

SONOMA COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT APPLICATION FOR CITIZENS' BOND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

The Sonoma County Community College District is seeking qualified and interested community leaders to serve on the Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee for the implementation of District's Measure H college facilities bond program.

The District is seeking one member to fill the current vacancy for the business community representative position; one member active in a business organization representing the business community located in the District.

Establishment of a Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee

On November 4, 2014, voters residing within the Sonoma County Community College District passed Measure H. Measure H is a \$410,000,000 bond measure that authorizes funding for needed repairs, upgrades, and new construction projects to the District's schools. Proposition 39 required a 55% supermajority for approval; Measure H was passed by 63.1%.

After a bond authorized under Proposition 39 is passed, State law requires that the Sonoma County Community College District Board appoint a Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee to work with the District.

Committee Responsibilities

In accordance with Education Code Section 15278(b), the Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee shall:

- Inform the public concerning the District's expenditure of Measure H bond proceeds;
- Review expenditure reports produced by the District to ensure that Measure H bond proceeds were expended only for the purposes set forth in Measure H; and
- Present to the Board in public session, an annual written report outlining their activities and conclusions regarding the expenditure of Measure H bond proceeds.

Appointment of Committee Members

All appointments will be made by the Board from applications submitted to the District. The Committee shall consist of at least seven (7) members appointed by the Board from a list of candidates submitting written applications, and based on criteria established by Prop 39, to wit:

- One (1) student enrolled and active in a community college support group, such as student government.
- One (1) member active in a business organization representing the business community located in the District.
- One (1) member active in a senior citizens' organization.
- One (1) member active in a bona-fide taxpayers association.
- One (1) member active in a support organization for the college, such as a foundation.
- Two (2) members of the community at-large.

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Time Commitment and Term

Committee members will be appointed to serve one full two-year term and will be eligible for reappointment for a second and third two-year term.

Would You be Interested in Serving?

If you wish to serve on this important committee, please review the Committee Bylaws for more information about the committee's role and responsibilities, then download and complete the application:

Application Form

Completed applications should be sent to Glen Salazar (Administrative Assistant III, Capital Projects) at gsalazar@santarosa.edu; vacancy is open until filled.

If you have served on other school district, city or community committees please list and briefly describe your role:

I would be able to represent the following constituencies in the District: *(check all that apply)*

- Business Community Representative** - *Active in a business organization representing the business community located in the District:*

Please note any additional information you feel should be considered as part of your application:

1. Are you an employee of the District?*
2. Are you a vendor, contractor, or consultant to the school district?*
3. Do you have conflicts that would preclude your attending quarterly meetings?
4. Do you know of any reason, such as a potential conflict of interest, which would adversely affect your ability to serve on the Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee?*
5. Are you willing to comply with the ethics code included in the bylaws?

YES	NO

(*Employees, vendors, contractors, and consultants of Sonoma County Community College District are prohibited by law from being members of the Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee. Employment which could result in becoming a contractor or subcontractor to the district would also be a potential conflict.)

Signature of Applicant

All answers and statements in this document are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signature_____Date_____

It is the policy of Sonoma County Community College District not to unlawfully discriminate on the basis of sex, sexual orientation, gender, ethnic group identification, race, ancestry, national origin, color, religion, marital status, age or mental or physical disability in the educational programs or activities which it operates.