## YUN HWA HARPER CASE DIRECTOR

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VOTE

SIMON HOVAKIMIAN (DIRECTOR)

VOTE

KATHRINE SCOTT SMITH (DIRECTOR)

AMANDA LOPEZ (DIRECTOR)

VIET NGUYEN (DIRECTOR)



I was nominated to the CASE Board of Directors this year to fill a vacancy. I am honored to have been given the opportunity to serve our Bargaining Unit 2 members and to have earned the trust and respect of my colleagues in state service. I seek election to the Board to continue my service and fight for better pay and benefits for our members.

As an attorney with eighteen years of experience, sixteen of which have been with the Department of Justice, not only do I bring my extensive litigation experience to the table, but I understand the unique obstacles that BU2 members face in the workplace.

If elected, I would strongly advocate for continued growth in our salaries—including longevity pay for those who have been committed to

public service and built invaluable expertise for the benefit of the People of California. I will fight to protect our pensions, increase our benefits, and improve working conditions for all BU2 members. My focus would be to

- prioritize pay parity with our city and county counterparts,
- advocate for flexible and consistent telework policies for all BU2 members,
- seek additional medical stipends to offset increased medical premiums, and
- increase travel per diems to cover current travel expenses accurately.

In order to meet these goals, a cohesive, synergistic Board is critical to CASE's future success. Current incumbent CASE Directors, President Tim O'Connor (State Fund), VP Ryan M. Smith (DOJ), Treasurer Rama Maline (DOJ), Secretary Wade Di Cosmo (DIR), Simon Hovakimian (DIR), and Katy Scott Smith (CDI) have already proven their commitment to CASE with their prior service. Each of these team members are a strong voice for our members and I endorse their candidacy as incumbents. I am also pleased with new candidates, Viet Nguyen (DOJ) and Amanda Lopez (DOJ) who are running for the CASE Board for the first time. I look forward to welcoming them to the Team. As a united front, we will fight to improve salaries, working conditions, and enforce the terms of our MOU and statutory/regulatory mandates that some agencies have chosen to violate.

I look forward to another opportunity to serve our colleagues in state service. I ask you to vote for me and my other team members above.