

Representative Council Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, April 9, 2013

4:00 P.M. @ CNTA Office

- I. Call to order/ Flag Salute 4:04 P.M.
- II. New Business
 - A. Community Outreach
 1. Report from Ambra Dodds-Main. She gave out a flyer from State Council for teachers to volunteer to review materials or frameworks for the state. Deadlines are coming soon.
 2. Day of the Child is April 20. Set up is 8:00, clean up at 3:00. City Park in Corona.
 - B. Health Insurance
 1. JoAnn spoke to the committee's findings. Eula, Catalina, Rachel, and JoAnn have worked all year for this fact finding.
 2. The district is pushing for a decision.
 3. The committee looked at utilization and demographics.
 4. Committee chose VEBA as the pool to join. Single digit increases, four tiers, online enrollment available, current employees who opt-out still can, retired and out of state are covered, Kaiser and United Health Care, early retirees will go with the plan. Downsides: the education piece, new medical cards, everyone must go through the enrollment process.
 5. Pros and cons presented about staying with Keenan.
 6. Kaiser rates are going up 13.7% regardless of Keenan or VEBA. The plan on VEBA has changes. About half of our members have Kaiser.
 7. United Health Care rates were presented: current, Keenan, and VEBA.
 8. Question and answer time.
 9. JoAnn Ritchie moved that CNTA change carriers for medical benefits to VEBA as a stand-alone CNTA unit. Monika Openshaw seconded. Debate occurred. Yes: 52, No: 5, Abstain: 4. Motion

carried. We will let the district know that we are breaking away and moving to VEBA.

C. Spring Elections

1. Update from Maria Macabales. Thank you for all the volunteers who helped with stuffing and counting ballots. Remind all the members to vote for only four, work in pencil, leave time to get the ballots in.

D. CNTA Principal's survey

1. Starting Thursday on Survey Monkey. This was to be done annually, but hasn't in the past years. Principals will be recognized for doing a god job. Anonymous. Flyers go out today. We want 100% participation. Give solutions in the comments section. Survey will end April 18.

E. Memorial

1. Mrs. Cortez from Harada lost her husband, a corrections officer who was on duty. A fundraiser is planned.

III. Adjournment