**Organizing Council (OC) Meeting**

**September 5, 2023**

**Present:** Chair Lauren Siegel; Vice-chair Sarah Weiss; Bobbie Miller-Thomas; Zac Echola; Mike Samuelson; Lolita Davis Carter. MAPE staff Janaya Arellano and Ashley Hansen

1. Email will be going to local officers to promote 9/13 meeting
	* [Toolkit went to board members on Friday](https://mape.org/dues)
	* Need to send registration information including who the target audience is for this meeting; will also include reminder about attending budget forum; will note that 9/13 session is focused on organizing/planning not on answering questions on budget changes
	* Also will set up text message to local leaders to come to 9/13 meeting on Monday (9/11)
2. Role for session
	* Breakouts
		+ Regional directors now invited to 9/13 session
		+ Board members-Lauren
		+ Presidents-Lolita
		+ VP-Zac
		+ Secretary-Mike
		+ Membership Secretary- Sara/Genzeb
		+ Treasurer-Bobbie
	* Janaya will coordinate with BAs on having support in sessions
	* Sara developing tools to help engage people in breakout sessions and will populate presentation with options
	* Lauren will schedule another call for 9/11