

# **CALL FOR NOMINATIONS**

## **2019 Annual Representative Assembly (ARA)**

All **active members** of the Local are invited to stand for election as Local Representatives to the Alberta Teachers' Association **2019 Annual Representative Assembly** during the Victoria Day long weekend (May 18-20, 2019) in **Edmonton**.

### **The Annual Representative Assembly (ARA) is responsible for**

- determining the general policy of the Alberta Teachers' Association (ATA)
- approving the proposed ATA budget
- establishing member fees in the ATA
- receiving reports of the Provincial Executive Council
- dealing with matters brought before it by ATA Locals

### **Local ARA Representatives are required to attend**

- a meeting on February 26, 2019, 4:30-7:30 pm to consider the preliminary ATA budget (a hot meal will be provided);
- a meeting on April 9, 2019, 4:30-8:00 pm to consider the disposition of resolutions (a hot meal will be provided);
- a meeting on May 9, 2019, 4:30-5:30 pm to review expectations and pick up materials; and
- **the full, three days of ARA** on Saturday, May 18, Sunday, May 19 and Monday, May 20 (Victoria day long weekend).

**Teachers who have other commitments at these times  
should not run as ARA Representatives.**

The Local is eligible to send approximately 61 representatives to the 2019 ARA (*based on our 2018 number; the actual 2019 number is determined by the provincial ATA in February*). Twenty-one (21) representatives are delegates by virtue of office. The balance of the Local's representatives and alternative representatives will be elected by the **Council of School Representatives on January 30, 2019**.

**To be elected as a Local Representative to the 2019 ARA, it is necessary to file the volunteer/nomination form printed on the reverse no later than 4:00 pm Thursday, January 17, 2019.**

**If you are unable to serve as a Local ARA Representative yourself, encourage a colleague to volunteer. If you have any questions, call the Local's office (780-455-2164).**

*All personal information collected will be used to update member information and is covered by the ATA's privacy policy found on the ATA website ([www.teachers.ab.ca](http://www.teachers.ab.ca)).*

# **VOLUNTEER/NOMINATION FORM**

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NAME OF CANDIDATE (PLEASE PRINT): \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL/LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_ SCHOOL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

POSTAL CODE: \_\_\_\_\_ HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_ SCHOOL E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

Include a short biography (no more than 250 words) highlighting your abilities and experience for our website and to handout to our representatives in the event of an election. You may also include (in digital form) a small photo.

\_\_\_\_\_ I grant permission to the Edmonton Public Teachers Local No. 37 of the Alberta Teachers' Association to photograph me in the course of my participation in the Local, and to use my name and any photographs of me for Local purposes in any media and territory in perpetuity.

By signing below, I agree that I volunteer to serve as an Edmonton Public Local Representative to the 2019 Annual Representative Assembly to be held in Edmonton on the Victoria Day long weekend, May 18-20, 2019 inclusive **AND WILL ATTEND ALL REQUIRED MEETINGS AS OUTLINED ON THE FRONT PAGE.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Candidate's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Send volunteer/nomination forms, biographies and photos  
by e-mail to the Local's office at  
[info@edpub.org](mailto:info@edpub.org).**

**Nomination forms must be received by the Local's office  
by 4:00 pm on Thursday, January 17, 2019.**