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## **COD Accepting Applications for Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee for Taxpayers' Association Representative & Senior Citizen Group Representative**

PALM DESERT, CA—College of the Desert is accepting applications from area residents to fill two vacancies 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 and a Senior Citizen Group 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 members will serve a two year term beginning September 2012 and the balance of the existing term until September 2012. 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\\_Vacancies.aspx](http://codbond.eispro.com/COC_Vacancies.aspx)

and must be completed and delivered by 5 p.m. on February 24, 2012 to the Office of Business Affairs, College of the Desert, 43-500 Monterey Ave., Palm Desert, CA 92260.

For more information, contact COD at (760) 773-2592.

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