

**SOUTH ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
TRUSTEE AREA 3**

NAME: WILLIAM (BILL) JAY

OCCUPATION: Trustee, South Orange County Community College District

As a former college president and mathematics professor, I know quality education requires two ingredients: outstanding teachers and motivated students. Our South Orange County Community Colleges—Saddleback and Irvine Valley—possess both.

Like you, I make my discussions based upon facts; the facts confirm the quality education our colleges provide students.

Fact 1: Our academic undergraduate courses are accredited by all colleges and universities nationwide.

Fact 2: Our colleges are among the top ten statewide in transferring students to California universities.

Fact 3: Our colleges offer award-winning occupational education and lifelong learning programs.

As our statewide elected representatives have emphasized, we must protect educational quality, even in the face of cutbacks. Indeed, maintaining educational quality will be my top priority. I pledge to:

Make sure our precious tax dollars enhance classroom education;
Support teachers who motivate students to reach their highest potential;
Work with businesses on cost-effective programs that meet local employment needs and address my values as a fiscal conservative.

My forty-one years as an educator have taught me this: If it's not broken, don't fix it. Just make it better! I want our colleges to continue providing quality education.

Please vote for William (Bill) Jay for Trustee