ITEM/TITLE  Approval of Resolution 2002/03-01

Affirming the Santa Clarita Community College District’s Compliance with Requirements

As Stated in the Law (Section 15278-15282)

BACKGROUND / ANALYSIS:

The implementing legislation (Sections 15278 through 15282 of the Ed. Code) states that the purpose of the Committee is “to inform the public concerning the expenditure of bond revenues.” The specific mandatory functions of the Committee are set forth in the Code, as follows:

- Actively review and report on the proper expenditure of taxpayers’ money for school construction;
- Advise the public as to whether the District is in compliance with Article XIII A, Section 1(b)(3);
- Provide oversight for both of the following:
  - Ensuring that bond revenues are expended only for the purposes described in Article XIII A, Section 1(b)(3), and
  - Ensuring that no funds are used for any teacher or administrative salaries or other school operating expenses.
- Issue regular reports on the results of activities, at least once a year.

This Resolution is to affirm that the requirements specified in the law have been met.

This is the fourth meeting of the Santa Clarita Community College District Measure “C” Citizens’ Oversight Committee since its initial meeting April 16, 2002.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

N/A

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Move Approval of Resolution 2002/03-01 Affirming the Santa Clarita Community College District’s Compliance with Requirements as Stated in the Law (Section 15278-15282).

Submitted by:  Approval for submission to SCCCD Measure “C” Citizens’ Oversight Committee:

Dr. Dianne Van Hook  Mr. Sheldon Wigdor, Chair

Recommended by:

SCCCD Measure “C” Citizens’ Oversight Committee
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WHEREAS, The Measure “C” Citizens Oversight Committee has actively reviewed and reported on the expenditure of taxpayers’ Measure “C” revenues; and

WHEREAS, The Measure “C” Citizens Oversight Committee has advised the public as to the District’s compliance with Article XIII A, Section 1(b)(3); and

WHEREAS, The Measure “C” Citizens Oversight Committee has provided oversight for ensuring that bond revenues are expended only for the purposes described in Article XIII A, Section 1(b)(3) by receiving and reviewing as follows:

✓ Performance and Financial Audits,
✓ Records of public notice, i.e., agenda postings;
✓ Website pages (hard copy), and
✓ Newspaper articles pertaining to bond expenditures and Committee activities; and

WHEREAS, The Measure “C” Citizens Oversight Committee has issued regular reports on the results of activities; and

THEREFORE, Be it Resolved that the Santa Clarita Community College District Measure “C” Citizens’ Oversight Committee finds the Santa Clarita Community College District in compliance with Article XIII A, Section 1(b)(3).

Passed and adopted by the Santa Clarita Community College District Measure “C” Citizens’ Oversight Committee this 30th day of May, 2003, by the following vote:

Ayes: 7
Nays: 0
Abstain: 0
Absent: 4

Mr. Sheldon Wigdor
Chair, Santa Clarita Community College District
Measure “C” Citizens’ Oversight Committee