# Citizens' Oversight Committee Annual Report 2013 - 2014

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### Oversight

- Measure G
  - Approved by voters in 2002
  - \$124.5 million in General Obligation Bonds
  - Coming to a close
- Measure Q
  - Approved by voters in 2012
  - \$348 million in bonds
  - Early in activity

#### Role of Citizens Bond Oversight Committee

- Prop 29 (2000) enable some school bond measures to pass with 55% voter approval instead of 66.7%.
- Members are appointed to the CBOC to ensure that bond expenditures are appropriate, legal and that financial and performance audits are performed annually.
- 9 members, 3-year terms, 2 terms maximum

#### Committee Members during FY 2013-14

- Melvin P. Jordan Jr., Civic/Professional Organization Benicia, Chair (2009 - 2015)
- Robert Charboneau, Taxpayers' Association Fairfield (2010 2016)
- Lyman Dennis, Senior Citizen Organization Fairfield (2011 2017)
- Neil Ferguson, Construction Trade Organization Vacaville (2014 2020)
- Angelo Cellini, Construction Trade Organization Suisun City (2014 2020)
- Vacant, Associated Students (2014)
- Dr. Walter Quinn, College Foundation Vacaville (2011 2014)
- Hermie R. Sunga, Business Organization Vallejo (2012 2018)
- Gary Bertagnolli, Business Organization Vacaville (2013 2015)

### Summary of CBOC Report...

- Projects for Fairfield, Vallejo & Vacaville campuses
- District is working hard to ensure that Bond funds are used in an efficient manner.
- Measure G
  - 42 project completed
  - Vallejo & Vacaville Centers
  - Renovation/modernization of 15 building
  - Completion of 19 infrastructure projects

### ...Summary of Report

• Measure Q

Follows Board approved

- 2013/2014 Education and Facilities Master Plans
- Measure Q Bond Spending Plan
- Biotechnology and Science Building in Vacaville
- Auto Technnology Center in Vallejo
- New Science Building in Fairfield

## **Oversight Opinion**

- All expenditures have been consistently presented and transparent by District Staff and Consultants
- When CBOC members have requested information, the District and Consultants have been forthcoming with whatever detail has been requested.
- Funds have been spent only on school facility improvements as authorized by the Act.
- To the best of CBOC knowledge, SCC District has complied with requirements of CA law in accounting and expending funds.