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## **SERVE YOUR COMMUNITY: COLUMBIA NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER SEEKS NEW ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBER**

The Columbia Neighborhood Center (CNC), a family resource center in Sunnyvale, is recruiting a new member for its Community Advisory Committee (CAC). Applicants must be Sunnyvale residents who reside in the CNC service area (north of Central Expressway and within Sunnyvale borders) or have children who attend one of these schools: Bishop, San Miguel, Lakewood, Fairwood or Columbia Middle. Applications will be accepted through April 15.

CAC members help evaluate the Center's services, identify community needs, assist with community projects and serve as community representatives of the CNC. There are five committee meetings during the year on weekday evenings, with additional opportunities to volunteer at CNC events throughout the year. The time commitment for a committee member is approximately 14 hours per year and each term on the CAC is for one-year. This is an excellent opportunity for residents to serve their community as City of Sunnyvale volunteers.

The CAC provides an opportunity for each member to contribute according to their skills and interests. One recent member stated, "I feel that my time on the committee has been well spent. I have had a chance to learn about how the CNC works and I have participated in several short-duration tasks that were aimed at benefiting the center and the community."

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CNC's goal is to support and empower youth and families so that the children of the community will develop the life skills necessary to be successful in school and beyond. CNC supports youth and families by providing health, education, social and recreation services.

For more information and an application form, please call (408) 523-8150 or email [clutticken@ci.sunnyvale.ca.us](mailto:clutticken@ci.sunnyvale.ca.us) with your name, address and phone number. More information is available by visiting [CNC.inSunnyvale.com](http://CNC.inSunnyvale.com) and following the *Community Outreach* link.

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