



California Public Employees' Retirement System
P.O. Box 942715 | Sacramento, CA 94229-2715
888 CalPERS (or 888-225-7377) | TTY: (877) 249-7442
www.calpers.ca.gov

Board of Administration

Circular Letter

October 25, 2021

Circular Letter: 310-060-21

Distribution: VI

To: All Public Agency Employers
Subject: 2021 CalPERS Board of Administration Special Public Agency Member Election

Purpose

The purpose of this Circular Letter is to inform you of the upcoming 2021 California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) Board of Administration Special Public Agency Member Election.

We are requesting your assistance in the upcoming special election to fill the vacant public agency representative position on the CalPERS Board of Administration. The term of office for the newly elected board member will begin immediately upon certification by the Secretary of State and expire on January 15, 2027.

CalPERS public agency members active as of March 1, 2022, are eligible to vote.

Notice of Election for Posting and Circulation

Attached is a copy of the Notice of Election (Notice). The Notice outlines the election schedule and procedures for becoming a candidate. Those who are interested in becoming a candidate in the election must submit a Nomination Petition to CalPERS by 5:00 p.m. on December 16, 2021. Post and circulate this Notice to eligible active CalPERS public agency members in your agency. Circulation of this Notice is best accomplished by the following methods:

1. Circulating through your normal information routing system
2. Posting on employee bulletin boards
3. Distributing to employee organizations

The Notice may also be accessed on the [Board Elections](#) page of the CalPERS website.

Important Information Concerning the 2021 Special Public Agency Member Board Election

- A candidate must win an election by a majority vote to be elected. If the primary election does not produce a winner by majority vote, then a runoff election will be conducted involving the two candidates who receive the highest number of votes in the primary election for the Special Public Agency Member Election.
- Any protest of an election will be decided by a neutral Protest Panel.
- Election procedures are prescribed in Government Code section 20090, and in CalPERS election regulations found in Title 2, California Code of Regulations, Article 2, sections 554 through 554.11.

Current Member Address Information

It is important for your agency to notify CalPERS members who have recently moved to update their address information. Active members should inform their human resources department of any change of address by February 2022 to ensure a ballot package is received at their home address in April 2022.

Questions

We appreciate your cooperation in this important election. If you have questions, call the CalPERS Board Election Office at (916) 795-3952, local or (800) 794-2297, toll free.

Dallas Stone, Chief
Operations Support Services Division

Attachment: [2021 Special Public Agency Member Board Election – Notice of Election \(PDF\)](#)