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TA Ratified by NEIUPI!

Our bargaining team reached a Tentative Agreement (TA) with the NEIU Administration on Saturday, April 22. During the May 1-3 voting period, 72.1% of our total membership voted. Of that group, 90.5% voted to ratify the TA. What comes next? The Board of Trustees must approve the agreement, which is expected to happen during their Monday Executive Committee meeting.

As usual, there will be Public Comment at that meeting. Consider joining the webinar at 1 pm; there will likely be comments regarding the proposed Reorganization.

• Watch the meeting remotely on the NEIU website

Join us for a Membership Meeting on Reorg Statement Thursday, May 11 at 3pm on Zoom

If members support doing so, NEIUPI is planning to submit a petition and statement of position to the BoT on the Admin's proposed

Reorganization of NEIU. To ensure that all of our members' voices are articulated in this statement, we need input from YOU.

Please see the first draft of the document here, and add any comments, suggestions, or questions you have into the document-via the "comment" function. We will also discuss this document at our membership meeting on Thursday, May 11 at 3PM on the NEIUPI Membership Meeting Zoom. We realize that this coincides with some finals, but it is important to meet for discussion.

Looking Ahead to the Summer

Our struggles are far from over! NEIUPI is planning a retreat in early summer to debrief about our year-long negotiation, solidify teams and working groups for the future, and strategize about meeting the challenges of the next academic year. We learned and grew much from this year's bargaining process and are excited to build on our momentum to best support membership in future processes. Watch your email for more information!

Likewise, watch your email for details about our celebration of the CBA!