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From: Charlene Harding <charjarhar@icloud.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 4:13 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Oppose the Parcel Tax

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CityCouncil,

This \$\$4-digit\$\$ parcel tax is outrageous. This will be a hardship on many residents. I've had children in the MBUSD schools the past 18 years. The more we fund our schools within our town, the less the state will give us. Over 650 students recently left MBUSD. Let's focus on making the schools smaller with less costs. At one time we had 8 elementary schools and 2 middle schools. We down sized. It's time to downsize again without the residents funding non-MBch students; 30% of the high school students aren't residents. No EQUITY there. We've paid huge prop taxes and now we need to pay again? Double taxation. MBUSD must Lobby the state for more of our prop taxes back and be more fiscally responsible to focus on core subjects.

This Parcel Tax is not Kind.

Charlene Harding
20 year resident

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From: Pamela Blake <pblake98@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 4:35 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] No Parking signs on Rowel Ave.

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Dear City Council representatives,

I am writing to let you know that I am opposed to having No Parking signs installed on Rowel Ave. Many years ago I signed a petition to not have the signs installed back then and I still agree with that today.

Thank you for your consideration,

Pamela Blake

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From: Cassady Blake-Christo <cassketches@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 4:44 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Requesting "No Parking" Signs NOT Be Installed on Rowell

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Dear City Council Members,

This email is to inform you, that as a resident living on Rowell, that I am opposed to installing No Parking Signs on Rowell Ave.

Thank you for your time,
Cassady Blake-Christo

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From: Scott C. Chambers <mbchambers4@roadrunner.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 4:45 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Greg Dickinson's Parcel Tax Analysis
Attachments: MBUSD Funding Analysis School Year Ending 2021 - April 2022.pdf

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This report shows that MBUSD is overspending per pupil verses other districts of similar size. This parcel tax is to high. This district needs to cut expenses before the community layers on additional revenue for them to mismanage.

Regards,
Scott C. Chambers

Parcel tax details

How do the 2018 and 2022 parcel taxes compare? (notable differences are bolded)

- 2018 Parcel Tax Proposal (Measure MB):** To maintain quality education, keep Manhattan Beach schools among California’s best, offset severe state funding shortfalls and provide **\$2,650,000 annually** the state cannot take away, to: Attract and retain high-quality teachers; Maintain manageable class sizes; Protect quality math, science, reading, art/music programs, shall Manhattan Beach Unified School District levy **\$225 per parcel** annually, **expiring in six years**, with senior exemptions, independent oversight/audits, **no money for administrators**, and all funds staying local? [**>66.6% approval required** due to its being a MBUSD-led initiative: Yes 69.25%, No 30.75%]
- 2022 Parcel Tax Proposal (Measure A):** Shall a measure imposing an annual flat tax of **\$1,095** on each real property parcel within the City of Manhattan Beach, and **adjusted annually for inflation**, for a period of **twelve years**, thereby generating an estimated **\$11,000,000 to \$13,000,000** annually for investment in education, with an oversight committee and exemptions for (1) low-income individuals and (2) seniors who use their property as a principal residence, be adopted? [**>50% approval required** due to its being a citizen-led initiative]

The Measure A language above (as passed by the MB City Council) does not include commitments about the uses of the parcel tax funding. According to the City Attorney’s analysis, however, “The school district would only be allowed to use the tax proceeds for certain purposes including: academic, arts, and education programs; maintaining manageable class sizes; investing in technology, learning tools, instructional materials, and supplies; providing professional development to teachers; and increasing staffing levels and salaries.” It is not clear what the district would not be allowed to fund with the proceeds, and there are no quantified commitments to any particular type of spending.

Measure A parcel tax amounts over 12-year duration under different inflation adjustment

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	12-Year Total
Parcel tax with 0% annual adjustment	1,095	1,095	1,095	1,095	1,095	1,095	1,095	1,095	1,095	1,095	1,095	1,095	13,140
Parcel tax with 3% annual adjustment	1,095	1,128	1,162	1,197	1,232	1,269	1,307	1,347	1,387	1,429	1,472	1,516	15,540
Parcel tax with 6% annual adjustment	1,095	1,161	1,230	1,304	1,382	1,465	1,553	1,646	1,745	1,850	1,961	2,079	18,473

A more detailed look at MBUSD spending trends

How have MBUSD funding, spending, and enrollment changed since the first parcel tax passed in 2018?

Total district funding per student/ADA has risen about 16% overall

- State funding has increased 12%
- Federal funding has increased 23%
- Local funding has increased 38% (helped by \$2.4M/year parcel tax funding; hurt by declining MBEF funding)

Total district spending per student/ADA has risen about 14%

- Certificated (i.e., credentialed teacher) salaries have risen about 7%
- Classified (i.e., non-credentialed staff) personnel salaries have risen about 14%
- Employee benefits have risen about 22%
- Books and supply spending have risen about 17%
- Services and other operating expenses have risen about 21%
(includes travel, conferences, dues, memberships, utilities, sub-agreements, consulting services, rentals, leases, and repairs)

All numbers reflect changes over the 2017/18 through 2020/21 school years except where noted. 2021/22 data is not yet available at EdData.

District enrollment has declined about 12% (from 2017/18 to 2021/22)

Education Foundation (MBEF) total support and revenues have declined by about 33% (including foundation investment returns)

- Contributions have fallen by about 26%
- Special events proceeds have declined by about 39%

If the new \$1095 parcel tax passes and the additional \$12M/year is spent on instruction, it would amount to a spending increase of about 14% over 20/21 and a 28% increase over 17/18 (before the last parcel tax passed).

MBUSD funding and spending 2016/17 to 20/21

Parcel tax funding applies from 2018/19 forward

	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	Change 2017/18 to 20/21	Notes
Attendance							
Average Daily Attendance (ADA)	6,522	6,383	6,311	6,302	6,302	1.3%	Enrollment fell 664 for 2021/22, so enrollment has fallen about 12% since 17/18
Funding - Per Student/ADA							
LCFF Per ADA	7,941	8,183	8,670	8,952	8,913	9.4%	
Other State per ADA	1,437	1,385	1,786	1,769	2,262	27.7%	
Total LCFF+Other State	9,378	9,568	10,456	10,721	11,175	12.1%	
Federal	265	285	336	350	747	22.8%	
Other Local (includes parcel tax and MBEF)	1,653	1,845	2,790	2,552	2,674	38.3%	
Parcel tax/ADA			379	390	388	N/A	\$2,000 with \$1095 parcel tax at current enrollment; higher if enrollment falls or tax rises due to inflation adjustment.
Total Funding/ADA	11,296	11,698	13,582	13,623	14,596	16.5%	
Spending - Per ADA/Student (does not include capital outlays or transfers)							
Certificated Personnel Salaries	5,083	5,251	5,627	5,743	5,635	7.3%	Teachers, plus certificated pupil support, supervisors, and administrators
Classified Personnel Salaries	1,741	1,952	2,247	2,329	2,225	14.0%	Non-certificated instructional assistants, athletics staff, clerical and office staff, maintenance staff, and classified supervisors and administrators.
Employee Benefits	2,437	2,838	3,437	3,714	3,455	21.7%	Guidance and counseling, psychological, social work, health, transportation and food services
Books and Supplies	354	376	395	301	441	17.3%	Approved textbooks, other books and reference materials, supplies, non-capitalized equipment, and food
Services and Other Operating Expenditures	1,531	1,554	2,169	1,874	1,862	20.6%	Travel, conferences, dues, memberships, utilities, subagreements, consulting services, rentals, leases, and repairs
Total Spending/ADA	11,354	11,971	14,033	13,961	13,697	14.4%	
Spending - Total (includes capital outlays, transfers, etc.)							
Unrestricted	43,020,903	44,164,509	48,143,542	47,284,305	42,528,242	-3.7%	If the parcel tax passes, and the additional \$12M/year is spent, it would amount to about a 14% increase over 20/21 spending and a 28% increase over 17/18 spending.
Restricted	31,026,741	32,802,926	40,415,401	40,825,109	43,795,230	33.5%	
Total Spending	74,047,644	76,967,435	88,558,943	88,109,414	86,323,472	12.2%	

	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	Change 2017/18 to 20/21	Notes
MBEF Contributions							
MBEF Total Support & Revenue (includes investment returns)	9,005,993	8,475,726	8,208,403	7,693,000	5,682,000	-33.0%	
Contributions	5,618,707	5,924,685	5,905,111	5,405,851	4,382,714	-26.0%	
Special Events	1,756,019	1,278,720	1,167,797	1,127,081	779,727	-39.0%	
Total contributions and special events	7,374,726	7,203,405	7,072,908	6,532,932	5,162,441	-28.3%	
Total contributions and special events per ADA	1,131	1,129	1,121	1,037	819	-27.4%	

A more detailed look at MBUSD funding

From the Measure A website: <https://www.mbcitizensforschools.com/faq>

Why is Measure A necessary? Manhattan Beach schools have suffered from decades of inadequate state funding. We are, in fact, among [the lowest funded school districts in all of California](#). By comparison, our students receive approximately [\\$2,000 less than the state average](#). To protect and maintain high-quality education in our schools, we need a stable source of locally controlled funding that the State cannot take away. Measure A is the clear solution to bring vital resources and adequate funding into our classrooms.

Is MBUSD one of the lowest funded school districts in California?

Not as measured by total state funding per student/ADA (LCFF sources and other state revenue, per EdData 2019/20)

- Local districts receiving less state funding include: Palos Verdes, El Segundo, Redondo, La Canada, San Marino, South Pasadena, and Arcadia.
- Northern California high-performing districts with less include: San Ramon Valley, Dublin, and Piedmont. If you limit what is considered “state funding” to just the LCFF sources, MBUSD is above Piedmont, and San Ramon (of the analyzed districts).

Not as measured by state plus federal funding per student/ADA (i.e., total funding less local funding)

- Local districts that are lower: Palos Verdes, El Segundo, Redondo Beach, La Canada, San Marino, South Pasadena.
- Northern California high-performing districts with less: San Ramon, Piedmont, and Dublin.

Not as measured by total funding per student/ADA (i.e., combined state funding, federal funding, and local funding)

- Local districts that are lower: Palos Verdes, El Segundo, La Canada, Torrance, South Pasadena, Redondo, and Arcadia.
- Northern California high-performers with less: Pleasanton, Fremont, San Ramon Valley, and Dublin.

Does MBUSD receive \$2,000 less state funding than the state average?

For the LCFF portion of state funding, yes. But that’s not the whole story...

- MBUSD receives \$8,913 per ADA in LCFF funding vs. a statewide average of \$10,731 for unified districts, for a difference of \$1,800. The statewide average, however, is an unweighted simple average of all districts irrespective of size and student demographics, and it is pulled upward by very small districts who can spend \$50,000+ per ADA. 20 of the 25 highest-funded districts are below 1000 ADA (MBUSD is 6,302). On top of LCFF funding, MBUSD also gets another \$2262 of other state funding, which is 106% of the state average.
- Continuing the comparison to state-wide averages: MBUSD’s federal funding is 38% of the statewide average, or \$1,248 below; local funding is 378% of the statewide average, or \$1967 above. (Again, these averages are skewed upward by the very small districts)

A more detailed look at MBUSD parcel taxes and spending

From the Measure A website: <https://www.mbcitizensforschools.com/faq>

What is the amount of the parcel tax? If approved by local voters, Measure A will authorize a \$1,095 annual parcel tax for a term of 12 years. **\$1,095 is the amount required – as defined by the State – to bring adequate per student funding to Manhattan Beach classrooms.** Over 100 California school districts utilize locally controlled parcel taxes to offset inadequate state funding, with amounts reaching \$3,000+. Manhattan Beach citizens seek a fraction of that to keep our schools among the best and solve a decades-old State funding problem with a sustainable, local solution.

Is the \$1,095 parcel tax required (as defined by the state) to achieve adequate funding?

It is not clear that the state defines “adequate funding.”

- This statement may be based on the idea that the \$1,095 parcel tax will generate the extra \$2,000 per ADA for MBUSD to reach the statewide average LCFF funding level (see previous page).

Do more than 100 other districts use parcel taxes (up to \$3,000+/year) to offset inadequate state funding?

Information is difficult to find because EdData shows parcel tax per student/ADA, not per parcel (maybe MBUSD can cite a source?). Based on per/ADA parcel tax levels, however, it was difficult to find unified districts with more than the proposed \$2000/ADA.

- Among past MBUSD/MBEF-referenced comparison districts, only one district (Piedmont) has a per ADA parcel tax above the proposed \$2,000. Most are below \$1,000. See full data table.
- San Marino (with a similar \$1987/ADA tax) passed a \$968, 6-year parcel tax in 2021; it required a two-thirds supermajority vote and passed (could not find any that required 50% plus 1). See BallotPedia for more information on specific districts.

Is MBUSD spending among the lowest in the state?

Not as measured by total expenditures per student/ADA

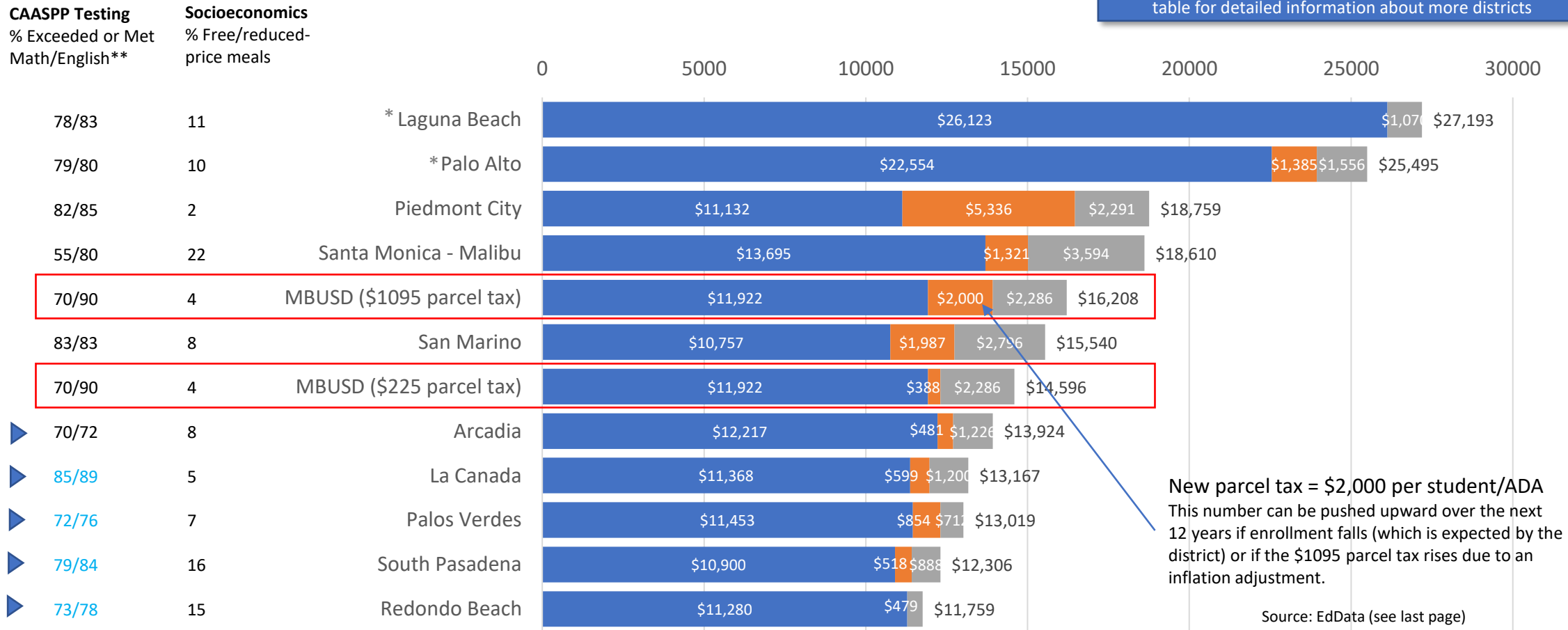
(i.e., how much is SPENT per ADA on direct educational services to students excluding food services, facilities acquisition and construction, etc.)

- MBUSD spends \$13,697 per ADA. This is 4% below the state-wide average of \$14,271 for all 345 unified school districts, but the average is skewed upward by very small districts. Of the full 345, 159 spend more, about 2/3 of which have below 2000 students/ADA. 20 of the 25 highest-spending districts are below 1000 ADA (MBUSD has 6,302).
- Working toward better comparability, there are 207 unified districts in California with 3,000+ ADA . 75 of these spend more, and 131 (about 63%) spend less than MBUSD. Assuming all of the new \$1095 parcel tax would be spent on direct educational services, MBUSD would be spending more than about 88% of these districts.
- Local districts that spend less per ADA: Inglewood, Palos Verdes, La Canada, Arcadia, San Marino, El Segundo, Torrance, South Pasadena, and Redondo Beach.
- Northern California high-performers who spend less per ADA: Pleasanton, Fremont, San Ramon Valley, and Dublin.

A comparison to more local comparison points (and other size/demographically-similar districts)

ADA = Average Daily Attendance
See table for analyzed districts and numbers

A version of this chart has been used by MBEF and MBUSD since 2017. This one is different in that it adds districts that are more local and more demographically similar. The ones not normally included are marked with arrows. See the full table for detailed information about more districts



New parcel tax = \$2,000 per student/ADA
This number can be pushed upward over the next 12 years if enrollment falls (which is expected by the district) or if the \$1095 parcel tax rises due to an inflation adjustment.

Source: EdData (see last page)

* Anomaly "basic aid" district. See last page.
** Testing was optional for some districts for 2020/21; latest available data is included here; blue numbers are carried over from previous years.

■ Federal, State, and Basic Aid Funding ■ Parcel Tax ■ Other Local Funding

A comparison of MBUSD to a broader set of unified districts in California (2019/20)

Sorted highest to lowest by Total Revenues column.

See next page for sources and explanations

Unified School District	County	District Size		District Revenue per ADA (Average Daily Attendance)							District Spending per ADA	District CAASPP Performance		District Demographics				
		Enrollment (District)	ADA	State and Federal Funding per ADA			Local Funding per ADA		Total State and Federal Funding	Total Revenues (matches EdData)		CAASPP- Math Exceeded or Met	CAASPP- ELA Exceeded or Met	Free and reduced-price meals	Ethnic diversity (index)			
		Base State Funding (LCFF Sources) per ADA			Federal Funding per ADA	TOTAL												
		State Aid / Principal Apportionment	Local Property Taxes	Total LCFF Sources	Other State Revenue	Total State Funding	Federal Revenue	Parcel Tax per ADA	Other Local Revenue (excl. parcel tax)	Total State and Federal Funding	Total Revenues (matches EdData)	Current Expense of Education per ADA	CAASPP- Math Exceeded or Met	CAASPP- ELA Exceeded or Met	Free and reduced-price meals	Ethnic diversity (index)		
Laguna Beach*	Orange	2788	2675	411	21152	21563	1664	23227	351	23578	0	1612	25190	21627	78	83	11.1%	29
Beverly Hills*	Los Angeles	4144	3398	606	16251	16857	1639	18496	1639	20135	0	4524	24659	22080	65	75	17.1%	33
Palo Alto*	Santa Clara	11745	11282	728	17892	18620	1655	20275	302	20577	1362	1857	23796	22896	82	81	10.0%	56
Piedmont City	Alameda	2567	2496	3693	5249	8942	1390	10332	258	10590	4254	2187	17031	16698	87	87	1.6%	44
Santa Monica - Malibu	Los Angeles	10350	9841	1078	9237	10315	367	10682	445	11127	1298	4174	16599	15919	61	74	27.0%	49
Inglewood	Los Angeles	11781	7803	9353	2808	12161	1751	13912	1297	15209	0	748	15957	13797	19	30	83.0%	36
MBUSD - with new \$1095 parcel tax	Los Angeles	6524	6302	1999	6952	8951	1769	10720	350	11070	2000	2162	15232	13922	80	85	4.7%	41
San Marino	Los Angeles	2909	2841	3581	5632	9213	398	9611	344	9955	1769	2909	14633	14230	88	89	7.4%	43
MBUSD - current \$225 parcel tax	Los Angeles	6524	6302	1999	6952	8951	1769	10720	350	11070	390	2162	13622	13922	80	85	4.7%	41
Palos Verdes	Los Angeles	11009	10672	3802	5273	9075	1314	10389	230	10619	841	1172	12632	12444	72	76	7.9%	55
Arcadia	Los Angeles	9254	9038	4198	5207	9405	994	10399	354	10753	482	1317	12552	11897	76	78	25.9%	38
Pleasanton	Alameda	14878	14368	4109	5397	9506	1845	11351	260	11611	0	567	12178	11939	75	79	8.0%	49
El Segundo	Los Angeles	3546	3408	6155	2855	9010	1312	10322	249	10571	0	1597	12168	11295	70	78	14.6%	53
La Canada	Los Angeles	4131	4030	3822	4913	8735	930	9665	237	9902	631	1496	12029	12065	85	89	4.4%	52
Cupertino	Santa Clara	16718	16320	1519	7789	9308	1120	10428	248	10676	521	585	11782	11898	86	85	3.7%	28
Fremont	Alameda	35431	33935	4879	4403	9282	1670	10952	385	11337	131	262	11730	11355	74	78	19.0%	38
Los Alamitos Unified	Orange	9697	9437	3936	5200	9136	1637	10773	689	11462	0	267	11729	11589	75	84	17.5%	55
San Ramon Valley	Contra Costa	31911	30949	2797	6118	8915	1520	10435	210	10645	221	787	11653	11288	78	81	5.3%	54
Torrance	Los Angeles	23100	22301	6015	3476	9491	1127	10618	369	10987	0	484	11471	11260	62	67	28.3%	64
Dublin	Alameda	12575	12194	4482	4857	9339	997	10336	175	10511	155	662	11328	10800	73	78	8.2%	49
South Pasadena	Los Angeles	4860	4743	6732	2278	9010	483	9493	300	9793	505	902	11200	10912	79	84	16.2%	61
Redondo Beach	Los Angeles	9529	9744	4253	4865	9118	976	10094	306	10400	0	401	10801	10715	73	78	15.0%	55

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Explanation of data, sources, and definitions

* = **Basic Aid district.** "Basic aid" districts receive little state funding because their revenue from local property taxes exceeds what they would receive under the Local Control Funding Formula. Some districts are "basic aid" districts because of how their property tax schemes worked before Prop 13 was passed in 1978. In short, these districts get to keep the revenue from property taxes according to the systems in place before Prop 13 -- even if this means their revenue exceeds the prescribed levels under the LCFF method. As of 2013, only about 13% of districts were basic aid districts -- many of which are in the bay area or the inland empire. In effect, some "lucked into" a situation of higher local property tax funding when Prop 13 was passed. For more information, see: https://www.ppic.org/wp-content/uploads/content/pubs/report/R_913MWR.pdf
** Assumes \$12M/year parcel tax divided by 6000 students = \$2000/student (according to parcel tax proposal).

Enrollment: EdData, navigate to district, then see Key Attributes near the top. This is the number of named students who were registered for the 2019/20 school year.

ADA: Spreadsheet currentexpense2021. This is the Average Daily Attendance over the course of the school year. The numbers reflect data from 19/20 -- they appear not to have been updated yet for the 20/21 school year.

State Aid / Principal Apportionment: EdData, navigate to district, then Financial Data tab, then click LCFF Sources in Type of Revenue column, then see first sub-row. Look across to column This District for the dollars per ADA.

Local Property Taxes: EdData, navigate to district, then Financial Data tab, then click LCFF Sources in Type of Revenue column, then see second sub-row. Look across to column This District for the dollars per ADA.

Other State Revenue: EdData, navigate to district, then Financial Data tab, then see third major row. Look across to column This District for the dollars per ADA.

Federal Revenue: EdData, navigate to district, then Financial Data tab, then see second major row. Look across to column This District for the dollars per ADA.

Expense of Education: EdData, Spreadsheet currentexpense1920. This is how much the district SPENT per ADA on direct educational services to students, and it excludes food services, facilities acquisition and construction, and certain other expenditures.

Parcel Tax: EdData, navigate to district, then Financial Data tab, then click on fourth major row (Other Local Revenue) on the blue numbers in the Object Codes column. Scroll down to see the parcel tax per ADA line item (row 8621).

Other Local Revenue: EdData, navigate to district, then Financial Data tab, then see the fourth major row (Other Local Revenue). The number in the table is this amount less the property taxes, so it reflects additional funds like education foundations.

Total Revenue: EdData, navigate to district, then Financial Data tab, then see the summary value in the bottom row. This is the total general fund revenue for the district.

CAASP Math and English Scores: EdData, navigate to district, then student tab, then demographics. This is the state's standardized test. Numbers are latest available (some made testing optional in 20/21). Blue numbers were not updated for 20/21.

Free and reduced-price student meals: EdData, navigate to district, then student tab, then demographics. This is the percent of students who are eligible for discounted meals.

Ethnic diversity index: EdData, navigate to district, then student tab, then demographics. Higher numbers indicate a broader distribution of ethnicity; all students of the same ethnicity would have an index of 0.

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: The Animated Trader <animatedinvesting@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 4:47 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] No Parking Signs on Rowell Ave

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City Council,

This email is to inform you that I am against the installing of “No Parking” Signs on Rowell Ave in Manhattan Beach.

Thank You,
Carl Jacobsen

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Jacki Lobos <jackilovsyew@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 4:51 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] No Parking Signs on Rowell

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Dear City Council Members,

I am writing to let you know that I am opposed to installing “No Parking Signs” on Rowell Ave.

Thank you for your consideration,

Jacki

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Jacqueline Lobos <jlobos2@toromail.csudh.edu>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 4:52 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] No parking Signs on Rowell

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Dear City Council Members,

I am writing to let you know that I am opposed to installing No Parking Signs on Rowell Ave.

Thank you for your consideration,

Best regards, ms. Lobos

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: DEBAETS <debaets@aol.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 4:53 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Item 22-0217

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Many years ago all the residents on Rowell Ave asked that the Street Sweeping signs not be installed. We use Rowell Ave to park mostly overnight and in front of our own homes. The street never had trash (I see to that by picking anything up each morning) and the gardeners pick up any leaves that may accumulate.

Please don't continue this item as it will only create conflict between residents and the City

Respectfully
Steve DeBaets
310-480-1528

Sent from my iPhone

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Jacqueline Lobos <jacqueline_lobos@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 4:54 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] No parking signs on Rowell

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Dear City Council Members,

I am writing to let you know that I am opposed to installing No Parking Signs on Rowell Ave.

Thank you for your consideration,

Jacqueline Lobos

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Jackie Lobos <jackie.lobos@minted.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 4:56 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] No parking signs on Rowell

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Dear City Council Members,

I am writing to let you know that I am opposed to installing No Parking Signs on Rowell Ave.

Thank you for your consideration,

Jackie

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Cassady Blake-Christo <javahooty@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 4:57 PM
To: List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Rowell Ave No Parking Signs

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Dear City Council,

I am writing to you to express, that as a Manhattan beach resident who lives on Rowell Ave, that I am opposed to installing “No Parking” signs. This would be a true hinderance to myself and my fellow neighbors. We ask that our street remains how it is, as it has worked for us for many years now. Please take this into consideration. Thank you so much.

My Best,
Michael Haynes

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Julie Tomanpos <Julie@southbayaor.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 3:21 PM
To: List - City Council
Cc: Lynette Cervantes
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Manhattan Beach Draft LCPA Coastal Hazards Chapter – Comment Letter
Attachments: Manhattan Beach Draft LCPA Coastal Hazards Chapter – Comment Letter SBAOR.pdf

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Dear Mayor Hildy Stern and Manhattan Beach City Council,

Please see attached comment letter on the Manhattan Beach Draft LCPA Coastal Hazards Chapter. We appreciate all that you do to serve the residents of Manhattan Beach and to protect our thriving coastal communities.

All the best,
Julie



Julie Tomanpos

Government Affairs Director
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May 3, 2022

Honorable Mayor Hildy Stern
Manhattan Beach City Council
1400 Highland Avenue
Manhattan Beach, CA 90266

RE: Manhattan Beach Draft LCPA Coastal Hazards Chapter – Comment Letter

Dear Mayor Hildy Stern and Manhattan Beach City Council:

The South Bay Association of REALTORS® would like to share a comment letter by our partners at Smart Coast California, a nonprofit organization dedicated to advocating for the collaborative stewardship of the coast, community sustainability, property rights and the environment. Our statewide membership of over 90,000 acknowledges the imperative planning effort underway and appreciate the opportunity to provide comment on several this guidance document.

SCCa would like to commend you and your staff for both the quality and sheer volume of work you have completed to date. The uniqueness of your coastline warrants a customized approach, and we recognize and appreciate your efforts to plan for sea level rise in a responsible manner that allows for immediate action as well as phased adaptation based on observed thresholds rather than relying solely on long-range predictions. The following summary provides comment on both the Policies which are included in the Draft LCPA Land Use Plan-2021 Amendment as well as the Policy Concepts envisioned for the forthcoming Resilient Coast Adaptation Plan.

Smart Coast California would like to express **support** for the following policies:

Best Available Science

SCCa supports the following policies that direct sea level rise planning to use the best available science and to update City planning documents accordingly:

- Page 15 **Policy IV.E.1**
- Page 15 **Policy IV.E.4**

Tiered Response

SCCa supports the City's tiered response strategy of monitoring and adaptation triggers, as provided for in the Shoreline Monitoring Program Policies:

- Page 15 **Policy IV.E.6 et seq.**

Shoreline Protective Devices

SCCa strongly supports the balanced inclusion of shoreline protective devices as an adaptation option where necessary, particularly to protect private property. SCCa supports reasonable mitigation requirements for such devices in order to promote the interests of private property owners, public access, and the coastal environment.

- Page 12 **Policy IV.B.3**

Adaptation

SCCa supports the City's nature-based and soft adaptation measures, including:

Beach dune and living shoreline restoration program:

- Page 11 **Policy IV.A.2**
- Page 11 **Policy IV.A.3**

Beach nourishment and regional coordination on multi-jurisdictional projects:

- Page 11 **Policy IV.A.4**
- Page 11 **Policy IV.A.5**

Offshore nature-based strategies:

- Page 11 **Policy IV.A.6**
- Page 11 **Policy IV.A.7**

SCCa strongly encourages the City to add a policy implementing artificial off-shore reefs (also called living breakwaters), as this is a highly effective strategy to protect against shoreline erosion while providing multiple other co-benefits, such as ecological habitat enhancement, recreational value, and improved surfing conditions if designed for that purpose.

The introduction to the draft chapter's Section A mentions off-shore reefs; however, they are absent in the policies. The City's Adaptation Plan notes numerous benefits of off-shore reefs but mistakenly concludes that permitting challenges and the lack of demonstrable successes limit their feasibility as an adaptive solution. SCCa has compiled materials demonstrating successful off-shore reefs globally and highlighting examples of permitted California-based projects that received approval from the Coastal Commission. We have attached this information to this letter.

Community-Wide Adaptation

SCCa supports the following policies that call for participation in Regional Sediment Management programs and coordination with local, state, and federal agencies on sea level rise planning, respectively. Adaptation projects will often be more effective and cost efficient when not confined to the area of single properties or divided by jurisdictional boundaries.

- Page 11 **Policy IV.A.5**
- Page 15 **Policy IV.E.2**

Smart Coast California would like to express **concern** for the following policies and **suggests** modifications:

Shoreline Protective Devices

SCCa is concerned with the policy below if its clause "minimize the perpetuation of shoreline armoring" will prevent the protection of private property. SCCa suggests adding a qualification following that language, to read: "*...to the extent permissible under the Coastal Act and in accordance with the rights of private property owners.*"

- Page 11 **Policy IV.A.1**

While SCCa supports balancing the interests of private property owners, public access, and the coastal

environment, including with reasonable mitigation as previously mentioned, SCCa is concerned with the policy below if it would lead to the forced removal of an existing shoreline protective device and subsequent damage to private property. SCCa suggests adding an explicit clarification that this is not the intent, nor a permissible outcome, of the policy:

- Page 12 **Policy IV.B.4**

Additionally, SCCa suggests adding to the policy above, or as a separate policy, a provision for just compensation to private property owners if any regulation effects a taking of private property. Examples of such policies are included below:

- “Should the city implement policies which result in the destruction of private property, the city should pay fair market value for the land which they are taking by regulation.” Plan Morro Bay, Local Coastal Plan, Policy C 1.8.
- “Economically Viable Use of Property. Where full compliance with all LCP policies and standards, including setbacks for coastal hazards, would preclude all reasonable economic use of the property as a whole, the County may allow the minimum economic use and/or development of the property necessary to avoid an unconstitutional taking of private property without just compensation.” Santa Barbara County Coastal Zoning Ordinance, Section 35-51D.

In conclusion, with the combined efforts of the CCC and local governments, and the support of organizations like SBAOR and SCCa, we can create a framework for Local Coastal Plan Amendments to prepare us for Sea Level Rise, protecting both our cherished South Bay communities and precious environment.

Sincerely,

Julie Tomanpos
Government Affairs Director
South Bay Association of REALTORS®

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Maureen Leral-Denitz <modenitz@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 1:40 PM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Opposition to parcel tax prop A

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Dear City Council

We are opposed to this measure A for many reasons. The reasons include:

- * prop A is four times as long as current school tax (which will sunset in 2024)
- * prop A is four times the amount of current school tax and is tied to CPI up to 5%. Present one is fixed
- * prop A if passed, will cause us to be double taxed till 2024
- * prop A was proposed by private citizen group only a month and half ago for a June vote in a month with 51% passing instead of the NORMAL 2/3 passing. Very disturbing
- * With inflation increasing, proposing a tax this high for so long, 12 YEARS, is unacceptable especially with those on fixed incomes etc
- * 30% of student attending MC are from Hermosa and there families will NOT have to be burdened with this tax but MB property owners will
- * MB Renters with children will also not be burdened with this tax. There's no equity at all with this proposal. Doubtful the pass thru will be legal
- *The city council and offices will be burdened with this if it goes thru and another oversight committee will be put together. This is insane and not how we want our tax dollars spent.

Maybe a school tax slightly higher than the current one with the same length at a fixed rate starting when the current one ends is more appropriate. Now that's Common Sense and logic. We all have budgets that we stay within to make ends meet.

There's so much more but I'll end with this, we feel like this has been rammed through purposely without a chance to look at why they need so much. What's going on here? Feels very disingenuous.

We are voting No on Prop A

Sincerely

David and Maureen Denitz

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Dana Lupton <dana.lupton@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 12:58 PM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Cc: dana.lupton@gmail.com
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Public Comment (Item number 16, Page 3) // Transparency of MOU

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Dear MB City Council,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted tonight. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

As a Parent, Volunteer and Parcel Owner, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Regards,

Dana Lupton
Dana.Lupton@gmail.com

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Heather Freelin <hfreelin@me.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 11:59 AM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Support for Measure A and MOU

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Dear Manhattan Beach City Council,

As a parent of two school aged children (at Meadows and Mira Costa) and a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted tonight. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Sincerely
Heather Freelin

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Jen Jenkins Dohner <jendohner@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 10:27 AM
To: Richard Montgomery; Hildy Stern; Steve Napolitano; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Support for MOU

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Hey there-

Just writing in to support today's MOU regarding Measure A. The opt-out for property owners age 65+ should be one-time for the duration and CPI increases should be capped at 5%. Approving the MOU would allow clarification on these questions from the community so that voters can focus on the Measure in it's entirety when considering their ballot decisions.

Jen

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Madeline Kaplan <madbiest@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 8:57 AM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Support Approving the MOU

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Dear Manhattan Beach City Council,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation.

As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted tonight. While I hope you also support Measure A, and I appreciate that some of you have publicly stated your support, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A. It is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,

Madeline Kaplan

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Glenn K. Vanzura <gvanzura05@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 7:00 PM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] ADOPTING RESOLUTION NO. 22-0064

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To our City Council Members:

As a parent, Manhattan Beach property owner and resident, and Measure A supporter, I appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda. It is always important that voters have clear, accurate and timely information for elections. As to Measure A in the upcoming election, it is critical that our residents have clear information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **I thus respectfully submit that the Council should approve the MOU as submitted tonight.** Thank you for your efforts and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank you,

Glenn Vanzura

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Rebecca Vaughan <rebeccastephan@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 6:36 PM
To: speel@mbusd.org; jfenton@mbusd.org; jboxer@mbusd.org; jcochran@mbusd.org; Cgraves@mbusd.org; jbowes@mbusd.org; List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Approve MOU to clarify Measure A's Senior Exemption Process and Inflation Cap

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Dear MB City Council and MBUSD School Board,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the [Memorandum of Understanding](#) (MOU) to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,

Rebecca Vaughan

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Jessica Vanzura <elvislivesforever@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 2:00 PM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Please approve the MOU related to Measure A

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Dear Manhattan Beach City Council,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted tonight. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,
Jessica Vanzura

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Tiffany Quick <tiffanywquick@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 4:04 PM
To: List - City Council
Cc: City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Measure A Memorandum of Understanding

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Dear Manhattan Beach City Council,

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As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.

Thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our public schools.

Thank You,

Tiffany Quick
Manhattan Beach Resident

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: mandy poliner <mandyalter@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 3:03 PM
To: City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Measure A

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Dear MB City Council and MBUSD School Board,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the [Memorandum of Understanding \(MOU\)](#) to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,

Mandy Poliner/Makeup Artist
@mand79

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Valeria Amy <valeria_carla@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 2:49 PM
To: speel@mbusd.org; jfenton@mbusd.org; jboxer@mbusd.org; jcochran@mbusd.org; Cgraves@mbusd.org; jbowes@mbusd.org; List - City Council; City Clerk
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Again, [thank you](#) for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,
Valeria Amy

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Neidy Portillo-Tseng <neidy.portillo.tseng@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 2:29 PM
To: speel@mbusd.org; jfenton@mbusd.org; jboxer@mbusd.org; jcochran@mbusd.org; Cgraves@mbusd.org; jbowes@mbusd.org; List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Approve MOU to clarify Measure A's Senior Exemption Process and Inflation Cap

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As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the [Memorandum of Understanding](#) (MOU) to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,

Neidy

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Ms Lisa Tran <lisavtran@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 1:38 PM
To: speel@mbusd.org; jfenton@mbusd.org; jboxer@mbusd.org; jcochran@mbusd.org; Cgraves@mbusd.org; jbowes@mbusd.org; List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Approve MOU to clarify Measure A's Senior Exemption Process and Inflation Cap

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Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,
Lisa & Michael Bernstein

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Liz Hoefner Adamis <lizhoefneradamis@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 12:34 PM
To: City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Measure A Support

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Dear Manhattan Beach City Council,

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Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,

Liz Adamis

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Jenn Remillard <jenn@kemperinteriors.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 12:33 PM
To: List - City Council; List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Measure A

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Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools!

Jennifer Remillard

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Nick Pennino <npennino13@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 12:15 PM
To: City Clerk; List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] MOU for Measure A

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Dear Manhattan Beach City Council,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted tonight. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank you,
Nick Pennino

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Kate Pennino <katepennino10@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 12:01 PM
To: City Clerk; List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] MOU for Measure A

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Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank you!
Kate Pennino

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Ellen Padnos <ellen.padnos@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 11:47 AM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] please attach MOU for Measure A tomorrow night

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Dear MB City Council,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted Tuesday night. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,

Ellen Padnos

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Kisu Lam <kisulam@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 11:31 AM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Measure A MOU approval

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Dear Manhattan Beach City Council,

As a supporter of Measure A, we greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, we request that you approve the MOU as submitted. While we hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Nolan and Kisu Lam
9 Cambridge, Manhattan Beach

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: anna bargagliotti <abargag@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 11:12 AM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Support MOU

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Dear Community Supporters,

The City and the District have worked together to create an MOU (Memorandum of Understanding). It has been included on the agenda for City Council next week. Approving this process allows our residents to have clarity and access to the senior exemption process AND how it will all work. **The message we are asking people focuses on providing our citizens with what they need to make an informed decision. We are not asking them to support or endorse the Measure, simply to approve the process around how the exemption and inflation adjustment will work.**

Please approve this MOU. Thank you.
Anna Bargagliotti
Resident

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Anna E. Bargagliotti, Ph.D
Professor | Loyola Marymount University | Department of Mathematics

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Kristen Lukas <kristenleelukas@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 10:12 AM
To: speel@mbusd.org; jfenton@mbusd.org; jboxer@mbusd.org; jcochran@mbusd.org; Cgraves@mbusd.org; jbowes@mbusd.org; List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Approve MOU to clarify Measure A's Senior Exemption Process and Inflation Cap

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Dear MB City Council and MBUSD School Board,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation.

As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Sincerely,

Kristen Lukas
MBUSD Parent
Mira Costa Graduate
MB Lifetime Resident

Sent from my iPhone, please excuse any typos.

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Laura Kiely <laurakiely@verizon.net>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 7:37 AM
To: List - City Council; List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Please Approve the Memorandum of Understanding for Measure A

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Dear Manhattan Beach City Council,

I request that you approve the Memorandum of Understanding regarding Measure A, as submitted.

While I'm grateful for those of you who have supported Measure A, it's additionally important to approve this MOU. To those CC members who do not support Measure A, it's important to consider that the MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A; it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with factual information to make an informed decision. This is timely because ballots will be received by residents within the next week.

Thank you for your consideration.

**Best,
Laura and Michael Kiely
Manhattan Beach Residents since 1994**

Thank You, Sent from my iPhone

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Craig Chamberlain <crgchmbrln@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, May 1, 2022 8:42 PM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Measure A - Memorandum of Understanding

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Dear Manhattan Beach City Council,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted tonight. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,

Craig Chamberlain

MB resident and parent of 3 kids in MBUSD.

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Katie Ranne <katiej33@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, May 1, 2022 8:26 PM
To: speel@mbusd.org; Jennifer Fenton; jboxer@mbusd.org; jcochran@mbusd.org; Cgraves@mbusd.org; jbowes@mbusd.org; List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Support Measure A

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Dear MB City Council and MBUSD School Board,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,
Katie Ranne

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Nicole Brozost <nicolebrozost@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, May 1, 2022 8:09 PM
To: speel@mbusd.org; jfenton@mbusd.org; jboxer@mbusd.org; jcochran@mbusd.org; Cgraves@mbusd.org; jbowes@mbusd.org; List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Approve MOU to clarify Measure A's Senior Exemption Process and Inflation Cap

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Dear MB City Council and MBUSD School Board,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the [Memorandum of Understanding](#) (MOU) to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,

Nicole Brozost

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Kate Sinclair <dearkatesinclair@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, May 1, 2022 6:54 PM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Written comment - Approve MOU between City Council and MBUSD

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Dear City Council members,

As a parent and resident, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda. The MOU contains important information about the 1x senior exemption process and CPI cap to account for inflation. There are many people spreading misinformation in the community about Measure A, and specifically about these two points.

It is important that residents have accurate and timely information so that they can make an informed decision before ballots are mailed out on May 9th.

As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted tonight.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and for your continued support of our students and schools.

Sincerely,
Kate Sinclair

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Elyse Gura <evgura@yahoo.com>
Sent: Sunday, May 1, 2022 5:16 PM
To: speel@mbusd.org; jfenton@mbusd.org; jboxer@mbusd.org; jcochran@mbusd.org; Cgraves@mbusd.org; jbowes@mbusd.org; List - City Council; City Clerk
Cc: Elyse Gura
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Please Approve MOU to clarify Measure A's Senior Exemption Process and Inflation Cap

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Dear MB City Council and MBUSD School Board,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the [Memorandum of Understanding \(MOU\)](#) to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Elyse Gura

The biggest communication problem is that we do not listen to understand...we listen to reply

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Julie Wilner <julie.wilner@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, May 1, 2022 4:43 PM
To: speel@mbusd.org; jfenton@mbusd.org; jboxer@mbusd.org; jcochran@mbusd.org; Cgraves@mbusd.org; jbowes@mbusd.org; List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] please Approve MOU to clarify Measure A's Senior Exemption Process and Inflation Cap

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Dear MB City Council and MBUSD School Board,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the [Memorandum of Understanding](#) (MOU) to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,

Julie Wilner and Ben Lewis

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Julie Wilner
650.318.3034

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Brooke Castor <brooke.castor@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, May 1, 2022 4:27 PM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Measure A - Memorandum of Understanding

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Dear Manhattan Beach City Council,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted tonight. Approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,

Brooke

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Diana Skaar <dianaskaar@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, May 1, 2022 3:35 PM
To: Sally Peel; Jen Fenton; jboxer@mbusd.org; Jen Cochran; Cathey Graves; Dr. John Bowes; List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Approve MOU to clarify Measure A's Senior Exemption Process and Inflation Cap

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Dear MB City Council and MBUSD School Board,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City in drafting this [Memorandum of Understanding](#) (MOU) of Measure A. This is a great example of non-partisan local government working together.

With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and on the inflation cap. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

With gratitude,
Diana Skaar
MB Resident and Parent

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Tory Shaughnessy <toryshaughnessy@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, May 1, 2022 10:08 AM
To: City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Measure A Request

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Dear MB City Council,

As a supporter of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda.

There is a lot of confusion about the actual facts of Measure A. What it will do for our schools and how that impacts our entire community.

With ballots dropping on May 9th, it really is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation.

Please, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted tonight. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,

Tory

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Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Laura Kiely <laurakiely@verizon.net>
Sent: Sunday, May 1, 2022 8:48 AM
To: List - City Council; List - City Council
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Measure A

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Dear City Council Members,

My family and I hope you support Measure A.

We look up to our community leaders to support solutions that benefit students, families, MBUSD, and the community.

Measure A does all these things.

Thank you for your consideration.

Best,

Laura and Michael Kiely

Manhattan Beach residents since 1994

Sent from my iPhone

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Carly Feingold <carlyfeingold@gmail.com>
Sent: Sunday, May 1, 2022 7:45 AM
To: List - City Council
Cc: City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] MOU Approval for Measure A

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Dear Manhattan Beach City Council,

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Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thanks,
Carly Feingold

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Angela Smith <asmithvb@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, April 30, 2022 9:15 PM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Memorandum of Understanding

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Dear MB City Council,

As the co-chair of Measure A, I greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, I request that you approve the MOU as submitted tonight. While I hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

Again, thank you for your efforts in this matter and your support of our amazing schools.

Thank You,

Angie Smith

Co-Chair Measure A

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Catherine Schneider <cataluce@yahoo.com>
Sent: Saturday, April 30, 2022 2:25 PM
To: List - City Council; City Clerk
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Measure A - MOU

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Dear City Council Members,

I am writing to strongly encourage that you approve the Measure A MOU as submitted at next week's City Council meeting. Approving the MOU is not a yes or no or endorsement of Measure A, but rather it is supporting out residents and providing them with critical information that they need to make an informed decision. With ballots coming to residents' mailboxes on May 9, it is critical that our MB residents have accurate information about the Senior Exemption and handling of inflation. Thank you for all that you do and for your support of our schools.

Thank you,
Catherine Schneider
MB Resident

Martha Alvarez, MMC

From: Kristen Weinstein <kristenwysh@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, April 30, 2022 9:46 AM
To: List - City Council
Cc: Angie Smith
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Supporting the MOU agreement for City Council Meeting May 3rd

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Dear MB City Council,

As supporters of Measure A, we greatly appreciate the partnership between the School District and the City Council, and your transparency in attaching the Memorandum of Understanding to your meeting agenda. With ballots dropping on May 9th, it is critical that our residents have accurate and timely information about the Senior Exemption process and how we will handle increases for inflation. **As such, we request that you approve the MOU as submitted tonight. While we hope you also support Measure A, approving this MOU is not a yes or no on Measure A, it is simply supporting our residents and providing them with what they need to make an informed decision.**

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Thank You,
Wysh Weinstein & Angie Smith
Measure A Co-Charis