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February 22, 2012

To: Board of Education

From: Jody London, President

Subject: CSBA Delegate Assembly, Subregion 7B Candidates

#### **ACTION REQUESTED:**

It is recommend that the Board of Education Adopt Resolution No. 1112-0165 directing the Secretary of the Board, on behalf of the Board, to cast a ballot for Subregion 7-B Regional CSBA Delegate Assembly candidates as listed in said resolution, which is incorporated herein by reference as a though fully set forth.

#### **BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION:**

As you may know, the California School Boards Association (CSBA) is a collaborative group of virtually all of the state's more than 1,000 school district and county offices of education which advocates for and promotes the interest of K-12 children through a variety of organized means.

The Association's governance structure, in part, provides for a Delegate Assembly, elected, in part by member school boards divided into sub regions. The Oakland Board is a member of the Association and is geographically located in Subregion 7-B (Alameda County).

Presently there are four delegates to be elected to the Delegate Assembly from Subregion 7-B of the Association for a two year term commencing April 1, 2012. The Assembly will meet at least twice a year to conduct business and may also meet with other Delegates and Director with the Region and otherwise act in the interests of the Association.

Four school board member candidates within CSBA Subregion 7-B have qualified to seek the office. Each candidate is personally known to me. I believe that each candidate will personally serve the interests of the Oakland Board and well represent the subregion as a whole if elected to the Delegate Assembly.

## FISCAL IMPACT:

None

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommend that the Board of Education Adopt Resolution No. 1112-0165 directing the Secretary of the Board, on behalf of the Board, to cast a ballot for Subregion 7-B Regional CSBA Delegate Assembly candidates as listed in said resolution, which is incorporated herein by reference as a though fully set forth.

JL: ER: lf Attachments

# RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT Resolution No. 1112-0165 DETERMINING AND INSTRUCTING THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD TO CAST BALLOT AS INSTRUCTED FOR UP TO FOUR CANDIDATES FOR CALIFORNIA SCHOOL BOARDS ASSOCIATION 2012 DELEGATE ASSEMBLY SUBREGION 7-B (ALAMEDA COUNTY) AND TIMELY RETURN BALLOT TO CSBA WITH A POST MARK ON OR BEFORE MARCH 15, 2012

WHEREAS, the CALIFORNIA SCHOOL BOARDS ASSOCIATION (CSBA) is a collaborative group of virtually all of the state's more than 1,000 school districts and county offices of education which advocates for and promotes the interests of K-12 children through a variety of organized means; and

WHEREAS, the Association's governance structure, in part, provides for a Delegate Assembly, elected, in part by member school boards divided into sub regions; and

WHEREAS, the Oakland Unified School District Board is a member of the Association and is geographically located in Subregion 7-B (Alameda County); and

WHEREAS, there are four delegates to be elected to the Delegate Assembly from Subregion 7-B of the Association for a two year term commencing April 1, 2012 and the Assembly will meet at least twice a year to conduct business, and may also meet with the other Delegates and the Director within the Region; and,

WHEREAS, there are four candidates from school boards, as well as the provision for one write in candidate, on the current ballot for Subregion 7-B, of which each member Board of the sub-region may cast ballots for up to four candidates, and return same to CSBA Headquarters with a postmark not later than March 15, 2012; and

WHEREAS, the Board having reviewed the biographical sketch, and, if submitted, the resume of each candidate, discussed who may best represent the interests and expectations of the District as a CSBA Delegate Assembly representative, and believes that the Board's four votes should be casted one each for Valerie Arkin, Pleasanton USD; Janice Friesen, Castro Valley USD; Jamie Yee Hintzke, Pleasanton USD; and Anne E. White, Livermore Valley Joint USD,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education hereby directs the Secretary of the Board, on behalf of the Board, to cast a ballot for Subregion 7-B Regional CSBA Delegate Assembly candidates Valerie Arkin, Pleasanton USD; Janice Friesen, Castro Valley USD; Jamie Yee Hintzke, Pleasanton USD; and Anne W. White, Livermore Valley Joint USD; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Secretary of the Board is further directed to return said casted ballot to CSBA with a postmark not later than March 15, 2012.

## PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: David Kakishiba, Gary Yee, Christopher Dobbins, Alice Spearman and President Jody London

NAYS: None

ABSTAINED: Vice President Jumoke Hinton Hodge

ABSENT: Noel Gallo

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the Resolution passed at a Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of the Oakland Unified School District held February 22, 2012.

Edgar Rakestraw, Jr. Secretary, Board of Education

File ID Number: 12 - 0572 Introduction Date: 2-22-12 Enactment Number: 12-0789 Enactment Date: 2-2212 By: 22

 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 THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 2012. Only ONE Ballot per Board. Be sure to mark your vote "×" in the box. A PARTIAL, UNSIGNED, PHOTOCOPIED, OR LATE BALLOT WILL NOT BE VALID.

# OFFICIAL 2012 DELEGATE ASSEMBLY BALLOT SUBREGION 7-B (Alameda County)

Number of vacancies: 4 (Vote for no more than 4 candidates)

Delegates will serve two-year terms beginning April 1, 2012 – March 31, 2014

\*denotes incumbent



Valerie Arkin (Pleasanton USD)\*

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Janice Friesen (Castro Valley USD)\*



Jamie Yee Hintzke (Pleasanton USD)

X Anne E. White (Livermore Valley Joint USD)\*

Provision for Write-in Candidate Name

School District

Edgar Rakestraw, Jr., Secretary Board of Education

Signature of Superintendent or Board Clerk

Oakland Unified School District
School District/COE Name

Title

**February 22, 2012** Date of Board Action

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

## Region 7 – Laura Canciamilla, Director (Pittsburg USD) 20 Delegates (14 elected/6 appointed)

Below is a list of all the current Delegates from this Region.

#### Subregion A

Arthur M. Clarke (Walnut Creek ESD, term expires 2013 Gary L. Eberhart (Mt. Diablo USD), appointed term expires 2012 Teresa Gerringer (Lafayette ESD), term expires 2013 Linda K. Mayo (Mt. Diablo USD), appointed term expires 2013 Kathi McLaughlin (Martinez USD), term expires 2012 Charles T. Ramsey (West Contra Costa USD), appointed term expires 2013 Raymond Valverde (Liberty Union HSD), term expires 2012 William L. Wong (Pittsburg USD), term expires 2012

## Subregion B

Valerie Arkin (Pleasanton USD), term expires 2012 Janice Friesen (Castro Valley USD), term expires 2012 Noel Gallo (Oakland USD), appointed term expires 2012 David G. Haubert (Dublin USD), term expires 2013 Michael McMahon (Alameda City USD), term expires 2012 Lily K. Mei (Fremont USD), term expires 2013 Diana J. Prola (San Leandro USD), term expires 2013 Alice Spearman (Oakland USD), appointed term expires 2013 Nancy Thomas (Newark USD), term expires 2013 Anne White (Livermore Valley Joint USD), term expires 2012 Lara York (Fremont USD), appointed term expires 2013

#### **County Delegate**

Joaquin J. Rivera (Alameda COE), term expires 2013

#### **Counties**

Contra Costa (Subregion A) Alameda (Subregion B) California School Boards Association



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January 31, 2012

# TRANSMITTAL

TO: All Board Presidents and Superintendents CSBA Member Boards of Education

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FROM: Michelle Neto, Administrative Assistant

SUBJECT: 2012 CSBA Delegate Assembly Election U.S. Postmark Deadline – Thursday, March 15, 2012

Enclosed in this mailing you will find the following:

- Memo from CSBA President Jill Wynns
- Return envelope U.S. Postmark Deadline Thursday, March 15, 2012
- Red ballot to be signed by Superintendent/clerk
- List of the current Delegates in your region (reverse side of ballot)
- Copy on white paper of the red ballot for insertion in board packets
- Copies of each candidates' biographical sketch and optional résumé, if provided

Please do not hesitate to contact me at (800) 266-3382 should you have any questions.

Thank you.

Enclosures

3100 Beacon Boulevard P.O. Box 1660 West Saciamento, CA 95691 (916) 3714691 | FAX (916) 371-3407 California School Boards Association

# TIME SENSITIVE, REQUIRES BOARD ACTION DEADLINE THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 2012

January 31, 2012

# MEMORANDUM

TO: All Board Presidents and Superintendents CSBA Member Boards of Education

FROM: Jill Wynns, President

SUBJECT: 2012 CSBA Delegate Assembly Election U. S. Postmark Deadline – Thursday, March 15, 2012

Enclosed is the ballot material for election of a representative to the CSBA Delegate Assembly from your region or subregion. The material consists of the ballot (on red paper), required candidate biographical sketch form, and if submitted, résumé for each candidate. In addition, we are including a "copy" of the ballot on white paper so that it may be included in board agenda packets, if you choose to do so. **Only the ballot on red paper is to be completed and returned**.

The board as a whole 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 in the region or subregion, the board may vote for up to three individuals. Regardless of the number of vacancies, each 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 with the region or subregion number on the bottom left corner. **Ballots must be postmarked by the U.S. Post Office on or before Thursday, March 15.** *No exceptions are allowed.* 

Election results will be available no later than Monday, April 2. 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, 2012 – March 31, 2014. The next meeting of the Delegate Assembly is on Saturday, May 19 – Sunday, May 20 at the Hyatt Regency in Sacramento.

The names of all Delegates will be available on CSBA's website no later than Monday, April 2. Please do not hesitate to contact Michelle Neto in the Administration department at (800) 266-3382 should you have any questions. Thank you.

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BALLOTS SHOULD BE RETURNED IN THE ENCLOSED ENVELOPE; HOWEVER, SHOULD THE ENVELOPE BECOME MISPLACED, PLEASE USE YOUR STATIONERY AND RETURN TO:

CSBA DELEGATE ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS P.O. BOX 1660 WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691

ON THE BOTTOM LEFT CORNER OF THE ENVELOPE, PLEASE FILL IN YOUR REGION OR SUBREGION NUMBER (THIS NUMBER APPEARS ON THE BALLOT).

# SBA 2012 Delegate Assembly Candidate Biographical Sketch Form

#### Due: Monday, January 9, 2012 (U.S. Postmark or fax - 916.669.3305 or 916.371.3407)

Please complete, sign and date this required candidate biographical sketch form. An optional, one-page, single-sided, résumé may also be submitted; both will be copied exactly as received. Please do not state "see résumé" and please do not re-type this form. Any additional page(s) exceeding this candidate form will not be accepted.

Name: Valerie Arkin	CSBA Region/Subregion:7/ B	
District or COE: Pleasanton Unified School District	Years on board: <u>ADA: 14,894</u>	
Contact Number: 925-417-1969	E-mail: valerie@arkinhome.com	
Are you a continuing Delegate? 🛿 Yes 🗖 No	If yes, how long have you served as a Delegate? Spring 2011	

CSBA's Delegate Assembly sets the general education policy direction for the Association. As a member of the Delegate Assembly, please describe what your top three educational priorities would be, and why they are important to the Association.

School districts continue to be faced with cuts to educational funding, as a peligate, a top priority would be to advocate for adequatel unded schools in our state. Delegates need to collaborate on ways to suppo there to fix school quanting. another priority is to ensure that schools addres to needs of ALL students. I believe in addressing educational policies the sul enable all of our students to achieve. Another priority of mine Would be to address the area of Board governance. In these increasingly including times, Board members need to have the tools to govern effective would promote ways in which CSBA could assist Board members in their roles. Another responsibility of Delegates is to communicate the interests of local boards to CSBA's Board of Directors, Executive

Committee and staff. Please describe your activities/involvement or interests in your local district or county office.

Juring my past 3 yrs as a School Board member, I have served on various committees & have had various roles. I have been involved with over le different strategic plan Committees. I was also the inaison to the City-implemented task force for an upcoming development ) was also the plaison to the Board for our superintendent search in )010. I have attended all CSBA conferences (4) since elected and have thended all Delegate assemblies since appointed as a Delegate. I completed my masters in Governance this past October.

Why are you interested in becoming a Delegate and what contribution do you feel you would make as a member of the Delegate Assembly? I have had the opportunity of serving as a Delegate since

last spring. Since it has only been a short-time, I would like the opportuni o continue in this role, I have enjoyed networking with other Board rembers at the Delegate assemblies. I believe we can all work together 4 communicate our concerns to CSBA & our state leaders, as well as lear rom one another. I have a passion for public education & I am intereste 's learning about ways in which we can be effective in providing the bes LOSSIBLE Education for all of our students, Being a Delegate is one way that I can advocate for our students. I am didicated to this position Your signature indicates your consent to have your name placed on the ballot and to serve as a Delegate, if elected.

Signature: Valerie arkin

# CSBA 2012 Delegate Assembly Candidate Biographical Sketch Form

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Name: Janice Friesen	CSBA Region/Subregion: 7 / B
District or COE: Castro Valley Unified School District	Years on board; 22 ADA: 9000
Contact Number: 510 537-4905	E-mail: ifriesen@pacbell.net
Are you a continuing Delegate? 🗭 Yes 🗔 No	If you, how long have you served as a Delegate? 98-08; 09-11

CSBA's Delegate Assembly sets the general education policy direction for the Association. As a member of the Delegate Assembly, please describe what your top three educational priorities would be, and why they are important to the Association.

1. Adequate funding for education. CSBA must continue to lead/push the conversation about the importance of public education, the resources needed to move California into a leadership position in education, and the value to be gained by our entire state through well educated students prepared for future leadership.

2. Change to 55% for approval of parcel taxes. It is undemocratic for a minority of voters to block the majority.

3. CSBA should continue to advocate nationally against one size fits all. We must have reasonable flexibility within our state. We also need federal programs to be flexible enough to work not only among different states but differing populations and geographic realities.

Another responsibility of Delegates is to communicate the interests of local boards to CSBA's Board of Directors, Executive Committee and staff. Please describe your activities/involvement or interests in your local district or county office.

My board has always had representation on and attendance at the Alameda County School Boards Association. I served as vice president and president in the past. I worked with one of our county school board members to restart the association meetings after a few years of inactivity. I continue to attend when the meetings do not conflict with our district board meetings.

I serve on our ROP council, have missed only 1 scheduled board meeting in Castro Valley in 22 years (due to travel), completed the Masters in Governance and attend the yearly reception for graduates at the conferences, and have not missed any meetings of delegate assembly in the total of 12 years I have served.

# Why are you interested in becoming a Delegate and what contribution do you feel you would make as a member of the Delegate Assembly?

I would like to continue as a delegate and believe I can contribute to discussions and bring perspective because of my years as a school board member, the 4 years I served as a director of region 7, having served as a delegate both before and after my years as a director. I served as a member of the Nominating Committee for 2011 and am the carry-over member for 2012.

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

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12/8/11 Date:



# A 2012 Delegate Assembly Candidate Biographical Sketch Form

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Name: Jamie Yee Hintzke	CSBA Region/Subregion:7B /	
District or COE: Pleasanton Unified School District	Years on board: <u>3</u> ADA: <u>14,800</u>	
Contact Number: 925 876 2380	E-mail: jhintzke@aol.com	
Are you a continuing Delegate? 🖸 Yes 🛛 🛱 No	If yes, how long have you served as a Delegate?	

# CSBA's Delegate Assembly sets the general education policy direction for the Association. As a member of the Delegate Assembly, please describe what your top three educational priorities would be, and why they are important to the Association.

I value and respect people who have chosen education as their profession and or cause, and I know there are too many priorities to list. But for me, I feel priorities should be adequate funding for programs and facilities, a more supportive and dynamic teaching environment through teacher/administrator evaluation reform and professional development and providing high quality and equitable education for all students.

Another responsibility of Delegates is to communicate the interests of local boards to CSBA's Board of Directors, Executive Committee and staff. Please describe your activities/involvement or interests in your local district or county office.

Serving as the VP of Education for the Alameda County School Boards Association, has given the me the opportunity to get to know and support my colleagues around the county. This is an effective avenue to communicate their interest to the Board of Directors.

I am starting my second year as the rep to the Tri Valley Regional Occupational Program (ROP). It has been a pleasure to work closely with another set of trustees and I have learned some additional governance skills in working within the JPA. I am excited about the pathways we are creating for our students. On the PUSD board, I just finished my term as clerk, participated on one of our strategic planning committees and have been working on the full board policies review and governance manual. Feb '12 complete Masters in Governance. The on-going interest for me is the continuous improvement of public education. One of the ways of this can be achieved, is to improve the transparency, communication and build public trust to an unwavering level.

# Why are you interested in becoming a Delegate and what contribution do you feel you would make as a member of the Delegate Assembly?

Since 2007 as board member of the CA State PTA serving as a Health Commissioner and Resolutions Chair and in my professional role for a county agency in school health services, I bring a unique perspective. I work with school districts, community organizations and underserved populations. It helps me to understand the challenges but also how we can all work together. Community, families, school staff must work together to create the public/ private and public/public/private collaborations that address the whole family and the whole child. I would be honored to serve as CSBA Delegate for region 7 B. As a long time advocate for children and public education, being part of the delegate group would help me further my advocacy work. Strong advocates who have knowledge in public education and see the bigger picture are needed now more than ever to keep us moving forward. School Board Members are vital to the stewardship of our public education system. I would like to be part of the group that keeps us moving ahead with an eagle eye on policy, the budget, and all 9 million kids in California.

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Date: 1/25/12 nu lf. Y Signature:

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Name: Anne E. White			CSBA Region/Subregion: / B	
District or COE:	Livermore Valley Joint Unified School District		Years on board:ADA:13,000	
Contact Number: _	925-443-3106 (home)	925-606-3281 (district)	E-mail: white-ae@comcast.net	
Are you a continuing	Delegate? Ves ONO	If yes, how long	have you served as a Delegate? 12	

CSBA's Delegate Assembly sets the general education policy direction for the Association. As a member of the Delegate Assembly, please describe what your top three educational priorities would be, and why they are important to the Association.

- FUNDING Rather than merely restore funding with a goal of adequacy, CSBA should not rest until California students are funded among the top five states in the country.
- TEACHER QUALITY We must assure that graduates of CA credential programs are able to meet the needs of our diverse student population in this world of 21st century technology. State laws surrounding both granting "tenure" and releasing permanent teachers must be revised to suit the needs of our students. CSBA should lead efforts to update components of teacher evaluation to include measures of student achievement and professional leadership.
- CHARTER SCHOOLS Few educators would avoid competition with charter schools IF the playing field were level. Charters should be required to state their goals and be held accountable for meeting them. As leaders of state agencies, charter officers should be held accountable for following conflict of interest statutes as well as the Brown Act. Business practices of charter schools should be exemplary and their boards held accountable.

Another responsibility of Delegates is to communicate the interests of local boards to CSBA's Board of Directors, Executive Committee and staff. Please describe your activities/involvement or interests in your local district or county office.

I am an active member of the Livermore Chamber of Commerce and attend the Economic Development - Government Affairs Committee as well as the Hispanic Committee. Frequently I have been appointed to the Livermore Inter-Agency Committee including two members each from the City Council, the Park District Board and the School Board and the chief administrator from each agency. Topics of common interest run the gamut from the State Budget impacts to returning the Livermore Fourth of July celebration and placement of trees at our schools. For several years, I have been appointed to our Tri-Valley TEC group. TEC, our 20 year old career-ed consortium, includes three K-12 districts and Las Positas Community College, as well as business members, representatives from the Lawrence Laboratory and California State University East Bay. For many years I have attended planning meetings at Marylin Avenue School, formerly a PI school, which continues to improve. Through these connections I am knowledgeable about many of the topics which confront CSBA and can bring a local perspective to problems which will come before the Delegate Assembly.

# Why are you interested in becoming a Delegate and what contribution do you feel you would make as a member of the Delegate Assembly?

A strength of CSBA is having the capacity to thoughtfully reinvent itself while continuing to carry out its traditional responsibilities in an every-improving way. My experience as a member of 15 governance teams has shown me that boards come in many varieties. I will be useful as CSBA evaluates our board training to serve members of the many different styles of boards. As a 12 year observer and participant in Delegate Assembly I have seen problems arise. Many of the fixes have worked well, like the computer generated clock to time speakers. Some are works in progress. Jill has spoken about overhauling the Policy Platform process. As a member of the Nominating Committee and as chairman in 2005, the Committee and I became aware of several problems with the process. After quite a few years of advocacy, many of our suggestions were implemented in 2011. I hope you noticed! My years of experience as a trustee, as a delegate and as a thoughtful observer, will be valuable in creating the new, improved CSBA.

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

Aune &. White Signature:

Date: 1/ 2/2012

# ANNE E. WHITE

# CSBA DELEGATE ASSEMBLY 2012

# 4614 Almond Circle Livermore, California 94550

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Trustee, Livermore Valley Joint Unified School District: 1990-2014, President 3 years, Clerk 4 years Alameda County School Boards Association, 2003-present: V-President (program), President, Past President

## CSBA Activities

- 2011-2014 Education Legal Alliance Committee
- 2006-2007 Legislative Committee
- 1999, 2005, 2011 Education Conferences: Presenter/Panelist
  - "School Consolidation: Good Sense and Good Cents" (2011)
  - "The Impact of Charter Schools on Declining Enrollment Districts" (2005)
  - Table Talk Nominating Committee, "Ask us Your Path to the Presidency" (2005)
  - "Three Agency Cooperation: Passage of \$150 Million Bond" (1999)
- Nominating Committee, 2005 chairman; 2004 member
- Proposed School Finance Exploration Project, 2004
- Delegate Assembly, Region 7B, 2000 present
- MBA, Master of Boardsmanship, Master of Governance, 2000
- Many workshops, CSBA, School Services, PACE, EdSource and others: Curriculum, Finance, Governance, Legal, Back to School, Forecast, Bargaining Summits and "Rebuild California"
- Golden Bell Validator: 2000, 2007, 2011
- GRC 15<sup>th</sup> Assembly District, 2003-08; FGRC 10<sup>th</sup> Congressional District, 2005-9

## Other Education Activities

- Panelist: "Repair California," Alameda County Town Hall meeting, December 2009
- Alumni Advisory Council, Biological Sciences, Purdue University, 2007-2012
- Charter Schools, interview, grassrootsissues.com, video on demand, April 13, 2007, #298
- Panelist "Schools and Mayors: New Partnerships for Better Performance," Meeting of the Minds Brown Club of Southern California, March 2007 – challenged L.A. mayor's staff and AB1381
- Tri-Valley Adolescent Health Initiative Steering Committee, 2005-2008
- CDE Instructional Material Advisory Panels, 1998-2003, 4 Core Areas plus Foreign Language
- Presenter NSBA Annual Conference 2000: "Three Agency Cooperation: Passage of a \$150 Million Bond"
- League of Women Voters, 2001-present, Study Committees: "Which is more effective an elected or appointed County Superintendent of Schools?" "Tri-Valley School Funding Review"

## Livermore School District Activities

- "Tri-Valley Vision 2010" Committee
- Tri-Valley Business Council Education Committee, 1998-2001
- Mayor's School Facilities Committee developers, city council and school trustees
- District/Superintendent Committees: Technology, Communication, Policy, Diversity, Intergovernmental, Facilities, Employee Recognition, Fiscal Policy, LAVTA (area transportation), Measure L (bond campaign), Measure D (parcel tax), Tri-Valley Education Collaborative (TEC)

## Community Activities

- Chamber of Commerce, member 1994-present, Committees: Economic Development Government Affairs, Education and Hispanic; Columnist, monthly, <u>Business Journal</u>, LVJUSD topics, 2003
- CEWAER since 1992 CEWAR has become California Women Lead (CWL); East Bay CWL awarded "Juanita Haugen-Women Making a Difference Award, Leadership and Education" in 2007
- Student Education Loan Fund (SELF); President, V-P, Fund Raising Chair, 1992 present.
- Livermore Association for Guiding and Teaching Students; President, Treasurer, 1988-92

## Education

- M.S., Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana, Biological Sciences
- A.B., Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island, Biology
- Interest Based Bargaining training 1994, 2005

## Work Experience

• Staff Research Associate I-IV, 1969 - 1978, U.C.S.F., Department of Anesthesia, medical research

## Family

• Sons, Stephen and Mike, graduates of Livermore schools; husband, Ron, semi-retired physicist, LLNL