



September 1, 2026

To: Chairs, Board of Supervisors

From: Graham Knaus, CEO

**Subject: Nomination and Selection of CSAC Board of Directors Members**

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In accordance with the CSAC Constitution, we would like to provide you with information about the nomination process for CSAC Board of Directors members and alternates.

CSAC Board members and alternates are nominated by their respective Boards of Supervisors and appointed by the CSAC Executive Committee. The nomination is for a one-year term commencing with the CSAC Annual Meeting. Any member of your Board of Supervisors is eligible for the directorship.

The 2026 Annual Meeting will commence on Sunday, November 29. At this meeting, the new Board will first meet by caucus (urban, suburban, and rural) to nominate CSAC Officers and Executive Committee members, then meet as a full Board to elect the 2026-27 Executive Committee and conduct other Association business.

Please note that if your county is nominating a new member to serve on the CSAC Board of Directors and you want that representative to vote on behalf of your county during the CSAC Annual Meeting, you must appoint this representative prior to the start of the Annual Meeting on Monday, November 30.

Attached is the current Board roster and a nomination form. If you do not submit a 2026-27 nomination, your current Board representative and alternate will continue to serve. Counties may change Board members and/or alternates at any time during the year, subject to final appointment by the CSAC Executive Committee.

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact Stanicia Boatner, Program Manager, at [sboatner@counties.org](mailto:sboatner@counties.org) or 916.764.7698.

cc: 2025-26 CSAC Board of Directors  
Clerks, Board of Supervisors

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