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October 30, 2019

In Attendance

Nicholas Anderson	СТА	Myrlene Jackson-Kimble	District	Maribel Rigsby	СТА
Albert Davies	CTA	Daphne Lewis	CTA	Elizabeth Silva	District
Wendy Doromal	CTA	Clinton McCracken	СТА	Kenneth Simmons	СТА
Gloria Fernandez	District	Megan Oates	СТА	Mary-Grace Surrena	СТА
Farrah Hawkins	СТА	James Preusser	District	Stephanie Wyka	District
Matthew Hazel	СТА				

Additional Attendees/Guests

Beth Curran	District	Julie Grabach	District	Theresa Harter-Miles	District
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Wendy Doromal	Read a statement. See Appendix A.			
Jim Preusser	Wendy can we have a copy of that also?			
Wendy Doromal	Of course; I want you to have a copy of the survey results as well. See Appendix B. Today we have a response to your proposal, which we reject. Our members will not accept that.			
Jim Preusser	To be clear, is that a counter proposal?			
Wendy Doromal	This is our comprehensive proposal. See Appendix C. The language clean-up, we would like to do together.			
Jim Preusser	You're saying after we TA?			
Wendy Doromal	Whenever we can work on an agenda together. Our teachers have said they believe that the proposal you put forth while it's the same numbers as ours its over two years so it's really 3% and they consider it's a pay day loan like Amscot.			

Jim Preusser	Wendy I'm just going to listen to your proposal, if I have a question I'm just going to hold it to the end.
Wendy Doromal	Pg 10 – returning retirees Appendix A2 – Maribel - advanced degree numbers, same numbers as proposed before. Placement schedule based on information received over the summer.
Jim Preusser	I understand, it's the same proposal you gave before.
Maribel Rigsby	Yes.
Wendy Doromal	Rewarding people for being loyal.
Maribel Rigsby	Then we have the health insurance; our proposal is to remain as is.
Wendy Doromal	Sick Leave Bank – we changed that 3 district administrators to 2 and allow CTA and OESPA to also have 2 representatives. Article II, Negotiations and procedures – same as what we passed last time; we feel we are collaborative in word, the committees are bogged down and not functioning.
Daphne Lewis	Article A, 7 – new employee orientation.
Maribel Rigsby	Teacher Rights & Responsibilities (page 3 & 4).
Wendy Doromal	There is a mistake – the item on page 4 should not be crossed out.
Matthew Hazel	Evaluations (page 4 – letter J); that language came from you.
Jim Preusser	It was in our TA.
Matthew Hazel	Page 11; this remains a high priority for us, we need to see it fixed to our satisfaction; page 12 – struck our original language but added something; page 13 – added number 4
Nicholas Anderson	Duty Day; starting on page 2; addresses issue of medical issues with using the restroom and also a student safety issue; next issue is common planning time – limited to once a week except for STO schools which may be twice a week.
Mary-Grace Surrena	Top paragraph to work year, this is an agreed upon language; we went ahead on the back of this packet (Appendix B) – the same with the exception of one clarifying sentence.
Farrah Hawkins	Appendix B; struck the language about beginning on a Monday; added some language about pre-planning.
Jim Preusser	Is that language the same as when we TA'd?

Wendy Doromal	Now it is; we struck through that starting on Monday based on our survey.
Jim Preusser	Thank you for the movement.
Farrah Hawkins	Also struck through summer school language on page 4.
Jim Preusser	Thanks for the movement.
Clinton McCracken	Just changing how we refer to these supplements; solves a misunderstanding that it only goes to VA teachers.
Wendy Doromal	I also want to say thank you to representative Joss Goff-Marcil (and her aide Joseph H. Goldberg) for coming today.
Jim Preusser	Thank you for the movement on working condition proposals based on our dialogue at our table. Give me an opportunity to caucus, give me about an hour.
Wendy Doromal	Do you want to caucus in there (orange room)?
Jim Preusser	Sure – that is fine.
	Broke for caucus at 9:45
	The parties did not return to the table.

Appendix A

Appendix B

Appendix C