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County Board of Education seeks applicants for vacant seat

SAN JOSE, CA – The Santa Clara County Board of Education plans to make a provisional appointment to fill a vacancy from Board Trustee Area 3, which will become vacant on March 31 with the resignation of Leon Beauchman. The provisional appointee will serve until the term of office of the vacant seat expires in November 2016.

To apply for the position, applicants must be registered voters residing within Area 3, which includes the Cambrian School District, Campbell Union School District, Luther Burbank School District, Moreland School District, Union School District and Campbell Union High School District, as well as small portions of San Jose Unified School District and Santa Clara Unified School District. Applicants can verify residency in Area 3 by contacting the Santa Clara County Registrar of Voters at 408-282-3005 or 408-299-8683 or by visiting the [Registrar's website](#).

The County Board of Education's responsibilities include setting the policies that guide the SCCOE and establishing its operating budget. In addition, the Board serves as a decision making body for countywide charter school petitions and also serves as an appeals board for charter school petitions denied by local school districts. The Board also serves as an appeals board for such actions as interdistrict attendance requests and student expulsions. The Board meets in public session on the first and third Wednesdays of each month at SCCOE, 1290 Ridder Park Drive, San Jose.

Interested individuals should submit a letter that includes interests and qualifications for the position. Include a minimum of three references and a resume. All materials must be received by 5 p.m., April 3, 2015. Submit all requested materials to Jon R. Gundry, Santa Clara County Superintendent of Schools, 1290 Ridder Park Drive, San Jose, CA 95131-2304 or fax to (408) 453-6601.

Selected candidates will be interviewed at a public meeting of the Board tentatively scheduled for May 6, 2015. It is anticipated that the Board will take action on the appointment at that meeting. For further information, contact Jon R. Gundry at (408) 453-6540.