



June 2020



**Congratulations on a job well done!**

**Paraprofessional Contract Ratified!**

Wednesday, May 27, 2020  
95% Affirmative Vote!

**Therapists Contract**

Tentative Agreement reached  
Monday, June 1, 2020

MOA will be mailed to homes and  
emailed on Friday June 5<sup>th</sup>.

Informational Meeting and Ratification

Tuesday, June 9, 2020  
3 p.m.

**Elections/Nominations**

NSLC 2020-2021 Delegates

AFT MA 2021 Convention Delegates

Postponed until September 2020

**Building Representatives  
and  
Building Committee Members**

**Building Reps.** – Binders will be updated at first in person meeting during SY 20-21

**June 10, 2020** – Joint Executive Board & Membership Meeting LTU  
3:00 p.m.

**Join Zoom Meeting**

<https://aft.zoom.us/j/8396810577?pwd=VHJ5UkE2dzdwTTlxQmR5YlY3QklnZz09>

Meeting ID: 839 681 0577

Password: 201833



## FROM THE PRESIDENT

### Dear Members of the Lynn Teachers Union:

Hello Everyone,

I am happy to announce that the Paraprofessional ratified their contract on Wednesday, May 27, 2020 and the Therapists reached a tentative agreement on Monday, June 1, 2020.

We will continue to collaborate and negotiate with the district regarding the re-opening of schools for SY 20-21. The health and safety of our members, students and families is our top priority. The Lynn Teachers Union Teachers, Paraprofessionals, and Therapists have done an incredible job meeting the challenges of remote learning on a moment's notice. You should be proud of what you have mastered this spring. Many had no or very little experience with technological tools and you overcame the fear and anxiety and got the job done.

You have earned the time to relax and rejuvenate. We will be in contact over the summer regarding the re-opening of schools.

Sincerely,



Sheila O'Neil

### Condolences

We remember LTU members, Jacqueline Lucia, Peter Dawson, John Kelley who have recently passed. The LTU extends its sincere condolences to their family, friends and colleagues.

### Happy Retirement Wishes

Congratulations and best wishes to the following LTU members on their upcoming retirement!

**Appleton, Elaine**

**Cappello, Elizabeth**

**Curtis, Theresa**

**Dufour, Gail**

**Dulong, Karen**

**Horgan, Donna**

**Nocella, Joyce**

**Saulnier, Dorothy**

**Shutzer, Carol**

**Simmons, Colleen**

**Sokolow, William**

**Thibault, Denise**

**Judy Mishkin**

**Karen Patrikas**

**Susan Cornacchini**

**William McGuinness**



### Teaching Tolerance

<https://www.tolerance.org/moment/may-8-2020-affirming-black-lives-without-inducing-trauma>



### Facing History - Teaching Idea

[https://www.facinghistory.org/educator-resources/current-events/reflecting-george-floyds-death-police-violence-towards-blackamericans?utm\\_campaign=current%20events&utm\\_medium=email&\\_hsmi=88843691&\\_hsenc=p2ANqtz-\\_sgi5bzEy8A5-J61Z2Ka3aDgNJ1F0r0TivC1SVBKr8XCZ-YUX\\_uuD\\_EGIBIRsoofKrbv5uBjr-r34\\_tyHOnGpzgFgpag&utm\\_content=88843691&utm\\_source=hs\\_email](https://www.facinghistory.org/educator-resources/current-events/reflecting-george-floyds-death-police-violence-towards-blackamericans?utm_campaign=current%20events&utm_medium=email&_hsmi=88843691&_hsenc=p2ANqtz-_sgi5bzEy8A5-J61Z2Ka3aDgNJ1F0r0TivC1SVBKr8XCZ-YUX_uuD_EGIBIRsoofKrbv5uBjr-r34_tyHOnGpzgFgpag&utm_content=88843691&utm_source=hs_email)

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