



Overview:

This fall, MPS is negotiating with the Minneapolis Federation of Teachers (MFT) for a 2017 – 2019 teachers’ contract. We look forward to a productive discussion and finalizing a contract that best meets the needs of students across MPS.

Negotiation meetings take place twice per month. The lists below contain the names of members of the district and union bargaining teams.

Please reach out to Maggie Sullivan, Chief Human Resources Officer, if you would like any additional information with regard to teacher contract negotiations.

Negotiations Teams:

District Team		
Name	Position	Site
Aimee Fearing	Principal	Wellstone
Anjie Flowers *Observer*	Assistant General Counsel	Davis
Cecilia Saddler	Deputy Chief of Academics and Leadership	Davis
Eric Moore	Chief of Accountability, Innovation and Research	Davis
Ibrahima Diop	Chief Financial Officer	Davis
Jaimee Bohning	Director, Talent Acquisition	Davis
Karon Cunningham	Principal	Franklin
Kevin Rupp	Chief Negotiator	Davis
Maggie Sullivan	Chief Human Resources Officer	Davis
Maria Mason	Director, Employee Relations	Davis
Matthew Arnold	Principal	Green Central
Michael Thomas	Chief of Academics and Leadership	Davis
Rochelle Cox	Executive Director, Special Education	Davis
Tariro Chapinduka	Executive Director, Finance	Davis



MFT Team		
Name	Position	Site
Aaron Gerhardt	District Program Facilitator	ALC Grade 9-12
Alex Hoselton	Teacher	Southwest
Angie McCracken	School Nurse	Health Services
Annika Fjelstad	TOSA	Green Central
Beth Grossman	Speech Language Clinician	Speech Language Services
Billy Menz	Teacher	Lyndale
Bonita Jones	TOSA	
Brionna Harder	Teacher	Henry
Britt Pennington	Counselor	Transition Plus
Brittany Blenkush	Teacher	Roosevelt
Carol Sanecki	Teacher	Emerson
Caroline Hooper	Teacher	Southwest
Flory Sommers	Teacher	Barton
Jane Swatosh	Teacher	Whittier
Jennifer May	District Program Facilitator	ESL
Jennifer Vaillancourt	Teacher	Folwell
Jill Jacobson	Teacher	Roosevelt
Jimmy Lipps	Teacher	Southwest
Joe Lex	Teacher	Folwell
Julie Payne-McCullum	Teacher	Early Childhood Special Education
Katy Tharaldson	Teacher	Hale
Ken Shain	Reserve Teacher	NA
Kris Thornwall	Teacher	Sanford
Kristen Melby	Teacher	Andersen
Kristi Main	Teacher	South
Linda Azure	Social Worker	Jefferson
Linda Henn	School Nurse	Transition Plus
Liz Payton	School Nurse	Health Services
Mary Manor	Teacher	South
Maureen Dowling	Teacher	Roosevelt
Memory Heille	Teacher	Pratt
Michelle Duke	EM	
Michelle Wiese	TOSA	
Mike Leiter	TOSA	
Nate Gunderson	NEA	
Robert Kohnert	Teacher	Southwest
Robert Purple	School Psychologist	Psychology Services
Shauna Hennessy	Teacher	Bethune