Resolution No. 7

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS, 2002 ELECTION, SERIES 2013A IN AN AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$122,000,000 AND APPROVING CERTAIN OTHER MATTERS RELATING TO SAID BONDS

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WHEREAS, a duly called election was held in the Santa Monica Community College District, a community college district duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of California (the "District"), County of Los Angeles (the "County"), State of California, on March 5, 2002 (the "2002 Election"), and thereafter canvassed pursuant to law; and

WHEREAS, at the 2002 Election, there was submitted to and approved by the requisite fifty-five percent (55%) vote of the qualified electors of the District voting on the proposition a question as to the issuance and sale of general obligation bonds of the District for various purposes set forth in the ballot submitted to the voters, in the maximum amount of \$160,000,000, payable from the levy of an *ad valorem* tax against the taxable property in the District; and

WHEREAS, as authorized at the 2002 Election, the Board of Trustees of the District (the "Governing Board") has previously approved the issuance, among other series, of \$25,000,000 aggregate principal amount of the District's General Obligation Bonds, Election of 2002, Series 2002A (the "2002A Bonds"), of which \$10,310,000 aggregate principal amount is presently outstanding and subject to refunding on an advance basis, \$21,999,971.25 initial principal amount of the District's General Obligation Bonds, Election of 2002, Series 2004B (the "2004B Bonds"), of which \$12,660,000 aggregate principal amount is presently outstanding and subject to refunding on an advance basis, and \$89,999,923.35 initial principal amount of the District's General Obligation of 2002, Series 2005C (the "2005C Bonds," and collectively with the 2002A Bonds and the 2004B Bonds, the "Prior Bonds") of which \$68,773,637.55 of initial issue amount is presently outstanding and subject to refunding on an advance basis; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Articles 9 and 11 of Chapter 3 of Part 1 of Division 2 of Title 5 of the California Government Code (commencing with Sections 53550 and 53580, respectively), the District is authorized to issue, or cause to be issued, general obligation bonds to refund all or a portion of the Prior Bonds (hereafter, the "**Refunded Bonds**"); and

WHEREAS, the Governing Board has now determined that conditions in the financial markets have become favorable for the refunding the Refunded Bonds by issuing its Santa Monica Community College District General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2002 Election, Series 2013A (the "Bonds"), resulting in substantial savings to the taxpayers of the District; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 53558(a) of the Government Code, the District is authorized to deposit certain proceeds of the sale of the Bonds in escrow in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest and redemption premiums, if any, on the Refunded Bonds as

they become due or at designated dates prior to maturity, and to use certain proceeds of the Bonds to pay the costs of issuance of the Bonds; and

WHEREAS, this Governing Board has determined that it is desirable to sell the Bonds pursuant to a negotiated underwriting, to RBC Capital Markets, LLC, as representative (the "**Representative**") of the underwriters, pursuant to a Contract of Purchase (as defined herein), a form of which has been submitted to this meeting of the Governing Board and is on file with the Clerk thereof (the "**Clerk**"); and

WHEREAS, a form of escrow agreement (the "Escrow Agreement"), by and between the District and U.S. Bank National Association, as escrow agent (the "Escrow Agent"), directing the establishment of an escrow fund for deposit of certain proceeds of sale of the Bonds for the purpose of paying and redeeming the Refunded Bonds has been submitted to this meeting of the Governing Board and is on file with the Clerk; and

WHEREAS, a form of the preliminary official statement (the "Preliminary Official Statement") relating to the Bonds has been submitted to this meeting of the Governing Board and is on file with the Clerk; and

WHEREAS, a form of continuing disclosure undertaking (the "Continuing Disclosure Undertaking"), attached as Appendix C to the Preliminary Official Statement, has been submitted to this meeting of the Governing Board and is on file with the Clerk; and

WHEREAS, this Governing Board desires that the County of Los Angeles Treasurer and Tax Collector (the "Treasurer") should levy and collect an *ad valorem* property tax on all taxable property within the District sufficient to provide for payment of the Bonds, and intends by the adoption of this Resolution to notify the Board of Supervisors of the County, the Auditor-Controller of the County, the Treasurer and other officials of the County that they should take such actions as shall be necessary to provide for the levy and collection of such tax and payment of the Bonds; and

WHEREAS, all acts, conditions and things required by law to be done or performed have been done and performed in strict conformity with the laws authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds of the District, and the indebtedness of the District, including this proposed issue of Bonds, is within all limits prescribed by law;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, DETERMINED AND ORDERED by the Board of Trustees of the Santa Monica Community College District as follows:

SECTION 1. <u>Definitions</u>. Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings set forth in the Recitals hereto. Additionally, the following terms shall for all purposes of this Resolution have the following meanings:

"<u>Accreted Value</u>" when used with respect to those of the Refunded Bonds which constitute Capital Appreciation Bonds, shall mean the accreted value of such Refunded Bond on the scheduled redemption date therefor, calculated in accordance with such Accreted Values Table.

"<u>Accreted Values Table</u>" shall mean the table of that name included in the final official statement for and applicable to the 2004B and the 2005C Bonds that constitute Capital Appreciation Bonds.

"Auditor-Controller" shall mean the Auditor-Controller of the County.

"<u>Authorizing Law</u>" shall mean Articles 9 and 11 of Chapter 3 of Part 1 of Division 2 of Title 5 (commencing with Sections 53550 and 53580, respectively) of the Government Code.

"Board of Supervisors" shall mean the Board of Supervisors of the County.

"<u>Bond Counsel</u>" shall mean Nixon Peabody LLP or any other firm that is a nationally recognized bond counsel firm.

"Bond Register" shall mean the books referred to in Section 15 of this Resolution.

"<u>Business Day</u>" shall mean a day which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a day on which banking institutions in the State or the State of New York and the New York Stock Exchange are authorized or required to be closed.

"<u>Capital Appreciation Bonds</u>" shall mean those 2004B and 2005C Bonds which, by their terms, do not pay interest on a current basis, but accrete interest at the rates specified in the applicable Accreted Values Table.

"Code" shall mean the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

"<u>Contract of Purchase</u>" shall mean the Contract of Purchase by and between the District and the Representative of the Underwriters relating to the Bonds.

"<u>Costs of Issuance</u>" shall mean all of the authorized costs of issuing the Bonds as described in the Authorizing Law, including but not limited to, all printing and document preparation expenses in connection with this Resolution, the Bonds and the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement pertaining to the Bonds and any and all other agreements, instruments, certificates or other documents prepared in connection therewith; financial advisory fees; underwriter's fees; rating agency fees; auditor's fees; CUSIP service bureau charges; legal fees and expenses of counsel with respect to the financing, including the fees and expenses of Bond Counsel; the initial fees and expenses of the Paying Agent, the Escrow Agent and the Verification Agent; fees for credit enhancement (if any) relating to the Bonds; and other fees and expenses are approved by the District.

"County" shall mean the County of Los Angeles, California.

"<u>County Office of Education</u>" shall mean the Office of Education of the County and such other persons as may be designated by the County Office of Education to perform the operational and disbursement functions hereunder.

"Debt Service" shall have the meaning given to that term in Section 17 of this Resolution.

"<u>Debt Service Fund</u>" shall mean the Debt Service Fund established pursuant to Section 17 of this Resolution.

"<u>Defeasance Securities</u>" shall mean lawful money or noncallable direct obligations issued by the United States Treasury or obligations which are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America and permitted under Section 149(c) of the Code and Regulations which, in the opinion of Bond Counsel, will not impair the exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes of interest on the Bonds.

"<u>Depository</u>" shall mean DTC and its successors and assigns or if (a) the then-acting Depository resigns from its functions as securities depository for the Bonds, or (b) the District discontinues use of the Depository pursuant to this Resolution, any other securities depository which agrees to follow procedures required to be followed by a securities depository in connection with the Bonds.

"<u>DTC</u>" shall mean The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York, and its successors and assigns.

"<u>Escrow Fund</u>" shall mean the fund by that name established under the Escrow Agreement, into which the net proceeds of sale of the Bonds shall be deposited in order to effect the advance refunding of the Refunded Bonds.

"<u>Excess Earnings Fund</u>" shall mean the Excess Earnings Fund established pursuant to Section 19 of this Resolution.

"Federal Securities" shall mean direct obligations of the United States Treasury or obligations which are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States or which are issued or guaranteed by the Export-Import Bank of the United States, the Farmers Home Administration, the General Services Administration, the Small Business Administration, the Government National Mortgage Association, the United States Department of Housing and Urban Affairs and the Federal Housing Administration (including obligations issued or held in book-entry form on the books of the Department of the Treasury of the United States), provided the principal of and interest on such obligations are backed by the full faith and credit of the United States of America.

"<u>Financial Advisor</u>" shall mean First Southwest Company, Santa Monica, California, acting as financial advisor to the District in connection with the issuance and sale of the Bonds.

"<u>Fiscal Year</u>" shall mean the twelve-month period commencing on July 1 of each year and ending on the following June 30 or any other fiscal year selected by the District.

"<u>Interest Payment Date</u>" shall mean February 1 and August 1 in each year, commencing August 1, 2013 or as otherwise specified in the Contract of Purchase.

"<u>Moody's</u>" shall mean Moody's Investors Service, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, its successors and assigns, except that if such corporation shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating agency for any reason, the term "Moody's" shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating agency selected by the District.

"<u>MSRB</u>" means the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board or any other entity designated or authorized by the Securities and Exchange Commission to receive the reports described in the Continuing Disclosure Undertaking. Until otherwise designated by the MSRB or the Securities and Exchange Commission, filings with the MSRB are to be made through the Electronic Municipal Market Access (EMMA) website of the MSRB, currently located at http://emma.msrb.org.

"<u>Nominee</u>" shall mean the nominee of the Depository which may be the Depository, as determined from time to time by the Depository.

"<u>Nonarbitrage Certificate</u>" shall mean the Tax and Nonarbitrage Certificate of the District delivered in connection with the issuance of the Bonds.

"<u>Official Statement</u>" shall mean the final official statement of the District describing the Bonds.

"<u>Outstanding</u>," when used with reference to the Bonds, shall mean, as of any date, Bonds theretofore issued or thereupon being issued under this Resolution except:

- (i) Bonds canceled at or prior to such date;
- (ii) Bonds in lieu of or in substitution for which other Bonds shall have been delivered pursuant to Section 14 hereof;
- (iii) Bonds for the payment or redemption of which funds or eligible securities in the necessary amount shall have been set aside (whether on or prior to the maturity or redemption date of such Bonds), in accordance with Section 41 of this Resolution.

"Owner" shall mean the registered owner, as indicated in the Bond Register, of any Bond.

"Participant" shall mean a member of or participant in the Depository.

"Paying Agent" shall mean the paying agent designated pursuant to Section 31 hereof.

"<u>Pledged Moneys</u>" shall have the meaning given to that term in Section 18 of this Resolution.

"<u>Record Date</u>" shall mean the close of business on the fifteenth calendar day of the month next preceding an Interest Payment Date.

"<u>Regulations</u>" shall mean the regulations of the United States Department of the Treasury proposed or promulgated under Sections 103 and 141 through 150 of the Code which by their terms are effective with respect to the Bonds and similar Treasury Regulations to the extent not

inconsistent with Sections 103 and 141 through 150 of the Code, including regulations promulgated under Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended.

"<u>S&P</u>" shall mean Standard & Poor's Ratings Services, a Standard & Poor's Financial Services LLC business, its successors and assigns, except that if such corporation shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating agency for any reason, the term "S&P" shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating agency selected by the District.

"<u>Securities Depositories</u>" shall mean The Depository Trust Company, 55 Water Street, New York, New York 10041, Facsimile transmission: (212) 785-9681, (212) 855-3215, and, in accordance with then-current guideline of the Securities and Exchange Commission, such other addresses and/or such other securities depositories as the District may designate in a Certificate delivered to the Paying Agent.

"<u>State</u>" shall mean the State of California.

"Superintendent" shall mean the Superintendent/President of the District.

"<u>Supplemental Resolution</u>" shall mean any resolution supplemental to or amendatory of this Resolution, adopted by the District in accordance with Section 38 or Section 39 hereof.

"<u>Transfer Amount</u>" shall mean, with respect to any Outstanding Bond, the aggregate principal amount thereof.

"<u>Treasurer</u>" shall mean the Treasurer and Tax Collector of the County or any authorized deputy thereof.

"<u>Underwriters</u>" shall mean RBC Capital Markets, LLC, as Representative of itself and Mitsubishi UFJ Securities (USA), Inc., as underwriters of the Bonds.

"<u>Verification Agent</u>" shall mean Grant Thornton LLP, certified public accountants, in their capacity as verification agent for the sufficiency of amounts on deposit in the Escrow Fund for the payment and redemption of the Refunded Bonds.

SECTION 2. <u>Rules of Construction</u>. Words of the masculine gender shall be deemed and construed to include correlative words of the feminine and neuter genders, and vice versa. Except where the context otherwise requires, words importing the singular shall include the plural and vice versa, and words importing persons shall include firms, associations and corporations, including public bodies, as well as natural persons.

SECTION 3. <u>Authority for this Resolution</u>. This Resolution is adopted pursuant to the provisions of the Authorizing Law.

SECTION 4. <u>Resolution to Constitute Contract</u>. In consideration of the purchase and acceptance of any and all of the Bonds authorized to be issued hereunder by those who shall own the same from time to time, this Resolution shall be deemed to be and shall constitute a contract among the District and the Owners from time to time of the Bonds; and the

pledge made in this Resolution shall be for the equal benefit, protection and security of the Owners of any and all of the Bonds, all of which, regardless of the time or times of their issuance or maturity, shall be of equal rank without preference, priority or distinction of any of the Bonds over any other thereof.

SECTION 5.Approval of Documents; Determination of Method of Sale andTerms of Bonds.

(a) The Superintendent and any other officers of the District designated by the Governing Board (each, an "Authorized Officer"), in consultation with the Financial Advisor and Bond Counsel and the other officers of the District are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized and directed to issue and deliver the Bonds and to establish the initial aggregate principal amount thereof; provided, however, that such initial aggregate principal amount shall not exceed the maximum aggregate principal amount of \$122,000,000.

The form of the Contract of Purchase is hereby approved. The Authorized (b) Officers are, and each of them acting alone is, authorized and directed to execute and deliver the Contract of Purchase to the Underwriters for and in the name and on behalf of the District, with such additions, changes or corrections therein as the Authorized Officer executing the same on behalf of the District may approve, in his or her discretion, as being in the best interests of the District including, without limitation (i) such changes as are necessary to reflect the final terms of the Bonds to the extent such terms differ from those set forth in this Resolution, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by such Authorized Officer's execution thereof and (ii) any other documents required to be executed thereunder. The Authorized Officers are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized and directed to determine the specific maturities and amounts of the 2002A Bonds, the 2004B Bonds and the 2005C Bonds or portions thereof to be refunded based upon market conditions existing at the time of the pricing of the Bonds. In addition, the Authorized Officers are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized to negotiate with the Representative the interest rates on the Bonds and the purchase price of the Bonds to be paid by the Underwriters, which purchase price shall reflect an underwriter's discount of not more than 0.5% (not including original issue discount and any costs of issuance paid by the Representative) of the principal amount thereof. The interest rate on the Bonds shall not exceed the legal maximum under State law.

(c) The form of the Escrow Agreement is hereby approved. The Authorized Officers are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized and directed, for and in the name of and on behalf of the District, to execute and deliver the Escrow Agreement in substantially the form on file with the District and considered at this meeting, with such changes therein as the Authorized Officer executing the same on behalf of the District may approve, in his or her discretion, as being in the best interests of the District, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by the execution and delivery of the Escrow Agreement by such Authorized Officer. The Authorized Officers are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized and directed to make changes to the Escrow Agreement to achieve the purposes for which the Bonds are being executed and delivered.

(d) The form of the Continuing Disclosure Undertaking is hereby approved. The Authorized Officers are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized to execute and deliver the Continuing Disclosure Undertaking on behalf of the District, with such changes therein as the officer executing the same on behalf of the District may approve, in his or her discretion, as being in the best interests of the District, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by such Authorized Officer's execution thereof, and any other documents required to be executed thereunder, and to deliver the same to the Underwriters. The District hereby covenants and agrees that it will comply with and carry out all of the provisions of the Continuing Disclosure Undertaking. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution, failure of the District to comply with the Continuing Disclosure Undertaking shall not be considered an event of default and shall not be deemed to create any monetary liability on the part of the District to any other persons, including Owners of the Bonds.

The form of the Preliminary Official Statement is hereby approved. This (e) Governing Board also hereby authorizes the use and distribution of: (a) the Preliminary Official Statement with such changes as the Authorized Officer executing the certificate described below may approve, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by such Authorized Officer's execution of such certificate; and (b) an Official Statement in substantially the form of the Preliminary Official Statement with such changes as may be necessary or desirable in connection with the sale of the Bonds as determined by the Authorized Officer executing the Official Statement, such determination to be conclusively evidenced by the execution and delivery of the Official Statement by such Authorized Officer; and (c) any amendments or supplements to the Preliminary Official Statement or the Official Statement which an Authorized Officer may deem necessary or desirable, such determination to be conclusively evidenced by the execution of such amendment or supplement or of a certificate as described below by such Authorized Officer. The Authorized Officers are, and each of them acting alone hereby is, authorized to approve such additions, deletions or changes to the Preliminary Official Statement and Official Statement, as are necessary or desirable to effect the purposes of this Resolution and to comply with applicable laws and to deliver copies of the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement. The Authorized Officers also are, and each of them acting alone hereby is, authorized to determine whether any Preliminary Official Statement and/or Official Statement shall be used in connection with the sale of the Bonds. Upon approval of the Preliminary Official Statement by such Authorized Officer as evidenced by execution of a certificate substantially in the form of Exhibit B attached hereto and by this reference incorporated herein, with such changes as may be necessary or desirable, the Preliminary Official Statement shall be deemed final as of its date except for the omission of certain information as provided in and pursuant to Rule 15c2-12 promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

(f) This Governing Board also hereby authorizes the preparation of a paying agent agreement in connection with the Bonds, in such form as shall be determined by an Authorized Officer, such determination to be conclusively evidenced by the execution and delivery of the paying agent agreement by such Authorized Officer; or, the District may engage the Treasurer in such role and use for such purposes the master paying agent agreement of U.S. Bank National Association, as agent of the Treasurer, on file with the County.

SECTION 6. <u>Authorization of Officers</u>. The officers of the District, including but not limited to the Superintendent, and their authorized representatives are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized to execute any and all documents and do and perform

any and all acts and things, from time to time, consistent with this Resolution and necessary or appropriate to carry the same into effect and to carry out its purposes.

SECTION 7. <u>Use of Bond Proceeds</u>. The proceeds of the Bonds, together with other available funds, shall be applied to pay the principal or Accreted Value of and interest and redemption premium, if any, on the Refunded Bonds as they become due or at their redemption dates and to pay Costs of Issuance.

SECTION 8. Designation and Form; Payment.

(a) A series of Bonds entitled to the benefit, protection and security of this Resolution is hereby authorized in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$122,000,000. Such Bonds shall be general obligations of the District, payable as to principal, premium, if any, and interest from *ad valorem* taxes to be levied upon all of the taxable property in the District. The Bonds shall be designated the "Santa Monica Community College District General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2002 Election, Series 2013A." The Bonds shall be issued as current interest bonds and may be issued as serial bonds or term bonds, as set forth in the Contract of Purchase, subject to the provisions of this Resolution.

(b) The form of the Bonds shall be substantially in conformity with the standard form of registered community college district bonds, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by this reference, with such changes as are necessary to reflect the final terms of the Bonds.

(c) Principal, premium, if any, and interest with respect to any Bond are payable in lawful money of the United States of America. Principal and premium, if any, is payable upon surrender thereof at maturity or earlier redemption at the office designated by the Paying Agent.

SECTION 9. Description of the Bonds.

(a) The Bonds shall be issued in fully registered form, in denominations of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, except as provided in the Contract of Purchase. The Bonds shall be dated and shall mature on the dates, in the years and in the principal amounts, and interest shall be computed at the rates, set forth in the Contract of Purchase.

(b) Interest on each Bond shall accrue from its dated date as set forth in the Contract of Purchase. Interest on Bonds shall be computed using a year of 360 days comprised of twelve 30-day months and shall be payable on each Interest Payment Date to the Owner thereof as of the close of business on the Record Date. Interest with respect to each Bond will be payable from the Interest Payment Date next preceding the date of registration thereof, unless (i) it is registered after the close of business on any Record Date and before the close of business on the immediately following Interest Payment Date, in which event interest with respect thereto shall be payable from such following Interest Payment Date; or (ii) it is registered prior to the close of business on the first Record Date, in which event interest shall be payable from its dated date; provided, however, that if at the time of registration of any Bond, interest with respect thereto is in default, interest with respect thereto shall be payable from the Interest with respect thereto shall be payable from the spect thereto shall be payable from the first Record Date of registration of any Bond, interest with respect thereto is in default, interest with respect thereto shall be payable from the Interest Payment Date to which interest has previously been paid or made available for payment. Payments of interest

on the Bonds will be made on each Interest Payment Date by check or draft of the Paying Agent sent by first-class mail, postage prepaid, to the Owner thereof on the Record Date, or by wire transfer to any Owner of \$1,000,000 principal amount or more of such Bonds, to the account specified by such Owner in a written request delivered to the Paying Agent on or prior to the Record Date for such Interest Payment Date; provided, however, that payments of defaulted interest shall be payable to the person in whose name such Bond is registered at the close of business on a special record date fixed therefor by the Paying Agent which shall not be more than fifteen days and not less than ten days prior to the date of the proposed payment of defaulted interest.

SECTION 10. <u>Tax Covenants</u>. In order to maintain the exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes of interest on the Bonds, this Governing Board hereby covenants to comply with each applicable requirement of Section 103 and Sections 141 through 150 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. In furtherance of these covenants, the District agrees to comply with the covenants contained in the Nonarbitrage Certificate. The District hereby agrees to deliver instructions to the Paying Agent as may be necessary in order to comply with the Nonarbitrage Certificate.

SECTION 11. Book-Entry System.

(a) The Bonds shall be initially issued in the form of a separate single fully registered Bond for each of the maturities of the Bonds. Upon initial issuance, the ownership of each such global Bond shall be registered in the Bond Register in the name of the Nominee as nominee of the Depository. Except as provided in subsection (c) hereof, all of the Outstanding Bonds shall be registered in the Bond Register in the name of the Nominee and the Bonds may be transferred, in whole but not in part, only to the Depository, to a successor Depository or to another nominee of the Depository or of a successor Depository. Each Bond shall bear a legend describing restrictions on transfer, as may be prescribed by the Depository.

With respect to Bonds registered in the Bond Register in the name of the Nominee, the District shall have no responsibility or obligation to any Participant or to any person on behalf of which such a Participant holds a beneficial interest in the Bonds. Without limiting the immediately preceding sentence, the District shall have no responsibility or obligation with respect to (i) the accuracy of the records of the Depository, the Nominee or any Participant with respect to any beneficial ownership interest in the Bonds, (ii) the delivery to any Participant, beneficial owner or any other person, other than the Depository, of any notice with respect to the Bonds, including any Redemption Notice (as defined in Section 28 below), (iii) the selection by the Depository and the Participants of the beneficial interests in the Bonds to be redeemed in part, or (iv) the payment to any Participant, beneficial owner or any other person, other than the Depository, of any amount with respect to principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds. The District and the Paying Agent may treat and consider the person in whose name each Bond is registered in the Bond Register as the holder and absolute Owner of such Bond for the purpose of payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on such Bond, for the purpose of giving Redemption Notices and other notices with respect to such Bond, and for all other purposes whatsoever, including, without limitation, registering transfers with respect to the Bonds.

The Paying Agent shall pay all principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds only to the respective Owners, as shown in the Bond Register, and all such payments shall be valid hereunder with respect to payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds to the extent of the sum or sums so paid. No person other than an Owner, as shown in the Bond Register, shall receive a Bond evidencing the obligation to make payments of principal of, premium, if any, and interest, pursuant to this Resolution. Upon delivery by the Depository to the Paying Agent and the District of written notice to the effect that the Depository has determined to substitute a new nominee in place of the Nominee, and subject to the provisions hereof with respect to Record Dates, the word Nominee in this Resolution shall refer to such new nominee of the Depository.

(b) In order to qualify the Bonds for the Depository's book-entry system, the District is hereby authorized to execute and deliver to such Depository a letter from the District representing such matters as shall be necessary to so qualify the Bonds (the "**Representation Letter**"). The execution and delivery of the Representation Letter shall not in any way limit the provisions of subsection (a) hereof or in any other way impose upon the District any obligation whatsoever with respect to persons having beneficial interests in the Bonds other than the Owners, as shown in the Bond Register. In addition to the execution and delivery of the Representation Letter, the District, and its deputies and designees, are hereby authorized to take any other actions, not inconsistent with this Resolution, to qualify the Bonds for the Depository's book-entry program.

(c) If at any time the Depository notifies the District that it is unwilling or unable to continue as Depository with respect to the Bonds or if at any time the Depository shall no longer be registered or in good standing under the Securities Exchange Act or other applicable statute or regulation and a successor Depository is not appointed by the District within 90 days after the District receive notice or become aware of such condition, as the case may be, subsection (a) hereof shall no longer be applicable and the District shall cause the issuance of bonds representing the Bonds as provided below. In addition, the District may determine at any time that the Bonds shall no longer be lodged with a Depository and that the provisions of subsection (a) hereof shall no longer apply to the Bonds. In any such event the District shall cause the execution and delivery of certificated securities representing the Bonds as provided below. Bonds issued in exchange for global bonds pursuant to this subsection (c) shall be registered in such names and delivered in such denominations as the Depository shall instruct the District. The District shall cause delivery of such certificated securities representing the Bonds to the persons in whose names such Bonds are so registered.

If the District determines to replace the Depository with another qualified securities depository, the District shall prepare or cause to be prepared a new fully registered global bond for each of the maturities of Bonds, registered in the name of such successor or substitute securities depository or its nominee, or make such other arrangements as are acceptable to the District and such securities depository and not inconsistent with the terms of this Resolution.

(d) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution to the contrary, so long as any Bond is registered in the name of the Nominee, all payments with respect to principal of, premium, if any, and interest on such Bond and all notices with respect to such Bond shall be

made and given, respectively, as provided in the Representation Letter or as otherwise instructed by the Depository.

(e) The initial Depository under this Resolution shall be DTC. The initial Nominee shall be Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC.

SECTION 12. Execution of the Bonds.

(a) The Bonds shall be executed in the manner required by the Authorizing Law. In case any one or more of the officers who shall have signed any of the Bonds shall cease to be such officer before the Bonds so signed shall have been issued by the District, such Bonds may, nevertheless, be issued, as herein provided, as if the persons who signed such Bonds had not ceased to hold such offices.

(b) The Bonds shall bear thereon a certificate of authentication executed manually by the Paying Agent. Only such Bonds as shall bear thereon such certificate of authentication duly executed by the Paying Agent shall be entitled to any right or benefit under this Resolution and no Bond shall be valid or obligatory for any purpose until such certificate of authentication shall have been duly executed by the Paying Agent. Such certificate of the Paying Agent upon any Bond shall be conclusive evidence that the Bond so authorized has been duly authenticated and delivered under this Resolution and that the Owner thereof is entitled to the benefit of this Resolution.

SECTION 13. <u>Transfer and Exchange</u>. The registration of any Bond may be transferred upon the Bond Register upon surrender of such Bond to the Paying Agent. Such Bond shall be endorsed or accompanied by delivery of the written instrument of transfer shown in Exhibit A hereto, duly executed by the Owner or his duly authorized attorney, and payment of such reasonable transfer fees as the Paying Agent may establish. Upon such registration of transfer, a new Bond or Bonds, of like tenor and maturity in the same Transfer Amount and in authorized denominations, will be executed and delivered to the transferee in exchange therefor.

The Paying Agent shall deem and treat the person in whose name any Outstanding Bond shall be registered upon the Bond Register as the absolute owner of such Bond, whether the principal, premium, if any, or interest with respect to such Bond shall be overdue or not, for the purpose of receiving payment of principal, premium, if any, and interest with respect to such Bond and for all other purposes, and any such payments so made to any such Owner or upon his order shall be valid and effective to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Bond to the extent of the sum or sums so paid, and the District or the Paying Agent shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary.

Bonds may be exchanged at the office of the Paying Agent for Bonds of like tenor, maturity and Transfer Amount of other authorized denominations. All Bonds surrendered in any such exchange shall thereupon be cancelled by the Paying Agent. The Paying Agent may charge the Owner a reasonable sum for each new Bond executed and delivered upon any exchange (except in the case of the first exchange of any Bond in the form in which it is originally delivered, for which no charge shall be imposed) and the Paying Agent may require the payment by the Owner requesting such exchange of any tax or other governmental charge required to be paid with respect to such exchange.

The Paying Agent shall not be required to register the transfer or exchange of any Bond (i) during the period beginning at the close of business on any Record Date through the close of business on the immediately following Interest Payment Date, or (ii) that has been called or is subject to being called for redemption, during a period beginning at the opening of business 15 days before any selection of Bonds to be redeemed through the close of business on the applicable redemption date, except for the unredeemed portion of any Bond to be redeemed only in part.

Bonds Mutilated, Destroyed, Stolen or Lost. In case any Bond SECTION 14. shall become mutilated, the Paying Agent, at the expense of the Owner, shall deliver a new Bond of like date, interest rate, maturity, Transfer Amount and tenor as the Bond so mutilated in exchange and substitution for such mutilated Bond, upon surrender and cancellation thereof. All Bonds so surrendered shall be cancelled. If any Bond shall be destroyed, stolen or lost, evidence of such destruction, theft or loss may be submitted to the Paying Agent and if such evidence is satisfactory to the Paying Agent that such Bond has been destroyed, stolen or lost, and upon furnishing the Paying Agent with indemnity satisfactory to the Paying Agent and complying with such other reasonable regulations as the Paying Agent may prescribe and paying such expenses as the Paying Agent may incur, the Paying Agent shall, at the expense of the Owner, execute and deliver a new Bond of like date, interest rate, maturity, Transfer Amount and tenor in lieu of and in substitution for the Bond so destroyed, stolen or lost. Any new Bonds issued pursuant to this Section in substitution for Bonds alleged to be destroyed, stolen or lost shall constitute original additional contractual obligations on the part of the District, whether or not the Bonds so alleged to be destroyed, stolen or lost are at any time enforceable by anyone, and shall be equally secured by and entitled to equal and proportionate benefits with all other Bonds issued under this Resolution in any moneys or securities held by the Paying Agent for the benefit of the Owners of the Bonds.

SECTION 15. <u>Bond Register</u>. The Paying Agent shall keep or cause to be kept at its office sufficient books for the registration and registration of transfer of the Bonds. Upon presentation for registration of transfer, the Paying Agent shall, as above provided and under such reasonable regulations as it may prescribe subject to the provisions hereof, register or register the transfer of the Bonds, or cause the same to be registered or cause the registration of the same to be transferred, on such books. While the Bonds are held in the book-entry system, the Paying Agent is not required to keep the Bond Register.

SECTION 16. <u>Unclaimed Money</u>. All money which the Paying Agent shall have received from any source and set aside for the purpose of paying or redeeming any of the Bonds shall be held in trust for the respective Owners of such Bonds, but any money which shall be so set aside or deposited by the Paying Agent and which shall remain unclaimed by the Owners of such Bonds for a period of one year after the date on which any payment or redemption with respect to such Bonds shall have become due and payable shall be transferred to the General Fund of the District; provided, however, that the Paying Agent, before making such payment, shall cause notice to be mailed to the Owners of such Bonds, by first-class mail, postage prepaid, not less than 90 days prior to the date of such payment to the effect that said

money has not been claimed and that after a date named therein any unclaimed balance of said money then remaining will be transferred to the General Fund of the District. Thereafter, the Owners of such Bonds shall look only to the General Fund of the District for payment of such Bonds.

SECTION 17. Application of Proceeds; Escrow Agreement; Debt Service

Fund.

(a) A portion of the net proceeds of sale of the Bonds shall be transferred to the Escrow Agent for deposit into the Escrow Fund in an amount necessary to purchase the Defeasance Securities needed to defease, pay and redeem the Refunded Bonds.

(b) Accrued interest, if any, shall be kept separate and apart in the fund hereby created and established and to be designated as the "Santa Monica Community College District General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2002 Election, Series 2013A Debt Service Fund" (the "**Debt Service Fund**") and used only for payments of principal of and interest on the Bonds. Any excess proceeds of the Bonds not needed for the authorized purposes set forth herein for which the Bonds are being issued shall be transferred to the Debt Service Fund and applied to the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds.

(c) All Pledged Moneys shall be deposited upon collection by the County into the Debt Service Fund and used for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds.

(d) On the Business Day immediately preceding each Interest Payment Date if the Paying Agent is not the Treasurer, and on the Interest Payment Date if the Paying Agent is the Treasurer, the District shall transfer or cause to be transferred from the Debt Service Fund to the Paying Agent, an amount, in immediately available funds, sufficient to pay all the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds coming due (collectively, the "**Debt Service**") on such payment date. Debt Service on the Bonds shall be paid by the Paying Agent in the manner provided by law for the payment of Debt Service.

(e) The District shall cause moneys to be transferred to the Excess Earnings Fund, to the extent needed to comply with the Nonarbitrage Certificate. Any amounts on deposit in the Debt Service Fund when there are no longer any Bonds Outstanding shall be transferred to the general fund of the District subject to any conditions set forth in the Nonarbitrage Certificate.

(f) Certain proceeds of the Bonds shall be applied to pay Costs of Issuance as provided in Section 20 below.

SECTION 18. <u>Payment of and Security for the Bonds</u>. There shall be levied on all the taxable property in the District, in addition to all other taxes a continuing direct *ad valorem* tax annually during the period the Bonds are outstanding in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds when due, which monies when collected will be placed in the Debt Service Fund of the District, which fund is irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds when and as the same fall due (the "**Pledged Moneys**"). The District covenants to cause the County to take all actions necessary to levy such *ad valorem* tax in accordance with this Section and Section 53559 of the Government Code. Except as required below to satisfy the requirements of Section 148(f) of the Code, interest earned on the investment of monies held in the Debt Service Fund shall be retained in the Debt Service Fund and used to pay principal and interest on the Bonds when due.

SECTION 19. Establishment and Application of Excess Earnings Fund. There is hereby established in trust a special fund designated "Santa Monica Community College District General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2013A Excess Earnings Fund" (the "**Excess Earnings Fund**") which shall be held by the County Office of Education for the account of the District and which shall be kept separate and apart from all other funds and accounts held hereunder. The District shall transfer, or cause to be transferred, moneys to the Excess Earnings Fund in accordance with the provisions of the Nonarbitrage Certificate. Amounts on deposit in the Excess Earnings Fund shall only be applied to payments made to the United States or otherwise transferred to other accounts or funds established hereunder in accordance with the Nonarbitrage Certificate.

SECTION 20. Payment of Costs of Issuance. Proceeds of the sale of the Bonds necessary to pay all costs of issuing the Bonds shall be deposited in the fund of the District known as the "Santa Monica Community College District 2002 Election, Series 2013A Cost of Issuance Fund" (the "Cost of Issuance Fund") and shall be kept separate and distinct from all other District funds, and those proceeds shall be used solely for the purpose of paying Costs of Issuance of the Bonds. The Cost of Issuance Fund may be held and administered by the Paying Agent. Notwithstanding the foregoing, all or a portion of the costs of issuance may be paid by the Underwriters or by a fiscal agent designated for such purpose. Any amounts retained for payment of Costs of Issuance and returned to the District pursuant to the Contract of Purchase shall be transferred to the Debt Service Fund to be applied to the payment of the principal of and/or interest on the Bonds.

SECTION 21. <u>Negotiated Sale/Method of Sale</u>. The Bonds shall be sold by negotiated sale to the Underwriters inasmuch as: (i) such a sale will allow the District to integrate the sale of the Bonds with other public financings undertaken, or to be undertaken, by the District in order to refinance outstanding debt or finance and fund its public education facilities; (ii) such a sale will allow the District to utilize the services of consultants who are familiar with the financial needs, status and plans of the District; and (iii) such a sale will allow the District to control the timing of the sale of the Bonds to the municipal bond market and, potentially, take advantage of interest rate opportunities for favorable sale of the Bonds to such market and the generation of increased savings to the taxpayers of the District.

SECTION 22. Engagement of Consultants; Parameters of Sale. Nixon Peabody LLP has been selected as the District's bond and disclosure counsel and RBC Capital Markets, LLC and Mitsubishi UFJ Securities (USA), Inc. have been selected to act as Underwriters with respect to the authorization, sale and issuance of the Bonds. The estimated costs of issuance associated with the sale of the Bonds are approximately 0.3% of the estimated par amount of the Bonds, which include bond and disclosure counsel fees, costs of printing the Official Statement, rating agency fees, Paying Agent fees, Escrow Agent fees, the fees of the Verification Agent, the fees of the Financial Advisor and other related costs. In addition, the estimated Underwriters' discount, which is not included in the percentage above, is 0.5% of the estimated par amount. An estimate of the itemized fees and expenses is on file with the Superintendent.

SECTION 23. <u>Establishment of Additional Funds and Accounts</u>. If at any time it is deemed necessary or desirable by the District, the Treasurer, the County Office of Education, the Paying Agent, or the District may establish additional funds under this Resolution and/or accounts within any of the funds or accounts established hereunder.

SECTION 24. <u>Request for Necessary County Actions</u>.

(a) The Board of Supervisors, the Auditor-Controller, the Treasurer, and other officials of the County, are hereby requested to take and authorize such actions as may be necessary pursuant to law to provide for the levy and collection of a property tax on all taxable property of the District sufficient to provide for payment of all principal of, redemption premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds as the same shall become due and payable as necessary for the payment of the Bonds, and the Clerk of the Board is hereby authorized and directed to deliver certified copies of this Resolution to the Executive Officer-Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County, the Auditor-Controller of the County, and the Treasurer. The Board hereby agrees to reimburse the County for any costs associated with the levy and collection of said tax, upon such documentation of said costs as the District shall reasonably request.

(b) The Board of Supervisors, the Auditor-Controller, the Treasurer and other officials of the County, are hereby requested to take and authorize such actions as may be necessary, upon, but only upon, the defeasance or redemption of the Refunded Bonds from proceeds of the Bonds, to discontinue the levy of property taxes on all taxable property of the District for the payment of the Refunded Bonds, pursuant to Section 53561 of the Government Code.

SECTION 25. <u>Notice of Redemption of Refunded Bonds</u>. The Escrow Agent is hereby authorized and directed to give notice of redemption of the Refunded Bonds, pursuant to the terms of the resolution of the County Board of Supervisors authorizing the issuance thereof and pursuant to the terms of the Escrow Agreement.

SECTION 26. <u>Redemption</u>. The Bonds shall be subject to redemption as provided in the Contract of Purchase.

SECTION 27. <u>Selection of Bonds for Redemption</u>. Whenever provision is made in this Resolution or in the Contract of Purchase for the redemption of the Bonds and less than all Outstanding Bonds are to be redeemed, the Paying Agent, upon written instruction from the District given at least 60 days prior to the payment date designated for such redemption, shall select Bonds for redemption in the manner directed by the District. Within a maturity, the Paying Agent shall select Bonds for redemption by lot. Redemption by lot shall be in such manner as the Paying Agent shall determine; provided, however, that the portion of any Bond to be redeemed in part shall be in the principal amount of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof.</u>

SECTION 28. <u>Notice of Redemption</u>. When redemption is authorized or required pursuant to this Resolution or the Contract of Purchase, the Paying Agent, upon written

instruction from the District given at least 60 days prior to the payment date designated for such redemption, shall give notice (each, a **"Redemption Notice"**) of the redemption of the Bonds. Such Redemption Notice shall specify: (a) the Bonds or designated portions thereof (in the case of redemption of the Bonds in part but not in whole) which are to be redeemed, (b) the date of redemption, (c) the place or places where the redemption will be made, including the name and address of the Paying Agent, (d) the redemption price, (e) the CUSIP numbers (if any) assigned to the Bonds to be redeemed, (f) the Bond numbers of the Bonds to be redeemed in whole or in part and, in the case of any Bond to be redeemed in part only, the principal amount of such Bond to be redeemed in whole or in part. Such Redemption Notice shall further state (a) that on the specified date there shall become due and payable upon each Bond or portion thereof being redeemed the redemption price, together with the interest accrued to the redemption date, and (b) that from and after such date interest with respect thereto shall cease to accrue and be payable.

The Paying Agent shall take the following actions with respect to such Redemption Notice:

(a) At least 20 but not more than 45 days prior to the redemption date, such Redemption Notice shall be given to the respective Owners of Bonds designated for redemption by first class mail, postage prepaid, at their addresses appearing on the Bond Register.

(b) In the event that the Bonds shall no longer be held in book-entry-only form, at least 35 but not more than 45 days before the redemption date, such Redemption Notice shall be given by (i) first class mail, postage prepaid, (ii) telephonically confirmed facsimile transmission, or (iii) overnight delivery service, to each of the Securities Depositories.

(c) In the event that the Bonds shall no longer be held in book-entry-only form, at least 35 but not more than 45 days before the redemption date, such Redemption Notice shall be given by (i) first class mail, postage prepaid, or (ii) overnight delivery service, to the MSRB.

Neither failure to receive any Redemption Notice nor any defect in any such Redemption Notice so given shall affect the sufficiency of the proceedings for the redemption of the affected Bonds. Each check issued or other transfer of funds made by the Paying Agent for the purpose of redeeming Bonds shall bear the CUSIP number identifying, by issue and maturity, the Bonds being redeemed with the proceeds of such check or other transfer.

SECTION 29. <u>Partial Redemption of Bonds</u>. Upon the surrender of any Bond redeemed in part only, the Paying Agent shall execute and deliver to the Owner thereof a new Bond or Bonds of like tenor and maturity and of authorized denominations equal in Transfer Amounts to the unredeemed portion of the Bond surrendered. Such partial redemption shall be valid upon payment of the amount required to be paid to such Owner, and the District shall be released and discharged thereupon from all liability to the extent of such payment.

SECTION 30. Effect of Notice of Redemption. Notice having been given as aforesaid, and the moneys for the redemption (including the interest to the applicable date of

redemption) having been set aside in the Debt Service Fund, the Bonds to be redeemed shall become due and payable on such date of redemption.

If on such redemption date, money for the redemption of all the Bonds to be redeemed as provided in this Resolution and the Contract of Purchase, together with interest to such redemption date, shall be held by the Paying Agent so as to be available therefor on such redemption date, and if notice of redemption thereof shall have been given as aforesaid, then from and after such redemption date, interest with respect to the Bonds to be redeemed shall cease to accrue and become payable. All money held by or on behalf of the Paying Agent for the redemption of Bonds shall be held in trust for the account of the Owners of the Bonds so to be redeemed.

All Bonds paid at maturity or redeemed prior to maturity pursuant to the provisions of this Resolution and the Contract of Purchase shall be cancelled upon surrender thereof and delivered to or upon the order of the District. All or any portion of a Bond purchased by the District shall be cancelled by the Paying Agent upon written notice by the District given to the Paying Agent.

SECTION 31. Paying Agent; Appointment and Acceptance of Duties.

(a) The Treasurer or his or her designated agent is hereby appointed as the initial Paying Agent. All fees and expenses incurred for services of the Paying Agent shall be the sole responsibility of the District. The Paying Agent shall keep accurate records of all funds administered by it and of all Bonds paid and discharged by it.

(b) Unless otherwise provided, the office of the Paying Agent designated by the Paying Agent shall be the place for the payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds.

SECTION 32. <u>Liability of Paying Agent</u>. The Paying Agent makes no representations as to the validity or sufficiency of this Resolution or of any Bonds issued hereunder or as to the security afforded by this Resolution, and the Paying Agent shall incur no liability in respect hereof or thereof.

SECTION 33. Evidence on Which Paying Agent May Act. The Paying Agent, upon receipt of any notice, resolution, request, consent, order, certificate, report, opinion, bond, or other paper or document furnished to it pursuant to any provision of this Resolution, shall examine such instrument to determine whether it conforms to the requirements of this Resolution and shall be protected in acting upon any such instrument believed by it to be genuine and to have been signed or presented by the proper party or parties. The Paying Agent may consult with counsel, who may or may not be counsel to the District, and the opinion of such counsel shall be full and complete authorization and protection in respect of any action taken or suffered by it under this Resolution in good faith and in accordance therewith.

SECTION 34. <u>Compensation</u>. The District shall pay to the Paying Agent from time to time reasonable compensation for all services rendered under this Resolution, and also all reasonable expenses, charges, counsel fees and other disbursements, including those of its attorneys, agents, and employees, incurred in and about the performance of their powers and

duties under this Resolution, all of which may, pursuant to Education Code Section 15232, be paid from the County's annual levy of *ad valorem* taxes.

SECTION 35. <u>Ownership of Bonds Permitted</u>. The Paying Agent or the Underwriters may become the Owner of any Bonds.

SECTION 36. <u>Resignation or Removal of Paying Agent and Appointment of</u> <u>Successor</u>.

(a) The initially appointed Paying Agent may resign from service as Paying Agent at any time. Prior to such resignation a new Paying Agent shall be appointed by the District in accordance with applicable law, which shall be the Treasurer or a bank or trust company doing business in and having a corporate trust office in Los Angeles or San Francisco, California, with at least \$50,000,000 in net assets. Such successor Paying Agent shall signify the acceptance of its duties and obligations hereunder by executing and delivering to the District, a written acceptance thereof. Resignation of the initial or a successor Paying Agent shall be effective upon appointment and acceptance of a successor Paying Agent.

(b) Any Paying Agent appointed may resign from service as Paying Agent and may be removed at any time by the District as provided in the Paying Agent's service agreement. If at any time the Paying Agent shall resign or be removed, a new Paying Agent shall be appointed in accordance with applicable law, which shall be either the Treasurer or a bank or trust company doing business in and having a corporate trust office in Los Angeles or San Francisco, California, with at least \$50,000,000 in net assets. Such successor Paying Agent shall signify the acceptance of its duties and obligations hereunder by executing and delivering to the District, a written acceptance thereof. Resignation or removal of the Paying Agent shall be effective upon appointment and acceptance of a successor Paying Agent.

(c) In the event of the resignation or removal of the Paying Agent, such Paying Agent shall pay over, assign and deliver any moneys held by it as Paying Agent to its successor. The District shall promptly provide notice of the name and principal corporate trust office address of the Paying Agent appointed to replace any resigned or removed Paying Agent to the Owners of the Bonds by first class mail, postage prepaid, at their addresses appearing on the Bond Register.

SECTION 37. <u>Valuation and Sale of Investments</u>. Obligations purchased as an investment of moneys in any fund or account shall be deemed at all times to be a part of such fund or account. Profits or losses attributable to any fund or account shall be credited or charged to such fund or account. In computing the amount in any fund or account created under the provisions of this Resolution for any purpose provided in this Resolution, obligations purchased as an investment of moneys therein shall be valued at cost, plus, where applicable, accrued interest.

SECTION 38. <u>Supplemental Resolutions with Consent of Owners</u>. This Resolution, and the rights and obligations of the District and of the Owners of the Bonds issued hereunder, may be modified or amended at any time by a Supplemental Resolution adopted by the District with the written consent of Owners owning at least 60% in aggregate principal

amount of the Outstanding Bonds, exclusive of Bonds, if any, owned by the District. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no such modification or amendment shall, without the express consent of the Owner of each Bond affected, reduce the principal amount of any Bond, reduce the interest rate payable thereon, advance the earliest redemption date thereof, extend its maturity or the times for paying interest thereon or change the monetary medium in which principal and interest is payable, nor shall any modification or amendment reduce the percentage of consents required for amendment or modification. No such Supplemental Resolution shall change or modify any of the rights or obligations of any Paying Agent without its written assent thereto. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, no such consent shall be required if the Owners are not directly and adversely affected by such amendment or modification.

SECTION 39. <u>Supplemental Resolutions Effective Without Consent of</u> <u>Owners</u>. For any one or more of the following purposes and at any time or from time to time, a Supplemental Resolution of the District may be adopted, which, without the requirement of consent of the Owners, shall be fully effective in accordance with its terms:

(a) To add to the covenants and agreements of the District in this Resolution, other covenants and agreements to be observed by the District which are not contrary to or inconsistent with this Resolution as theretofore in effect;

(b) To add to the limitations and restrictions in this Resolution, other limitations and restrictions to be observed by the District which are not contrary to or inconsistent with this Resolution as theretofore in effect;

(c) To confirm as further assurance, any pledge under, and the subjection to any lien or pledge created or to be created by this Resolution, of any moneys, securities or funds, or to establish any additional funds, or accounts to be held under this Resolution;

(d) To cure any ambiguity, supply any omission, or cure to correct any defect or inconsistent provision in this Resolution; or

(e) To amend or supplement this Resolution in any other respect, provided such Supplemental Resolution does not, in the opinion of Bond Counsel, adversely affect the interests of the Owners.

SECTION 40. Effect of Supplemental Resolution. Any act done pursuant to a modification or amendment so consented to shall be binding upon the Owners of all the Bonds and shall not be deemed an infringement of any of the provisions of this Resolution, whatever the character of such act may be, and may be done and performed as fully and freely as if expressly permitted by the terms of this Resolution, and after consent relating to such specified matters has been given, no Owner shall have any right or interest to object to such action or in any manner to question the propriety thereof or to enjoin or restrain the District or any officer or agent thereof from taking any action pursuant thereto.

SECTION 41. <u>Defeasance</u>. If any or all Outstanding Bonds shall be paid and discharged in any one or more of the following ways:

- (1) by paying or causing to be paid the principal, premium, if any, and interest on such Bonds, and when the same become due and payable;
- (2) by depositing with the Paying Agent, in trust, at or before maturity, cash which together with the amounts then on deposit in the Debt Service Fund (and the accounts therein other than amounts that are not available to pay Debt Service) together with the interest to accrue thereon without the need for further investment, is fully sufficient to pay such Bonds at maturity thereof, including any premium and all interest thereon, notwithstanding that any Bonds shall not have been surrendered for payment; or
- (3) by depositing with an institution that meets the requirements of serving as successor Paying Agent pursuant to Section 36 selected by the District, in trust, lawful money or noncallable direct obligations issued by the United States Treasury (including State and Local Government Series) or obligations which are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America and permitted under Section 149(b) of the Code and Regulations which, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, will not impair the exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes of interest on the Bonds, in such amount as will, together with the interest to accrue thereon without the need for further investment, be fully sufficient to pay and discharge such Bonds at maturity or earlier redemption thereof, for which notice has been given or provided for, including any premium and all interest thereon, notwithstanding that any Bonds shall not have been surrendered for payment;

then all obligations of the District and the Paying Agent under this Resolution with respect to such Bonds shall cease and terminate, except only the obligation of the Paying Agent to pay or cause to be paid to the Owners of such Bonds all sums due thereon, and the obligation of the District to pay to the Paying Agent amounts owing to the Paying Agent under Section 34 hereof.

SECTION 42. Approval of Actions; Miscellaneous.

(a) The Superintendent and the other officers of the District are hereby authorized and directed, jointly and severally, to do any and all things and to execute and deliver any and all documents which they may deem necessary or advisable in order to proceed with the issuance of the Bonds or otherwise carry out, give effect to and comply with the terms and intent of this Resolution. Such actions heretofore taken by such officers, officials and staff are hereby ratified, confirmed and approved.

(b) The County, its Board of Supervisors, officers, agents, and employees shall not be responsible for any proceedings or the preparation or contents of any resolutions, certificates, statements, disclosures, notices, contracts, or other documents relating to the sale and issuance of the Bonds.

(c) The principal of and interest and redemption premium (if any) on the Bonds shall not constitute debt or an obligation of the County, its Board of Supervisors, officers,

agents, or employees, and the County, its Board of Supervisors, officers, agents, and employees thereof shall not be liable thereon. In no event shall the principal of and interest and redemption premium (if any) on any Bond be payable out of any funds or property of the County.

(d) The Clerk shall send a certified copy of this Resolution, together with the final debt service schedule for the Bonds, to the Treasurer.

SECTION 43. <u>Conflicts</u>. If there is any inconsistency or conflict between any provision of this Resolution and any provision of the Contract of Purchase, the Contract of Purchase prevails to the extent of the inconsistency or conflict.

SECTION 44. <u>Effective Date</u>. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED this _____ day of May, 2013, by the Board of Trustees of the Santa Monica Community College District, at a regularly scheduled meeting held in Santa Monica, California, at a location freely accessible to the public, by the following vote:

AYES:	
NOES:	
ABSTAIN:	
ABSENT:	

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

By:

President of the Board of Trustees

Attest:

By:_

Clerk of the Board of Trustees

EXHIBIT A

FORM OF BOND

UNLESS THIS BOND IS PRESENTED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEPOSITORY (AS DEFINED IN THE RESOLUTION) TO THE BOND REGISTRAR FOR REGISTRATION OF TRANSFER, EXCHANGE, OR PAYMENT, AND ANY BOND ISSUED IS REGISTERED IN THE NAME OF CEDE & CO. OR IN SUCH OTHER NAME AS IS REQUESTED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEPOSITORY (AND ANY PAYMENT IS MADE TO CEDE & CO. OR TO SUCH OTHER ENTITY AS IS REQUESTED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEPOSITORY), ANY TRANSFER, PLEDGE, OR OTHER USE HEREOF FOR VALUE OR OTHERWISE BY OR TO ANY PERSON IS WRONGFUL INASMUCH AS THE REGISTERED OWNER HEREOF, CEDE & CO., HAS AN INTEREST HEREIN.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT **GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS, 2002 ELECTION, SERIES 2013A**

\$_____

No. R-

Interest Rate %

Maturity Date Dated Date August 1,

CUSIP

REGISTERED OWNER

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT:

The Santa Monica Community College District (the "District"), a community college district duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, located within the County of Los Angeles, State of California (the "County"), for value received, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to the Registered Owner set forth above the principal amount set forth above, on the Maturity Date set forth above, together with interest thereon from the dated date set forth above until the principal amount hereof shall have been paid or provided for, in accordance with the Resolution hereinafter referred to, at the interest rate set forth above. Interest on this Bond is payable on August 1, 2013, and semiannually thereafter on the first day of February and August (each, an "Interest Payment Date") in each year to the registered owner hereof from the Interest Payment Date next preceding the date on which this Bond is registered (unless it is registered after the close of business on the fifteenth calendar day of the month preceding any Interest Payment Date (each, a "Record Date") and before the close of business on the immediately following Interest Payment Date, in which event it shall bear

interest from such following Interest Payment Date, or unless this Bond is registered prior to the close of business on the first Record Date, in which event it shall bear interest from its date; provided, however, that if at the time of registration of this Bond, interest with respect hereto is in default, interest with respect hereto shall be payable from the Interest Payment Date to which interest has previously been paid or made available for payment). The principal amount hereof is payable at the office of U.S. Bank National Association, as agent of the Treasurer and Tax Collector of the County of Los Angeles, as paying agent (the "Paying Agent"), or at the office of a successor Paying Agent appointed pursuant to the Resolution (as hereinafter defined). The interest hereon is payable by check or draft mailed by first class mail to each registered owner (an "Owner"), at his address as it appears on the registration books kept by the Paying Agent as of the Record Date, or by wire transfer to any Owner of \$1,000,000 in principal amount or more of Bonds, to the account specified by the Owner in a written request delivered to the Paying Agent on or prior to the Record Date for such Interest Payment Date; provided, however, that payments of defaulted interest shall be payable to the person in whose name this Bond is registered at the close of business on a special record date fixed therefor by the Paying Agent which shall not be more than fifteen days and not less than ten days prior to the date of the proposed payment of defaulted interest.

The Bonds of this issue are comprised of \$______ principal amount of Santa Monica Community College District General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2002 Election, Series 2013A. This Bond is issued by the District under and in accordance with the provisions of Articles 9 and 11 of Chapter 3 of Part 1 of Division 2 of Title 5 (commencing with Sections 53550 and 53580, respectively) of the Government Code of the State of California, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees of the District on May 7, 2013 (the "**Resolution**"). Reference is hereby made to the Resolution, a copy of which is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of the District, for a description of the terms on which the Bonds are delivered, and the rights thereunder of the registered owners of the Bonds and the rights and duties of the Paying Agent, and the District, to all of the provisions of which the registered owner of this Bond, by acceptance hereof, assents and agrees. All capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the respective meanings set forth in the Resolution.

The Bonds are being issued for the purpose of effecting an advance refunding of certain outstanding general obligation bonds of the District issued pursuant to an authorization obtained from the qualified electors of the District on March 5, 2002, for the issuance of \$160,000,000 aggregate principal amount of general obligation bonds and to pay costs of issuance with regard to the Bonds.

This Bond is a general obligation of the District, payable as to both principal and interest from *ad valorem* taxes which, under the laws now in force, may be levied without limitation as to rate or amount upon all of the taxable property in the District. Neither the payment of the principal of this Bond, or any part thereof, nor any interest or premium hereon constitutes a debt, liability or obligation of the County.

This Bond is issued in fully registered. Registration of this Bond is transferable by the registered owner hereof, in person or by his attorney duly authorized in writing, at the aforesaid offices of the Paying Agent, but only in the manner, subject to the limitations, and upon payment of the charges, provided in the Resolution and upon surrender and cancellation of this Bond.

Upon such registration of transfer, a new Bond or Bonds, of like tenor and maturity in the same principal Amount and in authorized denominations will be issued to the transferee in exchange herefor. The District and the Paying Agent may treat the registered owner hereof as the absolute owner hereof for all purposes, whether or not this Bond shall be overdue, and shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary.

[The Bonds maturing on and prior to August 1, 20 __, shall not be subject to redemption prior to their scheduled maturities; Bonds maturing on and after August 1, 20__, shall be subject to optional redemption at a price of par, plus accrued interest to the date of redemption, on August 1, 20__ and any date thereafter.]

The rights and obligations of the District and of the Owners of the Bonds may be modified or amended at any time by a supplemental resolution adopted by the District with the written consent of Owners of at least 60% in aggregate principal amount of the Outstanding Bonds, exclusive of Bonds, if any, owned by the District. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no such modification or amendment shall, without the express consent of the Owner of each Bond affected, reduce the principal amount of any Bond, reduce the interest rate payable thereon, advance the earliest redemption date thereof, extend its maturity or the times for paying interest thereon or change the monetary medium in which principal and interest is payable, nor shall any modification. No such supplemental resolution shall change or modify any of the rights or obligations of any Paying Agent without its written assent thereto. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, no such consent shall be required if the Owners are not directly and adversely affected by such amendment or modification.

A supplemental resolution of the District may be adopted, which, without the requirement of consent of the Owners, shall be fully effective in accordance with its terms: (1) to add to the covenants and agreements of the District in the Resolution, other covenants and agreements to be observed by the District which are not contrary to or inconsistent with the Resolution as theretofore in effect; (2) to add to the limitations and restrictions in the Resolution, other limitations and restrictions to be observed by the District which are not contrary to or inconsistent with the Resolution as theretofore in effect; (3) to confirm as further assurance, any pledge under, and the subjection to any lien or pledge created or to be created by the Resolution, of any moneys, securities or funds, or to establish any additional funds or accounts to be held under the Resolution; (4) to cure any ambiguity, supply any omission, or cure or correct any defect or inconsistent provision in the Resolution; or (5) to amend or supplement the Resolution in any other respect, provided such supplemental resolution does not, in the opinion of nationally-recognized bond counsel, adversely affect the interests of the owners.

If this Bond is called for redemption and the principal amount of this Bond plus premium, if any, and accrued interest due with respect hereto are duly provided therefor as specified in the Resolution, then interest shall cease to accrue with respect hereto from and after the date fixed for redemption.

This Bond shall not become valid or obligatory for any purpose until the Certificate of Authentication hereon endorsed shall have been dated and executed manually by the Paying Agent.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED, RECITED AND DECLARED, that an election was duly and legally called, held and conducted, and the notices thereof duly given, and the results thereof canvassed and declared in accordance with the provisions of the Authorizing Law and that all of the proceedings of the Board of Trustees of the District and in the matter of the issuance of this Bond were regular and in strict accordance with the provisions of the Authorizing Law and of the Constitution of the State of California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Santa Monica Community College District has caused this Bond to be executed as of the date hereof.

SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

Dated: _____, 20___

By:[FORM ONLY]

President, Board of Trustees

Attest:

By:[FORM ONLY] Clerk of the Board of Trustees

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION

This is one of the Bonds described in the within-mentioned Resolution of Santa Monica Community College District.

DATED:_____

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, as Paying Agent

By:_____ Authorized Signatory

FORM OF ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned registered owner hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto

Social Security Number or other Tax Identification No.:

Registered Owner

Dated:

NOTICE: The signature on this Assignment must correspond with the name as written on the face of the within Bond in every particular, without alteration or enlargement or any change whatsoever.

Signature _____ guaranteed

[Bank, Trust Company or Firm]

By: _____ Authorized Officer

NOTICE: Signature(s) must be guaranteed by a member firm of the New York Stock Exchange or a commercial bank or trust company.

EXHIBIT B

FORM OF 15c2-12 CERTIFICATE

With respect to the proposed sale of its General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2002 Election, Series 2013A in the maximum aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$____,000,000, the Santa Monica Community College District (the "District") has delivered to you a Preliminary Official Statement, dated as of the date hereof (the "Preliminary Official Statement"). The District, for purposes of compliance with Rule 15c2-12 of the Securities Exchange Commission ("Rule 15c2-12"), deems the Preliminary Official Statement to be final as of its date, except for the omission of no more than the information permitted under Rule 15c2-12.

SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

Dated: _____, 2013

By:[FORM ONLY] Authorized Officer **Resolution No. 8**

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS, 2004 ELECTION, SERIES 2013B (FEDERALLY TAXABLE) IN AN AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$25,000,000 AND APPROVING CERTAIN OTHER MATTERS RELATING TO SAID BONDS

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WHEREAS, a duly called election was held in the Santa Monica Community College District, a community college district duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of California (the "District"), County of Los Angeles (the "County"), State of California, on November 2, 2004 (the "2004 Election"), and thereafter canvassed pursuant to law; and

WHEREAS, at the 2004 Election, there was submitted to and approved by the requisite fifty-five percent (55%) vote of the qualified electors of the District voting on the proposition a question as to the issuance and sale of general obligation bonds of the District for various purposes set forth in the ballot submitted to the voters, in the maximum amount of \$135,000,000, payable from the levy of an *ad valorem* tax against the taxable property in the District; and

WHEREAS, as authorized at the 2004 Election, the Board of Trustees of the District (the "Governing Board") previously caused to be issued \$58,000,000 principal amount of the District's General Obligation Bonds, 2004 Election, 2005 Series A (the "2005A Bonds"), which were refunded on an advance basis by the District through the issuance of the District's \$40,064,768.35 aggregate principal and initial issue amount of General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2004 Election, 2007 C Refunding Bonds"), of which \$18,225,607.00 initial issue amount are presently outstanding and eligible for refunding; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Articles 9 and 11 of Chapter 3 of Part 1 of Division 2 of Title 5 of the California Government Code (commencing with Sections 53550 and 53580, respectively), the District is authorized to issue, or cause to be issued, general obligation bonds to refund the 2007C Refunding Bonds, upon a demonstration of savings in debt service; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Board has now determined that conditions in the financial markets have become favorable for refunding the 2007C Refunding Bonds by issuing its Santa Monica Community College District General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2004 Election, Series 2013B (Federally Taxable) (the "Bonds"), resulting in savings to the taxpayers of the District; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 53558(a) of the Government Code, the District is authorized to deposit proceeds of the sale of the Bonds in escrow in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest and redemption premiums, if any, on the outstanding 2007C Refunding Bonds (hereineafter, the "**Refunded Bonds**") as they become due or at designated dates prior to maturity, and to use proceeds of the Bonds to pay the costs of issuance of the Bonds; and

WHEREAS, this Governing Board has determined that it is desirable to sell the Bonds pursuant to a negotiated underwriting, to RBC Capital Markets, LLC, as representative of the underwriters (the "**Representative**"), pursuant to a Contract of Purchase (as defined herein), a form of which has been submitted to this meeting of the Governing Board and is on file with the Clerk thereof (the "**Clerk**"); and

WHEREAS, a form of escrow agreement (the "Escrow Agreement"), by and between the District and U.S. Bank National Association, as escrow agent (the "Escrow Agent"), directing the establishment of an escrow fund for deposit of certain proceeds of sale of the Bonds for the purpose of paying and redeeming the Refunded Bonds has been submitted to this meeting of the Governing Board and is on file with the Clerk; and

WHEREAS, a form of the preliminary official statement (the "Preliminary Official Statement") relating to the Bonds has been submitted to this meeting of the Governing Board and is on file with the Clerk; and

WHEREAS, a form of continuing disclosure undertaking (the "Continuing Disclosure Undertaking"), attached as Appendix C to the Preliminary Official Statement, has been submitted to this meeting of the Governing Board and is on file with the Clerk; and

WHEREAS, this Governing Board desires that the County of Los Angeles Treasurer and Tax Collector (the "Treasurer") should levy and collect an *ad valorem* property tax on all taxable property within the District sufficient to provide for payment of the Bonds, and intends by the adoption of this Resolution to notify the Board of Supervisors of the County, the Auditor-Controller of the County, the Treasurer and other officials of the County that they should take such actions as shall be necessary to provide for the levy and collection of such tax and payment of the Bonds; and

WHEREAS, all acts, conditions and things required by law to be done or performed have been done and performed in strict conformity with the laws authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds of the District, and the indebtedness of the District, including this proposed issue of Bonds, is within all limits prescribed by law;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, DETERMINED AND ORDERED by the Board of Trustees of Santa Monica Community College District as follows:

SECTION 1. <u>Definitions</u>. Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings set forth in the Recitals hereto. Additionally, the following terms shall for all purposes of this Resolution have the following meanings:

"<u>Auditor-Controller</u>" shall mean the Auditor-Controller of the County.

"<u>Authorizing Law</u>" shall mean Articles 9 and 11 of Chapter 3 of Part 1 of Division 2 of Title 5 (commencing with Sections 53550 and 53580, respectively) of the Government Code.

"Board of Supervisors" shall mean the Board of Supervisors of the County.

"<u>Bond Counsel</u>" shall mean Nixon Peabody LLP or any other firm that is a nationally recognized bond counsel firm.

"Bond Register" shall mean the books referred to in Section 15 of this Resolution.

"<u>Business Day</u>" shall mean a day which is not a Saturday, Sunday or a day on which banking institutions in the State or the State of New York and the New York Stock Exchange are authorized or required to be closed.

"<u>Contract of Purchase</u>" shall mean the Contract of Purchase by and between the District and the Underwriters relating to the Bonds.

"Costs of Issuance" shall mean all of the authorized costs of issuing the Bonds as described in the Authorizing Law, including but not limited to, all printing and document preparation expenses in connection with this Resolution, the Bonds and the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement pertaining to the Bonds and any and all other agreements, instruments, certificates or other documents prepared in connection therewith; financial advisory fees; underwriter's fees; rating agency fees; auditor's fees; CUSIP service bureau charges; legal fees and expenses of counsel with respect to the financing, including the fees and expenses of Bond Counsel; the initial fees and expenses of the Paying Agent, the Escrow Agent and the Verification Agent; fees for credit enhancement (if any) relating to the Bonds; and other fees and expenses are approved by the District.

"County" shall mean the County of Los Angeles, California.

"<u>County Office of Education</u>" shall mean the Office of Education of the County and such other persons as may be designated by the County Office of Education to perform the operational and disbursement functions hereunder.

"Debt Service" shall have the meaning given to that term in Section 17 of this Resolution.

"<u>Debt Service Fund</u>" shall mean the Debt Service Fund established pursuant to Section 17 of this Resolution.

"<u>Defeasance Securities</u>" shall mean lawful money or noncallable direct obligations issued by the United States Treasury or obligations which are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America.

"<u>Depository</u>" shall mean DTC and its successors and assigns or if (a) the then-acting Depository resigns from its functions as securities depository for the Bonds, or (b) the District discontinues use of the Depository pursuant to this Resolution, any other securities depository which agrees to follow procedures required to be followed by a securities depository in connection with the Bonds.

"<u>DTC</u>" shall mean The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York, and its successors and assigns.

"<u>Escrow Fund</u>" shall mean the fund by that name established under the Escrow Agreement, into which the net proceeds of sale of the Bonds shall be deposited in order to effect the advance refunding of the Refunded Bonds.

"<u>Federal Securities</u>" shall mean direct obligations of the United States Treasury or obligations which are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States or which are issued or guaranteed by the Export-Import Bank of the United States, the Farmers Home Administration, the General Services Administration, the Small Business Administration, the Government National Mortgage Association, the United States Department of Housing and Urban Affairs and the Federal Housing Administration (including obligations issued or held in book-entry form on the books of the Department of the Treasury of the United States), provided the principal of and interest on such obligations are backed by the full faith and credit of the United States of America.

"<u>Financial Advisor</u>" shall mean First Southwest Company, Santa Monica, California, acting as financial advisor to the District in connection with the issuance and sale of the Bonds.

"<u>Fiscal Year</u>" shall mean the twelve-month period commencing on July 1 of each year and ending on the following June 30 or any other fiscal year selected by the District.

"<u>Interest Payment Date</u>" shall mean February 1 and August 1 in each year, commencing August 1, 2013 or as otherwise specified in the Contract of Purchase.

"<u>Moody's</u>" shall mean Moody's Investors Service, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, its successors and assigns, except that if such corporation shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating agency for any reason, the term "Moody's" shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating agency selected by the District.

"<u>MSRB</u>" means the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board or any other entity designated or authorized by the Securities and Exchange Commission to receive the reports described in the Continuing Disclosure Undertaking. Until otherwise designated by the MSRB or the Securities and Exchange Commission, filings with the MSRB are to be made through the Electronic Municipal Market Access (EMMA) website of the MSRB, currently located at http://emma.msrb.org.

"<u>Nominee</u>" shall mean the nominee of the Depository which may be the Depository, as determined from time to time by the Depository.

"<u>Official Statement</u>" shall mean the final official statement of the District describing the Bonds.

"<u>Outstanding</u>," when used with reference to the Bonds, shall mean, as of any date, Bonds theretofore issued or thereupon being issued under this Resolution except:

- (i) Bonds canceled at or prior to such date;
- (ii) Bonds in lieu of or in substitution for which other Bonds shall have been delivered pursuant to Section 14 hereof;
- (iii) Bonds for the payment or redemption of which funds or eligible securities in the necessary amount shall have been set aside (whether on or prior to the maturity or redemption date of such Bonds), in accordance with Section 40 of this Resolution.

"Owner" shall mean the registered owner, as indicated in the Bond Register, of any Bond.

"Participant" shall mean a member of or participant in the Depository.

"Paying Agent" shall mean the paying agent designated pursuant to Section 30 hereof.

"<u>Pledged Moneys</u>" shall have the meaning given to that term in Section 18 of this Resolution.

"<u>Record Date</u>" shall mean the close of business on the fifteenth calendar day of the month next preceding an Interest Payment Date.

"<u>S&P</u>" shall mean Standard & Poor's Ratings Services, a Standard & Poor's Financial Services LLC business, its successors and assigns, except that if such corporation shall no longer perform the functions of a securities rating agency for any reason, the term "S&P" shall be deemed to refer to any other nationally recognized securities rating agency selected by the District.

"Securities Depositories" shall mean The Depository Trust Company, 55 Water Street, New York, New York 10041, Facsimile transmission: (212) 785-9681, (212) 855-3215, and, in accordance with then-current guideline of the Securities and Exchange Commission, such other addresses and/or such other securities depositories as the District may designate in a Certificate delivered to the Paying Agent.

"State" shall mean the State of California.

"Superintendent" shall mean the Superintendent/President of the District.

"<u>Supplemental Resolution</u>" shall mean any resolution supplemental to or amendatory of this Resolution, adopted by the District in accordance with Section 38 or Section 39 hereof.

"<u>Transfer Amount</u>" shall mean, with respect to any Outstanding Bond, the aggregate Principal Amount thereof.

"<u>Treasurer</u>" shall mean the Treasurer and Tax Collector of the County or any authorized deputy thereof.

"<u>Underwriters</u>" shall mean, collectively, RBC Capital Markets, LLC, as Representative of itself and Mitsubishi UFJ Securities (USA), Inc.

"<u>Verification Agent</u>" shall mean Grant Thornton LLP, certified public accountants, in their capacity as verification agent for the sufficiency of amounts on deposit in the Escrow Fund to pay and redeem the Refunded Bonds in accordance with their terms.

SECTION 2. <u>Rules of Construction</u>. Words of the masculine gender shall be deemed and construed to include correlative words of the feminine and neuter genders, and vice versa. Except where the context otherwise requires, words importing the singular shall include the plural and vice versa, and words importing persons shall include firms, associations and corporations, including public bodies, as well as natural persons.

SECTION 3. <u>Authority for this Resolution</u>. This Resolution is adopted pursuant to the provisions of the Authorizing Law.

SECTION 4. <u>Resolution to Constitute Contract</u>. In consideration of the purchase and acceptance of any and all of the Bonds authorized to be issued hereunder by those who shall own the same from time to time, this Resolution shall be deemed to be and shall constitute a contract among the District and the Owners from time to time of the Bonds; and the pledge made in this Resolution shall be for the equal benefit, protection and security of the Owners of any and all of the Bonds, all of which, regardless of the time or times of their issuance or maturity, shall be of equal rank without preference, priority or distinction of any of the Bonds over any other thereof.

SECTION 5. <u>Approval of Documents; Determination of Method of Sale and</u> <u>Terms of Bonds</u>.

(a) The Superintendent and the other officers of the District (each, an "Authorized Officer"), in consultation with the Financial Advisor, Bond Counsel and the other officers of the District, are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized and directed to issue and deliver the Bonds and to establish the initial aggregate principal amount thereof; *provided, however*, that such initial aggregate principal amount shall not exceed the maximum aggregate principal amount of \$25,000,000.

The form of the Contract of Purchase is hereby approved. The Authorized (b)Officers are, and each of them acting alone is, authorized and directed to execute and deliver the Contract of Purchase to the Underwriters for and in the name and on behalf of the District, with such additions, changes or corrections therein as the Authorized Officer executing the same on behalf of the District may approve, in his or her discretion, as being in the best interests of the District including, without limitation (i) such changes as are necessary to reflect the final terms of the Bonds to the extent such terms differ from those set forth in this Resolution, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by such Authorized Officer's execution thereof and (ii) any other documents required to be executed thereunder. The Authorized Officers are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized and directed to determine the specific maturities and amounts of the 2007C Refunding Bonds or portions thereof to be refunded based upon market conditions existing at the time of the pricing of the Bonds. In addition, the Authorized Officers are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized to negotiate with the Representative the interest rates on the Bonds and the purchase price of the Bonds to be paid by the Underwriters, which purchase price shall reflect an Underwriters' discount of not more than 0.5% (not including original issue discount and any costs of issuance paid by the Representative) of the principal amount thereof. The interest rate on the Bonds shall not exceed the legal maximum under State law.

(c) The form of the Escrow Agreement is hereby approved. The Authorized Officers are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized and directed, for and in the name of and on behalf of the District, to execute and deliver the Escrow Agreement in substantially the form on file with the District and considered at this meeting, with such changes therein as the Authorized Officer executing the same on behalf of the District may approve, in his or her discretion, as being in the best interests of the District, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by the execution and delivery of the Escrow Agreement by such Authorized Officer. The Authorized Officers are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby

authorized and directed to make changes to the Escrow Agreement to achieve the purposes for which the Bonds are being executed and delivered.

(d) The form of the Continuing Disclosure Undertaking is hereby approved. The Authorized Officers are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized to execute and deliver the Continuing Disclosure Undertaking on behalf of the District, with such changes therein as the officer executing the same on behalf of the District may approve, in his or her discretion, as being in the best interests of the District, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by such Authorized Officer's execution thereof, and any other documents required to be executed thereunder, and to deliver the same to the Underwriters. The District hereby covenants and agrees that it will comply with and carry out all of the provisions of the Continuing Disclosure Undertaking. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution, failure of the District to comply with the Continuing Disclosure Undertaking shall not be considered an event of default and shall not be deemed to create any monetary liability on the part of the District to any other persons, including Owners of the Bonds.

The form of the Preliminary Official Statement is hereby approved. This (e) Governing Board also hereby authorizes the use and distribution of: (a) the Preliminary Official Statement with such changes as the Authorized Officer executing the certificate described below may approve, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by such Authorized Officer's execution of such certificate; and (b) an Official Statement in substantially the form of the Preliminary Official Statement with such changes as may be necessary or desirable in connection with the sale of the Bonds as determined by the Authorized Officer executing the Official Statement, such determination to be conclusively evidenced by the execution and delivery of the Official Statement by such Authorized Officer; and (c) any amendments or supplements to the Preliminary Official Statement or the Official Statement which an Authorized Officer may deem necessary or desirable, such determination to be conclusively evidenced by the execution of such amendment or supplement or of a certificate as described below by such Authorized Officer. The Authorized Officers are, and each of them acting alone hereby is, authorized to approve such additions, deletions or changes to the Preliminary Official Statement and Official Statement, as are necessary or desirable to effect the purposes of this Resolution and to comply with applicable laws and to deliver copies of the Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement. The Authorized Officers also are, and each of them acting alone hereby is, authorized to determine whether any Preliminary Official Statement and/or Official Statement shall be used in connection with the sale of the Bonds. Upon approval of the Preliminary Official Statement by such Authorized Officer as evidenced by execution of a certificate substantially in the form of Exhibit B attached hereto and by this reference incorporated herein, with such changes as may be necessary or desirable, the Preliminary Official Statement shall be deemed final as of its date except for the omission of certain information as provided in and pursuant to Rule 15c2-12 promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

(f) This Governing Board also hereby authorizes the preparation of a paying agent agreement in connection with the Bonds, in such form as shall be determined by an Authorized Officer, such determination to be conclusively evidenced by the execution and delivery of the paying agent agreement by such Authorized Officer; or, the District may engage the Treasurer in such role and use for such purposes the master paying agent agreement of U.S. Bank National Association, as agent of the Treasurer, on file with the County.

SECTION 6. <u>Authorization of Officers</u>. The officers of the District, including but not limited to the Superintendent, and their authorized representatives are, and each of them acting alone is, hereby authorized to execute any and all documents and do and perform any and all acts and things, from time to time, consistent with this Resolution and necessary or appropriate to carry the same into effect and to carry out its purposes.

SECTION 7. <u>Use of Bond Proceeds</u>. The proceeds of the Bonds, together with other available funds and investment earnings thereon, shall be applied to pay the principal or Accreted Value of and interest and redemption premium, if any, on the Refunded Bonds as they become due or at their redemption dates and to pay Costs of Issuance.

SECTION 8. Designation and Form; Payment.

(a) A series of Bonds entitled to the benefit, protection and security of this Resolution is hereby authorized in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$25,000,000. Such Bonds shall be general obligations of the District, payable as to principal, premium, if any, and interest from *ad valorem* taxes to be levied upon all of the taxable property in the District. The Bonds shall be designated the "Santa Monica Community College District General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2004 Election, Series 2013B (Federally Taxable)." The Bonds shall be issued as current interest bonds and may be issued as serial bonds or term bonds, as set forth in the Contract of Purchase, subject to the provisions of this Resolution.

(b) The form of the Bonds shall be substantially in conformity with the standard form of registered community college district bonds, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by this reference, with such changes as are necessary to reflect the final terms of the Bonds.

(c) Principal, premium, if any, and interest with respect to any Bond are payable in lawful money of the United States of America. Principal and premium, if any, is payable upon surrender thereof at maturity or earlier redemption at the office designated by the Paying Agent.

SECTION 9. <u>Description of the Bonds</u>.

(a) The Bonds shall be issued in fully registered form, in denominations of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, except as provided in the Contract of Purchase. The Bonds shall be dated and shall mature on the dates, in the years and in the principal amounts, and interest shall be computed at the rates, set forth in the Contract of Purchase.

(b) Interest on each Bond shall accrue from its dated date as set forth in the Contract of Purchase. Interest on Bonds shall be computed using a year of 360 days comprised of twelve 30-day months and shall be payable on each Interest Payment Date to the Owner thereof as of the close of business on the Record Date. Interest with respect to each Bond will be payable from the Interest Payment Date next preceding the date of registration thereof, unless (i) it is registered after the close of business on any Record Date and before the close of business on the immediately following Interest Payment Date, in which event interest with respect thereto shall be payable from such following Interest Payment Date; or (ii) it is registered prior to the close of business on the first Record Date, in which event interest shall be payable from its dated date; provided, however, that if at the time of registration of any Bond interest with respect

thereto is in default, interest with respect thereto shall be payable from the Interest Payment Date to which interest has previously been paid or made available for payment. Payments of interest on the Bonds will be made on each Interest Payment Date by check or draft of the Paying Agent sent by first-class mail, postage prepaid, to the Owner thereof on the Record Date, or by wire transfer to any Owner of \$1,000,000 principal amount or more of such Bonds, to the account specified by such Owner in a written request delivered to the Paying Agent on or prior to the Record Date for such Interest Payment Date; provided, however, that payments of defaulted interest shall be payable to the person in whose name such Bond is registered at the close of business on a special record date fixed therefor by the Paying Agent which shall not be more than fifteen days and not less than ten days prior to the date of the proposed payment of defaulted interest.

SECTION 10. [Reserved.].

SECTION 11. Book-Entry System.

(a) The Bonds shall be initially issued in the form of a separate single fully registered Bond for each of the maturities of the Bonds. Upon initial issuance, the ownership of each such global Bond shall be registered in the Bond Register in the name of the Nominee as nominee of the Depository. Except as provided in subsection (c) hereof, all of the Outstanding Bonds shall be registered in the Bond Register in the name of the Bonds may be transferred, in whole but not in part, only to the Depository, to a successor Depository or to another nominee of the Depository or of a successor Depository. Each Bond shall bear a legend describing restrictions on transfer, as may be prescribed by the Depository.

With respect to Bonds registered in the Bond Register in the name of the Nominee, the District shall have no responsibility or obligation to any Participant or to any person on behalf of which such a Participant holds a beneficial interest in the Bonds. Without limiting the immediately preceding sentence, the District shall have no responsibility or obligation with respect to (i) the accuracy of the records of the Depository, the Nominee or any Participant with respect to any beneficial ownership interest in the Bonds, (ii) the delivery to any Participant, beneficial owner or any other person, other than the Depository, of any notice with respect to the Bonds, including any Redemption Notice (as defined in Section 27 below), (iii) the selection by the Depository and the Participants of the beneficial interests in the Bonds to be redeemed in part, or (iv) the payment to any Participant, beneficial owner or any other person, other than the Depository, of any amount with respect to Principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds. The District and the Paying Agent may treat and consider the person in whose name each Bond is registered in the Bond Register as the holder and absolute Owner of such Bond for the purpose of payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on such Bond, for the purpose of giving Redemption Notices and other notices with respect to such Bond, and for all other purposes whatsoever, including, without limitation, registering transfers with respect to the Bonds.

The Paying Agent shall pay all principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds only to the respective Owners, as shown in the Bond Register, and all such payments shall be valid hereunder with respect to payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds to the extent of the sum or sums so paid. No person other than an Owner, as shown in the Bond Register, shall receive a Bond evidencing the obligation to make payments of Principal of, premium, if any, and interest, pursuant to this Resolution. Upon delivery by the Depository to the Paying Agent and the District of written notice to the effect that the Depository has determined to substitute a new nominee in place of the Nominee, and subject to the provisions hereof with respect to Record Dates, the word Nominee in this Resolution shall refer to such new nominee of the Depository.

(b) In order to qualify the Bonds for the Depository's book-entry system, the District is hereby authorized to execute and deliver to such Depository a letter from the District representing such matters as shall be necessary to so qualify the Bonds (the "**Representation Letter**"). The execution and delivery of the Representation Letter shall not in any way limit the provisions of subsection (a) hereof or in any other way impose upon the District any obligation whatsoever with respect to persons having beneficial interests in the Bonds other than the Owners, as shown in the Bond Register. In addition to the execution and delivery of the Representation Letter, the District, and its deputies and designees, are hereby authorized to take any other actions, not inconsistent with this Resolution, to qualify the Bonds for the Depository's book-entry program.

(c) If at any time the Depository notifies the District that it is unwilling or unable to continue as Depository with respect to the Bonds or if at any time the Depository shall no longer be registered or in good standing under the Securities Exchange Act or other applicable statute or regulation and a successor Depository is not appointed by the District within 90 days after the District receive notice or become aware of such condition, as the case may be, subsection (a) hereof shall no longer be applicable and the District shall cause the issuance of bonds representing the Bonds as provided below. In addition, the District may determine at any time that the Bonds shall no longer be lodged with a Depository and that the provisions of subsection (a) hereof shall no longer apply to the Bonds. In any such event the District shall cause the execution and delivery of certificated securities representing the Bonds as provided below. Bonds issued in exchange for global bonds pursuant to this subsection (c) shall be registered in such names and delivered in such denominations as the Depository shall instruct the District. The District shall cause delivery of such certificated securities representing the Bonds to the persons in whose names such Bonds are so registered.

If the District determines to replace the Depository with another qualified securities depository, the District shall prepare or cause to be prepared a new fully-registered global bond for each of the maturities of Bonds, registered in the name of such successor or substitute securities depository or its nominee, or make such other arrangements as are acceptable to the District and such securities depository and not inconsistent with the terms of this Resolution.

(d) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution to the contrary, so long as any Bond is registered in the name of the Nominee, all payments with respect to Principal of, premium, if any, and interest on such Bond and all notices with respect to such Bond shall be made and given, respectively, as provided in the Representation Letter or as otherwise instructed by the Depository.

(e) The initial Depository under this Resolution shall be DTC. The initial Nominee shall be Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC.

SECTION 12. Execution of the Bonds.

(a) The Bonds shall be executed in the manner required by the Authorizing Law. In case any one or more of the officers who shall have signed any of the Bonds shall cease to be such officer before the Bonds so signed shall have been issued by the District, such Bonds may, nevertheless, be issued, as herein provided, as if the persons who signed such Bonds had not ceased to hold such offices.

(b) The Bonds shall bear thereon a certificate of authentication executed manually by the Paying Agent. Only such Bonds as shall bear thereon such certificate of authentication duly executed by the Paying Agent shall be entitled to any right or benefit under this Resolution and no Bond shall be valid or obligatory for any purpose until such certificate of authentication shall have been duly executed by the Paying Agent. Such certificate of the Paying Agent upon any Bond shall be conclusive evidence that the Bond so authorized has been duly authenticated and delivered under this Resolution and that the Owner thereof is entitled to the benefit of this Resolution.

SECTION 13. <u>Transfer and Exchange</u>. The registration of any Bond may be transferred upon the Bond Register upon surrender of such Bond to the Paying Agent. Such Bond shall be endorsed or accompanied by delivery of the written instrument of transfer shown in Exhibit A hereto, duly executed by the Owner or his duly authorized attorney, and payment of such reasonable transfer fees as the Paying Agent may establish. Upon such registration of transfer, a new Bond or Bonds, of like tenor and maturity in the same Transfer Amount and in authorized denominations, will be executed and delivered to the transferee in exchange therefor.

The Paying Agent shall deem and treat the person in whose name any Outstanding Bond shall be registered upon the Bond Register as the absolute owner of such Bond, whether the principal, premium, if any, or interest with respect to such Bond shall be overdue or not, for the purpose of receiving payment of principal, premium, if any, and interest with respect to such Bond and for all other purposes, and any such payments so made to any such Owner or upon his order shall be valid and effective to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Bond to the extent of the sum or sums so paid, and the District or the Paying Agent shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary.

Bonds may be exchanged at the office of the Paying Agent for Bonds of like tenor, maturity and Transfer Amount of other authorized denominations. All Bonds surrendered in any such exchange shall thereupon be cancelled by the Paying Agent. The Paying Agent may charge the Owner a reasonable sum for each new Bond executed and delivered upon any exchange (except in the case of the first exchange of any Bond in the form in which it is originally delivered, for which no charge shall be imposed) and the Paying Agent may require the payment by the Owner requesting such exchange of any tax or other governmental charge required to be paid with respect to such exchange.

The Paying Agent shall not be required to register the transfer or exchange of any Bond (i) during the period beginning at the close of business on any Record Date through the close of business on the immediately following Interest Payment Date, or (ii) that has been called or is subject to being called for redemption, during a period beginning at the opening of business 15 days before any selection of Bonds to be redeemed through the close of business on the

applicable redemption date, except for the unredeemed portion of any Bond to be redeemed only in part.

SECTION 14. Bonds Mutilated, Destroyed, Stolen or Lost. In case any Bond shall become mutilated, the Paying Agent, at the expense of the Owner, shall deliver a new Bond of like date, interest rate, maturity, Transfer Amount and tenor as the Bond so mutilated in exchange and substitution for such mutilated Bond, upon surrender and cancellation thereof. All Bonds so surrendered shall be cancelled. If any Bond shall be destroyed, stolen or lost, evidence of such destruction, theft or loss may be submitted to the Paying Agent and if such evidence is satisfactory to the Paying Agent that such Bond has been destroyed, stolen or lost, and upon furnishing the Paying Agent with indemnity satisfactory to the Paying Agent and complying with such other reasonable regulations as the Paying Agent may prescribe and paying such expenses as the Paving Agent may incur, the Paving Agent shall, at the expense of the Owner, execute and deliver a new Bond of like date, interest rate, maturity, Transfer Amount and tenor in lieu of and in substitution for the Bond so destroyed, stolen or lost. Any new Bonds issued pursuant to this Section in substitution for Bonds alleged to be destroyed, stolen or lost shall constitute original additional contractual obligations on the part of the District, whether or not the Bonds so alleged to be destroyed, stolen or lost are at any time enforceable by anyone, and shall be equally secured by and entitled to equal and proportionate benefits with all other Bonds issued under this Resolution in any moneys or securities held by the Paying Agent for the benefit of the Owners of the Bonds.

SECTION 15. <u>Bond Register</u>. The Paying Agent shall keep or cause to be kept at its office sufficient books for the registration and registration of transfer of the Bonds. Upon presentation for registration of transfer, the Paying Agent shall, as above provided and under such reasonable regulations as it may prescribe subject to the provisions hereof, register or register the transfer of the Bonds, or cause the same to be registered or cause the registration of the same to be transferred, on such books. While the Bonds are held in the book-entry system, the Paying Agent is not required to keep the Bond Register.

SECTION 16. <u>Unclaimed Money</u>. All money which the Paying Agent shall have received from any source and set aside for the purpose of paying or redeeming any of the Bonds shall be held in trust for the respective Owners of such Bonds, but any money which shall be so set aside or deposited by the Paying Agent and which shall remain unclaimed by the Owners of such Bonds for a period of one year after the date on which any payment or redemption with respect to such Bonds shall have become due and payable shall be transferred to the General Fund of the District; provided, however, that the Paying Agent, before making such payment, shall cause notice to be mailed to the Owners of such Bonds, by first-class mail, postage prepaid, not less than 90 days prior to the date of such payment to the effect that said money has not been claimed and that after a date named therein any unclaimed balance of said money then remaining will be transferred to the General Fund of the District. Thereafter, the Owners of such Bonds shall look only to the General Fund of the District for payment of such Bonds.

SECTION 17. Application of Proceeds; Escrow Agreement; Debt Service

Fund.

(a) A portion of the net proceeds of sale of the Bonds shall be transferred to the Escrow Agent for deposit into the Escrow Fund in an amount necessary to purchase the Defeasance Securities needed to defease, pay and redeem the Refunded Bonds.

(b) Accrued interest, if any, shall be kept separate and apart in the fund hereby created and established and to be designated as the "Santa Monica Community College District General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2004 Election, Series 2013B Debt Service Fund" (the "**Debt Service Fund**") and used only for payments of principal of and interest on the Bonds. Any excess proceeds of the Bonds not needed for the authorized purposes set forth herein for which the Bonds are being issued shall be transferred to the Debt Service Fund and applied to the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds.

(c) All Pledged Moneys shall be deposited upon collection by the County into the Debt Service Fund and used for the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds.

(d) On the Business Day immediately preceding each Interest Payment Date if the Paying Agent is not the Treasurer, and on the Interest Payment Date if the Paying Agent is the Treasurer, the District shall transfer or cause to be transferred from the Debt Service Fund to the Paying Agent, an amount, in immediately available funds, sufficient to pay all the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds coming due (collectively, the "**Debt Service**") on such payment date. Debt Service on the Bonds shall be paid by the Paying Agent in the manner provided by law for the payment of Debt Service.

(e) Certain proceeds of the Bonds shall be applied to pay Costs of Issuance as provided in Section 19 below.

SECTION 18. Payment of and Security for the Bonds. There shall be levied on all the taxable property in the District, in addition to all other taxes a continuing direct *ad valorem* tax annually during the period the Bonds are outstanding in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds when due, which monies when collected will be placed in the Debt Service Fund of the District, which fund is irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds when and as the same fall due (the "**Pledged Moneys**"). The District covenants to cause the County to take all actions necessary to levy such *ad valorem* tax in accordance with this Section and Section 53559 of the Government Code.

SECTION 19. Payment of Costs of Issuance. Proceeds of the sale of the Bonds necessary to pay all costs of issuing the Bonds shall be deposited in the fund of the District known as the "Santa Monica Community College District, 2004 Election, Series 2013B Cost of Issuance Fund" (the "Cost of Issuance Fund") and shall be kept separate and distinct from all other District funds, and those proceeds shall be used solely for the purpose of paying Costs of Issuance of the Bonds. The Cost of Issuance Fund may be held and administered by the Paying Agent. Notwithstanding the foregoing, all or a portion of the costs of issuance may be paid by the Underwriters or by a fiscal agent designated for such purpose. Any amounts retained for payment of Costs of Issuance and returned to the District pursuant to the Contract of

Purchase shall be transferred to the Debt Service Fund to be applied to the payment of the principal of and/or interest on the Bonds.

SECTION 20. <u>Negotiated Sale/Method of Sale</u>. The Bonds shall be sold by negotiated sale to the Underwriters inasmuch as: (i) such a sale will allow the District to integrate the sale of the Bonds with other public financings undertaken, or to be undertaken, by the District in order to refinance outstanding debt or finance and fund its public education facilities; (ii) such a sale will allow the District to utilize the services of consultants who are familiar with the financial needs, status and plans of the District; and (iii) such a sale will allow the District to control the timing of the sale of the Bonds to the municipal bond market and, potentially, take advantage of interest rate opportunities for favorable sale of the Bonds to such market and the generation of increased savings to the taxpayers of the District.

SECTION 21. Engagement of Consultants; Parameters of Sale. Nixon Peabody LLP has been selected as the District's bond and disclosure counsel and RBC Capital Markets, LLC and Mitsubishi UFJ Securities (USA), Inc. have been selected to act as underwriters with respect to the authorization, sale and issuance of the Bonds. The estimated costs of issuance associated with the sale of the Bonds are approximately 0.4% of the estimated par amount of the Bonds, which include bond and disclosure counsel fees, costs of printing the Official Statement, rating agency fees, Paying Agent fees, Escrow Agent fees, the fees of the Verification Agent, the fees of the Financial Advisor and other related costs. In addition, the estimated Underwriters' discount, which is not included in the percentage above, is 0.5% of the superintendent.

SECTION 22. <u>Establishment of Additional Funds and Accounts</u>. If at any time it is deemed necessary or desirable by the District, the Treasurer, the County Office of Education, the Paying Agent, or the District may establish additional funds under this Resolution and/or accounts within any of the funds or accounts established hereunder.

SECTION 23. <u>Request for Necessary County Actions</u>.

(a) The Board of Supervisors, the Auditor-Controller, the Treasurer, and other officials of the County, are hereby requested to take and authorize such actions as may be necessary pursuant to law to provide for the levy and collection of a property tax on all taxable property of the District sufficient to provide for payment of all principal of, redemption premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds as the same shall become due and payable as necessary for the payment of the Bonds, and the Clerk of the Board is hereby authorized and directed to deliver certified copies of this Resolution to the Executive Officer-Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County, the Auditor-Controller of the County, and the Treasurer. The Board hereby agrees to reimburse the County for any costs associated with the levy and collection of said tax, upon such documentation of said costs as the District shall reasonably request.

(b) The Board of Supervisors, the Auditor-Controller, the Treasurer and other officials of the County, are hereby requested to take and authorize such actions as may be necessary, upon, but only upon, the defeasance or redemption of the Refunded Bonds from proceeds of the Bonds, to discontinue the levy of property taxes on all taxable property of the

District for the payment of the Refunded Bonds, pursuant to Section 53561 of the Government Code.

SECTION 24. <u>Notice of Redemption of Refunded Bonds</u>. The Escrow Agent is hereby authorized and directed to give notice of redemption of the Refunded Bonds, pursuant to the terms of the resolution of the County Board of Supervisors authorizing the issuance thereof and pursuant to the terms of the Escrow Agreement.

SECTION 25. <u>Redemption</u>. The Bonds shall be subject to redemption as provided in the Contract of Purchase.

SECTION 26. <u>Selection of Bonds for Redemption</u>. Whenever provision is made in this Resolution or in the Contract of Purchase for the redemption of the Bonds and less than all Outstanding Bonds are to be redeemed, the Paying Agent, upon written instruction from the District given at least 60 days prior to the payment date designated for such redemption, shall select Bonds for redemption in the manner directed by the District. Within a maturity, the Paying Agent shall select Bonds for redemption by lot. Redemption by lot shall be in such manner as the Paying Agent shall determine; provided, however, that the portion of any Bond to be redeemed in part shall be in the principal amount of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof.</u>

SECTION 27. Notice of Redemption. When redemption is authorized or required pursuant to this Resolution or the Contract of Purchase, the Paying Agent, upon written instruction from the District given at least 60 days prior to the payment date designated for such redemption, shall give notice (each, a "Redemption Notice") of the redemption of the Bonds. Such Redemption Notice shall specify: (a) the Bonds or designated portions thereof (in the case of redemption of the Bonds in part but not in whole) which are to be redeemed, (b) the date of redemption, (c) the place or places where the redemption will be made, including the name and address of the Paying Agent, (d) the redemption price, (e) the CUSIP numbers (if any) assigned to the Bonds to be redeemed, (f) the Bond numbers of the Bonds to be redeemed in whole or in part and, in the case of any Bond to be redeemed in part only, the principal amount of such Bond to be redeemed, and (g) the original issue date, interest rate and stated maturity date of each Bond to be redeemed in whole or in part. Such Redemption Notice shall further state (a) that on the specified date there shall become due and payable upon each Bond or portion thereof being redeemed the redemption price, together with the interest accrued to the redemption date, and (b) that from and after such date interest with respect thereto shall cease to accrue and be payable.

The Paying Agent shall take the following actions with respect to such Redemption Notice:

(a) At least 20 but not more than 45 days prior to the redemption date, such Redemption Notice shall be given to the respective Owners of Bonds designated for redemption by first class mail, postage prepaid, at their addresses appearing on the Bond Register.

(b) In the event that the Bonds shall no longer be held in book-entry-only form, at least 35 but not more than 45 days before the redemption date, such Redemption Notice shall be given by (i) first class mail, postage prepaid, (ii) telephonically confirmed facsimile transmission, or (iii) overnight delivery service, to each of the Securities Depositories.

(c) In the event that the Bonds shall no longer be held in book-entry-only form, at least 35 but not more than 45 days before the redemption date, such Redemption Notice shall be given by (i) first class mail, postage prepaid, or (ii) overnight delivery service, to the MSRB.

Neither failure to receive any Redemption Notice nor any defect in any such Redemption Notice so given shall affect the sufficiency of the proceedings for the redemption of the affected Bonds. Each check issued or other transfer of funds made by the Paying Agent for the purpose of redeeming Bonds shall bear the CUSIP number identifying, by issue and maturity, the Bonds being redeemed with the proceeds of such check or other transfer.

SECTION 28. <u>Partial Redemption of Bonds</u>. Upon the surrender of any Bond redeemed in part only, the Paying Agent shall execute and deliver to the Owner thereof a new Bond or Bonds of like tenor and maturity and of authorized denominations equal in Transfer Amounts to the unredeemed portion of the Bond surrendered. Such partial redemption shall be valid upon payment of the amount required to be paid to such Owner, and the District shall be released and discharged thereupon from all liability to the extent of such payment.

SECTION 29. Effect of Notice of Redemption. Notice having been given as aforesaid, and the moneys for the redemption (including the interest to the applicable date of redemption) having been set aside in the Debt Service Fund, the Bonds to be redeemed shall become due and payable on such date of redemption.

If on such redemption date, money for the redemption of all the Bonds to be redeemed as provided this Resolution and the Contract of Purchase, together with interest to such redemption date, shall be held by the Paying Agent so as to be available therefor on such redemption date, and if notice of redemption thereof shall have been given as aforesaid, then from and after such redemption date, interest with respect to the Bonds to be redeemed shall cease to accrue and become payable. All money held by or on behalf of the Paying Agent for the redemption of Bonds shall be held in trust for the account of the Owners of the Bonds so to be redeemed.

All Bonds paid at maturity or redeemed prior to maturity pursuant to the provisions of this Resolution and the Contract of Purchase shall be cancelled upon surrender thereof and delivered to or upon the order of the District. All or any portion of a Bond purchased by the District shall be cancelled by the Paying Agent upon written notice by the District given to the Paying Agent.

SECTION 30. Paying Agent; Appointment and Acceptance of Duties.

(a) U.S. Bank National Association is hereby appointed as the initial Paying Agent. All fees and expenses incurred for services of the Paying Agent shall be the sole responsibility of the District. The Paying Agent shall keep accurate records of all funds administered by it and of all Bonds paid and discharged by it.

(b) Unless otherwise provided, the office of the Paying Agent designated by the Paying Agent shall be the place for the payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds.

SECTION 31. <u>Liability of Paying Agent</u>. The Paying Agent makes no representations as to the validity or sufficiency of this Resolution or of any Bonds issued hereunder or as to the security afforded by this Resolution, and the Paying Agent shall incur no liability in respect hereof or thereof.

SECTION 32. Evidence on Which Paying Agent May Act. The Paying Agent, upon receipt of any notice, resolution, request, consent, order, certificate, report, opinion, bond, or other paper or document furnished to it pursuant to any provision of this Resolution, shall examine such instrument to determine whether it conforms to the requirements of this Resolution and shall be protected in acting upon any such instrument believed by it to be genuine and to have been signed or presented by the proper party or parties. The Paying Agent may consult with counsel, who may or may not be counsel to the District, and the opinion of such counsel shall be full and complete authorization and protection in respect of any action taken or suffered by it under this Resolution in good faith and in accordance therewith.

SECTION 33. <u>Compensation</u>. The District shall pay to the Paying Agent from time to time reasonable compensation for all services rendered under this Resolution, and also all reasonable expenses, charges, counsel fees and other disbursements, including those of its attorneys, agents, and employees, incurred in and about the performance of their powers and duties under this Resolution, all of which may, pursuant to Education Code Section 15232, be paid from the County's annual levy of *ad valorem* taxes.

SECTION 34. <u>Ownership of Bonds Permitted</u>. The Paying Agent or the Underwriters may become the Owner of any Bonds.

SECTION 35. <u>Resignation or Removal of Paying Agent and Appointment of</u> <u>Successor</u>.

(a) The initially appointed Paying Agent may resign from service as Paying Agent at any time. Prior to such resignation a new Paying Agent shall be appointed by the District in accordance with applicable law, which shall be the Treasurer or a bank or trust company doing business in and having a corporate trust office in Los Angeles or San Francisco, California, with at least \$50,000,000 in net assets. Such successor Paying Agent shall signify the acceptance of its duties and obligations hereunder by executing and delivering to the District, a written acceptance thereof. Resignation of the initial or a successor Paying Agent shall be effective upon appointment and acceptance of a successor Paying Agent.

(b) Any Paying Agent appointed may resign from service as Paying Agent and may be removed at any time by the District as provided in the Paying Agent's service agreement. If at any time the Paying Agent shall resign or be removed, a new Paying Agent shall be appointed in accordance with applicable law, which shall be either the Treasurer or a bank or trust company doing business in and having a corporate trust office in Los Angeles or San Francisco, California, with at least \$50,000,000 in net assets. Such successor Paying Agent shall signify the acceptance of its duties and obligations hereunder by executing and delivering to the District, a written acceptance thereof. Resignation or removal of the Paying Agent shall be effective upon appointment and acceptance of a successor Paying Agent.

(c) In the event of the resignation or removal of the Paying Agent, such Paying Agent shall pay over, assign and deliver any moneys held by it as Paying Agent to its

successor. The District shall promptly provide notice of the name and principal corporate trust office address of the Paying Agent appointed to replace any resigned or removed Paying Agent to the Owners of the Bonds by first class mail, postage prepaid, at their addresses appearing on the Bond Register.

SECTION 36. <u>Valuation and Sale of Investments</u>. Obligations purchased as an investment of moneys in any fund or account shall be deemed at all times to be a part of such fund or account. Profits or losses attributable to any fund or account shall be credited or charged to such fund or account. In computing the amount in any fund or account created under the provisions of this Resolution for any purpose provided in this Resolution, obligations purchased as an investment of moneys therein shall be valued at cost, plus, where applicable, accrued interest.

SECTION 37. Supplemental Resolutions with Consent of Owners. This Resolution, and the rights and obligations of the District and of the Owners of the Bonds issued hereunder, may be modified or amended at any time by a Supplemental Resolution adopted by the District with the written consent of Owners owning at least 60% in aggregate principal amount of the Outstanding Bonds, exclusive of Bonds, if any, owned by the District. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no such modification or amendment shall, without the express consent of the Owner of each Bond affected, reduce the Principal Amount of any Bond, reduce the interest rate payable thereon, advance the earliest redemption date thereof, extend its maturity or the times for paving interest thereon or change the monetary medium in which principal and interest is payable, nor shall any modification or amendment reduce the percentage of consents required for amendment or modification. No such Supplemental Resolution shall change or modify any of the rights or obligations of any Paying Agent without its written assent thereto. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, no such consent shall be required if the Owners are not directly and adversely affected by such amendment or modification.

SECTION 38. <u>Supplemental Resolutions Effective Without Consent of</u> <u>Owners</u>. For any one or more of the following purposes and at any time or from time to time, a Supplemental Resolution of the District may be adopted, which, without the requirement of consent of the Owners, shall be fully effective in accordance with its terms:

(a) To add to the covenants and agreements of the District in this Resolution, other covenants and agreements to be observed by the District which are not contrary to or inconsistent with this Resolution as theretofore in effect;

(b) To add to the limitations and restrictions in this Resolution, other limitations and restrictions to be observed by the District which are not contrary to or inconsistent with this Resolution as theretofore in effect;

(c) To confirm as further assurance, any pledge under, and the subjection to any lien or pledge created or to be created by this Resolution, of any moneys, securities or funds, or to establish any additional funds, or accounts to be held under this Resolution;

(d) To cure any ambiguity, supply any omission, or cure to correct any defect or inconsistent provision in this Resolution; or

(e) To amend or supplement this Resolution in any other respect, provided such Supplemental Resolution does not, in the opinion of Bond Counsel, adversely affect the interests of the Owners.

SECTION 39. Effect of Supplemental Resolution. Any act done pursuant to a modification or amendment so consented to shall be binding upon the Owners of all the Bonds and shall not be deemed an infringement of any of the provisions of this Resolution, whatever the character of such act may be, and may be done and performed as fully and freely as if expressly permitted by the terms of this Resolution, and after consent relating to such specified matters has been given, no Owner shall have any right or interest to object to such action or in any manner to question the propriety thereof or to enjoin or restrain the District or any officer or agent thereof from taking any action pursuant thereto.

SECTION 40. <u>Defeasance</u>. If any or all Outstanding Bonds shall be paid and discharged in any one or more of the following ways:

- (1) by paying or causing to be paid the principal, premium, if any, and interest on such Bonds, and when the same become due and payable;
- (2) by depositing with the Paying Agent, in trust, at or before maturity, cash which together with the amounts then on deposit in the Debt Service Fund (and the accounts therein other than amounts that are not available to pay Debt Service) together with the interest to accrue thereon without the need for further investment, is fully sufficient to pay such Bonds at maturity thereof, including any premium and all interest thereon, notwithstanding that any Bonds shall not have been surrendered for payment; or
- (3) by depositing with an institution that meets the requirements of serving as successor Paying Agent pursuant to Section 36 selected by the District, in trust, lawful money or noncallable direct obligations issued by the United States Treasury (including State and Local Government Series) or obligations which are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America and permitted under Section 149(b) of the Code and Regulations which, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, will not impair the exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes of interest on the Bonds, in such amount as will, together with the interest to accrue thereon without the need for further investment, be fully sufficient to pay and discharge such Bonds at maturity or earlier redemption thereof, for which notice has been given or provided for, including any premium and all interest thereon, notwithstanding that any Bonds shall not have been surrendered for payment;

then all obligations of the District and the Paying Agent under this Resolution with respect to such Bonds shall cease and terminate, except only the obligation of the Paying Agent to pay or cause to be paid to the Owners of such Bonds all sums due thereon, and the obligation of the District to pay to the Paying Agent amounts owing to the Paying Agent under Section 34 hereof.

SECTION 41. <u>Approval of Actions; Miscellaneous</u>.

(a) The Superintendent and the other officers of the District are hereby authorized and directed, jointly and severally, to do any and all things and to execute and deliver any and all documents which they may deem necessary or advisable in order to proceed with the issuance of the Bonds or otherwise carry out, give effect to and comply with the terms and intent of this Resolution. Such actions heretofore taken by such officers, officials and staff are hereby ratified, confirmed and approved.

(b) The County, its Board of Supervisors, officers, agents, and employees shall not be responsible for any proceedings or the preparation or contents of any resolutions, certificates, statements, disclosures, notices, contracts, or other documents relating to the sale and issuance of the Bonds.

(c) The principal of and interest and redemption premium (if any) on the Bonds shall not constitute debt or an obligation of the County, its Board of Supervisors, officers, agents, or employees, and the County, its Board of Supervisors, officers, agents, and employees thereof shall not be liable thereon. In no event shall the Principal of and interest and redemption premium (if any) on any Bond be payable out of any funds or property of the County.

(d) The Clerk of the Governing Board shall send a certified copy of this Resolution, together with the final debt service schedule for the Bonds, to the Treasurer.

SECTION 42. <u>Conflicts</u>. If there is any inconsistency or conflict between any provision of this Resolution and any provision of the Contract of Purchase, the Contract of Purchase prevails to the extent of the inconsistency or conflict.

SECTION 43. <u>Effective Date</u>. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED this _____ day of May, 2013, by the Board of Trustees of the Santa Monica Community College District, at a regularly scheduled meeting held in Santa Monica, California, at a location freely accessible to the public, by the following vote:

AYES:		
NOES:	 	
ABSTAIN:	 	
ABSENT:		

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

By:_____

President of the Board of Trustees

Attest:

By:_____ Clerk of the Board of Trustees

EXHIBIT A

FORM OF BOND

UNLESS THIS BOND IS PRESENTED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEPOSITORY (AS DEFINED IN THE RESOLUTION) TO THE BOND REGISTRAR FOR REGISTRATION OF TRANSFER, EXCHANGE, OR PAYMENT, AND ANY BOND ISSUED IS REGISTERED IN THE NAME OF CEDE & CO. OR IN SUCH OTHER NAME AS IS REQUESTED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEPOSITORY (AND ANY PAYMENT IS MADE TO CEDE & CO. OR TO SUCH OTHER ENTITY AS IS REQUESTED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEPOSITORY), ANY TRANSFER, PLEDGE, OR OTHER USE HEREOF FOR VALUE OR OTHERWISE BY OR TO ANY PERSON IS WRONGFUL INASMUCH AS THE REGISTERED OWNER HEREOF, CEDE & CO., HAS AN INTEREST HEREIN.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT **GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS, 2004 ELECTION, SERIES 2013B** (FEDERALLY TAXABLE)

\$

No. R-

Interest Rate %

Maturity Date Dated Date August 1,

CUSIP

REGISTERED OWNER:

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT:

The Santa Monica Community College District (the "District"), a community college district duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, located within the County of Los Angeles, State of California (the "County"), for value received, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to the Registered Owner set forth above the Principal Amount set forth above, on the Maturity Date set forth above, together with interest thereon from the dated date set forth above until the Principal Amount hereof shall have been paid or provided for, in accordance with the Resolution hereinafter referred to, at the interest rate set forth above. Interest on this Bond is payable on August 1, 2013, and semiannually thereafter on the first day of February and August (each, an "Interest Payment Date") in each year to the registered owner hereof from the Interest Payment Date next preceding the date on which this Bond is registered (unless it is registered after the close of business on the fifteenth calendar day of the month preceding any Interest Payment Date (each, a "Record Date") and before the close

of business on the immediately following Interest Payment Date, in which event it shall bear interest from such following Interest Payment Date, or unless this Bond is registered prior to the close of business on the first Record Date, in which event it shall bear interest from its date; provided, however, that if at the time of registration of this Bond interest with respect hereto is in default, interest with respect hereto shall be payable from the Interest Payment Date to which interest has previously been paid or made available for payment). The Principal Amount hereof is payable at the office of U.S. Bank National Association, as paying agent (the "Paying Agent"), or at the office of a successor Paying Agent appointed pursuant to the Resolution (as hereinafter defined). The interest hereon is payable by check or draft mailed by first class mail to each registered owner, at his address as it appears on the registration books kept by the Paying Agent as of the Record Date, or by wire transfer to any Owner of \$1,000,000 in principal amount or more of Bonds, to the account specified by the Owner in a written request delivered to the Paying Agent on or prior to the Record Date for such Interest Payment Date; provided, however, that payments of defaulted interest shall be payable to the person in whose name this Bond is registered at the close of business on a special record date fixed therefor by the Paying Agent which shall not be more than fifteen days and not less than ten days prior to the date of the proposed payment of defaulted interest.

The Bonds of this issue are comprised of \$______ principal amount of Santa Monica Community College District General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2004 Election, Series 2013B (Federally Taxable). This Bond is issued by the District under and in accordance with the provisions of Articles 9 and 11 of Chapter 3 of Part 1 of Division 2 of Title 5 (commencing with Sections 53550 and 53580, respectively) of the Government Code of the State of California, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees of the District on May 7, 2013 (the "**Resolution**"). Reference is hereby made to the Resolution, a copy of which is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of the District, for a description of the terms on which the Bonds are delivered, and the rights thereunder of the registered owners of the Bonds and the rights and duties of the Paying Agent, and the District, to all of the provisions of which the registered owner of this Bond, by acceptance hereof, assents and agrees. All capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the respective meanings set forth in the Resolution.

The Bonds are being issued for the purpose of effecting an advance refunding of certain outstanding general obligation refunding bonds of the District previously issued pursuant to an authorization obtained from the qualified electors of the District on November 2, 2004, for the issuance of \$135,000,000 aggregate principal amount of general obligation bonds, and to pay costs of issuance with regard to the Bonds.

This Bond is a general obligation of the District, payable as to both principal and interest from *ad valorem* taxes which, under the laws now in force, may be levied without limitation as to rate or amount upon all of the taxable property in the District. Neither the payment of the principal of this Bond, or any part thereof, nor any interest or premium hereon constitutes a debt, liability or obligation of the County.

This Bond is issued in fully registered form. Registration of this Bond is transferable by the registered owner hereof, in person or by his attorney duly authorized in writing, at the aforesaid offices of the Paying Agent, but only in the manner, subject to the limitations, and upon payment of the charges, provided in the Resolution and upon surrender and cancellation of this Bond. Upon such registration of transfer, a new Bond or Bonds, of like tenor and maturity in the same Principal Amount and in authorized denominations will be issued to the transferee in exchange herefor. The District and the Paying Agent may treat the registered owner hereof as the absolute owner hereof for all purposes, whether or not this Bond shall be overdue, and shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary.

The rights and obligations of the District and of the owners of the Bonds may be modified or amended at any time by a supplemental resolution adopted by the District with the written consent of Owners of at least 60% in aggregate principal amount of the Outstanding Bonds, exclusive of Bonds, if any, owned by the District. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no such modification or amendment shall, without the express consent of the Owner of each Bond affected, reduce the Principal Amount of any Bond, reduce the interest rate payable thereon, advance the earliest redemption date thereof, extend its maturity or the times for paying interest thereon or change the monetary medium in which Principal and interest is payable, nor shall any modification. No such supplemental resolution shall change or modify any of the rights or obligations of any Paying Agent without its written assent thereto. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, no such consent shall be required if the Owners are not directly and adversely affected by such amendment or modification.

A supplemental resolution of the District may be adopted, which, without the requirement of consent of the registered owners, shall be fully effective in accordance with its terms: (1) to add to the covenants and agreements of the District in the Resolution, other covenants and agreements to be observed by the District which are not contrary to or inconsistent with the Resolution as theretofore in effect; (2) to add to the limitations and restrictions in the Resolution, other limitations and restrictions to be observed by the District which are not contrary to or inconsistent with the Resolution as theretofore in effect; (3) to confirm as further assurance, any pledge under, and the subjection to any lien or pledge created or to be created by the Resolution, of any moneys, securities or funds, or to establish any additional funds or accounts to be held under the Resolution; (4) to cure any ambiguity, supply any omission, or cure or correct any defect or inconsistent provision in the Resolution; or (5) to amend or supplement the Resolution in any other respect, provided such supplemental resolution does not, in the opinion of nationally-recognized bond counsel, adversely affect the interests of the owners.

If this Bond is called for redemption and the Principal Amount of this Bond plus premium, if any, and accrued interest due with respect hereto are duly provided therefor as specified in the Resolution, then interest shall cease to accrue with respect hereto from and after the date fixed for redemption.

This Bond shall not become valid or obligatory for any purpose until the Certificate of Authentication hereon endorsed shall have been dated and executed manually by the Paying Agent.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED, RECITED AND DECLARED, that an election was duly and legally called, held and conducted, and the notices thereof duly given, and the results thereof canvassed and declared in accordance with the provisions of the Authorizing Law and that all of the proceedings of the Board of Trustees of the District and in the matter of the issuance of this Bond were regular and in strict accordance with the provisions of the Authorizing Law and of the Constitution of the State of California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Santa Monica Community College District has caused this Bond to be executed as of the date hereof.

SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

Dated: _____, 20___

By:[FORM ONLY]

President, Board of Trustees

Attest:

By:[FORM ONLY] Clerk of the Board of Trustees

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION

This is one of the Bonds described in the within-mentioned Resolution of Santa Monica Community College District.

DATED:_____

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, as Paying Agent

By:_____ Authorized Signatory

FORM OF ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned registered owner hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto

Social Security Number or other Tax Identification No.:

Registered Owner

Dated:

NOTICE: The signature on this Assignment must correspond with the name as written on the face of the within Bond in every particular, without alteration or enlargement or any change whatsoever.

Signature _____ guaranteed

[Bank, Trust Company or Firm]

By: _____ Authorized Officer

NOTICE: Signature(s) must be guaranteed by a member firm of the New York Stock Exchange or a commercial bank or trust company.

EXHIBIT B

FORM OF 15c2-12 CERTIFICATE

With respect to the proposed sale of its General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2004 Election, Series 2013B (Federally Taxable) in the maximum aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$_____,000,000, the Santa Monica Community College District (the "District") has delivered to you a Preliminary Official Statement, dated as of the date hereof (the "Preliminary Official Statement"). The District, for purposes of compliance with Rule 15c2-12 of the Securities Exchange Commission ("Rule 15c2-12"), deems the Preliminary Official Statement to be final as of its date, except for the omission of no more than the information permitted under Rule 15c2-12.

SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

Dated: _____, 2013

By:[FORM ONLY] Authorized Officer

SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT (County of Los Angeles, California)

\$[2013A Principal Amount] General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2002 Election, 2013 Series A

\$[2013B Principal Amount] General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2004 Election, 2013 Series B (Federally Taxable)

CONTRACT OF PURCHASE

[Pricing Date]

Vice President, Business and Administration Santa Monica Community College District 1900 Pico Boulevard Santa Monica, California 90405-1628

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The undersigned, RBC Capital Markets, LLC, as representative (the "Representative") of itself and Mitsubishi UFJ Securities (USA), Inc. (collectively, the "Underwriters"), acting on their own behalf and not as fiduciaries or agents for you, hereby offers to enter into this Contract of Purchase (this "Purchase Contract") with the Santa Monica Community College District (the "District"), which, upon your acceptance hereof, will be binding upon the District and the Underwriters. By execution of this Purchase Contract, the District and the Underwriters acknowledge the terms hereof and recognize that each will be bound by certain of the provisions hereof, and to the extent binding on the District, acknowledge and agree to such terms. This offer is made subject to the written acceptance of this Purchase Contract by the District and delivery of such acceptance to us at or prior to 11:59 p.m., California Time, on the date hereof.

Purchase and Sale of the Bonds. Subject to the terms and conditions and in reliance upon 1. the representations, warranties and agreements set forth herein, the Underwriters hereby agree to purchase from the District for reoffering to the public, and the District hereby agrees to sell to the Underwriters for such purpose, all (but not less than all) of the District's General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2002 Election, 2013 Series A (the "2013A Bonds") in an aggregate principal amount of \$[2013A Principal Amountl and General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2004 Election, 2013 Series B (Federally Taxable) (the "2013B Bonds" and, together with the 2013A Bonds, the "Bonds"). The Bonds will be issued as current interest bonds and shall be dated and bear interest at the rates and mature in the years as set forth in Schedule I hereto. The 2013B Bonds are not subject to redemption prior to the stated maturity dates thereof. The Bonds shall otherwise be as described in, and shall be issued and secured pursuant to, with respect to the 2013A Bonds, the provisions of the resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees of the District (the "District Board") on [District Resolution Date] (the "2013A Resolution") and, with respect to the 2013B Bonds, the provisions of the resolution adopted by the District Board on [District Resolution Date] (the "2013B Resolution" and, together with the 2013A Resolution, the "Resolutions"), this Purchase Contract and Articles 9 and 11 of Chapter 3 of Part 1 of Division 2 of Title 5 of the California Government Code, commencing with Section 53550 and Section 53580, respectively (the "Act").

Inasmuch as this purchase and sale represents a negotiated transaction, the District acknowledges and agrees that: (i) the transaction contemplated by this Purchase Contract is an arm's

length, commercial transaction between the District and the Underwriters in which the Underwriters are acting solely as principals and are not acting as municipal advisors, financial advisors or fiduciaries to the District; (ii) the Underwriters have not assumed any advisory or fiduciary responsibility to the District with respect to the transaction contemplated hereby and the discussions, undertakings and procedures leading thereto (irrespective of whether the Underwriters have provided other services or are currently providing other services to the District on other matters); (iii) the Underwriters are acting solely in their capacity as underwriters for their own respective accounts, (iv) the only obligations the Underwriters have to the District with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby expressly are set forth in this Purchase Contract; and (v) the District has consulted its own legal, accounting, tax, financial and other advisors, as applicable, to the extent it has deemed appropriate.

The Bonds shall be executed and delivered under and in accordance with the provisions of this Purchase Contract and the Resolutions. The Bonds shall be in definitive form, shall bear CUSIP numbers, and shall be in book-entry form, registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"). The Bonds of each Series shall be in authorized denominations of \$5,000 each or integral multiples thereof.

2. *Public Offering.* The Underwriters agree to make a bona fide public offering of all of the Bonds at a price not to exceed the public offering price set forth herein and may subsequently change such offering price without any requirement of prior notice. The Underwriters may offer and sell Bonds to certain dealers (including dealers depositing the Bonds into investment trusts) and others at prices lower than the public offering prices stated on the inside cover page of the Official Statement (as defined herein).

3. *The Official Statement*. (a) The District has previously delivered to the Underwriters the Preliminary Official Statement dated [POS Date] (the "Preliminary Official Statement"), including the cover page and appendices thereto, of the District relating to the Bonds. The final Official Statement delivered pursuant to Section 3(c) below is hereinafter called the "Official Statement."

(b) The Preliminary Official Statement has been prepared for use by the Underwriters by Disclosure Counsel in connection with the public offering, sale and distribution of the Bonds. The District hereby represents and warrants that the Preliminary Official Statement was deemed final by the District as of its date, except for the omission of such information which is dependent upon the final pricing of the Bonds for completion, all as permitted to be excluded by Section (b)(1) of Rule 15c2-12 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Rule").

(c) The District hereby authorizes the Official Statement and the information therein contained to be used by the Underwriters in connection with the public offering and the sale of the Bonds. The District consents to the use by the Underwriters prior to the date hereof of the Preliminary Official Statement in connection with the public offering of the Bonds. The District shall provide, or cause to be provided, to the Underwriters as soon as practicable after the date of the District's acceptance of this Purchase Contract (but, in any event, not later than within seven (7) business days after the District's acceptance of this Purchase Contract and in sufficient time to accompany any confirmation that requests

payment from any customer) copies of the Official Statement which is complete as of the date of its delivery to the Underwriters in such quantity as the Underwriters shall request in order to comply with Section (b)(4) of the Rule and the rules of the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board (the "MSRB").

(d) The Underwriters agree that prior to the time the final Official Statement relating to the Bonds is available, the Underwriters will send to any potential purchaser of the Bonds, upon the request of such potential purchaser, a copy of the Preliminary Official Statement. Such Preliminary Official Statement shall be sent by first class mail or electronic distribution (or other equally prompt means) not later than the first business day following the date upon which each such request is received.

During the period ending on the 25th day after the End of the Underwriting Period (as (e) defined below) (or such other period as may be agreed to by the District and the Underwriters), the District (i) shall not supplement or amend the Official Statement or cause the Official Statement to be supplemented or amended without the prior written consent of the Representative and (ii) shall notify the Underwriters promptly if any event shall occur, or information comes to the attention of the District, that is reasonably likely to cause the Official Statement (whether or not previously supplemented or amended) to contain any untrue statement of a material fact or to omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading. If, in the opinion of the Underwriters, such event requires the preparation and distribution of a supplement or amendment to the Official Statement, the District shall prepare and furnish to the Underwriters, at the District's expense, such number of copies of the supplement or amendment to the Official Statement, in form and substance mutually agreed upon by the District and the Representative, as the Representative may reasonably request. If such notification shall be given subsequent to the Closing, the District also shall furnish, or cause to be furnished, such additional legal opinions, certificates, instruments and other documents as the Representative may reasonably deem necessary to evidence the truth and accuracy of any such supplement or amendment to the Official Statement.

For purposes of this Purchase Contract, the "End of the Underwriting Period" is used as defined in Rule 15c2-12 and shall occur on the later of (a) the date of Closing or (b) when the Underwriters no longer retain an unsold balance of the Bonds; unless otherwise advised in writing by the Representative on or prior to the Closing Date, or otherwise agreed to by the District and the Representative, the District may assume that the End of the Underwriting Period is the Closing Date.

(f) The Underwriters hereby agree to file the Official Statement with the MSRB or any other repository approved by the Securities and Exchange Commission.

4. *Representations, Warranties, and Covenants of the District.* The District hereby represents and warrants to and covenants with the Underwriters that:

(a) The District is a community college district, duly created, organized and existing under the laws of the State of California (the "State"), and has full legal right, power and authority, and at the date of the Closing will have full legal right, power and authority (i) to enter into, execute and deliver this Purchase Contract, the Continuing Disclosure Undertaking (the "Undertaking") as defined in Section 6(h)(3) hereof and all documents required hereunder and thereunder to be executed and delivered by the District (this Purchase Contract, the Resolutions and the Undertaking are hereinafter referred to as the "District Documents"), (ii) to sell, issue and deliver the Bonds pursuant to the Act to the Underwriters as provided herein, and (iii) to carry out and complete the transactions described in the District Documents and the Official Statement, and the District has complied, and will at the Closing be in compliance in all respects, with the terms of the District Documents as they pertain to such transactions; (b) By all necessary official action of the District prior to or concurrently with the acceptance hereof, the District has duly authorized all necessary action to be taken by it for (i) the adoption of the Resolutions and the issuance and sale of the Bonds, (ii) the approval, execution and delivery of, and the performance by the District of the obligations on its part, contained in the Bonds and the District Documents and (iii) the completion by it of all other transactions described in the Official Statement, and the District Documents and any and all such other agreements and documents as may be required to be executed, delivered and/or received by the District in order to carry out, give effect to, and complete the transactions contemplated herein and in the Official Statement;

(c) The District Documents constitute legal, valid and binding obligations of the District, enforceable in accordance with their respective terms, subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws and principles of equity relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights; the Bonds, when issued, delivered and paid for, in accordance with the Resolutions and this Purchase Contract, will constitute legal, valid and binding obligations of the District entitled to the benefits of the Resolutions and enforceable in accordance with their respective terms, subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws and principles of equity relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights;

The District is not in breach of or default under any applicable constitutional provision, (d) law or administrative regulation of the State or the United States or any applicable judgment or decree or any loan agreement, indenture, bond, note, resolution, agreement or other instrument to which the District is a party or to which the District is or any of its property or assets are otherwise subject, in any material respect, and no event has occurred and is continuing which constitutes or with the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would constitute a default or event of default by the District under any of the foregoing; and the execution and delivery of the Bonds, the District Documents and the adoption of the Resolutions and compliance with the provisions on the District's part contained therein, will not conflict with or constitute a breach of or default under any constitutional provision, administrative regulation, judgment, decree, loan agreement, indenture, bond, note, resolution, agreement or other instrument to which the District is a party or to which the District is or to which any of its property or assets are otherwise subject nor will any such execution, delivery, adoption or compliance result in the creation or imposition of any lien, charge or other security interest or encumbrance of any nature whatsoever upon any of the property or assets of the District to be pledged to secure the Bonds or under the terms of any such law, regulation or instrument, except as provided by the Bonds and the Resolutions;

(e) All authorizations, approvals, licenses, permits, consents and orders of any governmental authority, legislative body, board, agency or commission having jurisdiction of the matter which are required to be obtained by the District for the due authorization of, which would constitute a condition precedent to, or the absence of which would materially adversely affect the due performance by the District of its obligations under the District Documents and the Bonds or with respect to the projects to be financed with the proceeds of the Bonds have been duly obtained, except for such approvals, consents and orders as may be required under the Blue Sky or securities laws of any jurisdiction in connection with the offering and sale of the Bonds;

(f) The Bonds conform to the descriptions thereof contained in the Official Statement under the caption "THE BONDS;" the Resolutions conform to the descriptions thereof contained in the Official Statement under the caption "THE BONDS – Authority for Issuance and Security for the Bonds;" the proceeds of the sale of the Bonds will be applied generally as described in the Official Statement under the caption "PURPOSE FOR THE BONDS AND PLAN OF REFUNDING" and the Continuing Disclosure Undertaking conforms to the description thereof contained in the Official Statement under the caption "THE BONDS – Continuing Disclosure Undertaking" and the form set forth as Appendix d to the Official Statement;

No legislation has been introduced, nor is there any action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or (g) investigation, at law or in equity, before or by any court, government agency, public board or body pending or, to the best knowledge of the District after due inquiry, threatened against the District, affecting the existence of the District or the titles of its officers to their respective offices, or affecting or seeking to prohibit, restrain or enjoin the sale, issuance or delivery of the 2013A Bonds pursuant to the 2013A District Resolution or the 2013B Bonds pursuant to the 2013B District Resolution or in any way contesting or affecting the validity or enforceability of the Bonds, the District Documents, or contesting the exclusion from gross income of interest on the 2013A Bonds for federal income tax purposes or the exclusion from gross income of interest on the Bonds for State income tax purposes, or contesting in any way the completeness or accuracy of the Preliminary Official Statement or the Official Statement or any supplement or amendment thereto or contesting the powers of the District or any authority for the issuance of the Bonds, the adoption of the Resolutions or the execution and delivery of the District Documents, nor, to the best knowledge of the District, is there any basis therefor, wherein an unfavorable decision, ruling or finding would materially adversely affect the validity or enforceability of the Bonds or the District Documents:

(h) As of the date thereof, the Preliminary Official Statement (excluding any information relating to DTC and DTC's book-entry system contained in Appendix E to the Preliminary Official Statement and the County Treasury (the "County Treasury Pool") contained in Appendix F to the Preliminary Official Statement) did not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading;

(i) At the time of the District's acceptance hereof and (unless the Official Statement is amended or supplemented pursuant to paragraph (d) of Section 3 of this Purchase Contract) at all times subsequent thereto during the period up to and including the date of Closing, the Preliminary Official Statement (excluding any information relating to DTC and DTC's book-entry system contained in Appendix E to the Preliminary Official Statement and the County Treasury Pool contained in Appendix F to the Preliminary Official Statement) as of its date does not and the Official Statement (excluding any information relating to DTC and DTC's book-entry system contained in Appendix E to the Official Statement) as of its date does not and the Official Statement (excluding any information relating to DTC and DTC's book-entry system contained in Appendix E to the Official Statement (excluding any information relating to DTC and DTC's book-entry system contained in Appendix E to the Official Statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading;

(j) If the Official Statement is supplemented or amended pursuant to paragraph (d) of Section 3 of this Purchase Contract, at the time of each supplement or amendment thereto (unless subsequently again supplemented or amended pursuant to such paragraph) the District agrees to provide the Underwriters with a certificate dated the date of any such supplement or amendment stating that the Official Statement as so supplemented or amended (excluding any information relating to DTC and DTC's book-entry system contained in Appendix E to the Official Statement and the County Treasury Pool contained in Appendix F to the Official Statement) does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which made, not misleading;

(k) As of the date of Closing, the District will have complied with the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), with respect to the 2013A Bonds;

(l) The District will furnish such information and execute such instruments and take such action in cooperation with the Underwriters as the Representative may reasonably request to qualify the Bonds for offer and sale under the Blue Sky or other securities laws and regulations of such states and

other jurisdictions in the United States as the Representative may designate and determine the eligibility of the Bonds for investment under the laws of such states and other jurisdictions and to continue such qualifications in effect so long as required for the distribution of the Bonds (provided, however, that the District will not be required to qualify as a foreign corporation or to file any general or special consents to service of process under the laws of any jurisdiction) and will advise the Underwriters immediately of receipt by the District of any notification with respect to the suspension of the qualification of the Bonds for sale in any jurisdiction or the initiation or threat of any proceeding for that purpose;

(m) The financial statements of, and other financial information regarding the District, in the Official Statement fairly present the financial position and results of the District as of the dates and for the periods therein set forth. Prior to the Closing, there will be no adverse change of a material nature in such financial position, results of operations or condition, financial or otherwise, of the District except as disclosed in the Official Statement. The District is not a party to any litigation or other proceeding pending or, to its knowledge, threatened which, if decided adversely to the District, would have a materially adverse effect on the financial condition of the District;

(n) Prior to the Closing, the District will not offer or issue any bonds, notes or other obligations for borrowed money or incur any material liabilities, direct or contingent, payable from or secured by *ad valorem* property taxes without the prior approval of the Representative; and

(o) Any certificate, signed by any official of the District authorized to do so in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Purchase Contract, shall be deemed a representation and warranty by the District to the Underwriters as to the statements made therein.

5. Closing. At 9:00 a.m., California Time, on [Closing Date], or at such other time or on such other date as shall have been mutually agreed upon by the parties hereto (the "Closing"), the Treasurer and Tax Collector of the County (the "Treasurer"), including the designated agents, successors and assigns of the Treasurer acting in such capacity as Paying Agent (herein, the "Paying Agent") and registrar for the Bonds will deliver to the Underwriters, through the facilities of DTC in New York, New York, or at such other place as the District and the Representative may mutually agree upon, the Bonds in fully registered book-entry form, duly executed, together with the other documents hereinafter mentioned. Upon fulfillment of all conditions to Closing herein, the Underwriters will accept such delivery and pay the purchase price thereof in immediately available funds (by check, wire transfer or such other manner of payment as the Representative and the Treasurer shall reasonably agree upon) to the order of the District.

6. Closing Conditions. The Representative has entered into this Purchase Contract on behalf of the Underwriters in reliance upon the representations, warranties and agreements of the District contained herein, and in reliance upon the representations, warranties and agreements to be contained in the documents and instruments to be delivered at the Closing and upon the performance by the District of its obligations hereunder, both as of the date hereof and as of the date of the Closing. Accordingly, the Underwriters' obligations under this Purchase Contract to purchase, to accept delivery of and to pay for the Bonds shall be conditioned upon the performance by the District of their respective obligations to be performed hereunder and under such documents and instruments at or prior to the Closing, and shall also be subject to the following additional conditions, including the delivery by the District of such documents as are enumerated herein, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Underwriters:

(a) The representations and warranties of the District contained herein shall be true, complete and correct on the date hereof and on and as of the date of the Closing, as if made on the date of the Closing;

(b) The District shall have performed and complied with all agreements and conditions required by this Purchase Contract to be performed or complied with by it prior to or at the Closing;

(c) At the time of the Closing, (i) the District Documents and the Bonds shall be in full force and effect in the form heretofore approved by the Representative and shall not have been amended, modified or supplemented, and the Official Statement shall not have been supplemented or amended, except in any such case as may have been agreed to by the Representative; and (ii) all actions of the District required to be taken by the District shall be performed in order for Bond Counsel, Disclosure Counsel and Underwriters' Counsel to deliver their respective opinions referred to hereafter;

(d) At or prior to the Closing, the Resolutions shall have been duly adopted by the District Board, and the Bonds shall have been duly executed, delivered and authenticated;

(e) At the time of the Closing, there shall not have occurred any change or any development involving a prospective change in the projects to be financed with the proceeds of the Bonds, in the condition, financial or otherwise, or in the revenues or operations of the District, from that set forth in the Official Statement that in the reasonable judgment of the Representative, is material and adverse and that makes it, in the reasonable judgment of the Representative, impracticable to market the Bonds on the terms and in the manner contemplated in the Official Statement;

(f) The District has not failed to pay principal or interest when due on any of its outstanding obligations for borrowed money;

(g) All steps to be taken and all instruments and other documents to be executed, and all other legal matters in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Purchase Contract shall be reasonably satisfactory in legal form and effect to the Representative;

(h) At or prior to the Closing, the Representative shall have received copies of each of the following documents:

(1) The Official Statement, and each supplement or amendment thereto, if any, executed on behalf of the District by its authorized representative, or such other official as may have been agreed to by the Representative, and the reports and audits referred to or appearing in the Official Statement;

(2) The Resolutions, with such supplements or amendments as may have been agreed to by the Representative;

(3) The Undertaking of the District which satisfies the requirements of Section (b)(5)(i) of the Rule;

(4) The final approving opinion of Bond Counsel with respect to the Bonds, in substantially the form attached to the Official Statement;

(5) A reliance letter from Bond Counsel to the effect that the Underwriters may rely upon the approving opinion described in Section 7(h)(4) above, together with a supplemental opinion, dated the Closing Date and addressed to the Representative, to the effect that:

(i) the District has full right and lawful authority to enter into and perform its duties under this Purchase Contract and this Purchase Contract has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the District and, assuming due authorization, execution and delivery by the other respective parties thereto, constitutes a legal, valid and binding obligation of the District, enforceable in accordance with its terms, except as the same may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or other laws relating to or affecting generally the enforcement of creditors' rights and by the application of equitable principles if equitable remedies are sought;

(ii) by all necessary official action of the District prior to or concurrently with the acceptance hereof, the District has duly authorized all necessary action to be taken by it for the adoption of the Resolutions and the issuance and sale of the Bonds;

(iii) the Resolutions and all other proceedings of the District pertinent to the validity and enforceability of the Bonds have been duly and validly adopted or undertaken in compliance with all applicable procedural requirements of the District and in compliance with the Constitution and laws of the State, including the Act;

(iv) the statements contained in the Official Statement in the sections entitled "THE BONDS," "SECURITY AND SOURCES OF PAYMENT FOR THE BONDS" and "TAX MATTERS" (excluding any information relating to DTC and DTC's bookentry system contained in Appendix E to the Official Statement and the County Treasury Pool contained in Appendix F to the Official Statement) insofar as such statements purport to summarize certain provisions of the Bonds and the Resolutions and the tax status of the Bonds for federal and State income tax purposes, present a fair and accurate summary of such documents, such tax status and the matters discussed therein;

(v) no authorization, approval, consent or other order of the State or any local agency of the State, other than such authorizations, approvals and consents which have been obtained, is required for the valid authorization, execution and delivery by the District of this Purchase Contract or the consummation by the District of the other transactions contemplated by such agreement (provided no opinion is expressed as to any action required under state securities or blue sky laws in connection with the purchase or distribution of the Bonds by the Underwriters); and

(vi) the Bonds are exempt from registration pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the Resolutions are exempt from qualification pursuant to the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended;

(6) An opinion of counsel for the Underwriters, dated the date of the Closing and addressed to the Underwriters, in form and substance acceptable to the Representative;

(7) An opinion of Disclosure Counsel addressed to the District, together with a reliance letter addressed to the Representative, dated the date of Closing, to the effect that, based upon information made available to such counsel in the course of such counsel's participation in the transaction as Disclosure Counsel and assuming the accuracy, completeness and fairness of the statements contained in the Official Statement, nothing has come to such counsel's attention which has led such counsel to believe that the Official Statement (excluding any information relating to DTC and DTC's book-entry system contained in Appendix E to the Official Statement and the County Treasury Pool contained in Appendix F to the Official Statement and financial and statistical data included therein and assumptions with respect thereto) as of the date of the Official Statement and as of the date of Closing contained or contains any untrue statement of a material fact or omits to state a material fact required to be stated therein necessary to

make the statements made therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading in any material respect;

A certificate, dated the date of Closing, of the District to the effect that (i) the (8) representations and warranties of the District contained herein are true and correct in all material respects on and as of the date of Closing as if made on the date of Closing; (ii) no litigation or proceeding against it is pending or, to its knowledge, threatened in any court or administrative body nor is there a basis for litigation which would (a) contest the right of the members or officials of the District to hold and exercise their respective positions, (b) contest the due organization and valid existence of the District, (c) contest the validity, due authorization and execution of the Bonds or the District Documents or (d) attempt to limit, enjoin or otherwise restrict or prevent the District from functioning and collecting revenues, including payments on the Bonds, pursuant to the District Resolution, and other income or the levy or collection of the taxes pledged or to be pledged to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds, or the pledge thereof; (iii) the Resolutions authorizing the execution, delivery and/or performance of the Official Statement, the Bonds and the District Documents have been duly adopted by the District, are in full force and effect and have not been modified, amended or repealed, and (iv) to the best of its knowledge, no event affecting the District has occurred since the date of the Official Statement which should be disclosed in the Official Statement for the purpose for which it is to be used or which it is necessary to disclose therein in order to make the statements and information therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading in any respect as of the time of Closing, and (v) the information contained in the Official Statement (excluding any information relating to DTC and DTC's book-entry system contained in Appendix E to the Official Statement and the County Treasury Pool contained in Appendix F to the Official Statement) is correct in all material respects and, as of its date the Official Statement (excluding any information relating to DTC and DTC's book-entry system contained in Appendix E to the Official Statement and the County Treasury Pool contained in Appendix F to the Official Statement) did not, and as of the date of the Closing does not, contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements made therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading;

(9) A certificate of the District in form and substance satisfactory to Bond Counsel and counsel to the Underwriters (a) setting forth the facts, estimates and circumstances in existence on the date of the Closing, which establish that it is not expected that the proceeds of the Bonds will be used in a manner that would cause the 2013A Bonds to be "arbitrage bonds" within the meaning of Section 148 of the Code and any applicable regulations (whether final, temporary or proposed), issued pursuant to the Code, and (b) certifying that to the best of the knowledge and belief of the District there are no other facts, estimates or circumstances that would materially change the conclusions, representations and expectations contained in such certificate;

(10) Evidence satisfactory to the Representative that the Bonds have been rated "___" and "___" by Moody's Investors Service and Standard & Poor's Ratings Services, a Standard & Poor's Financial Services LLC business, respectively, and that such ratings have not been revoked or downgraded; and

(11) Such additional legal opinions, certificates, instruments and other documents as Bond Counsel, the Representative or counsel to the Underwriters may reasonably request to evidence the truth and accuracy, as of the date hereof and as of the date of the Closing, of the District's representations and warranties contained herein and of the statements and information contained in the Official Statement and the due performance or satisfaction by the District on or prior to the date of the Closing of all the respective agreements then to be performed and conditions then to be satisfied by the District.

If the District shall be unable to satisfy the conditions to the obligations of the Underwriters to purchase, to accept delivery of and to pay for the Bonds contained in this Purchase Contract, or if the obligations of the Underwriters to purchase, to accept delivery of and to pay for the Bonds shall be terminated for any reason permitted by this Purchase Contract, this Purchase Contract shall terminate and neither the Underwriters nor the District shall be under any further obligation hereunder, except that the respective obligations of the District and the Underwriters set forth in Sections 4, 5 and 8 hereof shall continue in full force and effect.

7. *Termination*. The Underwriters shall have the right to cancel their obligation to purchase the Bonds if, between the date of this Purchase Contract and the Closing, the market price or marketability of the Bonds shall be materially adversely affected by the occurrence of any of the following:

(a) legislation shall be enacted by or introduced in the Congress of the United States or recommended to the Congress for passage by the President of the United States, or the Treasury Department of the United States or the Internal Revenue Service or any member of the Congress or the State legislature or favorably reported for passage to either House of the Congress by any committee of such House to which such legislation has been referred for consideration, a decision by a court of the United States or of the State or the United States Tax Court shall be rendered, or an order, ruling, regulation (final, temporary or proposed), statement or other form of notice by or on behalf of the Treasury Department of the United States, the Internal Revenue Service or other governmental agency shall be made or proposed, the effect of any or all of which would be to impose, directly or indirectly, federal income taxation with respect to the 2013A Bonds or State income taxation, of the interest on the Bonds as described in the Official Statement, or other action or events shall have transpired which may have the purpose or effect, directly or indirectly, of changing the federal income tax consequences or State income tax consequences of any of the transactions contemplated herein;

(b) legislation introduced in or enacted (or resolution passed) by the Congress or an order, decree, or injunction issued by any court of competent jurisdiction, or an order, ruling, regulation (final, temporary, or proposed), or other form of notice issued or made by or on behalf of the Securities and Exchange Commission, or any other governmental agency having jurisdiction of the subject matter, to the effect that obligations of the general character of the Bonds, including any or all underlying arrangements, are not exempt from registration under or other requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or that the Resolutions are not exempt from qualification under or other requirements of the general character of the Bonds, including any or sale of obligations of the general character of the Bonds, including arrangements, as contemplated hereby or by the Official Statement or otherwise, is or would be in violation of the federal securities law as amended and then in effect;

(c) any state blue sky or securities commission or other governmental agency or body shall have withheld registration, exemption or clearance of the offering of the Bonds as described herein, or issued a stop order or similar ruling relating thereto;

(d) a general suspension of trading in securities on the New York Stock Exchange or the American Stock Exchange LLC, the establishment of minimum prices on either such exchange, the establishment of material restrictions (not in force as of the date hereof) upon trading securities generally

by any governmental authority or any national securities exchange, a general banking moratorium declared by federal, State of New York, or State officials authorized to do so;

(e) the New York Stock Exchange or other national securities exchange or any governmental authority, shall impose, as to the Bonds or as to obligations of the general character of the Bonds, any material restrictions not now in force, or increase materially those now in force, with respect to the extension of credit by, or the charge to the net capital requirements of underwriters in general;

(f) any amendment to the federal or state Constitution or action by any federal or state court, legislative body, regulatory body, or other authority materially adversely affecting the tax status of the District, its property, income securities (or interest thereon), or the validity or enforceability of the assessments or the levy of taxes to pay principal of and interest on the Bonds;

(g) any event occurring, or information becoming known which, in the reasonable judgment of the Representative, makes untrue in any material respect any statement or information contained in the Official Statement, or has the effect that the Official Statement contains any untrue statement of material fact or omits to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading;

(h) there shall have occurred since the date of this Purchase Contract any materially adverse change in the affairs or financial condition of the District;

(i) the United States shall have become engaged in hostilities which have resulted in a declaration of war or a national emergency or there shall have occurred any other outbreak or escalation of major hostilities or a national or international calamity or crisis, financial or otherwise;

(j) there shall have occurred or any notice shall have been given of any intended review, downgrading, suspension, withdrawal, or negative change in credit watch status by any national rating service to any of the District's obligations; and

(k) the purchase of and payment for the Bonds by the Underwriters, or the resale of the Bonds by the Underwriters, on the terms and conditions herein provided shall be prohibited by any applicable law, governmental authority, board, agency or commission.

8. *Expenses.* The Underwriters shall cause to be paid by the Fiscal Agent the following expenses incident to the offering and sale of the Bonds, up to the amount of \$______, in accordance with Section 1 above: (i) the fees and disbursements of Bond Counsel and Disclosure Counsel; (ii) the cost of the preparation, printing and delivery of the Bonds; (iii) the fees, if any, for Bond ratings, including all expenses related to obtaining the ratings, such as meals, transportation and lodging, if any; (iv) the cost of the printing and distribution of the Official Statement; (v) the fees of the Paying Agent and Dissemination Agent through the maturity of the bonds, if any; (vi) the fees of the California Debt and Investment Advisory Commission; and (vii) all other fees and expenses incident to the issuance and sale of Bonds. Any expenses owing following the depletion of said amount shall be paid from lawfully available funds of the District.

9. *Notices.* Any notice or other communication to be given under this Purchase Contract may be given by delivering the same in writing to the District at Santa Monica Community College District, 1900 Pico Boulevard, Santa Monica, California 90405-1628 Attention: Vice President, Business and Administration, to the Underwriters at RBC Capital Markets, LLC, 777 South Figueroa Street, Suite 850, Los Angeles, California 90017, Attention: Public Finance and Roderick A. Carter, Managing Director.

10. *Parties in Interest.* This Purchase Contract as heretofore specified shall constitute the entire agreement between the parties hereto and is made solely for the benefit of the District and the Underwriters (including successors or assigns of the Underwriters) and no other person shall acquire or have any right hereunder or by virtue hereof. This Purchase Contract may not be assigned by the District. All of the District's representations, warranties and agreements contained in this Purchase Contract shall remain operative and in full force and effect, regardless of (i) any investigations made by or on behalf of the Underwriters; (ii) delivery of and payment for the Bonds pursuant to this Purchase Contract; and (iii) any termination of this Purchase Contract.

11. *Effectiveness*. This Purchase Contract shall become effective upon the acceptance hereof by the District and shall be valid and enforceable at the time of such acceptance.

12. *Choice of Law.* This Purchase Contract shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of the State of California.

13. Severability. If any provision of this Purchase Contract shall be held or deemed to be or shall, in fact, be invalid, inoperative or unenforceable as applied in any particular case in any jurisdiction or jurisdictions, or in all jurisdictions because it conflicts with any provisions of any Constitution, statute, rule of public policy, or any other reason, such circumstances shall not have the effect of rendering the provision in question invalid, inoperative or unenforceable in any other case or circumstance, or of rendering any other provision or provisions of this Purchase Contract invalid, inoperative or unenforceable to any extent whatever.

14. *Business Day.* For purposes of this Purchase Contract, "business day" means any day other than (a) a Saturday or Sunday, (b) a day on which the District or the Paying Agent is required by law to close, or (c) a day on which banks located in Los Angeles, California are required by law to close.

15. *Section Headings*. Section headings have been inserted in this Purchase Contract as a matter of convenience of reference only, and it is agreed that such section headings are not a part of this Purchase Contract and will not be used in the interpretation of any provisions of this Purchase Contract.

16. Counterparts. This Purchase Contract may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be regarded as an original (with the same effect as if the signatures thereto and hereto were upon the same document) and all of which shall constitute one and the same document. This Purchase Contract shall become a binding agreement between the parties hereto when the last counterpart shall have been signed by or on behalf of each of the parties hereto.

Very truly yours,

RBC CAPITAL MARKETS, LLC, as Representative of itself and Mitsubishi UFJ Securities

By: _____

Roderick A. Carter Managing Director

SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

By: _____

Robert G. Isomoto Vice President, Business and Administration

ACCEPTED at ___ [a.m./p.m.] Pacific Time on this __ day of _____, 2013.

SCHEDULE I

MATURITY SCHEDULE

\$[2013A Principal Amount] SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT (County of Los Angeles, California) General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2002 Election, 2013 Series A

Maturity	Principal	Interest	Yield
(August 1)	Amount	Rate	
	\$	%	%

Yield to call at par on August 1, 20____

(c)

\$_____% Term Bonds due August 1, 20__ – Yield _____%

\$[2013B Principal Amount] SANTA MOMNICA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT (County of Los Angeles, California) General Obligation Refunding Bonds, 2004 Election, 2013 Series B (Federally Taxable)

Maturity	Principal	Interest	Yield
(August 1)	Amount	Rate	
	\$	%	%

TERMS OF REDEMPTION

The 2013A Bonds are subject to redemption prior to the stated maturity dates. The terms of redemption set forth in the 2013A Resolution are supplemented and amended to include the following:

Redemption of the 2013A Bonds

<u>Optional Redemption</u>. The 2013A Bonds maturing on or before August 1, 20___ are not subject to redemption prior to their fixed maturity dates. The 2013A Bonds maturing on and after August 1, 20___ are subject to redemption prior to their stated maturity dates, at the option of the District, from any source of available funds, on any date on or after August 1, 20___, as a whole or in part, at a redemption price equal to the principal amount of the 2013A Bonds called for redemption, with interest accrued thereon to the date of redemption, without premium.

<u>Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption</u>. The 2013A Bonds maturing on August 1, 20__, are also subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption, in part, on August 1 of each year on and after August 1, 20__ from moneys in the Debt Service Fund established under the 2013A District Resolution and in the respective principal amounts as set forth in the following schedule, at a redemption price equal to the principal amount thereof, together with accrued interest to the date fixed for redemption, without premium. The principal amount to be redeemed in each year shown below will be reduced proportionately, in integral multiples of \$5,000, by any portion of the 2013A Bonds optionally redeemed prior to the mandatory sinking fund redemption date.

Mandatory Sinking Fund Payment Date (August 1)	Mandatory Sinking Fund Payment
20 20	\$
20 20	
20(1)	

(1) Maturity