



California Retired
Teachers Association

How CalRTA Works for You

CalRTA is your voice in pension protection and retirement security.

CalRTA Victory! WEP/GPO Repealed!

- Thanks to decades of advocacy by CalRTA, President Biden signed the **Social Security Fairness Act** into law on January 5, 2025. The Windfall Elimination Provision (WEP) and Government Pension Offset (GPO) penalties no longer threaten to reduce your earned Social Security benefits!
- CalRTA was the **only West Coast association** in the Strategic Repeal Task Force working directly with the bill authors. CalRTA President Susan Dixon was a special guest at the bill signing in D.C.



Protecting Your Health Care

- As a respected advocate organization on the national stage, we'll mobilize our grassroots programs to protect Medicare and Medicaid.
- CalRTA will oppose privatization of either program, unfair premium increases and cuts to benefits.

Representing You at CalSTRS and in the State Capitol

- CalSTRS maintains your money, but CalRTA advocates for your benefits.
- CalRTA put money directly in the pockets of our oldest retirees by sponsoring legislation that increased purchasing power checks via the Supplemental Benefit Maintenance Account (SBMA).
- CalRTA experts advise CalSTRS and legislative staff how regulatory and legislative issues will affect retirees and advocates on your behalf.



As a member of the CalRTA community ...
You're part of the proud tradition of supporting California's educators.



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