

VOTER'S PAMPHLET

LOCAL NONPARTISAN CANDIDATES' STATEMENTS OF QUALIFICATIONS

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Statement of **FRANK JEWETT**, Candidate for
Governing Board Member, Trustee Area 3
West Valley-Mission Community College District

Occupation: Educator/Business Consultant

Age: 45

Frank Jewett has committed his life to public service and opening doors of opportunity in our community. Frank's business, educational and problem solving skills is why he is running for reelection to the College Board of Trustees. His community, business and education leadership will be key elements in his plan to ensure that the highest standards of education are achieved for our community.

Frank Jewett is qualified to serve another term through demonstrated leadership in the following areas. Elected to the Board of Trustees for the West Valley Mission Community College District in 2000, President of the Land Corporation of the District, Leadership in the passage of funding that provided \$235 Million Dollars for classrooms and campus revitalization, Instructor Heald Business College, Service as a College Mentor to students within the district, facilitated successful college committee in evaluating alternative and efficient funding avenues, Principal for A Day Program Speaker-SJ/SV Chamber of Commerce, received the Santa Clara County Outstanding Community Service Leadership Award.

Frank Jewett's priorities will be to 1. Pay faculty competitive salaries 2. Increase student achievement 3. Increase fiscal management and efficiency. 4. Expand community and business partnerships to increase district support and exposure.

www.Frankjewett2008.org

Statement of **ADRIENNE GREY**, Candidate for
Governing Board Member, Trustee Area 3
West Valley-Mission Community College District

Occupation: Management Consultant, Voter Registration Program Director

Growing up in the Bay Area, I always have been grateful for our state's excellent community college network. This priceless resource helped to shape my life, starting with my first college class and leading me to graduate school. I now ask for your vote to represent you on the Board.

Today I work as a business management consultant, living in Campbell with my husband of 20 years (who also has a long relationship with California community colleges) . Our daughter now takes it full circle as she starts her second year attending community college full time. So to me, a vibrant, business focused and fiscally sound community college system is truly a family affair.

Transitioning through local management positions, I often have counted on community college for continuing education to help me and my employees advance our careers. As a local Director of Voter Registration, I help people connect their voting privilege to real life. Community college is a great example of how public schools provide lifelong opportunities. Santa Clara County Board of Education Trustee Anna Song and current West Valley/Mission Community College District of Trustee Christopher Stampolis say "Adrienne Grey will be a dynamic addition to the College Board. Please join us in voting Adrienne Grey for Trustee."
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Statement of **CHRIS C. CONSTANTIN**, Candidate for
Governing Board Member, Trustee Area 3
West Valley-Mission Community College District

Occupation: Incumbent

After serving on the College Board for the past 12 years, I worked hard to ensure quality education, hire top-notch professors, and retain local control of our colleges. With the recent wave of retirements, the colleges struggle to maintain experienced leadership. I am an educational and government leader with experience in budget, finance, human resources, academic curriculum, and student services.

If reelected, I will: 1) ensure the district uses public funds effectively, minimizes waste, and provides excellent academics; 2) expand partnerships with local high schools to provide advanced classes to high school students; And 3) enhance firefighter and police training programs to meet local demand for well-trained emergency services.

I am a lifelong district resident, former West Valley and Mission college student, and San José State graduate with a Bachelors in Engineering and a Masters of Public Administration. As a City of San José auditor, I evaluate government programs and services to maximize efficiency and minimize government waste. Additionally, I volunteer as a police officer, remain active in neighborhood associations, and volunteer with non-profits.

Please reelect Chris Constantin to the West Valley/Mission Community College District Governing Board www.collegetrustee.com