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CALIFORNIA STATE RETIREES CHAPTER 17 - SAN DIEGO/IMPERIAL COUNTIES District G

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Elaine Edwards Yahraus, President

I hope everyone has enjoyed a rather unusual Spring and looking forward to a terrific summer. My first activity as a new president was to attend the CSR Strategic Plan meeting that was attended by CSR Board members, chapter presidents and the committee chairs to continue to advance the organization's strategic planning and action planning process.

The final, board adopted strategic plan for CSR was shared. They will send the strategic plan along with "frequently asked questions", to the chapter presidents within the next

month so we can share these documents with members. The strategic plan will be available at our August meeting.

A couple of draft documents were distributed. The first delineates roles and responsibilities with regard to implementing Goal 2: Build and Retain Membership. This document will be refined based on the feedback of the attendees.

The second draft was about committee principles, which clarifies the role of the committees, committee chairs, and the Board's relationship to the committees.

As part of the strategic planning process, chapter presidents completed a chapter assessment survey to help the Board understand the chapters' current practices and capacities.

It was a very full day and I look forward to sharing the strategic plan with Chapter 17 members.

On June 27 there were the committee meetings. The Political Action Committee provided a list of candidates that support CSR issues. Please review the California State Retiree or talk with Laurie Bella, Chapter 17 member who sits on this committee.

The Health Benefit Committee Chair gave a report on open enrollment. The CalPers Board decided to eliminate risk adjustment which the premiums lower for the PERSCare plan. Although CalPERS used some excess surplus to reduce the cost the basic plan costs greatly exceed the State's contribution. Retirees on Medicare who are receiving the full State contribution will be fine. The retirees who are on the Basic and Combination plans will be affected by the increase.

Our retirees in the Imperial Valley on the basic plans will experience increases in PERSCare with a 19,8 percent increase, Anthem Blue Cross Traditional HMO with 22.96 % increase and Blue Shield Access+HMO with a 6.21% increase. Everyone please review your open enrollment information carefully. The new rates are on the CalPERS website, as well as, the new state contribution rates.

I will be working with CalPERS to have Health Fairs in our area.

Optum RX to be guest at August 2, 2018 – Chapter Meeting

Guest Speaker is Christina Fountain, OptumRX accompanied by pharmacist, Ben Chun.

Your opportunity is here to get your questions answered with regards to OptumRX and your prescription coverage. Bring examples of problems, discuss and get a resolution. Optum is working very hard to resolve issues as they come up. If you are having problems let them know what they are so they can get them taken care of.

With open enrollment beginning September 10th now is the time to gather as much information as you can on the new plans, costs, availability, etc. We will have as much information as we can available at this meeting.

As mentioned in the President's report – there will be an increase in rates so take a good look. Our Imperial Valley members need to review and ask the questions to be able to make your decisions.

CHAPTER MEETINGS

- 1. Meeting Dates: 1st THURSDAY of the following months: February 1st; April 5th; June 7th; August 2nd and October 4^{th,.} December meeting is the 2nd Thursday on the 13th.
- Regular meeting Location: Sizzler, 3755 Murphy Canyon Road, San Diego, CA, (858) 278-6988. Off of I-15 – take AERO DR exit from North or South – go West to Signal -Turn Right. Entrance at back of building with a parking lot. Doors open at 10:30 am. Lunch - 11:00 am to 12:00 pm. Meeting 12:00pm to 2:00 pm. OPEN TO ALL CHAPTER 17 MEMBERS
- 3. December 13th meeting will be at the 7 Seas in Mission Valley.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

2018 Schedule –

- 1. AUGUST 2, 2018 Member Meeting Sizzler Restaurant DISCUSSION TOPIC: <u>OptumRX guest</u> <u>speaker and Open Enrollment</u>
- 2. OCTOBER 4, 2018 Member Meeting CHAPTER PICNIC ADMIRAL BAKER FIELD FLYER
- 3. OCTOBER 22nd thru 23rd, 2018 CSR Delegate Assembly Sacramento Hilton
- 4. DECEMBER 13, 2018 <u>Year End Celebration</u> 7 Seas in Mission Valley.

COMMUNICATION

Communicating with our members is very important to us. Please check out the Chapter 17 website for current information: <u>www.calstateretirees-chapter17.info</u>

NEW CHAPTER EMAIL ADDRESS: CSRChapter17@gmail.com

We are still gathering current email addresses for members wishing to receive the chapter newsletter and other correspondance by electronic means. Please send an email to the chapter email address above that includes your name for varification. We will add you to the chapter database.

See you at the meeting on August 2nd.

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CalPE				Premiums Annuitants	- Sta	ate	Only		
	Effective			1/2019 - 12/31/	2019				
				ly Rate (B)					
PLAN	Employee Only	Plan Code	Party Rate		Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee & 2+ Dependents	Plan Code	Party Rate
Anthem EPO Del Norte	\$764.78	172 1	1	\$1,529.56	172 2	2	\$1,988.43	172 3	3
Anthem HMO Select	742.89	181 1	1	1,485.78	181 2	2	1,931.51	181 3	3
Anthem HMO Traditional	1,034.48	180 1	1	2,068.96	180 2	2	2,689.65	180 3	3
BSC Access+	799.03	141 1	1	1,598.06	141 2	2	2,077.48	141 3	3
BSC EPO	799.03	191 1	1	1,598.06	191 2	2	2,077.48	191 3	3
САНР	697.46	230 1	1	1,354.01	230 2	2	1,770.92	230 3	3
CCPOA North	754.96	256 1	1	1,513.14	256 2	2	2,042.88	256 3	3
CCPOA South	622.54	266 1	1	1,248.25	266 2	2	1,686.69	266 3	3
Health Net Salud y Más	376.89	184 1	1	753.78	184 2	2	979.91	184 3	3
Health Net SmartCare	728.70	185 1	1	1,457.40	185 2	2	1,894.62	185 3	3
Kaiser Permanente	708.39	056 1	1	1,416.78	056 2	2	1,841.81	056 3	3
PERS Choice	764.78	222 1	1	1,529.56	222 2	2	1,988.43	222 3	3
PERS Select	492.24	045 1	1	984.48	045 2	2	1,279.82	045 3	3
PERSCare	929.89	278 1	1	1,859.78	278 2	2	2,417.71	278 3	3
PORAC	774.00	207 1	1	1,623.00	207 2	2	2,076.00	207 3	3
Sharp	593.66	189 1	1	1,187.32	189 2	2	1,543.52	189 3	3
UnitedHealthcare	695.77	187 1	1	1,391.54	187 2	2	1,809.00	187 3	3
Western Health Advantage	706.79	176 1	1	1,413.58	176 2	2	1,837.65	176 3	3
S	upplement/M	lanage	d Me	dicare Month	y Rate	(M)			
PLAN	Employee Only	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee & 1 Dependent	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee & 2+ Dependents	Plan Code	Party Rate
Anthem Traditional Med Adv	\$357.44	258 1	4	\$714.88	258 2	5	\$1,072.32	258 3	6
CAHP Med Supp	418.37	231 1	4	772.54	231 2	5	982.26	231 3	6
CCPOA North Med Supp	484.58	257 1	4	971.59	257 2	5	1,453.18	257 3	6
CCPOA South Med Supp	484.58	267 1	4	971.59	267 2	5	1,453.18	267 3	6
Kaiser Permanente Sr Adv	323.74	066 1	4	647.48	066 2	5	971.22	066 3	6
PERS Choice Med Supp	360.41	223 1	4	720.82	223 2	5	1,081.23	223 3	6
PERS Select Med Supp	360.41	046 1	4	720.82	046 2	5	1,081.23	046 3	6
PERSCare Med Supp	394.83	279 1	4	789.66	279 2	5	1,184.49	279 3	6
PORAC Med Supp	513.00	208 1	4	1,022.00	208 2	5	1,635.00	208 3	6
UnitedHealthcare Group Medicare Advantage/PPO	299.37	163 1	4	598.74	163 2	5	898.11	163 3	6

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CalPERS 2019 Health Premiums - State Only									
Actives and Annuitants									
	Effective	Date:	1/1	I/2019 - 12/31/	2019				
	Со	mbina	tion I	Monthly Rate					
PLAN	Employee in M 1 Dependent in B	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee in M 2+ Dependents in B	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee in M & 1 Dependent in M 1+ Dependents in B	Plan Code	Party Rate
Anthem EPO Del Norte/Med Supp	\$1,125.19	162 4	7	\$1,584.06	162 5	8	\$1,179.69	162 6	9
Anthem Traditional/Med Adv	1,391.92	309 4	7	2,012.61	309 5	8	1,335.57	309 6	9
CAHP/Med Supp	1,074.92	117 4	7	1,491.83	117 5	8	1,189.45	117 6	9
CCPOA North/Med Supp	1,242.76	118 4	7	1,772.50	118 5	8	1,501.33	118 6	9
CCPOA South/Med Supp	1,110.29	119 4	7	1,548.73	119 5	8	1,410.03	119 6	9
Kaiser Permanente/Sr Adv	1,032.13	120 4	7	1,457.16	120 5	8	1,072.51	120 6	9
PERS Choice/Med Supp	1,125.19	140 4	7	1,584.06	140 5	8	1,179.69	140 6	9
PERS Select/Med Supp	852.65	148 4	7	1,147.99	148 5	8	1,016.16	148 6	9
PERSCare/Med Supp	1,324.72	149 4	7	1,882.65	149 5	8	1,347.59	149 6	9
PORAC/Med Supp	1,362.00	158 4	7	1,815.00	158 5	8	1,475.00	158 6	9
UnitedHealthcare/ Group Medicare Advantage/PPO	995.14	164 4	7	1,412.60	164 5	8	1,016.20	164 6	9
	Co	mbina	tion I	Monthly Rate					
PLAN	Employee in B 1 Dependent in M	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee in B 2+ Dependents in M	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee in B & 1 Dependent in B 1+ Dependents in M	Plan Code	Party Rate
Anthem EPO Del Norte/Med Supp	\$1,125.19	162 7	10	\$1,485.60	162 8	11	\$1,584.06	162 9	12
Anthem Traditional/Med Adv	1,391.92	309 7	10	1,749.36	309 8	11	2,012.61	309 9	12
CAHP/Med Supp	1,051.63	117 7	10	1,261.35	117 8	11	1,468.54	117 9	12
CCPOA North/Med Supp	1,241.97	118 7	10	1,723.56	118 8	11	1,771.71	118 9	12
CCPOA South/Med Supp	1,109.55	119 7	10	1,591.14	119 8	11	1,547.99	119 9	12
Kaiser Permanente/Sr Adv	1,032.13	120 7	10	1,355.87	120 8	11	1,457.16	120 9	12
PERS Choice/Med Supp	1,125.19	140 7	10	1,485.60	140 8	11	1,584.06	140 9	12
PERS Select/Med Supp	852.65	148 7	10	1,213.06	148 8	11	1,147.99	148 9	12
PERSCare/Med Supp	1,324.72	149 7	10	1,719.55	149 8	11	1,882.65	149 9	12
PORAC/Med Supp	1,283.00	158 7	10	1,896.00	158 8	11	1,736.00	158 9	12
UnitedHealthcare/ Group Medicare Advantage/PPO	995.14	164 7	10	1,294.51	164 8	11	1,412.60	164 9	12

CalPERS 2019 Monthly Premiums for State and Contracting Agencies										
CalPERS 201	9 Montr	•			State and C Region	contra	acti	ng Agencie	es	
					nuitants					
	E	ffective Date			<u>19 - 12/31/201</u>	9				
		Basic	C Mont	hly F	Rate (B)					
PLAN	Member Eligibility	Employee Only	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee & 1 Dependent	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee & 2+ Dependents	Plan Code	Party Rate
Kaiser Colorado	State & PA	\$964.68	252 1	1	\$1,929.36	252 2	2	\$2,508.17	252 3	3
Kaiser Georgia	State & PA	964.68	245 1	1	1,929.36	245 2	2	2,508.17	245 3	3
Kaiser Hawaii	State & PA	964.68	270 1	1	1,929.36	270 2	2	2,508.17	270 3	3
Kaiser MidAtlantic	State & PA	964.68	265 1	1	1,929.36	265 2	2	2,508.17	265 3	3
Kaiser Northwest	State & PA	964.68	219 1	1	1,929.36	219 2	2	2,508.17	219 3	3
Kaiser Washington	State & PA	964.68	392 1	1	1,929.36	392 2	2	2,508.17	392 3	3
PERS Choice	PA Only	630.41	324 1	1	1,260.82	324 2	2	1,639.07	324 3	3
PERSCare	PA Only	813.47	329 1	1	1,626.94	329 2	2	2,115.02	329 3	3
PORAC	State & PA	774.00	207 1	1	1,623.00	207 2	2	2,076.00	207 3	3
	Supple	ement/Mana	ged Me	edica	are Monthly R	ate (M)			•	
PLAN	Member Eligibility	Employee Only	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee & 1 Dependent	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee & 2+ Dependents	Plan Code	Party Rate
Kaiser Sr Adv Colorado	State & PA	\$323.74	253 1	4	\$647.48	253 2	5	\$971.22	253 3	6
Kaiser Sr Adv Georgia	State & PA	323.74	249 1	4	647.48	249 2	5	971.22	249 3	6
Kaiser Sr Adv Hawaii	State & PA	323.74	214 1	4	647.48	214 2	5	971.22	214 3	6
Kaiser Sr Adv MidAtlantic	State & PA	323.74	261 1	4	647.48	261 2	5	971.22	261 3	6
Kaiser Sr Adv Northwest	State & PA	323.74	269 1	4	647.48	269 2	5	971.22	269 3	6
Kaiser Sr Adv Washington	State & PA	323.74	393 1	4	647.48	393 2	5	971.22	393 3	6
PERS Choice Med Supp	PA Only	360.41	334 1	4	720.82	334 2	5	1,081.23	334 3	6
PERSCare Med Supp	PA Only	394.83	339 1	4	789.66	339 2	5	1,184.49	339 3	6
PORAC Med Supp	State & PA	513.00	208 1	4	1,022.00	208 2	5	1,635.00	208 3	6
UnitedHealthcare Grp Med Adv/PPO Health Only	PA Only	299.37	363 1	4	598.74	363 2	5	898.11	363 3	6
UnitedHealthcare ¹ Grp Med Adv/PPO Health/Dental/Vision	PA Only	299.37	364 1	4	598.74	364 2	5	898.11	364 3	6

¹Dental and Vision coverage is an additional \$27.65 per member per month premium. You will be billed directly for this amount.

CalPERS 20	19 Month	•			State and C Region	contra	acti	ng Agencie	es		
	F	ACTIVES			nuitants 19 - 12/31/201	9					
	-				thly Rate	5					
PLAN	Member Eligibility	Employee in M 1 Dependent in B	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee in M 2+ Dependents in B	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee in M & 1 Dependent in M 1+ Dependents in B	Plan Code	Party Rate	
Kaiser/Sr Adv Colorado	State & PA	\$1,288.42	129 4	7	\$1,867.23	129 5	8	\$1,226.29	129 6	9	
Kaiser/Sr Adv Georgia	State & PA	1,288.42	130 4	7	1,867.23	130 5	8	1,226.29	130 6	9	
Kaiser/Sr Adv Hawaii	State & PA	1,288.42	137 4	7	1,867.23	137 5	8	1,226.29	137 6	9	
Kaiser/Sr Adv MidAtlantic	State & PA	1,288.42	138 4	7	1,867.23	138 5	8	1,226.29	138 6	9	
Kaiser/Sr Adv Northwest	State & PA	1,288.42	139 4	7	1,867.23	139 5	8	1,226.29	139 6	9	
Kaiser/Sr Adv Washington	State & PA	1,288.42	394 4	7	1,867.23	394 5	8	1,226.29	394 6	9	
PERS Choice/Med Supp	PA Only	990.82	350 4	7	1,369.07	350 5	8	1,099.07	350 6	9	
PERSCare/Med Supp	PA Only	1,208.30	361 4	7	1,696.38	361 5	8	1,277.74	361 6	361 6 9	
PORAC/Med Supp	State & PA	1,362.00	158 4	7	1,815.00	158 5	8	1,475.00	158 6	9	
		Combi	nation	Mon	thly Rate						
PLAN	Member Eligibility	Employee in B 1 Dependent in M	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee in B 2+ Dependents in M	Plan Code	Party Rate	Employee in B & 1 Dependent in B 1+ Dependents in M	Plan Code	Party Rate	
Kaiser/Sr Adv Colorado	State & PA	\$1,288.42	129 7	10	\$1,612.16	129 8	11	\$1,867.23	129 9	12	
Kaiser/Sr Adv Georgia	State & PA	1,288.42	130 7	10	1,612.16	130 8	11	1,867.23	130 9	12	
Kaiser/Sr Adv Hawaii	State & PA	1,288.42	137 7	10	1,612.16	137 8	11	1,867.23	137 9	12	
Kaiser/Sr Adv MidAtlantic	State & PA	1,288.42	138 7	10	1,612.16	138 8	11	1,867.23	138 9	12	
Kaiser/Sr Adv Northwest	State & PA	1,288.42	139 7	10	1,612.16	139 8	11	1,867.23	139 9	12	
Kaiser/Sr Adv Washington	State & PA	1,288.42	394 7	10	1,612.16	394 8	11	1,867.23	394 9	12	
PERS Choice/Med Supp	PA Only	990.82	350 7	10	1,351.23	350 8	11	1,369.07	350 9	12	
PERSCare/Med Supp	PA Only	1,208.30	361 7	10	1,603.13	361 8	11	1,696.38	361 9	12	
PORAC/Med Supp	State & PA	1,283.00	158 7	10	1,896.00	158 8	11	1,736.00	158 9	12	



CHAPTER 17 – San Diego Member Meeting

June 7, 2018 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm

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Call To Order	Diane Whorton, President called the meeting to order at 12:10 PM					
Pledge of Alligence	Steve Haley, Vice President conducted the Pledge of Allegiance					
Roll Call of Officers	Diane Whorton, President; Steve Haley, Vice President; Gloria Koch, Secretary; Elaine Edwards-Yahraus, Treasurer					
Delegates	Diane Whorton, Elaine Edwards-Yahraus, Steve Haley, Gloria Koch, Gaspar Oliviera, Danny Morales, Patricia Oneil-excused,					
Committee Chairs	PAC Committee Co - Chairs - Laurianne Bella, and Gloria Koch, Membership Chair - VACANT					
Introductions	 Diane introduced the meeting guests Margaret Brown, CalPERS Board Member Jay Jimenez, CSR Vice President Gaspar Luna Oliveira, District G Director 					
Welcome New Members	Gilbert, Carmen, Lupe					
Approval of Minutes	April 5, 2018 Motion by Tom, 2 nd Gloria. No discussion. Passed					
Treasurer's Report	Elaine Edwards Yahraus					
April – Beg Bal: \$4643.68 – Re	v \$1582.49 – Exp \$396.00 = \$5830.08 ending balance					

May - Beg Bal: \$5830.08 - Rev \$1582.15 - Exp \$157.50 = \$7256.73 ending balance

Motion to approve treasurer's report made by Tom Gibson, 2nd by Danny Morales. Motion Passed

Guest Speaker Margaret Brown, CalPERS Board Member

Garden Grove Unified School District – works in construction. Supported only by CSR, RPEA and JJ. Has had public battles with CalPERS just to get her mail delivered and to received meeting's transcripts. She will continue to publicly fight the board when the board does not play by the established rules Ms. Brown is trying to teach the board that they can't change the rules in mid-play.

Long Term Care – closed session, in litigation. Attorney website. It is Margaret Brown's opinion that CalPERS is trying to stall.

Chief Investment Officer (CIF) – did not – under performed their benchmark.

CalPERS has proposed to change the way they do private equity investment. The new plan is to buy up everything then sell them off or keep them. But instead of having staff (investment officers) doing the buying/selling, the CIO proposed to hire another company to do the investments. This middle company will have their own board of directors and would not be responsible to the CalPERS board. Thus, CalPERS will lose control over its investments. Presently, CalPERS is getting rid of a lot of the current investment officers.

Ms. Brown has requested a copy of CalPERS budget report, but to date she has not received it. In her opinion, CalPERS needs to do a better job in investing.

Elections this year. Theresa Taylor – Rob Fecknor – no one ran against them. Priya is being challenged by Jason Perez from the California Highway Patrol.

Pension and health benefits. Health insurance rates will be higher next year. The CalPERS Health Committee is looking for as many solutions as possible. Rural areas are problematic.

President's Report Diane Whorton, President

The end of the term of office is here. This will be my last meeting as your President. It has been a lot of fun working with all of you. I think we, as a chapter, have accomplished so much. Even though some of our long time regulars have left us we have gained so many more happy retiree faces coming to our meetings.

I am encouraging all of you to bring friends into our group. I'd like to remind you that membership is not just for those who were members of SEIU, CSU or ACESS; all state employees regardless of union or management can be members of CSR. We also have associate membership where those outside of state service may join as well. A good example of that is Beverly who is heading up our chapter picnic. Bring your spouse, or family members so they can join you in our events.

We have a couple of busy meetings ahead of us. August will be discussions on open enrollment and OtimumRX. A speaker will be here from OptimumRX to field questions. Members are having problems with this part of our medical coverage, if you or anyone you know have questions please be ready to ask them. We can not get inprovements if we don't tell the our problems.

October will be our first ever chapter picnic. This is headed up by Beverly with Gaspar, Darma, Sharon and Steve. This is something you requested in our meetings so here it is. Don't fail the committee. Be ready to attend and have some fun.

October will also be CSR Delegate Assembly. The chapter has 8 people who will represent you in making decision on Bylaw changes and approving the 3 year budget. If time permits I will post the agenda on our website so it is available to our members. It will not be mailed out until 30 days ahead of the assembly.

Commitees Reports

Membership

VACANT

- PAC/Legislation Laurie Bella – Gloria Koch
 - Lobby Day Report

Beverly Durcan - Report

Randy Voegel – is not for us at all. His quote: "I'll back what you want but you're not going to get it. As soon as I'm not in office I'm leaving California."

It was recommended that the PAC committee continue to make appointments with legislators at the local office.

CalPERS Report	Elaine Edwards-Yahraus
Sub Committee	Laurie Bella – Elaine Edwards- Yahraus – Networking with San Diego Retiree Groups - Security Roundtable

San Diego City Retirement - Court questioning the cuts - in state supreme court. Was it legal?

New Business

 Delegates - Diane Whorton, Danny Morales, Arlene Ryan, Steve Haley, Gaspar Oliviera, Laurie Bella, Michael Miller. Alternates: Gloria Koch and Ardell Wieczorek. They will be sworn in at Delegate Assembly in Sacramento on October 23rd.

The first Alternate, Gloria Koch, will be funded by CSR. I would like to recommend that the chapter fund the 2nd alternate, Ardell Wieczorek will also attend. <u>MOTION: Chapter 17 will finance the attendance of the second alternate to the CSR Delegate Assembly. Motion made by Laurie Bella, 2nd Tom Glbson. <u>Passed</u></u>

All delegates and the first alternate will receive a check from HQ for a set amount. Hotel will be master billed. All other expenses will be paid out of the check you will receive. You will NOT have to submit an expense claim for other expenses. The 2nd alternate will receive a check for expenses directly from the chapter and will require an expense claim. **FOOD FOR THOUGHT**. You might want to book your flight now to save some money as there are some specials right now. Diane has booked already for under \$200 round trip.

- End of Year Celebration Event will be held at the Seven Seas in Mission Valley where we were last year. We need a motion for a deposit to hold the room. Motion made by Gaspar Oliveira to allow the Chapter 17, treasurer to make a deposit of \$500 maximum, 2nd Sharon Hatch – Motion passed.
- **Medicare Cards** reminder to everyone that new Medicare cards are being mailed out. Watch your mail and make sure yours comes. Several of our members have already received theirs. California is in first group to be mailed

Old Business •		Picnic Plans - Volunteers are Bev and Gaspar, Delma, Sharon	
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District G Report	Jay Jimenez, CSR Vide President
	Gaspar Luna Oliveira, District G Director

J.J. asked the Chapter to intensify their efforts in finding a Membership Chair. JJ said that new members are the bloodline of CSR – he mentioned that we have approx. 147 natural attrition. A robust ambassador program should be targeting future members 5 years before their retirement Gaspar, encourage the PAC Committee to continue making appointments with legislators – remind us that seniors vote.

Welcome to New Officers	Diane welcomed the new Chapter's Officer.
	President, Elaine Edwards Yahraus; Vice President, Steve Haley Secretary, Gloria Koch; Treasurer, Diane Whorton

Meeting Adjournment 2:14 pm.

Gloria Koch, Secretary

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Membership Committee VACANT

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

(Have your Social Security # ready) California State Retirees, Inc (CSR) (888) 808-7197

www.CalRetirees.org

CSEA Member Benefits (800) 952-5283 www.calcsea.org/benefits

CalPERS Headquarters (888) 225-7377 www.calpers.ca.gov

Social Security

(800) 772-1213 <u>www.SSA.gov</u>

Medicare (800) 633-4227

*** If there is a committee you wish to help with please contact the President so you can be assigned***