



## SPEAKERS BUREAU APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in applying to the Housing Long Beach (HLB) Speakers Bureau. If selected as a Member, you will represent HLB by speaking to interested groups across Long Beach about HLB's work and campaign to increase access to quality and affordable housing.

**Please note: There is a (6) month time commitment expectation for the Speakers Bureau (exceptions made for CSULB students) and all members are encouraged to speak at a minimum of (2) engagements per year.**

Members will receive: Training on public speaking skills; Opportunity to work with neighborhood groups and expand HLB's work and mission; Time credits through the Long Beach Time Exchange ([lbtimeexchange.com](http://lbtimeexchange.com)); gas reimbursement for miles travelled while volunteering for HLB.

To apply for a position on the 2014-2015 Speakers Bureau please fill out the following application and submit to [info@housinglb.org](mailto:info@housinglb.org) by Thursday, Sept 4. An all-day training will be held on Saturday, September 13 from 9am-5pm and Tuesday, September 16<sup>th</sup> from 5pm-9pm. Both trainings are mandatory for participation. Speaking engagements will be throughout the fall.

*Note: Only complete applications received by the date and time noted will be reviewed. Attaching your resume is optional, but preferred.*

<b>Title</b>	<b>First name</b>	<b>Last name</b>		
<b>Address</b>		<b>City</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Zip code</b>
<b>Phone number</b>		<b>Alt. phone number</b>		
<b>Email address</b>				

Are you a student?  Yes  No If yes, please list your school.

Do you have your own reliable source of transportation?  Yes  No

Please indicate which languages you are proficient in each of the following; speaking, writing, reading.

**Why are you interested in applying for the Speakers Bureau?**

**If selected, can you make a volunteer commitment of at least one year?**  Yes  No

**Have you volunteered with HLB in the past? If so, please describe.**

**Do you have speaking experience? Please describe and/or list speaking engagements.**

**Please provide your availability for potential speaking engagements. Check all that apply:**

Weekday Mornings  Weekday Mid-day  Weekday Evenings (some)

Weekend Mornings  Weekend Mid-day  Weekend Evenings

**Are you interested in speaking to youth groups?**  Yes  No

**Are you interested in speaking to faith communities? Any specific religion?**

**Are you familiar with Microsoft PowerPoint?**  Yes  No

**Do you have any special needs or concerns related to this membership? If yes, please describe.**

**Where did you hear about the HLB Speakers Bureau?**

**Signature of Applicant:**

**Date:** [Click here to enter a date.](#)