

## RAMA MALINE CASE TREASURER

### RE-ELECT CASE Treasurer Rama R. Maline



**R. TIM O'CONNOR (PRESIDENT)**



**RYAN M. SMITH (VP)**



**RAMA M. MALINE (TREASURER)**



**WADE DI COSMO (SECRETARY)**



**YUN HWA HARPER (DIRECTOR)**



**KATHERINE SCOTT-SMITH (DIRECTOR)**



**SIMON HOVAKIMIAN (DIRECTOR)**



**AMANDA V. LOPEZ (DIRECTOR)**



**VIET NGUYEN (DIRECTOR)**

To begin, I would like to express my thanks to all CASE Members for having elected me Treasurer in the previous election and allowing me to serve you for the past two years. As Treasurer, I have diligently served CASE members by watching over the money spent by the union and looking for new opportunities to increase revenues to our reserves.

- **CASE's Board has delivered results for Unit 2 members, but has more work to do**

The current officers **President Tim O'Connor (State Fund)**, **VP Ryan M. Smith (DOJ)**, **Treasurer Rama Maline (DOJ)**, **Secretary Wade Di Cosmo** and **directors** have delivered wage and benefit increases for current members. However, CASE still needs to do more in terms of increases salaries, benefits, and working conditions for Unit 2 members. Therefore, I am also endorsing the candidacies for Directors Yun Hwa Harper (DOJ), Katherine Scott-Smith (CDI), Simon Hovakimian (DIR), Amanda V. Lopez (DOJ), and Viet Nguyen (DOJ). These officers and directors will continue the work that is critical to CASE's future success. We must prepare for the long and hard fight ahead of us to improve salaries, working conditions, and benefits and continually enforce the terms of the current MOU and statutory/regulatory mandates that some Agencies including CAL/HR have chosen to violate. These board members will also implement a strategy for pay parity that is long overdue.

- **CASE's Investments Have Grown Substantially Since I Became Treasurer**

As Treasurer, I am responsible for making safe investments on behalf of the Unit. These investments have steadily increased our monthly revenues to approximately \$18,000 per month in dividends and interest. I will continue to consult with our financial advisers to maintain and improve CASE's financial health.

- **CASE's Financial Future Depends on Increased Revenue**

When I am re-elected, I will continue to keep CASE financially sound. CASE plans an aggressive litigation strategy to increase our salaries, benefits, and working conditions. This strategy will require that CASE to have the financial resources to support this aggressive strategy. My preference is to support our efforts through revenue obtained from investments rather than increase membership dues.

- **I Am Endorsed By CASE's Officers**

CASE President R. Timothy O'Connor, Vice President Ryan Smith and Secretary Wade DiCosmo are also running unopposed in this election, and have endorsed my candidacy. When re-elected, I will continue to build upon the excellent working relationship I have with my fellow CASE officers and directors.

Thank you for your consideration and your vote.