



Bee County Appraisal District

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Beeville Independent School District
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This letter is to inform you that two vacancies exists on the Board of Directors and requests your jurisdiction to submit nominees to be considered to fill these vacancies.

On page 3 of the Appraisal District Director's Manual it reads:

To be eligible to serve on the board, a person must have resided in the appraisal district for at least two years immediately preceding the date of taking office.

Persons who meet this basic residence test may still be disqualified from serving. These reasons for disqualification ensure directors are not exposed to conflicts of interest. For example, an employee of a taxing unit that participates in the appraisal district may not serve. However, an elected official or member of the governing body of a participating taxing unit may serve.

Texas Property Tax Code Section 6.03(l) reads:

If a vacancy opens on the board of directors other than a vacancy in the position held by a county assessor-collector serving as a nonvoting director, each taxing unit that is entitled to vote by this section may nominate by resolution adopted by its governing body a candidate to fill the vacancy. The unit shall submit the name of its nominee to the chief appraiser within 45 days after notification from the board of directors to the existence of the vacancy, and the chief appraiser shall prepare and deliver to the board of directors within the next five days a list of the nominees. The board of directors shall elect by majority vote its members one of the nominees to fill the vacancy.

Please return your reply on or before May 7, 2010 to Bee County Appraisal District office at 401 N. Washington or fax your reply to 361-362-0140.

Sincerely,

Domingo Palomo,
Chief Appraiser