

# AP 6740      Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee

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## Overview

The Grossmont-Cuyamaca Community College District Governing Board has established a Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee (CBOC) to:

- ♦ Inform the public about the expenditure of bond revenues;
- ♦ Review and report on the proper expenditure of taxpayers' money for school construction; and
- ♦ Advise the public as to District compliance with the Proposition 39 requirements as contained in the California Constitution.

The CBOC will meet monthly or as determined by the CBOC and will:

- ♦ Receive and review copies of the annual, independent performance audit;
- ♦ Receive and review copies of the annual, independent financial audit;
- ♦ Inspect school facilities and grounds to ensure that bond revenues are expended properly;
- ♦ Receive and review copies of any deferred maintenance proposals or plans developed by the District; and
- ♦ Review efforts by the District to maximize bond revenues by implementing cost-saving measures.
- ♦ Create and approve bylaws subject to approval by the Governing Board.

The CBOC shall be comprised of eleven members who shall serve without compensation for a term of two years and no more than two consecutive terms.

All members shall be residents of the Grossmont-Cuyamaca Community College District.

No employee, official, vendor, contractor or consultant of the District shall be appointed to the committee.

The Chancellor establishes the following process for appointing or reappointing members of the CBOC:

- ♦ The Chancellor will solicit nominations and applications through news releases, appropriate District newsletters and Web notifications as it relates to proposed new members, and a written statement of intent to continue as a member as it relates to an existing member(s) who is qualified to serve an additional term.

- ♦ The Chancellor shall solicit nominations of members who are active in a college foundation from the presidents of the two college foundations.
- ♦ The Chancellor shall solicit nominations for members who are students enrolled in good standing and who are active in a college group from the respective associated student organization by the college presidents. If any associated student organization is unable to provide a nominee to the college president within 80 days, the college president may directly nominate a qualified student to the Chancellor.
- ♦ The Chancellor will review the applications received, may conduct interviews with prospective candidates, and make recommendations to the Governing Board.
- ♦ The Governing Board will review the recommendations and in a duly noticed public session of the Board and will make a final decision regarding appointments.

~~♦ Committee composition shall include:~~

- ~~♦ One member active in a business organization representing the business community located within the district.~~
- ~~♦ One member active in a senior citizens' organization.~~
- ~~♦ One member active in a bona fide taxpayer's organization.~~
- ~~♦ One member who is a student enrolled in good standing in Grossmont College for a minimum of six units of credit and active in a college group. A student may serve up to six (6) months after his or her graduation.~~
- ~~♦ One member who is a student enrolled in good standing in Cuyamaca College for a minimum of six units of credit and active in a college group. A student may serve up to six (6) months after his or her graduation.~~
- ~~♦ One member who is an active member of a Grossmont or Cuyamaca College advisory committee.~~
- ~~♦ One member who is active in the Grossmont College Foundation.~~
- ~~♦ One member who is active in the Cuyamaca College Foundation.~~
- ~~♦ One member acceptable to the San Diego Building and Construction Trades Council.~~
- ~~♦ One member who is a qualified professional in a construction-related field such as architecture, construction management or civil engineering.~~
- ~~♦ One member who is a qualified professional in a financial or accounting-related field.~~