

Together, We're Stronger.

Board of Directors Member-Elected At-Large Nomination Form 2020

At-a-Glance

- We have four (4) at-large openings this year
- Anyone may nominate another individual for consideration
- You need not wait to be nominated -- nominate yourself for consideration
- · Board members are always willing to speak about their experiences
 - For more information reach out to your Regional Representative (click to contact regional reps)
 - Or contact our Election Co-Chairs: Jackie Kent (jackie@catalystdvservices.org) and Jeanne Spurr (jeanne@empowertehama.org)
- Key dates in Election Timeline:
 - Nominations are due: February 19th
 - Eligible nominees invited to submit applications: February 26th
 - Applications are due: March 13th
 - Voters' Guide sent to Membership: March 27th
 - · For those who consent to online elections, polls open: March 30th
 - Annual Membership Meeting: April 28th
 - Polls close: 1pm on April 28th



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Introduction

The California Partnership to End Domestic Violence is pleased to post this Call for Nomination for potential at-large Board members elected at our Annual Membership Meeting in September.

Our Board plays an important governance role acting as the formal representative of the public in setting strategic direction, ensuring adequate resources to support the mission, monitoring impact and dutifully executing its' fiduciary responsibilities. As leaders, Board members also support the organization by contributing their time, talent and wisdom as ambassadors who represent the organization in the community raising funds and our public profile.

We need your help finding strong leaders who are committed to the Partnership's mission. We are particularly in need of individuals who possess a combination of these qualifications, and demonstrate the following leadership traits:

- · Well-informed about the Partnership's mission, strategies and priorities
- · Leadership experience in business, philanthropy, legal, government and nonprofit sectors
- Understanding of the varied domestic violence issues across California, and willingness to act in service of these statewide interests
- · Professional skills in finance, fundraising, government affairs, human resources management, marketing and public relations
- Ability to raise funds on behalf of the Partnership, and willingness to solicit personal and professional networks in support of annual revenue goals
- Representative of California's rich diversity, and ability to bring underrepresented voices into the center of our work
- Network-weaver capable of fostering a positive image of the Partnership by cultivating relationships with business leaders, policy-makers, media outlets, philanthropists and the broader community
- Willingness to embrace discomfort, hear disparate viewpoints, and take informed and inspirational risks to advance the Partnership's strategic priorities
- Active participant in Regional networks, policy committees, peer learning circles and other components of our Membership community
- · Capable of devoting time necessary to perform Board governance and support responsibilities

Does this sound like someone you know?

Please submit your nomination today by completing this form, and encourage qualified candidates to seriously consider this opportunity. *Think you might fit the bill?* If you've got time and talent, we want to hear from you -- self-nominations are welcomed (simply complete the following form).

Want to know more about the Partnership's Board and this opportunity?

- -> Check out a summary of Frequently Asked Questions about our Board
- -> Check out an overview of Board Qualifications

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Thank you for your participation in this very important process. Sharing our leadership and expertise across this big state truly make us all stronger!

Sincerely,

Jackie Kent Election Co-Chair jackie@catalystdvservices.org

Jeanne Spurr Election Co-Chair jeanne@empowertehama.org



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Nomination Form (cont.)

Note: Responses to the following questions may be disseminated to our Membership in the Voters' Guide sent statewide August 11th

* 1. Would you like to:

Nominate another individual?

Nominate yourself for the Board?



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Nominate another individual

* 2. Please provide *your* (nominator) contact information:

First Name:	
Last Name:	
Title:	
Organization:	
City:	
State:	
Email Address:	
Phone Number:	

* 3. Contact information for person you are nominating:

First Name:	
Last Name:	
Title:	
Address 2	
City:	
State:	
Email Address:	
Phone Number:	



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Nominators

* 4. 1. Please summarize the reasons you are nominating this individual (350 words or less)

* 5. 2. Describe this nominee's participation in the Partnership's regional networks, policy committees, peer learning circles and other components of our Membership community (350 words or less)

* 6. 3. Tell us about the nominee's professional skills in finance, fundraising, government affairs, human resources management, marketing and public relations (350 words or less)

* 7. 4. How does this nominee represent California's rich diversity? How might this person bring underrepresented voices into the center of our work? (350 words or less)



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Nominate yourself

* 8. Please provide *your* contact information:

First Name:	
Last Name:	
Title:	
Address 2	
City:	
State:	
Email Address:	
Phone Number:	



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Self-nominees

- * 9. 1. Please summarize the reasons you are submitting your nomination (350 words or less)
- * 10. 2. Describe your participation in the Partnership's regional networks, policy committees, peer learning circles and other components of our Membership community (350 words or less)
- * 11. 3. Tell us about your professional skills in finance, fundraising, government affairs, human resources management, marketing and public relations (350 words or less)
- * 12. 4. How do you represent California's rich diversity? How might you bring underrepresented voices into the center of our work? (350 words or less)



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Conclusion

This concludes the nomination form.

We sincerely thank you for taking the time to contribute to the leadership of our coalition!

If you nominated another individual, we encourage you to let them know.

After nominations close on February 19th, our Nominating Committee will vet the nominees and then invite eligible individuals to submit formal applications for consideration on our at-large elections ballot.

We hope to see you at the Partnership's Annual Membership Meeting April 28th where elections will be completed.

For more information, contact us at info@cpedv.org.