

AFT 2121 Delegate Assembly Meeting Minutes - DRAFT May 17, 2022, 3-5 pm, Virtual Meeting

Delegates: Malaika Finkelstein, Mary Bravewoman, Yvonne Whitelaw, Dayna Holz, Alan D'Souza, Alisa Messer, Alison Datz, Armen Hovhannes, Beatriz Herrera, Carla Crocomo, Carolyn Cox, Clare Heimer, Constance Conner, Diane Wallis, Doug Orr, E. Simon Hanson, Galina Gerasimova, Harry Bernstein, Karl Westerberg, Kathe Burick, Megan Sweeney, Robin Pugh, Ron Richardson, Stephen Brady, Tanichya Wongprasert, Tehmina Khan, Timothy Killikelly, Tracy Ousdahl; 26 Faculty Members; Staff: Alayna Fredricks, Athena Waid, Spencer Jackson

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Land acknowledgement
- 3. Meeting process and agreements discussed.
- 4. m/s/p Approval of Agenda.
- 5. Layoffs status updates: Final layoff notices have been sent, with some reappointments in process for summer and fall. The District has not committed to following the law and we must be prepared to fight back.
- 6. Strategic Campaigns, Building on Momentum, & Strike Readiness

Organizers presented: an analysis of the Camp Conlon actions and arrests; review of organizing activities over the past year; and analysis of our strike readiness and latest structure test. Upcoming goals are to gather signatures to get a revenue measure on the November ballot and identify candidates to run as a labor-endorsed slate for Board of Trustees seats.

Members went into breakout rooms to discuss: how to engage students, faculty and community in this signature gathering process; what else we should be thinking about to ensure this works; events to target; how to get get 90% of members filling up at least 1 page of registered voters.

- 7. Officers' reports
 - Secretary yielded time to the Election Commission; Janey Skinner reported on results of the election.
 - Report from President Malaika Finkelstein
 - Report from Vice President Mary Bravewoman
 - Report from Treasurer Yvonne Whitelaw
- 8. Affirmative Action Task Force update from Chriss Yanuaria
- 9. For the good of the order (Announcements)



- a. Canvassing and phone banking is scheduled for No on H campaign.
- b. Susanna Atwood announced the Poor People's Campaign June 18th March on Washington and to the Polls.
- c. Harry Bernstein announced the California Alliance for Retired Americans will broadcast online a day of action around social security in Washington, D.C.
- d. Return to Campus Committee reported on anticipated unsafe conditions for in person classes and services for fall.

10. m/s/p Approve minutes of 4/19/22.

11. Adjourn 5:29 p.m.