



Local Ballot Measure: L

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Argument In Favor of Measure L

The future success of our children and our community depends on the strength of our local public schools. They prepare them for high school, paving the way for their future achievements, enhancing the value of our homes and supporting local businesses.

Investing in our schools is not just an option; it's a necessity. **Vote YES on Measure L** to provide our children with safer schools and up-to-date classroom technology while also strengthening our community for the future—**all with no increase in taxes.**

Measure L will fund crucial improvements at Chalone Peaks Middle, Del Rey Elementary, Santa Lucia Elementary, King City Arts Magnet and the Early Education Center, including:

- Updating classroom technology
- Enhancing student and staff safety by upgrading emergency communication systems and fire alarms
- Upgrading security systems with additional fencing, lighting, video surveillance and point-of-entry door locks
- Removing hazardous materials
- Repairing and renovating unsafe playfields and athletic fields
- Improving accessibility to classrooms, restrooms, walkways and playgrounds to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)

Measure L also protects taxpayers by:

- Guaranteeing that funds **cannot be taken by the state and spent elsewhere**
- Requiring **full public disclosure** of all spending
- Annual reviews of all expenditures by an independent citizens' oversight committee and third-party auditors
- Qualifying for **state matching funds**
- Prohibiting the use of funds for administrators' salaries, pensions or benefits

With NO tax increase, we can improve our children's schools, provide essential classroom technology and enhance student and staff safety. Please join parents, teachers, grandparents, guardians, neighbors, business owners and community leaders and vote **YES on Measure L.**

/s/ G. Chris Graveline, Parent/Community Member

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/s/ Carlos Victoria, Councilmember

/s/ Paulette Bumbalough, Retired Higher Education Administration

/s/ Terry Garcia, Parent

Rebuttal To Argument In Favor of Measure L

No arguments against Measure L were submitted.