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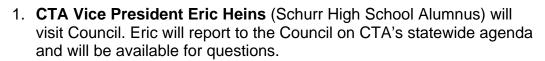FR: Lorraine Richards, president
        Kathy Schlotz, executive director

RE: COUNCIL MEETING TUESDAY
        April 22 AT 3:30 P.M.
        Montebello Teachers Association Conference Center (MTA CC)
        920 W. Whittier Blvd. in Montebello

1. **CTA Vice President Eric Heins** (Schurr High School Alumnus) will visit Council. Eric will report to the Council on CTA's statewide agenda and will be available for questions.

2. Cartoonist **Lalo Alcarez** has won the **CTA John Swett Award** for Media Excellence. Lalo was nominated by President Lorraine Richards. His wife is Fremont Elementary teacher and Building Rep Victoria Landeros Lopez.

3. **Nominations will close** for members of the Executive Committee and CTA State Council. Nominating Committee Chairperson Rey Vogel (MHS) will read the submitted nominations and accept nominations from the floor of Council.

4. Calendar Committee Chairperson Alma Orta (SUE) will **launch a survey for the 2014-2015** school year. The Committee' goal is to negotiate the calendar a year in advance of the starting date to give Bargaining Unit members a better chance to plan.

5. The Council will be asked to adopt the **2013-2014 MTA calendar**.

6. The Montebello Teachers Association Retiree Supplemental Health Plan (**the Trust Fund**) reimburses insurance premium costs for retirees 67 and over. Currently $125 per month of dues is transmitted to the fund. Trustee Gilbert Gomez (MHS) will request that the amount be raised in 2014-2015 to $150 per month (10 times per year—October 1 - July 1).

7. **CTA State Council** met March 28-30 in Los Angeles. The State Council representatives will report on the proceedings.

Kathy Schlotz
Executive Director

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