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Compton Community College District is Accepting Applications For Bond Oversight Committee Members

The Compton Community College District is currently accepting applications for consideration in serving on the Bond Oversight Committee. The application deadline is February 15, 2010. Interested applicants may obtain an application at www.district.compton.edu or call 310-900-1600, Ext. 2007. Upon selection, oversight Committee members serve a term of two years and do not receive any compensation or benefits for their service.

As outlined in Education Code Section 15278, the role of the District Citizen’s Oversight Committee is to inform the public concerning the District’s expenditure of revenues received from the sale of bonds authorized by the voters. The Bond Oversight Committee will provide oversight to ensure that:

- Bond revenues are expended only for the construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation, or replacement of district facilities, including the furnishing and equipping of district facilities, or the acquisition or lease of real property for district facilities.
- No bond revenues are expended for any teacher or administrative salaries or other district operating expenses other than the salaries for district employees who provide administrative oversight for the bond program or individual bond projects.

Qualifications for Membership

The Citizens’ Oversight Committee consists of at least seven members, including at least one representative from each of the following categories:

1. A member active in a business organization representing the business community located within the district;
2. A member who is a resident of the district and active in a senior citizen’s organization;
3. A member who is a resident of the district and active in a bona fide taxpayer’s organization;
4. A member enrolled as a student at the El Camino College Compton Community Educational Center and active in a campus group;
5. A member active in an organization supporting the district such as the foundation; and

To qualify for appointment, a member must meet the criteria listed in one of the above categories. A member cannot be an employee, official, contractor, consultant, or vendor of Compton Community College District. Elected officials are also disqualified from service on the committee.

Applications should be submitted to Dr. Lawrence Cox, CEO of the Compton Community College District, at 1111 E. Artesia Boulevard, Compton, CA 90221, by February 15, 2010. For more information, call 310-900-1600, Ext. 2007.

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