

# Press Release



## SOLANA BEACH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### **Solana Beach School District Board President, Debra Schade, Ph.D., elected Vice President of California School Boards Association**

SOLANA BEACH, CA (November 30, 2023)—Dr. Debra Schade (*photo: right*), President of the [Solana Beach School District](#) (SBSD) Board of Education was elected Vice President of the California School Boards Association (CSBA) by delegates at the annual CSBA convention in San Francisco. As Vice President of the statewide organization, Dr. Schade will serve and support the CSBA's mission, vision, and equity platform, with the ultimate goal of providing equitable education and well-being to California's 5.5 million public school students.



"I believe in the transformative power of public education and am passionate about safeguarding this invaluable democratic institution," said Dr. Schade. "As Vice President, I pledge to ensure the CSBA remains a mission driven organization that has a direct impact on quality public education for all California students."



Dr. Schade has served the Solana Beach community as a dedicated SBSD Trustee for 21 years. In addition, she has been involved with the CSBA's leadership for 8 years, representing San Diego County school districts as a Delegate and Regional Director, and earning her Masters in Governance certification.

"Congratulations to Dr. Schade on being elected Vice President of CSBA," said Superintendent Jodee Brentlinger. "Dr. Schade's unwavering dedication to SBSD students has earned her this well-deserved recognition that will transcend beyond our district, reaching students across the entire state of California."

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## **ABOUT THE SOLANA BEACH SCHOOL DISTRICT**

The Solana Beach School District, nestled on the north coast of San Diego County, serves approximately 2,800 students. Instruction is rich, varied and innovative. Our emphasis is on core standards instruction provided through a continuous progressive curriculum. District schools consistently rank at or near the top in district, county and state accountability measures. Our students and schools have received numerous awards and have been recognized at county, state and national levels for a variety of accomplishments. Working together, our mission focuses on providing a safe space where learners find their voice, share their gifts, and advance the world. Unified is our district, centered on inspiring wonder and discovery in learning and life.