

Argument Against Measure K: East Side Union High School District

Here they go again! The East Side Union High School District placed almost the same tax on the November 2002 ballot as Measure J, and it was soundly defeated. Now they are back to ask for even more money!	6 12 14 2
This new \$51 MILLION parcel tax could be used to fill holes in the district's budget caused by wasteful spending such as: District radio and TV shows \$42,670.00 Catered meals \$36,235.78 Travel budget overruns \$36,847.62 Credit card audits \$20,000 School Boards Association dues \$13,960.00	14 8 6 3 4 4 5
How can the East Side Union High School District claim they need this money to increase student safety? The \$298 MILLION from Measure G was supposed to cover student safety!	7 10 8
This tax increase has been poorly thought out from start to finish. Where is the needs assessment? Why is the board trying to subject us all to higher taxes after a \$298 million bond passed in March 2002? Why the big rush to get this tax increase before the voters? The board hasn't even considered whether budget cuts can be made to free up funds for the stated purposes. Families' budgets are being slashed throughout the district's homes--why not on this school board?	11 1 5 14 7 12 11 11 10 2
No specific plan exists on how to spend this money. All of the money raised by this new tax can be used to inflate administrators' and teachers' salaries. There's no requirement that any of it go to increasing student safety or the use of modern technology.	10 14 7 13 2
There's also no plan to measure how effective this money will be in relieving these problems.	12 4
Now is the wrong time to heighten financial burdens on already struggling property owners and their tenants.	11 6
Vote for responsible, planned, effective education spending.	7
You can be FOR students, FOR schools, and AGAINST Measure K.	11
VOTE NO ON MEASURE K!	5
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ARGUMENT DECLARATION BY AUTHOR(S) (Elections Code § 9600)

The undersigned author(s) of the argument in favor of against ballot measure K at the General special election for the East Side Union High School District to be held on 11/2/04 of their knowledge and belief.

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Submission of Argument

Elections Code § 9501 states that the governing board of the district or any member or members of the board authorized by the board, or any individual voter who is eligible to vote on the measure, or bona fide association of citizens, or any combination of such voters and associations may file a written argument for or against any school measure.

Elections Code § 9501.5 states that a ballot argument shall not be accepted unless accompanied by the printed name and signature or printed names and signatures of the person or persons submitting it or, if submitted on behalf of a bona fide organization, the name of the organization and printed name and signature of at least one of its principal officers.

Place a check mark in the appropriate box below indicating which category qualifies you to submit this argument, complete the election information, and the appropriate section(s) as instructed.

- Governing board of the district or any member or members of the board authorized by the board. (Complete Section 1 and 3 below)
- Bona fide association of citizens. (Complete Section 1 and 3 below)
- Individual voter who is eligible to vote on the measure. (Complete Section 2 and 3 below)
- Combination of voter and bona fide associations. (Complete Section 1, 2 and 3 below)

11/2/04 East Side Union High School District Against
Election Date Jurisdiction Argument in Favor or Against

Section 1 – Bona Fide Association Submitting

Libertarian Party of Santa Clara County
Name of Organization

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I, Allen Hacker, Chair of the Libertarian Party of Santa Clara County, authorize any of the below named people to sign as author, or co-author, of ballot arguments submitted by the Libertarian Party of Santa Clara County in the jurisdiction East Side Union High School District for the November 2, 2004 General Election

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