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The responsibilities of a board member are to make sure that a prudent investment policy is followed to ensure the long term viability of CalSTRS so that teachers have a reliable retirement. It is also important to study issues, listen to fellow board members, and advocate for solutions that are in the best interest of California’s teachers.

Public pensions are currently under attack by some politicians and business leaders who would like to replace our secure retirements with 401(k) individually-managed investment accounts. Most of us know people who have lost so much in 401(k)s that they are postponing or forgetting about ever retiring. We cannot let this happen to us. Teacher retirements are the cornerstone of our profession. I will fight to save our pensions.

At the same time I am concerned that CalSTRS lost \$40 billion in 2008-09, which represented 25 percent of the total teacher portfolio. According to *Economist* magazine, similar pension systems lost only 19 percent. In my opinion CalSTRS made too many risky and unsound investments.

CalSTRS needs to refocus on long term investments and never invest in derivatives, commodities or junk bonds.

Please visit my website at guy4calstrs.com to learn more about my education and experience.

Employer: Mount Diablo Unified School District

Membership Status: Active Defined Benefit member

Job Positions:

- High school teacher 1996 to present, Mount Diablo Unified School District, Concord, CA
- Assistant vice president loan officer, Summit Bank, Emeryville, CA
- Small business loan officer, Wells Fargo Bank, Walnut Creek, CA
- Real Estate Services, Tyson “Guy” Moore Real Estate Broker, Walnut Creek, CA
- Director of Bank Markets, Charles Schwab & Co., Inc., San Francisco, CA

Organizations:

- National Education Association NEA, CTA Rep Assembly delegate
- California Teachers Association CTA, State Council member elected May 2011
- Mount Diablo Education Association MDEA, member of the Organizing Committee, Bargaining Team, Executive Board and Representative Assembly
- VEX Robotics, teacher-mentor of award winning high school robotics team for the past three years
- Alumni of Leadership Contra Costa, program designed to expose participants to the challenges of being a political leader

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Endorsements:

- Mark Peterson, District Attorney, Contra Costa County
- Nancy Hubly, president, Van Hubly Investments, Registered Investment Advisor
- Mike Langley, president, MDEA (Mount Diablo Education Association)
- Jon Burchett, Economics teacher and attorney, Northgate High School
- Linda Ortega, teacher, El Monte Elementary School
- Becka Machado, teacher, El Dorado Middle School
- Linda Barker, instructor, Lassen Community College; former teacher, McKinley Elementary School
- Susan Gabriel, teacher, Stanley Middle School