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COD Accepting Applications for the Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee

PALM DESERT, CA—College of the Desert is accepting applications for area residents to fill expiring terms on the Citizens Bond Oversight Committee for Measure B. The seven-member committee is charged with producing an annual audit of expenditures related to bond proceeds from the \$346.5 million general obligation bond issue that was approved by voters in 2004.

The committee is required by state law to assure that bond monies are spent solely on land acquisition, construction and equipment and that no money goes to salaries or pay increases. Members will review expenditures, inform the public of such expenditures, and issue an annual report.

The vacancies are for a Taxpayers' Association Representative, Business Representative, Senior Citizen Group Representative and Member-At-Large West Valley Representative. All appointees must be 18 years of age or older. No members may be employees of the college or a union representative or an official of the District, or a vendor, contractor or consultant of the District.

The member will serve a two year term. The legal process calls for solicitation of applications after which the College President will review the applications and make recommendations to the Desert Community College District Board of Trustees. The Board will make the final decision. Bond committee members are not compensated for their service.

Applications are available online at:

http://codbond.eispro.com/COC_Application.aspx and must be completed and delivered by 5 p.m. on July 28, 2016 to the Office of the President, College of the Desert, 43-500 Monterey Ave., Palm Desert, CA 92260.

For more information, contact COD at (760) 773-2511.

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