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Strategies for Success the Focus of BOE Seminar **Free West Hollywood Event Aims to Help Small Business Owners**

Sacramento – Jerome E. Horton, Chairman of the California State Board of Equalization, encourages small business owners and other entrepreneurs to attend a free [West Hollywood Small Business Seminar](#) on Tuesday, February 19, 2013. Business owners seeking help understanding sales and use tax, federal small business programs, and income and property tax issues will be able to learn more and have their questions answered by experts.

Representatives from the BOE, the Employment Development Department, the Franchise Tax Board, Internal Revenue Service, Small Business Administration, and the Small Business Development Center, L.A. Regional Network will offer useful presentations and answer questions from attendees. This seminar is sponsored by Chairman Horton, Senator Ted Lieu, West Hollywood Mayor Jeffrey Prang, and the West Hollywood Chamber of Commerce.

Event: West Hollywood Small Business Seminar

Date: Tuesday, February 19, 2013

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (check-in at 8:30 a.m.)

Place: Plummer Park
Fiesta Hall Community Room
7377 Santa Monica Boulevard
West Hollywood, CA 90046 (Free Parking)

Registration: 1-888-847-9652 or [online](#)

Find out more about a variety of BOE’s other [in-person classes](#) and [online seminars](#).

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Elected in 2010, Chairman Jerome E. Horton is the Fourth District Member of the California State Board of Equalization, representing more than 8.5 million residents in Los Angeles County. He is also the Board of Equalization’s Legislative Committee Chairman. He is the first to serve on the Board of Equalization with over 21 years of experience at the BOE. Horton previously served as an Assembly Member of the California State Assembly from 2000-2006.

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The five-member California State Board of Equalization is a publicly elected tax board. The Board of Equalization collects more than \$53.7 billion annually in taxes and fees supporting state and local government services. It hears business tax appeals, acts as the appellate body for franchise and personal income tax appeals, and serves a significant role in the assessment and administration of property taxes. For more information on other taxes and fees in California, visit www.taxes.ca.gov.

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