

# Re-Elect *Fighting Forward in Unity*



## MARIA MIRANDA

FOR UTLA ELEMENTARY VP



- Collaborated with school board members to implement stronger district policies that advance the Community School Initiative and secure funding despite threats of federal cuts
- Led the implementation of the Meaningful Teaching and Learning Initiative which empowers educators to transform teaching and learning and to use alternative assessments
- Organized UTK/TK educators and parents to defeat the district's unreasonable policy to assess UTK/TK students
- Led UTLA's LGBTQIA+ Task Force which works to protect and support educators who have been targeted within the district and by outside anti-LGBTQ+ groups
- Led the union's Immigration Justice work. The Immigration Justice team has created and implemented a Know Your Rights training, Family Preparedness Plans, and now School Sanctuary teams across school sites to protect our members, students, and community
- Built partnerships with community organizations that are instrumental in supporting the union's citywide work

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We are  
Endorsed by  
UTLA President  
Cecily Myart-  
Cruz



Elementary VP **MARIA MIRANDA**  
NEA VP **GEORGIA FLOWERS LEE**  
Secretary **JENNIFER McAFEE**  
Treasurer **DENISHA JORDAN**

### WHY DENISHA FOR TREASURER?



**DENISHA JORDAN**  
FOR UTLA TREASURER

- In South area, she organized her PE department to reduce dangerously high class sizes (before there was an actual cap) .
- In Valley West, she organized her PE department to get a new blacktop installed when students were getting hurt and Teachers were being used as the scapegoat.
- In Valley East, she helped remove a militarized charter that was co located on her site.
- She helped convert her site into a Community School.
- She supported members at a former site to get a bad principal removed.
- She is the **ONLY** candidate with experience in developing a multi million dollar budget.