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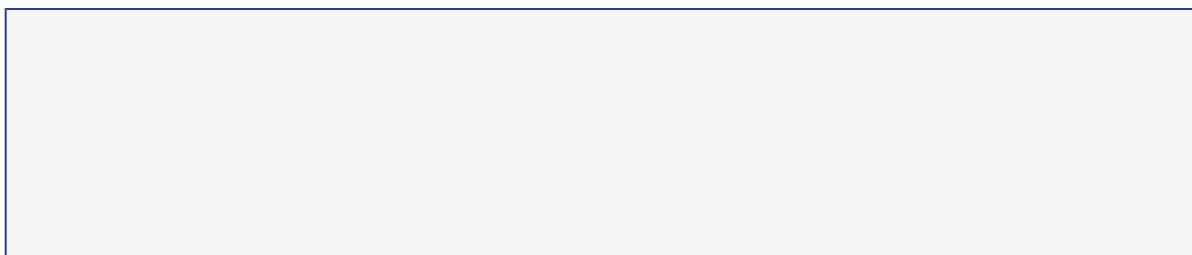
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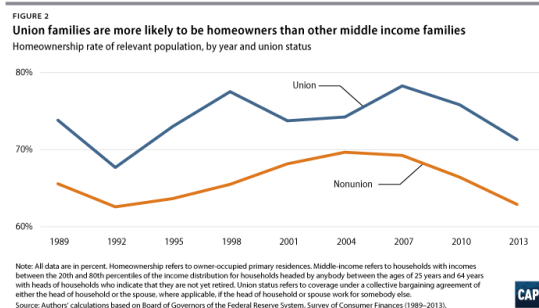
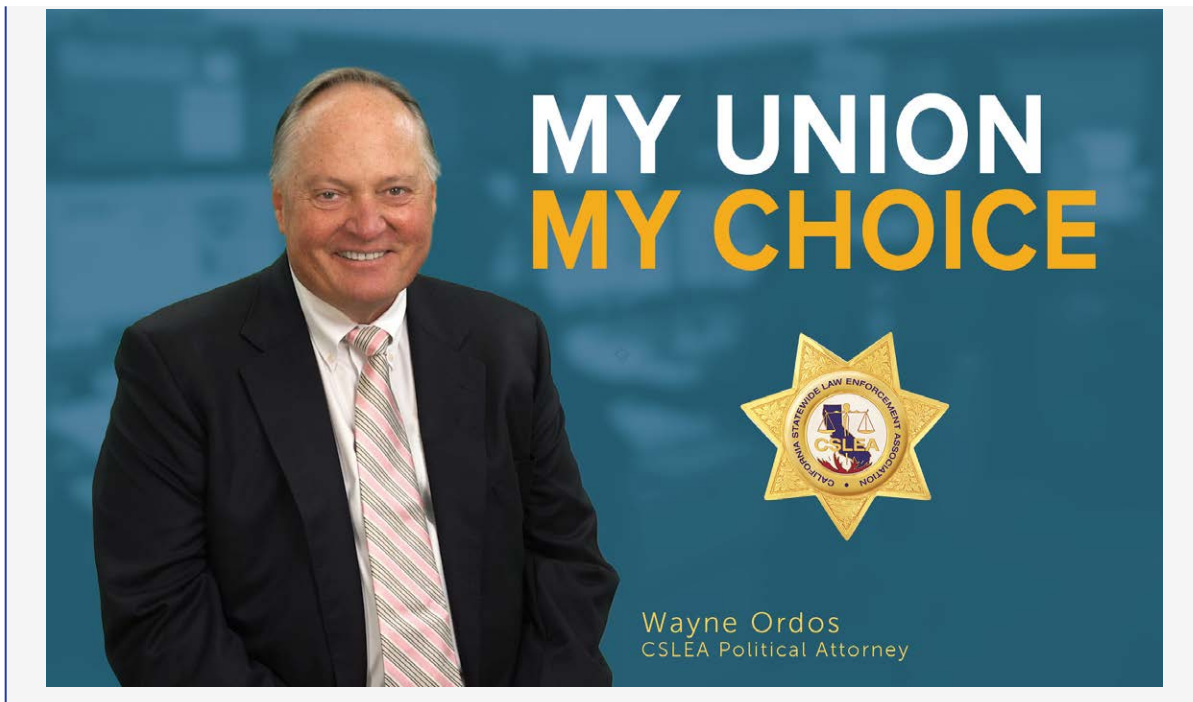
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**By Alan Barcelona**  
**CSLEA President**  
**FOP Lodge 77 President**



As you are likely aware, late last month, the United States Supreme Court issued its decision in the Janus vs. AFSCME case. The Court ruled in favor of Janus and against labor unions, making the United States a right to work country. Having worked for decades on behalf of public employees to negotiate for fair and better wages, improved working conditions, employee rights and pension protection, I am very disheartened by the Court's decision. It is my hope that public employees see the Janus case for what it truly is and will unite and become stronger because of it. Those on our CSLEA mailing list should have received our emailed article on June 27th: [Janus v. AFSCME Supreme Court Decision](#). In addition, our CSLEA Political Attorney Wayne Ordos recently explained the decision as he sees it in the video below:





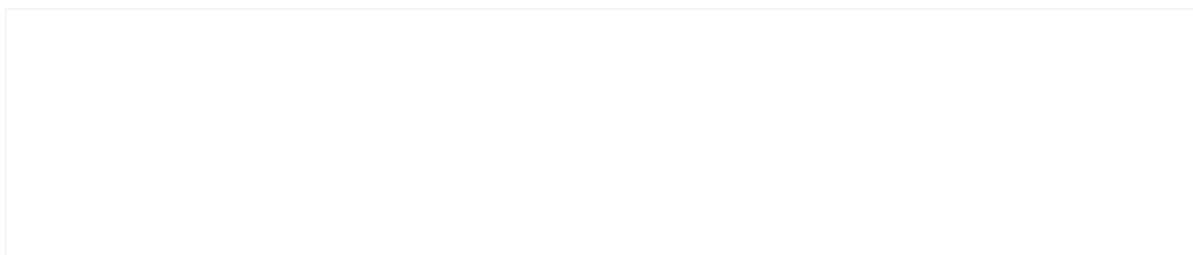
I recently came across a survey by the Board of the Governors of the Federal Reserve System that showed calculations of home ownership and income between union and non-union families.

In 2013, the median middle-class union household held \$50,800 (in 2013 dollars) in wealth—nearly 90 percent more than the median middle-class nonunion household’s \$27,000 in wealth.

In 2013, 71 percent of union middle-income households were made up of homeowners, while only 63 percent of comparable nonunion households were made up of homeowners.

Retirement data shows that union members are much more likely to have a pension. These pensions substantially increase workers’ chances at a secure retirement.

If you care about the middle class, I encourage you to stay a union member. Contact your union and ask what you can do to help. Become involved in your future. CSLEA has made it very easy to contact us and also to sign up for membership. You’ll find what you need at the top of our website, [CSLEA.com](http://CSLEA.com)



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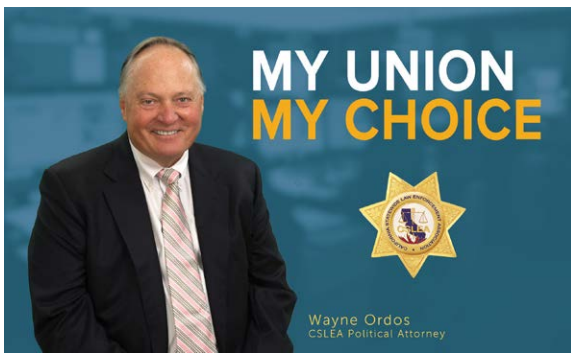
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## CSLEA WORKING FOR YOU



### VIDEO: CSLEA Political Attorney Wayne Ordos Speaks to Members About U.S. Supreme Court Decision

SACRAMENTO – Following the United States Supreme Court decision in Janus V. AFSCME, California Statewide Law Enforcement Association (CSLEA) Political Attorney Wayne Ordos requested to speak to CSLEA members about the ruling and what it potentially means for public employees in the workplace.

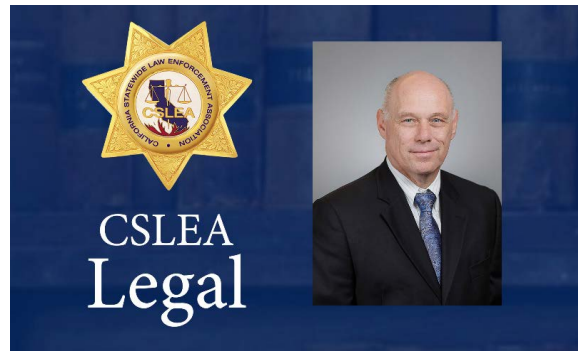
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### CSLEA Creates My Union, My Choice! Web Page for Post Janus Information

SACRAMENTO - Following the U.S. Supreme Court's ruling in Janus V. AFSCME, CSLEA created a special My Union, My Choice! web page for CSLEA members to gather information and to show union support. We hope you'll check it out to become better informed!

[View Web Page](#)



## My Union, My Choice – The Strength in Numbers!

SACRAMENTO – We all know there is strength in numbers and it is that strength that carries weight in collective bargaining involving salaries, benefits, working conditions and pensions. Negotiating contracts with the State of California is a lengthy and involved process that requires immense training and intense strategy.

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## CSLEA Legal: Investigator Returns to Full Duty After Rejection Revoked

LOS ANGELES – A probationary California Department of Insurance investigator is returning to full duty this month, following a Skelly hearing officer's decision to revoke her Rejection During Probation.

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## PERB Issues Complaint on Unfair Practice Charge

SACRAMENTO - On June 19, 2018, the Public Employment Relations Board (PERB) issued a complaint against the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) based on an Unfair Practice Charge filed by CSLEA.

## CSLEA Holds Luncheon Meeting at DOJ Broadway

SACRAMENTO – On July 11, 2018 the California Statewide Law Enforcement Association (CSLEA) held a luncheon meeting for security officers, criminal ID specialists, field representatives and criminal intelligence specialists at the California



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Department of Justice, Broadway office.

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### **CSLEA Meets New Police Officers at Coalinga State Hospital**

COALINGA - On July 3, 2018, the California Statewide Law Enforcement Association (CSLEA) conducted a New Employee Orientation (NEO) at Coalinga State Hospital (CSH) for newly hired hospital police officers.

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### **CSLEA Reps Visit Seasonal Lifeguards in Southern California**

HUNTINGTON BEACH - On June 29-July 2, 2018, California Statewide Law Enforcement Association (CSLEA) Member Services Representatives John Knight and Shelley Bishop visited veteran and new California State Parks seasonal lifeguards at Bolsa Chica, Silver Strand and San Clemente beaches as well as in San Diego.

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### **CSLEA & CACI Meet With FTB Investigators in Sacramento**

SACRAMENTO - Approximately 40 California Franchise Tax Board investigators, all members of the California Statewide Law

### **CSLEA Welcomes Seasonal Lifeguards in Santa Cruz**

SANTA CRUZ - On June 26, 2018, California Statewide Law Enforcement Association

Enforcement Association (CSLEA) and the California Association of Criminal Investigators (CACI) attended a noontime outreach meeting hosted by CSLEA and CACI on June 27, 2018.

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(CSLEA) Member Services Representative Jim Laughlin met with State Parks lifeguards in Santa Cruz on California's Central Coast.

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## The CSLEA Enhanced Member Sponsorship Program!

CSLEA's Member Sponsorship Program just got better! For our members who understand the importance of union membership, in protecting your pension, and providing career insurance - keep talking, keep sponsoring, because the benefit of signing up members has just increased. If you've never sponsored a new member but want to know how, keep reading!

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## CSLEA Scholarships

### CSLEA Scholarship Committee Reviewing 48 Applications

SACRAMENTO – Great job, students! The hard part for you, is over! You've waded through the California Statewide Law Enforcement Association (CSLEA) scholarship application and got it postmarked by deadline! Now it's time for the CSLEA Scholarship Review Committee to roll up its sleeves and score each of the 48 applicants who are keeping their fingers crossed for a \$1,000 award.

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## AFFILIATE NEWS

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### AC-DOJ

**Privacy is Dead: Why Share DNA**  
By John Miller, President of the Association of Criminalists, Dept. of Justice

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### RPPOA

**State Park Rangers on High Alert Following Murder at Malibu Creek**

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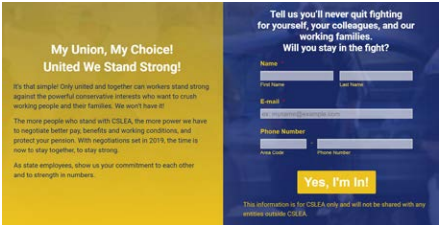


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## NEWS FEED

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**My Union, My Choice!**  
**United We Stand Strong!**

It's that simple! Only united and together can we stand strong against the powerful conservative interests who lead to crush working people and their families. We won't have it!

The more people who stand with CSLEA, the more power we have to negotiate better pay, benefits and working conditions, and protect your pension. With negotiations set in 2019, the time is now to stay together, to stay strong!

As state employees, show us your commitment to each other and to strength in numbers.

**Yes, I'm In!**

Thank you for telling us you'll never quit fighting



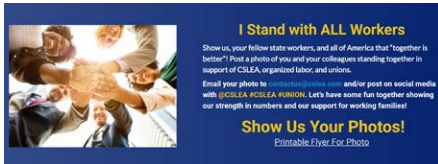
California DOJ Criminalists Help Watsonville PD with Major Crime Scene

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Convicted Killer Faces 26 Years to Life

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for yourself,  
your colleagues,  
and our working families.



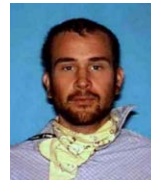
## I Stand with ALL Workers

Show Us Your Photos!

Show us, your fellow state workers, and all of America that “together is better”! Post a photo of you and your colleagues standing together in support of CSLEA, organized labor, and unions.

Email your photo to [contactus@cslea.com](mailto:contactus@cslea.com) and/or post on social media with [@CSLEA](#) [#CSLEA](#) [#UNION](#).

Let’s have some fun together showing our strength in numbers and our support for working families!



Contractor in Monterey County Pleads Guilty for No Workers’ Comp Insurance

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Nurse Impersonator at Gilroy Hospital Sentenced to Jail

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Orange County Insurance Agent Convicted of \$1.6 Million Fraud Scheme Targeting Elderly

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State Employee Arrested in Orange County Bribery Case

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Man Arrested for Selling Prescription Drugs Without a License

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State Park Rangers Respond to Abandoned Panga Boat at Crystal Cove State Park

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Thank you, CSLEA-FMESA  
Member Thomas Becerra!



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**What You May Have Missed  
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Young Benicia Man  
Convicted on Three  
Counts of First Degree  
Murder

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Beverly Hills Doctor  
Sentenced to 10 Years in  
Custody for Massive  
Workers' Comp Scheme

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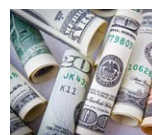
DOJ Special Agents  
Assist in the Seizure of  
One Man's Arsenal of  
553 Firearms

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CDFW Wardens Assist  
Humboldt County  
Sheriff's Deputies in  
Marijuana Cultivation  
Busts

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El Dorado Hills Man  
Arrested in \$2 Million  
Financial Fraud and  
Elder Abuse Scheme

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### What You May Have Missed on Instagram



### JOB POSTINGS:

**Public Employees Retirement System Investigator**

**CALFIRE Communications Operator**

**Department of Consumer Affairs  
Division of Investigation - Current Openings**

## CSLEA LEGAL



### The CSLEA Legal Division

CSLEA Legal employs a staff of six attorneys. Our mission is to zealously defend Unit 7 members in disciplinary proceedings and to enforce the collective bargaining agreement between CSLEA and the State of California.

Each CSLEA attorney has been designated as a principle point of contact for representation issues.

*To identify your individual point of contact*

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## A Video Presentation: CSLEA Shares the Successful Legal Defense of a Sworn Peace Officer



## A Video Presentation: Adverse Action Featuring CSLEA Senior Legal Counsel Dave De La Riva

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## ADDITIONAL CSLEA INFO

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Discounts Program**

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**Discount on Disneyland Tickets is Back**

CSLEA Members! We have exciting news! As you may be aware, for a period of time discounted tickets to Disneyland were no where to be found! But through Abenity, CSLEA's Exclusive Member Discount Program - discounts on tickets have returned! Log in to your Exclusive Member Discount Program to learn more!  
(Forgot login information? Contact us at [contactus@cslea.com](mailto:contactus@cslea.com))

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**CalPERS Benefits Education Events**



*CalPERS Event Calendar*

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**As a member of CSLEA, you have a \$15,000 Life Insurance Benefit.**

**To Update Beneficiary Information:**

Contact: Catherine Ross

Executive Assistant

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- View Unit 7 contract
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- Send us your photos
- Update your member contact info

