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*The OEA will lead the way for continuous improvement of public education while advocating for members and the learners they serve.*

November 1, 2019

Dear Delegate:

Thank you for agreeing to serve as a delegate to the 2019 Fall OEA Representative Assembly. **The RA begins Saturday, December 7, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. at the Ohio Expo, Kasich Hall (Fairgrounds), 717 East 17<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Columbus, OH.** Registration will be 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. on Friday, December 6, at the Marriott Columbus University Area (3100 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, 43202) and will resume at 7:30 a.m. at the Ohio Expo, Kasich Hall on Saturday, December 7.

We have an action-packed agenda for this Representative Assembly, including a visit from NEA President Lily Eskelsen-Garcia, a bipartisan panel discussion on education issues featuring four key members of the Ohio House and Senate, and the adoption of OEA's Legislative Policies. We also expect action on a New Business Item on an OEA plan for replacing Ohio's broken system of rating schools and districts.

I hope you will also join me for events on the evening of Friday, December 6, at the hotel. I'm looking forward to the Doris L. Allen Minority Caucus Dinner, which begins at 6:45 p.m. and includes a dinner at 7:00 p.m. Please RSVP for this event by November 29, using the form which can be found on the OEA website at <https://www.ohea.org>. Tickets are \$45 or \$450 for a table of 10.

After the dinner, you can enjoy the District Leaders Council hospitality networking session from 8:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. in the Franklin Ballroom. There is no admission charge.

In an effort to have a successful fundraising campaign for the OEA Fund for Children and Public Education, I am encouraging everyone to contribute. Our contribution goal this fall is \$50 per delegate.

I look forward to being with you during this Representative Assembly. Your participation will help ensure we make sound decisions and move forward to provide opportunities for our members and the learners we serve.

Sincerely,

Scott DiMauro  
OEA President

