



RE-ELECT

**Cheryl Ortega**

UTLA Director of  
Bilingual Education

As the current Director of Bilingual Education, I am proud to have been part of the national, state and local movements to ensure that our language learners have equal access to education and that their teachers are recognized and compensated for making this happen. It has been a challenge at every one of these levels.

Our immigrant students, especially at this time, need not only legal and moral support, but the kind of advocacy that happens inside classrooms and on school campuses. In our current CBA, we have ensured that teachers of all our language learners in programs of Spanish, Korean, Mandarin, Armenian, Arabic, Japanese, French and ASL are compensated.

We are expanding our demands to all categories of HHS workers who serve students and families with language needs. Our students and their families are important. We need to serve them.

I am proud to run with Educators Organizing for Power (EOP). Strong leadership in all areas and at the head of our union is what we need and what we deserve. We will all fight alongside you. Vote for Gloria, Alex and Lourdes and all EOP candidates to make UTLA strong!



**Vote for the Entire  
Educators Organizing  
for Power (EOP) Team!**

**GLORIA MARTINEZ**  
for UTLA President

**ALEX OROZCO**  
for UTLA Secondary  
Vice President

**LOURDES QUEVEDO**  
for UTLA Treasurer

**Candidates for UTLA  
Board of Directors**

**Valley West:**  
Wendy Lozano (Area  
Chair), Ivannia  
Nolasco, Carmen  
Esterman, Brian  
Simily

**Valley East:**  
Victoria Casas (Area  
Chair), Oralia Reyes,  
Daniel Acuna, Roger  
Whiting

**North:**  
Mark Ramos (Area  
Chair), Guen Alapag-  
Spiller, Ivonne Cachu,  
Marie Germaine

**West:**  
Jennifer Anderson  
(Area Chair), Ryan  
Andrews, Beth Clark,  
Wade Kyle

**East:**  
Vicky Montes (Area  
Chair), William  
Chavez, Rafael  
Rodriguez

**Central:**  
Melissa Naponelli

**Adult Education:**  
Kevin Jordan

**Substitute Educators:**  
Francisco Martinez

## EDUCATORS ORGANIZING FOR POWER: TAKING OUR UNION TO THE NEXT LEVEL

- Organizing to win on salary, healthcare, working conditions, and social/racial justice
- Building power through super-majority organizing
- Fighting ICE raids and authoritarian attacks on funding, academic freedom, and civil rights
- Expanding power through parent, youth, and community coalitions
- Vigorously enforcing the contract and our rights at sites and city-wide
- Democratically engaging members – supporting new leaders – training to build our capacity
- Leading on state and national issues that affect us locally

The information herein represents the views and opinions of the candidates and does not necessarily represent or reflect the opinions of UTLA.



**Scan for more info  
about Gloria, Alex,  
Lourdes, and all  
the EOP candidates!**

