



Name: Eric Dill
Title: Assistant Superintendent, Business Services
Employed by: Carlsbad Unified School District
No. of Years a CASBO Member: 17

Please list all activities you have been involved in during your career that qualify you to apply for this position. Include such items as serving on CASBO section boards, committees, special committees, and committees outside of CASBO. Please also indicate the various positions you have held while serving on any committee.

CASBO State-Level Service

Northern Section State Director, CASBO Board of Directors
San Diego/Imperial Section State Director, CASBO Board of Directors
Chair, Education Advocacy Foundation, CASBO Board of Directors
Member / Chair, CASBO Legislative Committee
Member / Chair, CASBO Risk Management Professional Council
Member, CASBO CBO Licensure Committee
Co-Host, CASBO Connect Podcast Series

CASBO Section-Level Service

Member, San Diego/Imperial Section Legislative Committee
Member, Northern Section Legislative Committee

Eric Dill Bio & Application (continued)

Please provide biographical information and any position statement you wish to make. This statement will be published in the CASBO publication in conjunction with balloting. Please limit your response to 200 words.

The last two years have stressed the importance of relying on your professional network, developing talent and demonstrating flexibility. CASBO has always provided the place to build connections and promote staff growth that meet the needs of our members. The association has never been more vital as we guide complicated recovery efforts in our districts despite unprecedented turnover.

In my 20 years in school business, I have worked with every discipline CASBO represents in Southern and Northern California school districts and county office of education.

The most rewarding work I have done, however, is mentoring aspiring leaders and providing career advice. I want to be vice president of CASBO to promote the opportunities I had to a new generation of school business professionals who reflect the full diversity we see in every corner of California.

I began my school district career in 2001 as a loss control analyst. I took advantage of the professional development offered by CASBO to learn more about school business. I accepted more responsibilities beyond risk management — in purchasing, nutrition services and finance — before becoming a chief business official in 2010. After two years as a superintendent, I returned to the CBO role in 2018.

Briefly describe why you want to be a member of the CASBO Board of Directors.

I have been actively involved at the state level in CASBO for eight years, including serving for three years on the Board of Directors. This experience has prepared me for an officer position in CASBO.

Just as the board was confident that we needed continuity of leadership in replacing our CEO and executive director last year, I believe we need stability on the board as well, as CASBO continues to face the challenges of pandemic recovery and maintaining our relevance and reputation in the new world of school business.

I believe that I have represented this association well in board meetings, with state officials and to our members at the local level. As a board member, my style has always been to listen, provide my perspective and support staff. As an officer, I would preside with that same professionalism as we tackle the issues facing the association.