



TAKING A STAND for our health care and pensions!

“I want to fight for our benefits, I want to fight for our pension! I need you to help me fight for these rights by voting for me for the ERS Board of Trustees and asking all your coworkers and fellow retirees to vote for me as well. Together, we can protect and improve our benefits!”

Cora BENNETT

FOR ERS BOARD OF TRUSTEES

CORA BENNETT’S PLATFORM:

• **KEEPING OUR ERS FUNDS STRONG**

Cora will push for increased state contributions to our health care plans and pension fund and support continued responsible investing to strengthen our pension fund.

• **FIGHTING FOR WHAT WE DESERVE**

She will oppose any attempts to convert our pension plan to a 401(k) style plan and the new high-deductible, consumer-driven health plans that undermine our benefits.

• **A COST OF LIVING RAISE FOR RETIREES**

Cora believes state employees should retire with dignity. That means cost of living increases that keep up with the rising cost of living. ERS retirees have not seen a COLA since 2001. That’s way too long!

• **LISTENING TO THE NEEDS OF WORKERS**

Accessible to assist any employee with health care and/or pension issues, Cora will be THE voice of front-line state employees on the Board.

You can vote by mail or electronically: MAY 10 through JUNE 14

BACKGROUND:

- Twenty year state employee
- Case Manager for Texas Juvenile Justice Dept (formerly TYC)
- TSEU member and activist since 2005

ENDORSED BY:

- Texas State Employees Union, CWA 6186
- ILESA DANIELS, current ERS Board member
- Former ERS Board members: YOLY GRIEGO and JANICE ZITELMAN