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Siskiyou Joint Community College District Board of Trustees Seeks Candidates for Vacant Position

Weed / COS - The Siskiyou Joint Community College District is soliciting applications from candidates to serve as an appointed member of the Board of Trustees representing District Area VII, which includes the areas of Bogus, Fall Creek, Happy Camp Union, Hornbrook, Junction, Klamath River, and Seiad. This position came open due to a recent resignation. Eligible candidates must be registered to vote and reside in Area VII. The successful candidate will serve as an appointed member of the Board of Trustees until the next regularly scheduled election for governing board members, which is November, 2022.

The Board is responsible for the performance of the College of the Siskiyous, which serves the residents of Siskiyou County and beyond. This is a compensated position, whereas, the successful candidate appointed to the Board of Trustees will receive compensation including reimbursement of mileage and health benefits. The Board of Trustees meets regularly the third Tuesday of each month beginning at 4:00 p.m.

The Board is seeking candidates who have the ability and time to fulfill the responsibilities of being a member of the board, which include:

- Participate fully in the work of the board, which includes attending all board meetings and key college events, studying and discussing policy issues, and participating in trustee education programs.
- Be knowledgeable about the communities served by the college and be willing to act on behalf and for the benefit of those communities.
- Be committed to community colleges and their missions; understand educational, social, and economic policy issues.
- Engage in balancing the needs of many diverse groups; be able to contribute to and build consensus.
- Contribute to effective board functioning and support the authority of the board as a whole.

Contact the Office of the Superintendent / President to indicate an interest in submitting an application or to suggest possible candidates for the position by calling (530) 938-5200 or emailing

dgoltz@siskiyous.edu. The deadline for submitting an email of interest in the open position is noon on Thursday, September 30, 2021. Persons who apply for appointment to the Board will receive a letter from the Superintendent/President containing information about the District and the Board, including a candidate information sheet which serves as the application for consideration as a candidate. The Board will interview candidates at their public meeting to be held during the first week of October, 2021 (date TBD).