

**CAUSE ADVISORY**  
**Seeking nominations for the**  
**'CAUSE \* 2021 - Leadership Election'**

Greetings Members,

During the month of May, CAUSE will be facilitating its biennial union leadership elections.

As you may know, it is time to elect CAUSE officers. Executive officers are elected for a two - year term by electronic (Survey-Monkey) ballot during the month of May, and assume their position on July 1st. There are seven elected positions: President, Classified Vice-President, Certificated Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Classified Membership Advocate, and Certificated Membership Advocate. The remaining supportive positions, such as site representative, are appointed.

The nominating committee needs your help in soliciting nominations for the above positions. If we are to have a vital, engaged organization, we must have volunteers who are willing to give time to support our membership in their relations with District management. Active participation can go a long way toward maintaining a fair, relevant contract, assuring our members of a constructive working environment, and helping to negotiate reasonable expectations for staff and

management.

As per our Constitution, nominations shall come from the membership via a nomination form. (*see attached*) Once completed nomination forms are received, nominees will be contacted directly by the **"CAUSE 2021 - Election Ad-HocCommittee."** At that time, their interest in campaigning for a leadership position will be verified.

CAUSE Members may submit nominations directly to Kim Castagna, CAUSE 2021 Election Ad-Hoc Chair ([kimdcastagna@gmail.com](mailto:kimdcastagna@gmail.com))

Nominations must be submitted no later than Monday, May 17, 2021.

In Unity,

~ Kim Castagna. \* CAUSE Election Chair