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College and University Trustee Screening Commission



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE July 10, 2017

Representative William R. Whitmire Vice-Chairman Representative Phyllis J. Henderson Representative John King Representative Sylleste Davis

The **College and University Trustee Screening Commission** is accepting **LETTERS OF INTENT** to begin screening and qualifying candidates for the following vacant seats:

Francis Marion University 5 th Congressional District - seat 5	-	term expires June 30, 2018
Medical University of South Carolina 7 th Congressional District - medical seat candidate must be a healthcare professional	-	term expires June 30, 2020
<u>University of South Carolina</u> 14 th Judicial Circuit candidate must reside in either Allendale Hampton, Colleton, Jasper or Beaufort counties	-	term expires June 30, 2020
Winthrop University 4 th Congressional District - seat 4	-	term expires June 30, 2022

It is required by law that any person who wishes to offer as a candidate for a board position must notify the Screening Commission <u>in writing</u> of his/her intent to offer <u>for the specific seat</u>. For seats designated as congressional district seats or judicial circuit seats candidates must reside in that district. For purposes of this commission - residence is determined by driver's license, voter registration, payment of 4% personal property tax and income tax filing.

THE DEADLINE FOR RECEIVING LETTERS OF INTENT IS MONDAY, JULY 31, 2017 AT 12:00 NOON

Letters of Intent must be <u>hand delivered</u> to: Senator Harvey S. Peeler, Jr. Chairman College and University Trustee Screening Commission 213 Gressette Building Columbia, South Carolina 29201

The Letter of Intent <u>must be hand delivered</u> to the Commission Office - 213 Gressette Building in Columbia - no later than 12:00 noon on July 31, 2017. The Letter of Intent must contain name, home address, telephone number and email address for the candidate. Incomplete letters will not be accepted. Questions should be addressed to either Martha Casto or Julie Price at 803-212-6430.

Upon receipt of the letter of intent, the Application Packet will be given to the prospective candidate to be completed. Application packets must be <u>hand delivered</u> no later than **MONDAY, AUGUST 28, 2017 AT 12:00 NOON.**

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