**W.H.O. Award Address for Jesus Gutierrez**

Jesus Gutierrez has been involved in union activities at Citrus for the last 4 years. During that time, he has gone through the Building Stronger Locals Academy and the California Leadership Academy offered at the last several CCA conferences. He has served on our local Executive Board as an Area Representative for the last three years, has served as Co-Chair of our PAC Committee, has been instrumental in signature gathering for the Schools and Communities First Initiative, and has contributed significantly to revisions of our local Bylaws and Standing Rules. Jesus is truly a rising star. His attention to detail and level-headed thinking has been a tremendous asset to our local. Professor Gutierrez also served our country in the United States Marine Corp. His “gung ho” attitude has been an inspiration and we hope he continues to seek higher office in our local and the umbrella organizations.