

# ARGUMENT / REBUTTAL FORM

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ELECTION DATE: November 2, 2004 MEASURE: Q

JURISDICTION: Franklin-McKinley School District

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR   
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The American Dream starts with good schools. Keep that dream alive for Franklin-McKinley students. Vote yes on Measure Q.

Your Yes Vote on Measure Q Will:

- Construct and repair classrooms at every school campus.
- Assure that our students have classrooms equal to those in other Santa Clara County School Districts.
- Enable the district to accept the donation of land for the new school planned for Communications Hill.
- Provide voters with strict accountability of bond funds.

The Facts:

- By law FMSD spends 3% of its yearly budget on routine building maintenance.
- District wide over \$33 million of facility needs have been identified.
- The State historically has not provided adequate funds to complete major repairs and renovation.
- Last year FMSD received only \$116,000 from the State to fund basic building maintenance for our 14 school.

It will be less expensive to upgrade and repair aging schools and construct an additional elementary school now than in the future. If we don't pass Measure Q now, the problems will only get worse - and more expensive.

Measure Q is a unique opportunity for our community to repair, upgrade and construct additional school facilities. It is the right thing to do and the most cost-effective way to do it. Join the Chamber of Commerce, realtors, parents, community members and your neighbors in support of Measure Q.

For our community, please vote Yes on Measure Q.

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