

**SANTA CLARITA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT  
APPLICATION FOR INDEPENDENT CITIZENS' OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE**

The Board of Trustees of the Santa Clarita Community College District is seeking qualified, interested individuals to serve on a committee of community leaders which will serve as the Independent Citizens' Oversight Committee ("COC") for the implementation of the District's Measure M and Measure E school facilities bond program.

**Proposition 39 Bond Election**

On November 7, 2006, voters residing within the Santa Clarita Community College District passed Measure M. Measure M is a \$160 million dollar 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 M was passed by 62.65%.

On June 7, 2016, voters residing within the Santa Clarita Community College District passed Measure E. Measure E is a \$230 million dollar 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 E was passed by 57.56%.

**Establishment of a Citizens' Oversight Committee**

After a bond authorized under Proposition 39 is passed, state law requires that the Santa Clarita Community College District Board appoint an Independent Citizens' Oversight Committee to work with the District.

**Committee Responsibilities**

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

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

The Bylaws which govern the Citizens' Oversight Committee are attached to this Application.

**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.

**Time Commitment and Term**

Per the Bylaws, each member shall serve a term of three years, commencing as the date of the appointment by the Board. No member may serve more than three consecutive terms.

**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 and complete the attached application. Completed applications should be sent to Santa Clarita Community College District by 5:00 PM on February 15, 2023. Please send application to [chancellorsoffice@canyons.edu](mailto:chancellorsoffice@canyons.edu) or the address below.

**26455 Rockwell Canyon Road Santa Clarita, CA 91355  
Telephone: 661.362.3420**

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*(Please Print or Type)*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

FAX #: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Why do you want to serve on the Measure M and Measure E Independent Citizens' Oversight Committee?**

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**Do you have any special area of expertise or experience that you think would be helpful to the committee?**

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

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

- Student Enrolled and Active in a Community College Support Group**  
*Student's Name and School:* \_\_\_\_\_
- Business Representative - Active in a business organization representing local business**  
*Organization:* \_\_\_\_\_
- Senior Citizen Group Representative - Active member in a senior citizens' organization.**  
*Organization:* \_\_\_\_\_
- Taxpayer Organization Member - Active in a bona fide taxpayers' association.**  
*Organization:* \_\_\_\_\_
- Member Active in a Support Organization for the College, such as a Foundation**  
*Organization:* \_\_\_\_\_
- At-Large Community Members – Residents of the Santa Clarita Community College District.**  
*Name:* \_\_\_\_\_

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

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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 Independent Citizens' Oversight Committee?\*
5. Are you willing to comply with both the Bylaws and the ethics policy?

YES	NO

(\*Employees, vendors, contractors, and consultants of the Santa Clarita Community College District are prohibited by law from being members of the Citizens' 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 \_\_\_\_\_.

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at **Santa Clarita Community College District**  
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Or

**Chancellorsoffice@canyons.edu**

**no later than at 5:00 pm, February 15, 2023.** If you have any questions, please call Santa Clarita Community College District at 661.362.3420.

It is the policy of the Santa Clarita 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.