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Additional Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee Members Appointed

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MODESTO, CA – At their March 14 Board meeting, the Yosemite Community College District (YCCD) Board of Trustees appointed three new members to the Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee. The purpose of the committee is to routinely inform the public concerning the expenditure of YCCD Bond Measure E revenues over the life of the District's \$326 million construction project to ensure that bond proceeds are used properly and for its intended purposes.

Serving two-year terms as "at-large" representatives will be James S. West, business owner of J.S. West & Company and Terry Plett, retired Director for Stanislaus County Department of Employment and Training. Also serving a two-year term, but as the "business" representative will be Gary McKinsey, the 2006 Chairperson of the Modesto Chamber of Commerce.

The Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee still has one vacant student opening. Interested students from Columbia College are encouraged to apply by contacting the YCCD Chancellor's Office at (209)575-6509.

Current Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee:

Name	Home	Category
Nick Cretan	Columbia	At-large
David F. Geer	Modesto	Taxpayers Association
Michael Gianelli	Riverbank	College Support Organization
Gary R. Hampton	Turlock	At-large (law enforcement)
Dr. John Keiter	Sonora	At-large
Gary McKinsey	Modesto	Business Organization
Luis Molina	Patterson	At-large
Debbie Paffendorf	Modesto	At-large
Terry Plett	Ceres	At-large
Betty Ann Prescott	Camp Connell	Senior Citizen Organization
Patrick J. Sweeney	Patterson	At-large
James S. West	Modesto	At-large
Richard S. York Jr.	Jamestown	At-large
Donald Bunce	Modesto	Modesto Junior College Student
Vacant	-	Columbia College Student

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