

CANTON PROFESSIONAL EDUCATORS ASSOCIATION

Paul Palomba, President

BUILDING LEADERSHIP REPRESENTATIVE MEETING

Date 11/3/25

I. CALL TO ORDER

Vice President Lynne Watson called the meeting of the Executive Leadership Team of the Canton Professional Educators Association to order on 11/3/25 at 4:33 p.m. Karen Brank motioned to accept the agenda with flexibility and Cheryl Bissmeyer seconded the motion. Motion approved.

II. SECRETARY'S REPORT

The following ELT members in **black** were in attendance:

The following ELT members in **red** were not in attendance (*Denotes reported excused absence.):

1. Paul Palomba*	11. Ann Cochrane
2. Lynne Watson	12. Cheryl Bissmeyer
3. Amanda Gillespie*	13. Juliann Doerschuk
4. Darren Furno	14. Joslin Shaffer
5. Karen Brank	15. Randy Bifolchi
6. Sharen Lindberg*	16. Jen Eberle*
7. Andrea McSherry	17. Manny Halkias
8. Jennifer Schott	18. Jennifer Henderson
9. Ruth Allison*	19. Greg Soper
10. Yvonne Scott*	20. Sandy Rosetta*

III. CORRESPONDENCE – No correspondence

IV. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

1. No Report

V. VICE-PRESIDENT'S REPORT

1. MAC Meeting Notes To Do tab
2. The Learning Walks should be no more than 10 minutes. They are on hold per Elena.
3. If the delegates for the RA, they will need to cancel at least 5 days before the RA.
4. PR, Teacher Welfare and MAC committees will be combined.
 - a. First Event - Light Up Downtown. Wednesday, December 3 from 5:30 to 8:00.
 - b. We will need volunteers for this event.
 - c. Banner created, Glo-bracelets ordered to give out.
 - d. Bus cut-out ordered to be used for photo-ops.
 - e. We are given this table fee for free because the contact person is married to a teacher.
 - f. Notepads ordered to be given out.
 - g. Applied for a \$500 grant from ECOEA.
 - h. Randy Bifolchi - Do not share intercommittee information unless you have to.
 - i. Voter registration push is a good idea.
 - j. QR codes for voter registration, and how to send letters to the editor. (The legislative committee along with Randy and Manny.)

VI. COMMITTEE REPORTS

1. GRIEVANCE – no report
2. MEMBERSHIP – no report
3. LEGISLATIVE – The legislative committee plus Randy and Manny will meet at the next BLR meeting to start getting ideas and action steps for voter registration push.
4. NEGOTIATIONS – no report
5. SCHOLARSHIP – no report
6. PUBLIC RELATIONS/WEBSITE – no report
7. TEACHER WELFARE – Christmas Party signup was sent around the ELT.
8. CONSTITUTION/ELECTIONS – no report
9. PACE – no report
10. LPDC/IN-SERVICE – no report

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11. RETIRED – no report
12. UNISERV – no report
13. BUILDING AND FACILITIES – no report
14. MAC COMMITTEE – MAC Meeting Notes
 - a. [Volunteer slots for Dec 3rd Light up Downtown](#)
 - b. Paper signup sheet sent around ELT. Lynne has the paper.
15. AUDIT COMMITTEE – no report
16. ECOEA – no report

VII. OLD BUSINESS:

VIII. NEW BUSINESS: ELT members are encouraged to go to the Board meeting tonight. If you aren't able to go to the meeting in person, it will be live-streamed.

IX. FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER:

X. ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 5:42 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Andrea McSherry on behalf of
Amanda Gillespie
CPEA Secretary