

CCFT Senate Report
Oct 28, 2022

1. **PT faculty health care: Governor Newsom allocated \$200 million** a year, ongoing, to reimburse districts for PT faculty health insurance We need to hear from PT faculty now. Complete the CCFT survey: <https://forms.gle/fS3mWUvZJ8aaK43B6> The survey is open to **all PT faculty**, not just CCFT members, as we are obligated to get feedback from all faculty at Cuesta. When it comes time to vote, only members get to cast a ballot.
2. **Support Adrienne Garcia-Specht**, candidate for Board of Trustees District 4 (So County). Adrienne is former Cuesta faculty (English, 2015) and works in financial aid at Cal Poly. She's going to be a great representative for students. Please consider a [yard sign and talking to your neighbors](#) if you live in South County.
3. **CCFT is hoping to commence negotiations** in mid-November for our new contract that would start July 1, 2023. Highlights of our goals relate to PT parity, PT health care, lab/lecture parity, and retiree health benefits.
4. **Compressed calendar task force:** CCFT and the district have formed a joint task force (with a Senate rep) to develop information and a proposal for moving to a compressed calendar. It seems important to discuss now that Cal Poly is moving to a 16-week term in fall 2026 and that we're competing for students in the online space for DE classes.
5. **Website coordinator and Elections Committee:** CCFT is looking for faculty to serve as our website coordinator and on our Elections Committee. Both are open to FT and PT members and a stipend is provided by CCFT. Please contact [Greg Baxley](#) or [Amy Kayser](#) if you're interested.