

Argument in Favor of Measure N

VOTE YES on Measure N to maintain Tustin's outstanding quality of education, help local students thrive, and protect your property values and high quality of life.

Tustin supports schools and that investment pays dividends. Today our schools rank among the best in the State, outperforming others on virtually every level. Tustin property values are equally strong. However, our **elementary and middle school classrooms are old**. Many are over 50 years old, built before the digital age. Even well maintained buildings deteriorate and need attention after decades. Moreover, teaching and learning standards have changed, requiring more and different instructional spaces. And all our schools need ongoing safety and security upgrades.

Measure N provides a prudent, responsible plan reflecting input from 600+ community members to address these critical Tustin Unified School District needs. NO other funding exists to complete these improvements.

Measure N will:

- **Upgrade** 1960's era, very outdated elementary and middle school classrooms
- **Improve** student safety, security and wellbeing
- **Rehabilitate** deteriorating roofs, plumbing, sewer, and electrical systems
- **Renovate** student support spaces for college/career readiness in science, math, technology, engineering, arts, and skilled trades
- **Add** modern hands-on learning spaces and Career Technical Education labs.

Taxpayer protections are REQUIRED. By law, ALL funds stay local. NO funds are allowed for administrators' salaries or pensions. Independent Citizens' Oversight, mandatory audits and public reporting ensure proper spending. Measure N also meets Orange County Taxpayers Association strict criteria.

VOTING YES helps Tustin qualify for State matching funds, leveraging taxpayer dollars further. The longer we wait, the more expensive upgrades will be.

With or without school-age children, protecting educational quality is a wise investment. Great schools enhance property values and keep our community strong.

Please join teachers, parents, civic leaders, and residents across Tustin **VOTING YES on N** to ensure safe, modern, exceptional Tustin schools.

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s/ Chuck Puckett
Three-Time Mayor of Tustin
45 Yr Local Homeowner

s/ Bobbi Gonzalez
Parent, TUSD Graduate
Guin Foss Elementary PTO Leader

s/ Rick Nelson
President, Foothill Communities Association
Retired Engineering Professor

s/ Sujata Kamdar
Local Business Owner
Civic/Education Leader

s/ Tim O'Donoghue
Career Educator
18 Yr. TUSD Principal
40 Yr. Youth Coach