

Glendale Community College District

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Board Policy

BOARD OF TRUSTEES (BOARD) ELECTIONS

Elections shall be held every two years, in even-numbered years and to coincide with the Statewide Primary Election. Terms of Board Members are four (4) years and staggered so that, as nearly as practical, one half of the Board Members shall be elected at each Board Member election.

1. Each trustee shall reside within, and be elected from, one of five designated trustee areas as noted in Board of Trustees Resolution No. 18-2015-2016.
2. Election for members of Areas one and five shall be held to coincide with the Statewide Primary Election in 2020 and every four years thereafter. Election of members of Areas two, three, and four shall be held to coincide with the Statewide Primary Election in 2022 and every four years thereafter.
3. Following each decennial federal census, the Board of Trustees shall adjust the boundaries of any or all of the trustee areas of Glendale Community College District in accordance with California Education Code.
4. It is the determination of the Board that if a tie vote makes it impossible to determine either of which of two or more candidates has been elected to the Board, or the terms of office of the Board Member, the winner or winners will be determined by lot.
5. Candidates for the Board shall pay the filing fee for candidacy and any costs related to the Candidate's Ballot Statement as established by the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk's Office.
6. Nomination papers shall be signed by not less than 20 registered voters qualified to vote and residing in the trustee area from which the candidate is seeking to run.
7. Board Members shall hold office for terms of four years, commencing with the certification of the election by the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/ County Clerk's Office and until their successors are elected and certified.

Reference:

- CA Elections Code, Sections 14050 - 14057
- Education Code, Sections 5000 et seq.
- Election Code, Section 1302(b)(1)
- Election Code, Section 5030(b)
- Glendale Community College District Board of Trustees Resolution No. 18-2015-2016
- Board Policy 2010

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Administrative Regulation:

None

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