

**LONG BEACH UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
APPLICATION FOR CITIZENS' OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE**

The Governing Board of the Long Beach Unified School 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 Long Beach Unified School District Measure K and Measure E School Facilities Bond program.

Bond Elections

On November 4, 2008, voters residing within the Long Beach Unified School District passed Measure K. Measure K is a \$1.2 billion bond measure which authorizes funding for needed repairs, upgrades, and new construction projects to the schools within the Long Beach Unified School District. Proposition 39 required a 55% supermajority for approval; this bond was passed by 72%.

On November 8, 2016, voters residing within the Long Beach Unified School District passed Measure E. Measure E is a \$1.5 billion bond measure which authorizes funding for needed repairs, upgrades, and new construction projects to the schools within the Long Beach Unified School District. Measure E required 55% supermajority for approval; this bond was passed by 75%.

Establishment of a Citizens' Oversight Committee

In accordance with the requirements of Proposition 39, the Long Beach Unified School District Governing Board is required to appoint a Citizens' Oversight Committee to work with the District to ensure all bond funds are spent in accordance with voter approved bond measures.

Committee Responsibilities

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

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

Appointment of Committee Members

All appointments will be made by the Governing Board from applications submitted to the District.

Time Commitment and Term

In accordance with applicable law, committee members will be appointed to serve a term of two (2) years and no member may serve more than three (3) consecutive terms. The Citizen's Bond Oversight Committee shall meet at least once a year but no more frequently than up to six (6) times a year.

Would You be Interested in Serving?

If you wish to serve on this important committee, please review the committee bylaws (<http://lbschoolbonds.net/coc.cfm>). For more information about the committee's role and responsibilities visit the District's website at [www. http://lbschoolbonds.net](http://lbschoolbonds.net).

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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 K and Measure E Citizens' Oversight Committee?

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

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

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

- 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: _____
- Parent or Guardian of Child Enrolled in District.**
Child's Name and School: _____
Child's Name and School: _____
- Parent /Guardian of Child Enrolled in District & Active in a Parent-Teacher Organization**
Child's Name and School: _____
Child's Name and School: _____
Organization: _____
- At-Large Community Member** – Resident of the Long Beach Unified School District.

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 School District? | Yes | No |
| 2. Are you a vendor, contractor, or consultant to the school district? | Yes | No |
| 3. Do you have conflicts that would preclude attending quarterly meeting? | Yes | No |
| 4. Do you know of any reason, such as a potential conflict of interest, which would adversely affect your ability to serve on the Citizen's Oversight Committee?* | Yes | No |
| 5. Are you willing to comply with the ethics code included in the bylaws? | Yes | No |

(*Employees, vendors, contractors, and consultants of the Long Beach Unified School 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 _____

Completed applications must be received in the
Office of the Superintendent of Schools, Long Beach Unified School District,
1515 Hughes Way, Long Beach, California 90810 or faxed to (562) 997-8280.

If you have any questions please call (562) 997-7550.

It is the policy of the Long Beach Unified School 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.