



MEMORANDUM

DATE: August 3, 2026

TO: CSBA Regions 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24

COPY: Regional Directors (Even-numbered regions)

FROM: Dr. Debra Schade, CSBA President

SUBJECT: Call for Nominations for CSBA Regional Directors from even-numbered regions

Call for Nominations for CSBA Directors from even-numbered CSBA regions is open from Monday, August 3 to Friday, October 2, 2026. Regional Directors play an important role at CSBA, helping shape policy and set organizational direction. The attached Board of Directors FAQ addresses the role and responsibilities of Directors as well as other information including excerpts from the Association's Bylaws and Standing Rules governance documents.

The nominations for Directors must be made in writing by a Delegate from the region and the Delegate must certify that the nominee has consented to the nomination. The nominee must be a member of a board within that region (with exception of Region 14 as CSBA's only statewide region). It is important to note [Standing Rules 108 & 109](#) prior to making or accepting a nomination. SR 108 prohibits Directors from serving on state-wide boards whose organization focuses on labor, parents, special interests, or other segments of the school governance community as it is seen as a conflict of interest. SR 109 prohibits employees of CSBA from serving on the Board of Directors.

Nominations must be submitted online to the President of the Association using this [Regional Director Nomination Form](#) by 11:59 p.m. on Friday, October 2, 2026.

Nominees are required to submit a completed [Candidate Form](#) by 11:59 p.m. on Friday, October 16, 2026. Per Standing Rule 224, the Candidate Form will be included in the agenda for the Delegate Assembly meeting.

Nominations may also be accompanied by an optional one page, single-sided resume of the nominee, to be sent to nominations@csba.org by 11:59 p.m. on Friday, October 2, 2026.

It's the candidate's responsibility to review Standing Rule 226 regarding campaign activities. The elections will take place at CSBA's Delegate Assembly meeting on Wednesday, December 2, 2026 at the Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina. Directors serve two-year terms and take office immediately upon the close of the Association's Annual Education Conference, December 5, 2026.

All newly elected Directors should plan to attend a required orientation in Sacramento on Friday, January 29, 2027.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me or Cara Armstrong in the Executive Office at carmstrong@csba.org. Thank you.

Attachments:

1. Regional Directors FAQ Sheet
2. Leadership Meeting Dates 2027