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ARGUMENT DECLARATION BY AUTHOR(S) (Elections Code § 9600)

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The undersigned author(s) of the argument in favor of/against ballot measure M at the General special election for the Campbell Union High School District to be held on 11/2/04 hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best of their knowledge and belief.

- 1. Allen Hacker, 8-7-04, 367 Loreto St, Whtn Vw 94041, Chair, Laborers Party of Santa Clara County
2. Dennis Umphress, 8/7/04, 580 Mountain Home Dr, San Jose, President, Silicon Valley Taxpayers' Association
3. Jack Davis, 8/11/04, 1702 Vintner Way S.D., 95124, Businessman
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Submission of Argument

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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      Campbell 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

[Signature]  
Signature of Principal Officer

Allen Hacker  
Printed Name

Section 2 - Eligible Voter(s) Submitting

Jack Davis<sup>2</sup> JACK DAVIS  
Signature/Printed Name

1702 Vintner Way S.D. 95124  
Residential Address

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Signature/Printed Name

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Residential Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature/Printed Name

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Residential Address

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City      State      Zip Code



# Libertarian Party of Santa Clara County

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*"That government is best which governs least" — Thomas Jefferson*

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 Campbell Union High School District for the November 2, 2004 General Election



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Allen Hacker  
Dennis Umphress  
Jack Davis  
Elizabeth Brierly  
Mark Hinkle  
Michael Laursen  
Zander Collier  
Ray Strong  
Allen Rice  
Kevin Takenaga  
Aaron Katz

**CAMPBELL UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT PARCEL**  
**TAX MEASURE M OPPOSITION ARGUMENT**

In high school English, students read fiction and non-fiction books, learning to differentiate between them.

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However, the board of directors of the Campbell Union High School District needs to go back to school, because they've failed.

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Their resolution to place this tax increase on the ballot says "To restore funds cut by state government with local funds...".

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They would have you believe there have been massive budget cuts in educational spending.

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The facts say otherwise.

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Because of Prop 98 and its mandated spending on public education, our total projected per California student spending is UP this coming year, not down. On page 4 of the governor's proposed 2004-2005 budget summary,

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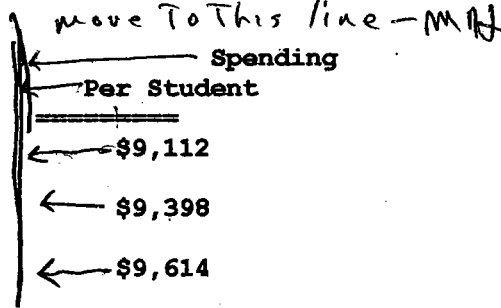
<http://www.dof.ca.gov/HTML/Budgt04-05/BudgetSum04/K12 Education w.pdf>

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we can see that government spending on K-12 education continues to grow, deficit or not.

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<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Total Govt Spending</u>
2002-03	\$53.8 billion
2003-04	\$56.2 billion
2004-05	\$58.1 billion



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The public education propoganda machine has done a great job pleading poverty while raking in more of your money each year. Don't be taken in by this con job.

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Most of the per-student expenses are for salaries. California educators are the highest paid teachers in the U.S. -- making even more than teachers in expensive Hawaii and Alaska. As a consequence, they have the highest pensions as well. Many are retiring with pensions worth 90% of the base salary of their last years teaching. Don't you wish you had it so good?

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Make no mistake about it. This tax increase isn't "for the kids" it's for the employees of the district.

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Just Say NO to new tax increases. Vote NO ON Measure M.

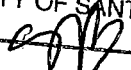
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See <http://www.VoteNOonM.us> for more details.

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