



The Alpine High School Citizens Committee

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Dear GUHSD Governing Board of Trustees,

I write this note to you to affirm that the Alpine High School Citizens Committee supports and appreciates the extra effort that you, the Governing Board, and the Administration and Staff, have all put forth to pass the two bonds which have enabled all of the amazing improvements that are taking place on GUHSD campuses. These are benefiting all our East County parents and students. We also appreciate your dedication to design and build for the district a new comprehensive high school, to serve the Alpine and Blossom Valley areas.

The AHSCC is a long time voice in representing the greater Alpine area, and in expressing our desire to bring a high school to our area. Tonight, the GUHSD 12th HS Design Team is presenting to you a proposal for the 12th high school site's layout, the architectural plans, and the "Big Picture" plan for curriculum. Although there will never be 100% agreement among our community members, the majority of the AHSCC Executive Committee, and AHSCC Members of the GUHSD Design Team, overwhelmingly support everything that you will be presented by GUHSD staff, and the GUHSD Design Team tonight. We listen to community members, and believe that we represent the overall wishes of Alpine.

At Superintendent Collins request, the AHSCC members of the GUHSD Design Team were elected by the eligible voting members of the AHSCC membership, and appointed to the GUHSD Design Team. Our member representatives have attended every Design Team meeting. We have assisted your GUHSD Staff, your architects, and your consultant, Victoria Bergsagel (Architects of Achievement), by traveling to Seattle, WA, (at our own expense) to tour several state-of-the-art and 21st Century schools, this over a three day duration in November, 2009.

In expressing our AHSCC support, we have only one known AHSCC Executive Committee member who disagrees with what you will see tonight. The overwhelming majority of the AHSCC completely supports the GUHSD administration, your staff, and your Design Teams' work to date, and we are onboard as will be indicated tonight by a majority who will choose to speak to you.

Sincerely,

Bill Weaver, AHSCC Chairman

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- *GUHSD Superintendent*; Robert Collins
- *Architects* ; IBI Group, SprotteeWatson, and Architects of Achievement / Victoria Bergsagel
- *Executive Committee & AHSCC Sub-Committee Chairs*; Bill Weaver, Sal Casamassima, Al Haven, George Barnett, Barbara Lowe, Megan Werland, Delia Cooley, Patrick Waters, and James Perkins
- *Alpine (AHSCC) Members of the GUHSD Design Team*; Greg Fox, Shawn Doblado, Al Haven, Delia Cooley, Megan Werland, and Bill Weaver

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