RESOLUTION NO. 2013–67

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL CERRITO
ESTABLISHING A POLICY REGARDING APPROPRIATE POSITIONS TO RECEIVE
ETHICS TRAINING PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 53235

WHEREAS, the California Legislature enacted Government Code Section 53234 et seq. requiring, in part, that certain local agency officials receive training in specified laws relating to local government; and

WHEREAS, the El Cerrito City Council receives the training and may designate other local agency officials to receive the training; and

WHEREAS, ethics training covers but is not limited to general ethics principles and ethics laws relevant to public service, conflict-of-interest gift and travel restrictions, prohibitions against the use of public resources for personal or political purposes, government transparency laws and laws relating to due process requirements; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that it will benefit the City of El Cerrito to require appointed Commissioners and Board Members to receive training in specified laws relating to local government and service as a local agency official.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of El Cerrito designates each member of the Arts and Culture Commission, Design Review Board, Financial Advisory Board, Parks and Recreation Commission, and Planning Commission to receive training pursuant to the requirements of Government Code section 53234 et seq. and provide the original proof of participation certificate to the City Clerk upon completion.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall become effective January 1, 2014.

I CERTIFY that at a regular meeting on November 19, 2013, the El Cerrito City Council passed this resolution by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Abelson, Benassini, Bridges, Friedman and Mayor Lyman

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

IN WITNESS of this action, I sign this document and affix the corporate seal of the City of El Cerrito on November 26, 2013.

Cheryl Morse, City Clerk

Approved:

Gregory B. Lyman, Mayor