COUNCIL OF DELEGATES AGENDA

December 12, 2019

CALL TO ORDER

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

TREASURER'S REPORT

VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

I. Negotiations Update

- Both Sides Submitted Proposals and Counter Proposals to Mediator
- Awaiting Mediator to Set-up Mediation Dates With Both Sides Will Advise When Set
- Two (2) Improper Practice Charges Filed Against District Pre-Conference Dates IP Re: Regressive Bargaining December 17, 2019, IP Re: Delays Etc. Being Scheduled

II. District Change in Healthcare Carriers – BCBS to Independent Health

- BTF Files Grievance
- Will Go to Court to Prevent Until Grievance is Decided By An Arbitrator
- Will use NYSUT/NEA/AFT Experts if Necessary

III. Teachers Not Paid

- Coaches, Home Instruction, Etc.
- Will Grieve and Seek Interest

IV. Elimination of Afterschool ELT, Afterschool Home Instruction

- District Cut Fridays and Many Other Days
- Impact on Regents and All Instruction
- Letter to Superintendent and Board If No Response in 1 Week, Will Go to NYSED and Media
- Resolution:

Whereas, the Buffalo School District is eliminating instruction for our Extended Learning Time (ELT) and Home Instruction (medical and suspended) students; and,

Whereas, said elimination of vital instruction is unconscionable and detrimental to our students.

Therefore Be It Resolved: that the BTF demands an immediate reinstatement of said instruction; and

Be If Further Resolved: that if not corrected by December 17, 2019, the BTF will take legal action and advise the media of the District's harm to our students as a result of this unacceptable reduction of services to our students.

Recommended: Philip Rumore Moved: Rebecca Pordum Second: Joseph Montante

V. City Honors – Reprisal Against Teachers

• District Appeal – Heard in Rochester

VI. School Safety Survey

- Results Being Tabulated Will Be Released to District and Media
- 66/78 School/Sites Have Responded
- BTF to Take Necessary Legislative and Legal Action Based on Results
- Results of School Counselors, School Social Workers, Psychologists, Attendance Teachers Survey Will Be Included

VII. Lack of Art/Music in Secondary School

• Legal Papers to Be Filed December 17, 2019 (Parents and Teachers)

OTHER LATE ITEMS

OLD BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT