

## **BASEF is Still Taking Place As Planned**

Regardless of the recent labour disruptions, the 60<sup>th</sup> Annual Bay Area Science and Engineering Fair will still take place as planned March 26 – 31, 2020.

The Organizing Committee understands how important teachers are to student participation at BASEF, however we are unable to postpone or cancel the fair due to the following reasons:

- BASEF is affiliated with the Canada Wide and International Science Fairs and their application deadlines are just days after the completion of our fair
- Planning for the fair begins far in advance and involves working towards the fair date with Mohawk College, our sponsors, and volunteers

While we understand that teachers provide significant support for participants, we would like to note that:

- School-based fairs are not a requirement for entering BASEF
- Students, with the help of their parents or guardians, can register online and still represent their school
- There is no requirement for teachers to register their student's projects

We hope that you are still able to join us and showcase your amazing projects at our 60th Annual Bay Area Science and Engineering Fair!

Registration is open from February 1<sup>st</sup> to March 10<sup>th</sup>!

- BASEF Organizing Committee