## **CSBA Delegate Assembly District Nomination Form for 2022 Election**



## Write In Candidacy for CSBA Delegate Assembly Election

Hayward Unified	d School District
The Board of Education of the	
	(Nominating District)
voted to nominate	The nominee is a member of the
(Nominee)	
Hayward Unified School District	
(Nominee's Board)  California School Boards Association.	which is a member of the
California School Boards Association.	which is a member of the
	December 8, 2021
California School Boards Association.  Board Clerk or Board Secretary (signature)	

# Delegate Assembly Biographical Sketch Form for 2022 Election Write In Candidate



Your signature indicates your consent to have your name placed on Signature:	the ballot and to serve as a Delegate, if elected.  Date: February 1, 2022
Name: Ken Rawdon  District or COE: Hayward Unified School District	CSBA Region & subregion #: 7b  Years on board:
Profession: Teacher Contact Number (  Primary E-mail: krawdon@husd.k12.ca.us	
Are you an incumbent Delegate? ☐ Yes ■ No If yes, year you	u became Delegate:

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

I am interested in becoming a delegate because I look forward to being part of the solution to various issues. I believe that communication is key and it is key to have a delegate who listens to the needs of local school districts, county offices of education, and various other components that go into policy-making and good governance. I have served in the school district I represent for over 30 years as a teacher in our schools, and now for the last three years, as an elected school board member. During my years as an educator I learned about many issues facing my own district and was known for being able to see what the issues are and striving to problem-solve through compromise and listening to others. When I became a board member, I brought that ability to my role as a board member. I strive to be open-minded and consider all sides of issues.

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

I've served on the following commissions, committees, etc. I feel that each of these has helped me learn, grasp and understand the unique issues that confront these various entities. I've also been able to contribute from my perspective as an educator within our own district for 30 years. Site Based Decision Making Central Team District Advisory Committee Board Policy Sub-Committee Visual and Performing Arts Committee Hayward Local Agencies Committee Hayward Citizens Bond Oversight Committee Performing Arts Center Construction Oversight Committee

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

Honestly, I feel that the biggest challenge facing us is a lack of money given to us by the state. There are many challenges facing us, but the biggest issue is that we don't have enough per-pupil spending from our state elected officials. If we didn't continue to be one of the lowest per-pupil spending states in the nation, and had enough money, we could fix most of the other challenges that are also facing us. I think CSBA is doing MUCH for advocacy at the state level, so continuing to do so can and will certainly help address that. I would like to be part of that advocacy to our state officials on behalf of our students.

## Delegate Assembly Important Dates



### **2022** Delegate Assembly Election

Friday, January 7: Deadline for Nomination Forms and Biographical

**Sketch Forms** 

Tuesday, February 1: Ballots sent to member boards

**Tuesday, March 15:** Deadline for ballots to be sent back to CSBA

By Thursday, March 31: Ballots will be counted

Friday, April 1: First day of new 2-year term for Delegates

elected in 2022

## **2022** Delegate Assembly Meeting Dates

Saturday - Sunday, May 21 - 22

(scheduled to occur in Sacramento)

Tuesday – Wednesday, November 30 - December 1

(scheduled to occur in San Diego)