**ALAMEDA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**
**CITIZENS' BOND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE APPLICATION**

The Board of Education of the Alameda Unified School District is seeking qualified, interested individuals to serve on the Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee (BOC) for the implementation of the District's school facilities bond program. The Committee consists of Alameda residents representing the following constituencies: Parent or Guardian of a Child Enrolled in the District, Parent or Guardian of a Child Enrolled in the District and Active in a Parent-Teacher Organization, Business Representative, Senior Citizen Organization Representative, Taxpayers' Organization Representative, and Community At-Large Member(s).

The District is currently seeking applicants for the following positions:

**1. Business Representative**
**2. Senior Citizen Organization Representative**
**3. Parent or Guardian of a Child Enrolled in the District**

**Bond Elections**

On November 4, 2014, voters residing within the Alameda Unified School District approved Measure I. Measure I is a $179,500,000 bond measure that authorized funding for needed repairs, upgrades, and new construction projects at District schools.

On June 7, 2022, voters residing within the Alameda Unified School District approved Measure B. Measure B is a $298,000,000 bond measure that authorizes funding for needed repairs, upgrades, and new construction projects at District schools.

**Proposition 39 - Establishment of a Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee**

Proposition 39 and applicable California Education Code provisions require that bond expenditures are subject to independent citizens' oversight through an established Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee.

On September 13, 2022, the Board of Education approved amended bylaws establishing a single Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee to oversee bond expenditures and fulfill the oversight requirements of Proposition 39. The Committee previously provided oversight of both Measure I and Measure B bond programs. With the completion of Measure I projects, the Committee's ongoing oversight responsibilities are focused on Measure B expenditures.

**Committee Responsibilities**

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

- Inform the public concerning the District's expenditure of bond proceeds;
- Review expenditure reports produced by the District to ensure that bond proceeds are expended only for the purposes authorized by the applicable bond measure; and
- Present to the Board of Education, in a public session, an annual written report outlining the Committee's activities and conclusions regarding the expenditure of bond proceeds.

**Appointment of Committee Members**

All appointments to the Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee shall be made by the Board of Education from qualified applications submitted to the District and recommended by the Superintendent.

**Time Commitment and Term**

Committee members are appointed by the Board of Education to serve two-year terms. Members may be reappointed for up to two additional consecutive two-year terms, for a maximum of three consecutive terms (six years). Following three consecutive terms, members must reapply at each subsequent six-year interval to be considered for reappointment. **Would You Be Interested in Serving?**

If you are interested in serving on this important committee, please visit the District's website at **www.alamedaunified.org** to review the Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee bylaws and application materials.

If you have any questions, please call the Alameda Unified School District at (510) 337-7066.

Completed applications may be emailed to **dkrueger@alamedaunified.org** or mailed to:

**Alameda Unified School District**
Business Services Department
2060 Challenger Drive
Alameda, CA 94501

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***(Personally identifiable information will be redacted for public use)***

*(Please Print or Type)*

Name: _____

Address: _____

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Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

**Why do you want to serve on the Citizens' Bond 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 Organization Representative** - Active member in a senior citizens' organization.

*Organization*: _____

☐ **Taxpayers' Organization Member** - Active in a bona fide taxpayers' association.

*Organization*: _____

☐ **Parent or Guardian of Child Enrolled in the District**.

*Child Name(s) and School(s)*:_____

☐ **Parent /Guardian of Child Enrolled in the District & Active in a Parent-Teacher Organization**

*Child Name(s) and School(s)*_____

*Organization*:_____

☐ **Community At-Large Member** – Resident of Alameda, CA.

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

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| | YES | NO |
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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. Are you able to attend Committee meetings, which are held no more frequently than quarterly? | | |
| 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 the ethics code included in the bylaws? | | |
| 6. Are you 18 years of age, a resident of the City of Alameda, and will maintain residency for your potential term on the committee? | | |

(*Employees, vendors, contractors, and consultants of the Alameda City 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_____.

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It is the policy of the Alameda 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.