



MANJUL BOSE :

I am Manjul Bose and I am running for the CAPS President. I decided to stand up and run for union president to fight for our issues because I feel we lack the leadership that understands our members. We need a president that is steadfast and ardent in resolving our issues; a person that can bring our goals to fruition. I feel CAPS needs to change to meet the needs of their members. The issue of pay parity is well recognized and acknowledged by all. In addition I would stand up and fight for cost of living increase, to maintain our retirement benefits, and above all, have an open transparent communications with all members. I would like to engage in open dialog with all members and to let them know that the union is working in their best interests.

I bring years of experience from both the public and private industries. During my eight years as an Environmental Scientist at the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC), I have managed staff and projects associated with contaminated properties. I have also facilitated inter-agency meetings and inter-agency joint investigations directed under one unified goals of finding contaminated properties and cleaning them up. I've been a Regional Office Advocate (ROA) for the Chatsworth office and facilitated meetings and discussion into staff issues. I've represented the State of California at the National Symposium for Site Assessment in Chicago; presenting a paper on inter-agency federal-state co-ordination towards a joint investigation.

I also have a strong business background in managing, developing and marketing products. I am currently the Chief Executive Officer of a technology focused marketing company. My private industry experience has taught me to think out of the box and look for creative solutions to a problem. In the private industry; predicting, reacting and adjusting to the changes in the sector is the only solution to survival. This experience has taught me to keep an open mind to problems and solutions.

My personal character of integrity and trustworthiness is a core foundation to who I am. I am approachable and open to communication from members who would like clarification on my stance. Please feel free to reach out to me if you got any questions.

Issues:

- Pay Parity
- Open & transparent communication
- Maintaining retirement & health benefits
- Region specific cost of living increase