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Superintendent's Office
Santa Rosa City Schools



REQUIRES BOARD ACTION

Due: Mon. March 15—return ballot in enclosed envelope

January 29, 2021

MEMORANDUM

To: All Board Presidents and Superintendents — CSBA Member Boards
From: Suzanne Kitchens, CSBA President
Re: 2021 Ballot for CSBA Delegate Assembly — **U.S. Postmark Deadline is Mon. March 15**

Enclosed is the ballot material for election to CSBA's Delegate Assembly from your region or subregion. It consists of: 1) the ballot (on red paper), the reverse side of which contains the names of ALL current members of the Delegate Assembly from your region or subregion; and 2) the required candidate biographical sketch form and, if submitted, a resume. In addition, provided is a copy of the ballot on white paper to include with your board agenda. **Only the ballot on red paper is to be completed and returned to CSBA. It must be postmarked by the U.S. Post Office on or before Monday, March 15, 2021.**

Your Board may vote for up to the number of vacancies in the region or subregion as indicated on the ballot. For example, if there are three vacancies, the Board may vote for up to three candidates. However, your Board may cast no more than one vote for any one candidate. The ballot also contains a provision for write-in candidates; their name and district must be clearly printed in the space provided.

The ballot must be signed by the Superintendent or Board Clerk and returned in the enclosed envelope; if the envelope is misplaced, you may use your district's stationery. Please write **DELEGATE ELECTION** prominently on the envelope along with the region or subregion number on the bottom left corner of the envelope (this number appears at the top of the ballot).

If there is a tie vote, a run-off election will be held. All re-elected and newly elected Delegates will serve two-year terms beginning April 1, 2021 – March 31, 2023. Following the election, an updated list of all Delegates will be available on CSBA's website no later than April 1, 2021. The next meeting of the Delegate Assembly takes place on Saturday, May 15 and Sunday, May 16, 2021. Please do not hesitate to contact Jamille Peters at jpeters@csba.org should you have any questions.

Encs: Ballot on red paper and watermarked "copy" of ballot on white paper
List of all current Delegates on reverse side of ballot
Candidate(s)' required Biographical Sketch Forms and optional resumes
CSBA-addressed envelope to send back ballots

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This complete, **ORIGINAL** Ballot must be **SIGNED** by the Superintendent or Board Clerk and returned in the enclosed envelope postmarked by the post office No later than **MONDAY, MARCH 15, 2021**. Only ONE Ballot per Board. Be sure to mark your vote "X" in the box. *A PARTIAL, UNSIGNED, PHOTOCOPIED, OR LATE BALLOT WILL NOT BE VALID.*

OFFICIAL 2021 DELEGATE ASSEMBLY BALLOT
SUBREGION 3-A
(Sonoma County)

Number of vacancies: 1 (Vote for no more than 1 candidate)

Delegates will serve two-year terms beginning April 1, 2021 - March 31, 2023

**denotes incumbent*

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Omar Medina (Santa Rosa City SD)

Provision for Write-in Candidate Name

School District

Signature of Superintendent or Board Clerk

Title

School District Name

Date of Board Action

See reverse side for list of all current Delegates in your Region.

REGION 3 – 8 Delegates (8 elected)

Director: A.C. (Tony) Ubalde (Vallejo City USD)

Below is a list of all elected or appointed Delegates from this Region.

Subregion 3-A (Sonoma)

Jeremy Brott (Bennett Valley Union SD), term expires 2022

Laurie Fong, term expires 2021

Subregion 3-B (Napa)

Indira Lopez (Calistoga Joint USD), term expires 2021

Subregion 3-C (Solano)

Diane Ferrucci (Benicia USD), term expires 2021

David Isom (Fairfield-Suisun USD), term expires 2021

Vacant, term expires 2022

Subregion 3-D (Marin)

Vacant, term expires 2022

County Delegate:

Vacant, term expires 2021

Counties

Sonoma (Subregion A)

Napa (Subregion B)

Solano (Subregion C)

Marin (Subregion D)

Delegate Assembly Biographical Sketch Form for 2021 Election



Deadline: Thursday, January 7, 2021 | No late submissions accepted

This form is required. An optional, one-page, single-sided, résumé may also be submitted. Do not state "see résumé." Do not re-type this form. It is the candidate's responsibility to confirm that CSBA has received nomination materials prior to the deadline. Please submit completed form via e-mail to nominations@csba.org no later than 11:59 p.m. on January 7, 2021. Forms may also be submitted via mail to CSBA's Executive Office at 3251 Beacon Blvd., West Sacramento, CA 95691, with a postmark of no later than January 7, 2021.

Your signature indicates your consent to have your name placed on the ballot and to serve as a Delegate, if elected.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Name: Omar Medina

CSBA Region & subregion #: 3/A

District or COE: Santa Rosa City Schools District

Years on board: 2

Profession: _____ Contact Number (☒ Cell ☐ Home ☐ Bus.): 707-318-6631

Primary E-mail: omedina@srcs.k12.ca.us

Are you an incumbent Delegate? ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, year you became Delegate: _____

Why are you interested in becoming a Delegate? Please describe the skills and experiences you would bring to the Delegate Assembly.

My aim is to provide better representation for my region as well as my insight from my years of advocacy experience. I bring several years of serving on non-profit boards, including serving as President of the North Bay Organizing Project, and I also served on the Executive Council of SEIU 1021 as the Counties Industries chair, representing over a dozen Northern California counties.



Please describe your activities and involvement on your local board, community, and/or CSBA.

I serve as a director on the Santa Rosa City Schools Board. In my community I also serve as the chair of the Sonoma County Latino PAC, and work as the Coordinator for Undocufund, helping raise funds and provide financial assistance to need families in Sonoma County.

What do you see as the biggest challenge facing governing boards and how can CSBA help address it?

The biggest challenge facing boards right now is resource management, trying to do more with less. Especially with the migration of families out of California. CSBA is an essential organization that can help advocate to state officials to help us better meet these needs via more resources.