RCG BOCES RENSSELAER-COLUMBIA-GREENE BOCES TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

Your Union leadership is pleased to welcome you to the 2019-2020 school year!

Below are a list of our union officers and our building-level representatives. If you are not receiving our notifications or meeting minutes, please let one of the following people know so that we can update/add your correct personal email address to our list. Communication is vital to your successful participation in your union! Please feel free to approach us at any time.

RCG BOCES Teachers' Association Union Officers:

- President Hilary Reilly: CGEC
- ➤ VP of Special Ed Joal Bova: Sackett EC
- ➢ VP of CTE − Rebecca Lanier: CGEC
- Secretary Emily Bluhm-Allen: Maple Hill
- Treasurer John Mahony: CGEC
- Grievance Chair Diane Stever: Rensselaer Academy
- ED#10/AFL/CIO –Jefferson LaMountain: CGEC
- Membership- Christine Miller: Robin Sobol Transition Academy

RCG BOCES Teachers' Association Building-Level Representatives: (Please note that the sites listed are based upon last year's assignments and may have changed as of this year. We will inform you of these changes once we are made aware. (2)

- Michelle Baldwin: George Washington
- Marni Tesser: Catskill Academy
- Kristin Esposita-Ublacker: Rensselaer Academy

- ➢ Jennifer Pruden: Academy at REC
- Erika Mohan: Sackett EC
- Miriam Giller: Columbia
- Lisa Baron: REC

This year marks the beginning of our next round of contract negotiations. Please be on the lookout for emails that ask you to respond to survey questions during our fact-finding phase (beginning Fall 2019). We need to hear from you on (1) what you value within our existing contract and (2) what you would like to see change in the future contract. It will only take a few minutes of your time and we need your input in advance of the first official meeting with Questar III administration. Building-level discussions will begin via your building representation once we have time to review the survey responses.

We encourage you to participate in the monthly, union meetings held at the Sackett Educational Center, 200 Schuurman Rd., Castleton, NY, 12063, from 3:30 - 4:00 PM for member concerns and 4:00 PM - on for our official meeting. Visit our website, <u>http://rcgboces.ny.aft.org/</u> for dates and directions.

We look forward to another successful year with our students, collaboration with our colleagues and participation in *your* union!

In Solidarity, and with sincerity,

Hílary Reílly

RCG BOCES TA Union President