

## Vice-President Nomination Acceptance

Barbara T Pezzuto MA, Master Teacher Fellow in ECED  
Supervisor of Nonpublic Services and Title Programs  
Educational Services Commission of New Jersey

I have been in the educational field for 24 years. I was a General Education and Special Education teacher for 10 years and 3 years as a Master Teacher for Special Education in Early Childhood.

I have been a Supervisor for Title I and Nonpublic School Services with ESCNJ for almost 11 years I am in charge of all the Title programs in numerous schools as we service 7 school districts in the state and approximately 37 districts including nonpublic schools as well as public charter schools. I sit on the SciP committee as well as the SEAC committee. I attend administrative meetings and consultation meetings for all the Nonpublic Districts that we service. I provide services and provide guidance to all my districts in regards to their allowable use of funding and services under Title I, Title II and Immigrant Programs. I also attend State meetings that address ELL and student services. I am well versed in code and I am in the process of reviewing all changes to the ESSA guidelines in regards to changes for Nonpublic and Public school districts.

In prior years, I have served as a PTA President for three 2-year terms and 2 terms as a 1st Vice President. I have also served a three-year term as a County Treasurer for the Union County Teachers Association as well as a Union Representative for 5 years in the Plainfield School District.

I feel the myriad experiences of my educational career makes me a very suitable and viable candidate for the position of Vice-President.