

Associated Pomona Teachers

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APT Rep Council Minutes September 11, 2023 @ 4:15 PM Village @ Indian Hill, Entrance #3, Multipurpose Room (Downstairs) 1444 E Holt Ave, Pomona, CA 91767

- 1. Meeting was called to order at 4:17 p.m.
- 2. Approval of agenda: Zachary Franco-Moore made motion to approve the agenda and Laura Lovalce seconded. Motion passed without objections.
- 3. Anne Henderson from Pomona Host Lions described the mini-grants for teachers. Raymond Pruitt from Horace Mann presented their insurance products. Lauren from First Financial Credit Union described their banking products.
- 4. Seating of Alternates: Marcy Santos and Yolanda Gardner-Horn
- 5. Approval of Minutes (8-21-23): Zachary Franco-Moore made motion to approve the agenda and Eduardo Perez seconded. Motion passed without objections.
- 6. President's Report
 - a. Introduction of APT executive board
 - b. Executive board actions (assigned new signers to bank accounts, invest excess money in Certificates of Deposits and Treasury Bills)
 - c. Site visits were tentatively scheduled throughout the year by month.
 - d. Materials to post on bulletin board APT Workshops, classroom suspension, physician designation, etc.
 - e. Teacher of the Year Donovan Macleod
- 7. Treasurer's Report: Fiscal year ended
- 8. Committee Reports
 - a. Child Development First meeting next week; Homebased program moved to Montvue
 - b. Community Action Committee has not met (pending members' availability); need help for Pomona Children's Festival on September 16 from 8 to 4.
 - c. Elections Election to be held for vacancies of Elementary Area 3, Ed Services/Child Development, High School Area 2, Middle School Area, and State Council
 - d. Equity/Human Rights Equity Mixer on 9/27; sick leave should not be used for maternity leave
 - e. Grievance Meeting on 9/12 on Zoom (second Tuesday of the month)
 - f. Insurance no report
 - g. Organizing Meeting on 9/27; asked sites to sign up to attend school board meetings; APT Board to attend meeting on 9/13





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- h. Special Education Met on 9/7; caseload survey on Google Classroom
- i. Teacher Specialists Met on 9/7; every member should be treated respectfully
- 9. Bargaining Update Worked on Articles 10 (Hours of Employment) & 14 (Leave Provisions); district has been slow to respond; next sessions are on Thursday and Friday
- 10. CTA Staff Report Vigrass gave a mini site rep training and described the criteria to be a Super Rep
- 11. Old Business None
- 12. New Business None
- 13. Area Conversations What are the two top priorities for APT? Declining facilities, loss of instruction time due to individual testing, no say in professional development, compensation (especially for added expectations).
- 14. Announcements Reminded members to attend CTA conferences; \$25 gift cards to January Abell, Andrea Castillo, Joshua Keagy and Janette Duran Grimaldo
- 15. Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 5:57 p.m. without objections.

