# 71st NCTM DELEGATE ASSEMBLY PROCEEDINGS

# Thursday, September 29, 2022 Los Angeles California

At 7:35 AM the 71st Delegate Assembly of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics was called to order by Jeffery Corbishley, Membership and Affiliate Relations Committee (MARC) Chair and he presided over the assembly.

Corbishley introduced MARC members and gave a brief progress report on the work of the MARC committee.

NCTM President Trena Wilkerson delivered the President's welcome and provided updates on Council activities.

#### STUDENT AFFILIATES

Four (4) new Student Affiliates were acknowledged during the Delegate Assembly. Wilkerson recognized charters for the following Student Affiliates and their sponsoring affiliate:

- University of Central Florida Council of Teachers of Mathematics
- Mathematics Education Club at Illinois State University
- Brigham Young University Idaho Mathematics Education Association
- Bowling Green State University Math Camp

# AFFILIATE PUBLICATION AWARDS

Wilkerson recognized Affiliates that qualified as winners of the Publication Award from the past three cycles and presented plaques to those in attendance. The awardees were:

- NCSM: Leadership in Mathematics Education, 2022
   Journal of Mathematics Education Leadership
   Erin Lehman, Editor. Shawn Towle and Sean Nank accepting the award
- Adult Literacy Network, 2021
   The Math Practitioner
   Patricia Helmuth, Editor. Cynthia Bell accepting the award.
- Texas Council of Teacher of Mathematics for 2020
   Texas Mathematics Teachers
   Trena Wilkerson, Editor. Jennifer Hylemon accepting the award.
- NCSM: Leadership in Mathematics Education, 2020
   NCSM Newsletter
   Sandie Gilliam Editor. Shawn Towle & Sean Nank accepting the award

Corbishley acknowledged that no issues/suggestions were brought forth during the previous assembly. Corbishley explained the process for voting as electronic voting was being tested during this assembly.

At 7:53 Chair Corbishley introduced Suzanne Mitchell, Facilitator, and Christine Royce, Parliamentarian for consideration of the resolutions. Mitchell reviewed the parliamentary procedures for those in attendance. 24 voting members were in attendance.

#### 2022 CAUCUSES SUMMARY BROUGHT TO THE DELEGATE ASSEMBLY

Each Regional Caucus had the opportunity to bring an important issue or suggestion to the Delegate Assembly in the form of a resolution. The resolutions offered by the Caucuses with a brief rationale are listed below.

The NCTM MARC committee will forward these issues/suggestions to the NCTM Leadership for review and consideration. Responses or any actions taken will be communicated in the Affiliate News, Summing Up, and posted on the 2022 Delegate Assembly section of the NCTM Website.

## **Southern Caucus: Resolution O.D.22.01**

**Title:** Intentionally Engage: Preservice/Novice Teachers.

**Resolution:** Be it resolved that the NCTM expands communication methods by incorporating new communication strategies

**Rationale:** Whereas currently the way NCTM shares information with potential members is outdated and not aligned with current communication trends.

**Parties:** This resolution is from Southern Caucus and moved by Mille DeLoach of VCTM and seconded by Alisa Hobgood of SCCTM.

**Outcome:** The motion passed unanimously.

## Western & Central Caucus: Resolution O.D.22.02

**Resolution:** Be it resolved that Central and Western Regional Caucus recommends to the NCTM Board of Directors that NCTM commit resources to provide intentional, collaborative opportunities specific to affiliate leaders (including an intentional strand for student affiliates) that are accessible (e.g., hybrid), offered at least once per year, (including an in-person annual July NCTM Affiliate Leadership conference) and at a peraffiliate minimal registration fee in order to learn with and from one another.

**Rationale:** Affiliates obtain new leaders each year and are faced with similar challenges in their work. Leaders are strengthened by learning from other affiliates and their experiences. Leaders value the opportunity to collaborate with others in order to foster existing and new leadership and be able to share ideas and experiences across the affiliates.

Whereas it is important to address issues specific to affiliates, including but not limited to leadership, operational functions (e.g. budget, websites, social media, conferences), and sharing resources.

Whereas the vitality of the affiliate community makes the affiliates and therefore the NCTM membership stronger. This can be accomplished by developing leadership teams within affiliates and by connecting leadership teams across affiliates in order to promote passion, engagement, and membership. We are better together than apart!

**Parties:** This resolution is from Western Regional Caucus, moved by Mary Pittman from Colorado Council of Teachers of Mathematics and seconded by Tim Truitt from Kentucky Council of Teachers of Mathematics.

Outcome: Following discussion the motion passed unanimously.

# Affiliate-at-Large & Canadian Caucus: Resolution O.D.22.03

**Resolution:** Be it resolved that Affiliates-at-Large Caucus recommends to the NCTM Board of Directors that the Affiliate Renewal Form be updated by merging it with the Affiliate Officer Information Form and other affiliate forms that are required to be completed. The updated form should include a contact person for the affiliate's annual conference and a potential date.

Rationale: Whereas affiliates would be more informed of conferences from other affiliates.

Whereas there would be less duplication of the information when people are filling out the forms.

Whereas the updated form should be pre-filled with previous year's information that would only require updating if needed.

Whereas we suggest that this might be something more user-friendly such as a google form with required fields identified.

**Parties:** This resolution is from Affiliates-at-Large Caucus/Canadian Caucus and moved by Lisa Conzemius from CPAM and seconded by Donna Slobodzian from MAMT.

**Outcome:** Following discussion the motion passed unanimously.

#### **CLOSING**

Following thanks and recognition to the MARC leadership and committee, and Delegate Assembly support, a brief announcement about MET Grants for Affiliates, and a sharing of a survey, the assembly adjourned at 8:31 AM.

Submitted by

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