



SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY
BOARDS, COMMISSIONS & COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE FACT SHEET

NAME: **GARDEN ACRES COMMUNITY CENTER ADVISORY BOARD**

COMPENSATION: None.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Non-mandated citizen advisory group established by the County Community Action Agency (CAA). Board Order B-88-865 Adopted June 21, 1988, established the composition of the advisory body and defined the terms of office for the members; Board Order B-99-659 Adopted June 1, 1999 and Board Order B-09-1120 Adopted October 27, 2009, accepted the revised Bylaws governing Community Center Advisory Boards.

MEMBERSHIP, QUALIFICATIONS, & RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS: 7 Members appointed by the Board of Supervisors. All members must reside in the Garden Acres Community Center service area (North: Eight Mile Road; South: Arch Road to Austin Road to Mariposa Road to Gawne Road; East: County Line; West: Highway 99) and be at least 16 years of age. 4 Members must be Low-Income residents; 2 Members are representatives of community service organizations or groups which operate in the Center's service area; 1 Member is an At-Large appointee interested in community action and concerned about the problems of poverty. The Membership should represent, to the extent possible, a mix of age, ethnicity, and sex reflecting the population of the Community Center service area.

TERM: 3 Year Terms.

DUTIES: Study, review, evaluate and make recommendations, as an advisory body to the Community Action Board (CAB) on matters relating to poverty in San Joaquin County. Serve as the advisory council to the Garden Acres Community Center. Specific functions of the Center Advisory Board include:

- A) Assist CAB in needs assessments
- B) Advise CAB in setting program priorities
- C) Participate in the development of annual work programs
- D) Review and comment on proposed projects and policies
- E) Participate in evaluating center programs
- F) Play an effective role in the coordination of services at the local level
- G) Assist in mobilization of community resources
- H) Serve as a community link to CAB regarding problems and needs of the poor in the service area
- I) Serve as an advocate for the low-income community of the service area

**MEETING DATE
& LOCATION:**

2nd Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m.
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