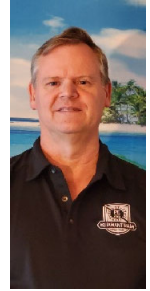


**PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS IN CALIFORNIA GOVERNMENT  
2023 – 2024 FORT SUTTER SECTION ELECTION  
Candidate Statement**

**President Elect: Steven P. Johnson**



**Classification:** Senior Architect

**Department:** California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR)

**Years of State Service:** 8

**PECG Experience:** I am currently your Fort Sutter Director on the PECG Corporate Board. While serving as your Fort Sutter Director, I have also served on the PECG History Committee. I have also served two terms as your Fort Sutter Secretary, one term each as Fort Sutter President Elect, and Fort Sutter President. I have been a PECG member since my first day of employment with the State at CDCR in April 2015. Prior to joining the State, I worked for El Dorado County. It was there that I learned the value of union membership because I wasn't one at that time. I could not vote on contracts and had no assistance with employer/employee disputes. The union for El Dorado County employees lacked focus, representing everyone from the janitor to the engineer and no one really well. That is why I became a member of PECG. I saw the focus and energy PECG brings to the issues that mean the most to its members. It is that focus and energy that prompted me to get involved in leadership positions in PECG.

**Candidate Statement:** I am Steven Johnson, currently your PECG Fort Sutter Director. I am asking for your support for the position of President Elect. President Elect is a 3-year commitment as you progress through President Elect, to President and finally to Director. I believe that I am ideally suited for the President Elect due to my previous five years serving you on the PECG Fort Sutter Board. PECG is unique among employee unions. PECG is singularly focused on its members and that is the focus that I want to maintain. The biggest issue facing PECG is the disconnected nature of our State offices. This has become more so since COVID and telework. I will continue outreach efforts to grow relationships between PECG members within the Fort Sutter Section. This will be invaluable as we work through contract negotiations in 2024 and a new MOU in 2025. A person can't contribute from the sidelines. That is why I want to stay involved and am asking for your support for PECG Fort Sutter President Elect.