

Association Endorses Margie Granado for CTA Board of Directors District L

MTA President and NEA Director Margie Granado was endorsed by Council Tuesday for the CTA Board of Directors District L. The election for the seat will be held at the June 8-10 CTA State Council. Those wishing to help Margie on her campaign may contact her directly.

Marcella Calderon and Richard Adams Named Friendly Incumbents

Members of the Board of Education Richard Adams and Marcella Calderon were endorsed as friendly incumbents for the November election. There are only two board seats up in this coming election. More information regarding the campaigns will be available later in the year.



2007 Bargaining Team Named and Will Begin Negotiations

The Council approved the 2007 Bargaining Team Tuesday. Joining Chairperson Terry SalasOrtiz (CCE) will be Julian De La Torre (EAI) Elizabeth Gasca (RPS), Dolores Rego (BGH), and Andy Shinn (BGI). The Team will review the bargaining surveys and recommend articles to open this spring. Wages will be negotiated in the fall.

Blanche Chester Teacher Advocate Nominees

Council honored the Blanche Chester Teacher Advocate Award nominees: Cici Ramirez (BGI), Walt Lowery (MAI), and Kim Sahagian (LMI). The winner will be named Tuesday, May 15.



CICI RAMIREZ



WALT LOWERY



KIM SAHAGIAN

It's Time to Post 2007-2008 Assignments

Whenever possible, reassignments shall be announced no later than May 15.

Bargaining Unit members who are reassigned after the beginning of the school year, for program or enrollment needs, shall be given five (5) working days notice. Bargaining Unit members shall be given one (1) day of release time, upon request, before the reassignment actually occurs. At the 6-12 non-selfcontained level, this provision shall apply only with site administration approval taking into consideration the time and extra work load incurred as a result of the change.

Article XIII. Transfer and Reassignment, Section C.2.b.