconds. Approved unanimously.
3. Members reviewed standing rules.
4. President Angela Bonilla reviewed the 3/6/24 executive board meeting.
5. **President' Report:**
 - a. Reviewed bargaining committee work from recent meeting on 2/28/24
 - b. Reviewed CAT Captains and E-Board meeting from 3/5/24
 - c. CAT leads meeting tomorrow (3/14). Communication will go out tomorrow with next steps. Organizing campaign against fte cuts is member led and PAT supported.
 - d. Reviewed initial action steps against FTE cuts. Solidarity - wear blue on tuesday, purple on wednesday and green on thursday. Community organizer joanne sheppard is working on parent outreach and a flyer on the cuts. Members are encouraged to attend the March 19 Board work session with the committee budget review committee and to bring signs noting cuts to their buildings.

Question: Is a .2 reduction in fte with no reduction in students an article 8 violation?

Answer: Yes. We are fighting this and applying pressure.

Question: Beyond pressure, are we going to bring in OEA legal?

Answer: Yes but we have to go through the OEA process and will try to see how we can accelerate.

Question: What is the status about plan to have PPS sell their HQ to the Albina vision trust?

Answer: Executive board wrote a letter supporting this. Albina Vision Trust has a right of first offer/first refusal for the property and is working on a larger revitalization plan.

6. Nominations and Elections

- a. Ailien Tran reviewed interim election for executive board seat (currently held by Alisha Chavez) for a one year term to take effect on July 1, 2024.

7. Vice-President's Report:

- a. Jacque Dixon reviewed the draft budget (and budgeting goals) for next PAT fiscal year. Budget will be presented to the Executive Board at their April meeting for review and to the RA in April for approval.
- b. Reviewed dues calculation adjustments for the upcoming 2024-2025 school year.

8. Treasurer's Report:

- a. Tina Lamanna reviewed updates. No new financial information to share. Reminded representatives to review budget draft.

9. Community Organizer Update

- a. Joanne Sheppard reviewed recent lobbying visit to Salem with 50 families and a recent fact finding visit to locals in Minneapolis-St. Paul
- b. Reviewed upcoming PAT power analysis and contract campaign in Salem-Keizer.

10. OEA PAC Update

- a. OEA PAC Director Ginger Huizar recapped a recent OEA PAC convention in Eugene.
- b. Reviewed list of OEA PAC endorsements.

11. OEA RA

- a. Jacque Dixon reviewed information on the upcoming April 19-20 OEA RA.

12. Committee Reports

- a. Advocacy committee reviewed contract exception process.
- b. Social Justice and Community Outreach reviewed upcoming events

13. Zone Check In

- a. Representatives met in zones and connected with their zone directors.

14. Meeting Adjourned at 6:30 p.m.