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California Statewide  
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**ALERT**

Vol. 131, November 15, 2021

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**By Alan Barcelona**  
**CSLEA President**

Hello CSLEA Members,

This week, several CSLEA representatives will be attending PORAC's annual conference of members. This conference includes PORAC Board of Directors meetings which CSLEA is a part of, as well as regional meetings and classes. Being a member association of PORAC has been beneficial in many ways including access to the PORAC member health plan and PORAC/POREF member wildfire relief for our peace officer members. In addition, we are a strong team together as we approach legislation that impacts our members. We are proud of our partnership with PORAC and look forward to working together for the benefits of our members for many years to come.



I hope you have the opportunity to read "CSLEA Successful in Obtaining Additional Compensation for HPOs assigned to CSH deployment in 2018." This article reflects the work of our CSLEA legal team on behalf of State Hospital police officers throughout California who assisted with a safety situation at Coalinga State Hospital in 2018. As a result of CSLEA's work, 84 current and former hospital police officers will receive additional compensation in excess of \$60,000 to be distributed among them. My sincere thanks to CSLEA Supervising Legal Counsel Dave De La Riva, our chief counsel Kasey Clark and the entire legal team for the passion and drive they exhibit as they work to protect the rights of our members.

The CSLEA legal team continues to press, and is in frequent contact with, CalHR regarding essential work pay and negotiating this on behalf of our members. We will provide more information as it becomes available.

As we approach Thanksgiving Day, I wish all of you a memorable, happy and healthy time spent with those you love. Thank you for your CSLEA membership. CSLEA is honored and grateful to represent you, to protect you and your rights and thanks you for your law enforcement, public safety and consumer protection service to the citizens and visitors of our state. Happy Thanksgiving.



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## **CSLEA Headquarters Has a New Address**

SACRAMENTO - CSLEA headquarters has moved to a new location. CSLEA's new address is: 2600 River Plaza Drive #250, Sacramento, CA 95833

Phone numbers remain the same: 916.447.5262  
800.522.2873

Southern Office location is unchanged: 5762 Bolsa Ave.  
#104, Huntington Beach



## **CSLEA Successful in Obtaining Additional Compensation for HPOs assigned to CSH deployment in 2018**

*In excess of \$60,000.00 to be distributed among 84 current and former HPOs who will be required to sign an Individual Release of Claims form in order to receive compensation*

SACRAMENTO - California Statewide Law Enforcement Association (CSLEA) is pleased to announce that an agreement was reached between CSLEA and Cal HR/Department of State Hospitals concerning compensation due to Hospital Police Officers (HPOs) who were called out from various parts of the state to assist their fellow HPOs at Coalinga State Hospital (CSH) in 2018.

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## **The Passing of CSLEA Member – Firefighter Security Officer Eric Padgett**

It is with deep sadness in which the California Statewide Law Enforcement Association (CSLEA) shares with you the news of the passing of CSLEA Member Eric Padgett. Eric passed away on November 3, 2021 after a brave and hard-fought battle with cancer. He worked as a firefighter security officer at Yountville Veterans Home, a firefighter at Sonoma Developmental Center, and also worked for years as a CHP dispatcher. CSLEA and CHP-PSDA and four children.

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## **CSLEA and CHP-PSDA Welcome New Dispatchers to Union Membership**

RIVERSIDE – On October 19, 2021, ten CHP public safety dispatchers training at the Ben Clark Training Center attended a new employee orientation hosted by CHP-Public Safety Dispatchers Association (CHP-PSDA) Secretary-Treasurer Steve Fulton.

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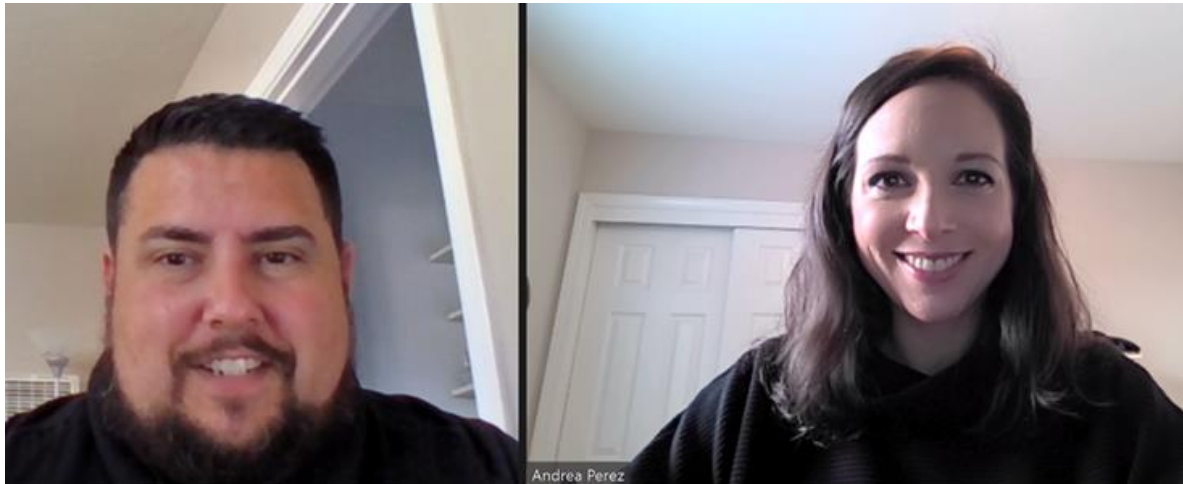


## **CSLEA Meets with CHP Dispatchers Training in West Sacramento**

WEST SACRAMENTO - On November 15, 2021, CHP dispatchers training at the CHP academy in West Sacramento met with representatives from the California Statewide Law Enforcement Association (CSLEA) and CHP-Public Safety Dispatchers Association (CHP-PSDA) for a new employee orientation.



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## **CSLEA Holds Site Representation Classes in October**

SACRAMENTO – California Statewide Law Enforcement Association (CSLEA) site representatives are an important part of work place solutions and an extension of CSLEA, that's why CSLEA attorneys conduct site representative classes for those interested in becoming more involved with the union and the way things work on the job.

In October, CSLEA Senior Counsel Andrea Perez conducted site representative classes via video conference on the 19th and 25th.

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## CSLEA Members Attend November Site Rep Training Via Video Conference

SACRAMENTO – On November 15, 2021, California Statewide Law Enforcement Association (CSLEA) Senior Counsel Andrea Perez conducted a basic site representation class for two CSLEA members who are dispatchers at the California Highway Patrol and a member who is an emergency services coordinator at the California Office of Emergency Services.

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CSLEA Spotlight

A look at some of the criminal justice work our CSLEA member,  
California DOJ Latent Print Analyst Corey Schroeder does.

<https://newspress.com/witness-suspects-fingerprints-found/>



NEWSPRESS.COM

**Witness: Suspect's fingerprints found - Santa Barbara  
News-Press**

Thank you to our CSLEA members David Mosley and Jim Kiatos, CDFW Oil Pill Prevention Specialists, for your service protecting our environment.



**Office of Spill Prevention and Response - OSPR is in Cardiff-by-the-Sea, Encinitas, California.**

November 4 at 1:24 PM · Instagram · 🌐

Veteran spill responders David Mosley, left, and Jim Kiatos were out monitoring the San Elijo Lagoon in Cardiff this morning. Recent cleanup operations have foc... [See more](#)



Congratulations CSLEA Member - Public Safety Dispatcher Theresa Francis! Thank you for your service!



Nice photo of our CSLEA Member - State Park Peace Officer Tim Schulte learning hand signals for pilots as they land at a training scenario at Ocotillo Wells State Vehicular Recreation Area earlier this month. As seen in state parks weekly - <https://t.e2ma.net/.../ce0984c042730b4fff22be69369bc901...>



## AFFILIATE NEWS

### ACE

#### Board Election Results:

President - Chad Harris

Northern Representative - Philip Heidrick

Fire Representative - Adrian Mendoza



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#### Board Elections Currently Underway

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### CACI

#### Open Position for CACI Director Representing DCA

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## CALEE

### CALEE Advisory Board

CSLEA is currently reviewing the applications received from CALEE members interested in serving on a CALEE advisory board. More information will be available soon.



## PORAC

### PORAC Law Enforcement News -

## CURRENT ISSUE

### FEATURES

[Paying Tribute to the Fallen During National Police Weekend](#)

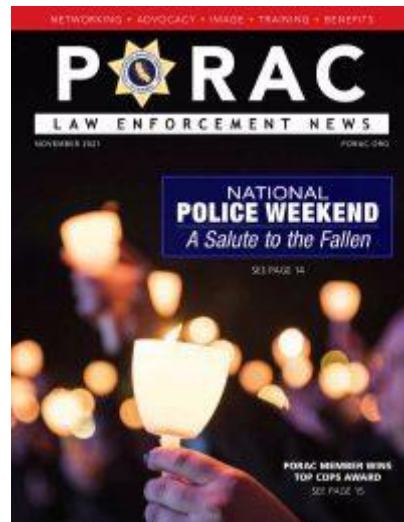
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## NEWS FEED



California Statewide Law Enforcement Association - CSLEA

November 8 at 10:38 AM

A shout out to our members (Left to right) State Park Peace Officers James Carey, Marc Wetherbee and Martin Gilbertson with K-9 Ivan who were all at the Bridgeport Covered Bridge reopening ceremony last week. As seen in the State Parks Weekly Digest. <https://t.e2ma.net/.../4d2af9e41bf0f3e538d31d6d253d92333...>



### What You May Have Missed on Facebook



CSLEA @CSLEA · Oct 28

To all our law enforcement, emergency medical and fire personnel, dispatchers and communications operators - we thank you today and every day! Happy National First Responders Day! #NationalFirstRespondersDay



Facebook interaction icons: comment, share (2), like, repost, and view count.



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Cited for More  
Than \$7.2 Million  
in Wage Theft  
Violations

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Mexican Native  
Sentenced for  
Toxic Marijuana  
Cultivation  
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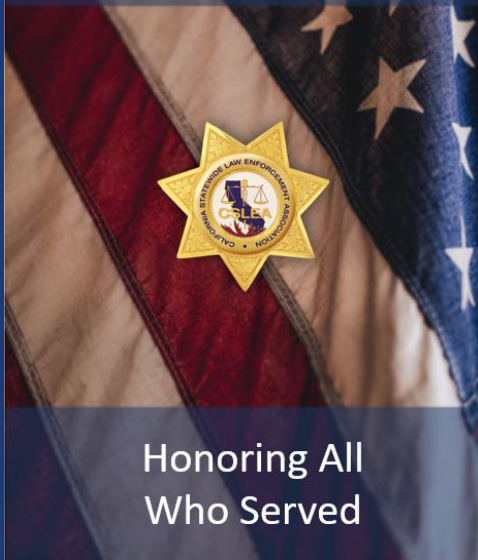
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California DOJ  
Special Agents  
work to takedown  
Oak Park Bloods  
Street Gang in  
Sacramento

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## Veterans Day 2021



Honoring All  
Who Served

## What You May Have Missed on Instagram



## CSLEA LEGAL



### **The CSLEA Legal Division**

CSLEA Legal employs a staff of five 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.

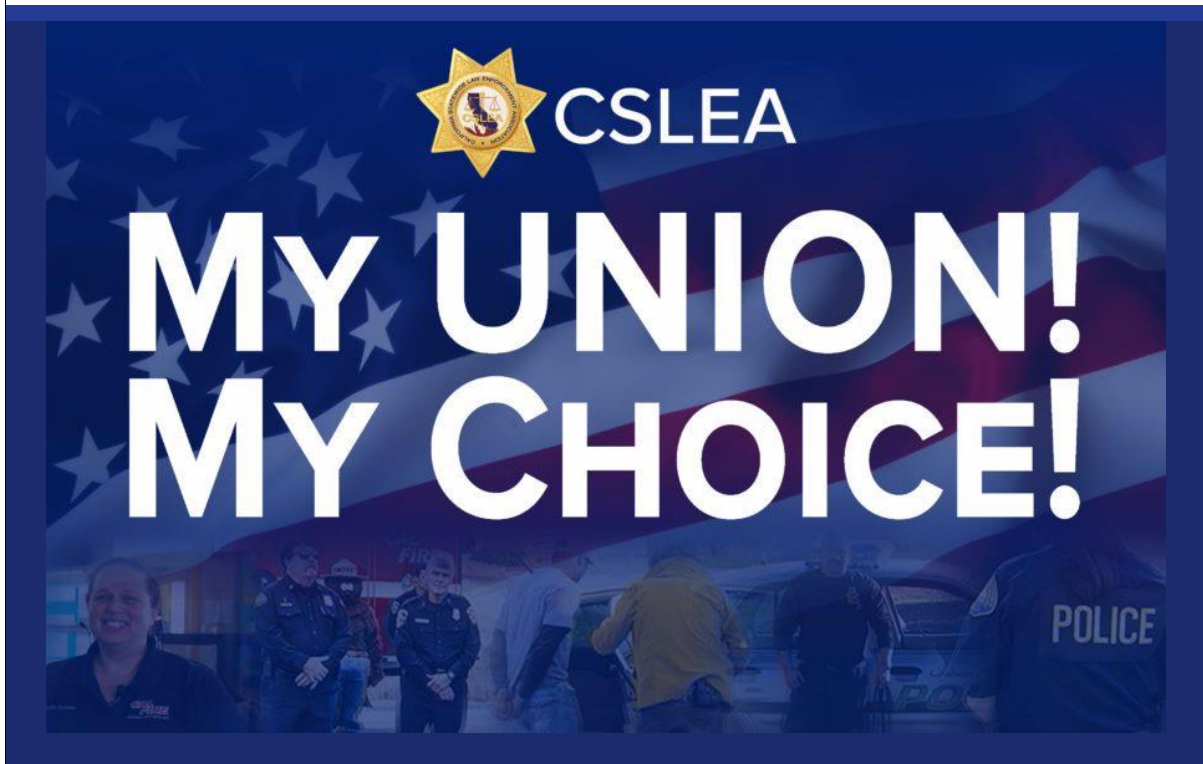
Each CSLEA attorney has been designated as a principle point of contact for representation issues.

[To learn more about CSLEA's Legal Division](#)

[Know Your Rights Videos](#)



Conflict Of Interest Featuring CSLEA Chief Counsel Kasey Christopher Clark



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CSLEA's Limited Time Offer - Special Enhanced Sponsorship Program could very well put a smile on your face and money in your pocket! For our members who understand the importance of union membership, in protecting pensions, bargaining power and career insurance - keep talking, keep sponsoring, because the benefit of signing up members has increased substantially. If you've never sponsored a new member but want to know how, keep reading!

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**ADDITIONAL CSLEA INFO**

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FOP Lodge #77

## **Insurance Coverage at CSLEA**

### **Membership Rates**

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**To Update Beneficiary Information:**

Contact: Catherine Ross  
Executive Assistant  
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880-827-4695 ext. 610  
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<http://www.calcas.com/cslea>

1-888-439-1416



### FAMILY PLANNING?

#### Pregnancy Disability Income Benefit through **Allstate Benefits**

CSLEA members have the opportunity to receive disability income up to \$1800 a month for pregnancy leave through Allstate Benefits. The accident policy provides on-or-off the job, 24 hour, accidental disability income and has a sickness disability income rider which includes pregnancy income.

The illness rider coverage has to be purchased as part of the accident policy. In addition to income for time off due to illness or surgery, the rider will cover maternity as any other illness, provided the policy has been in effect 10 months at time of birth. This means that coverage is not available if you are currently pregnant.

For more information on Allstate Benefits contact:

**Jay McDonnell Ca.lic#0650517**

**800-586-2679** or [Jaymcdonnell@msn.com](mailto:Jaymcdonnell@msn.com)

## The CSLEA APP

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