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# PRESS RELEASE

**WHAT:** Grant Writing Seminar  
**WHEN:** 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Feb. 27  
**WHERE:** Humphrey's On the Delta, One Marina Plaza, Antioch  
**WHO:** Sponsored by Supervisor Federal Glover  
**INFO:** Tonya Smith, (925) 427-8138

## **Supervisor sponsors Grant Writing Seminar to help service providers**

“With purse strings tightening, nonprofit service organizations must look for other sources of funding beyond contracts with local governments,” said Supervisor Federal Glover. “Grants will be extremely competitive.”

To help those organizations that provide programs and services to East County, the District V supervisor is providing a grant writing workshop so those groups that provide vital aid can continue to serve.

The Grant Writing Seminar will be held Wednesday, Feb. 27, from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Humphrey's On the Delta, One Marina Plaza, Antioch.

The seminar is similar to the one he sponsored last year to which over 100 organizations attended. The groups who benefited from the workshop included nonprofit and government agencies which provide vital services as diverse as crisis counseling to dance classes, from health services to work experience internships.

New this year will be presentations by the San Francisco Foundation. Steve Constantine, San Jose State University, David Fraser, Adjunct Professor at California State University East Bay, Tim Silva, Wells Fargo Bank will be returning with updated information.

The Grant Writing Seminar will offer an introduction to American philanthropy, providing participants with an understanding of various types of foundations and grantor agencies, and the general principles that guide foundation giving. Additionally, focus will be given to the research process and basic skills essential for writing winning proposals. Further attention will be placed on developing organizational protocol for administration and budgeting of grants.

Seating is extremely limited and reservations will not be accepted after Feb. 20. There is no cost to attend the seminar. A continental breakfast and lunch will be provided. **Registration is mandatory** and can be accomplished by calling Tonya Smith at (925) 427-8138 or e-mailing her at [tsmith@bos.cccounty.us](mailto:tsmith@bos.cccounty.us).