

EAST SIDE UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Two East Side Union High School District Staff Honored

East Side Union High School District is pleased to announce that **Esther Carrillo-Olmos**, Executive Board Secretary, and **David Riley**, Co-Principal at Santa Teresa High School, have been honored as Region 8 nominees for the Association of California School Administrators (ACSA). They will be honored at the Region 8 Recognition Reception on May 26, 2004, at Silver Creek Country Club.

Ms. Carrillo-Olmos was selected as the ACSA Region 8 nominee for the Confidential Employee Award. She has been with ESUHSD for the past 28 years. She started out as an Instructional Aide and has worked her way up through seven positions including Executive Assistant to the Superintendent to her current position as Executive Board Secretary. "I feel very honored that I was nominated, and I am proud to be an employee of the East Side Union High School District. The experiences I have gained in each position have enabled me to be successful," said Esther Carrillo-Olmos.

Mr. Riley was selected as the ACSA Region 8 nominee for the Secondary Co-Administrator of the Year. He has been with East Side Union High School District for the past 36 years. He began in 1968 as an English teacher at Andrew Hill High School, was a Comp. Ed. Coordinator, Associate Principal and is currently the Co-Principal at Santa Teresa High School. "As appreciative as I am in being honored as Secondary Co-Administrator of the Year, I must give thanks to all those fantastic people I have had the privilege of working with over the years. They are as responsible for my gaining this award as I am," stated David Riley.

"I am very pleased to see that two of our distinguished employees are being honored by ACSA for their dedication," said **Superintendent Esperanza Zendejas, Ed.D**.

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