



Name: Grant Schimelpfening
Title: Assistant Superintendent of Administrative Services
Employed by: Lindsay Unified School District
No. of Years a CASBO Member: 15

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

Chair, CASBO Legislative Committee
Member, CASBO Legislative Committee
Assistant Chair of the Legislative Advocacy Network

CASBO Section-Level Service

Central Section President
Immediate Past President
Director I
Director II
Legislative Representative
Chief Business Official PC Chair

Grant Schimelpfening 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.

As a learner-centered leader in school business, it is my personal belief that the CBO has an essential role in ensuring our students, staff, and communities have everything they need to be successful. I receive the greatest fulfillment from seeing learners (from the smallest little pre-schooler to the highschool graduate) achieve whatever it is that they set out to achieve. That achievement happens through the hard work and dedication of all staff, no matter what their role is. As the CASBO Vice President, I would work to ensure that CASBO continues to provide the support, training, resources, and advocacy that its members need to bring success and achievement to their communities.

During my 18 years in school business and as a lifelong learner, I have had the opportunity to learn, grow, and refine my skills as a practitioner and leader. My desire is to share what I have learned and to support others, while also continuing to grow myself. I will tap into my experience as an Assistant Superintendent, Chief Business Official, Instructor of new administrators, leader, coach, and advocate to work with the CASBO Board and members to continue driving the mission and visions of the organization.

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

Over the last 18 years, I have come a long way. I would not be where I am without the support, guidance, teaching, sharing, and support of others. It is time for me to give back. I have learned a lot, and still have more learning to do. However, my involvement in CASBO the last several years has opened my eyes to new opportunities for me to have an impact on others. In my interactions with CASBO leadership, I have come across some of the most humble, caring, compassionate, and hardworking professionals and humans I have ever had the pleasure to work with. I believe wholeheartedly in the CASBO mission. I want to be a part of it and bring what I can to that team so that CASBO continues its positive momentum in ensuring that these essential roles in school business allow California learners to dream and reach whatever future they desire.