







Proposition E Independent Citizens Oversight Committee

Report to the Board of Education June 10, 2015



Ballot Proposition

November 6, 2012

"To repair, renovate, construct, and upgrade classrooms and school facilities; increase student access to computers and modern technology; replace temporary classrooms; upgrade heating systems; and make energy cost-saving improvements, shall School Facilities Improvement District No. 1 of the Chula Vista Elementary School District be authorized to issue \$90 million of bonds with legal interest rates, annual audits, independent citizens' oversight, and all funds spent locally and no money used for administrative salaries or taken by the State and spent elsewhere?"

- ☐ Required: 55.00% voter approval.
 - Received: 68.82% voter approval.
- **□** 25-year amortization.
- No Capital Appreciation Bonds (CABs).
- □ Approximately \$29 per \$100,000 of assessed valuation per year.



Duties of the Independent Citizens Oversight Committee (ICOC)

- ☐ Inform the public about bond revenue expenditures.
- □ Review and report taxpayer funds used for school construction in accordance with Proposition 39.
- □ Ensure no funds are used for teacher or administrative salaries.
- □ Receive and review copies of the annual independent performance and financial audits.
- ☐ Inspect school facilities and grounds to ensure that revenues are spent in compliance with Proposition 39.
- □ Receive and review copies of deferred maintenance plans to be financed with bond proceeds.
- □ Review District efforts to maximize bond revenues by implementing cost-saving measures.



Proposition E Building Fund Audit

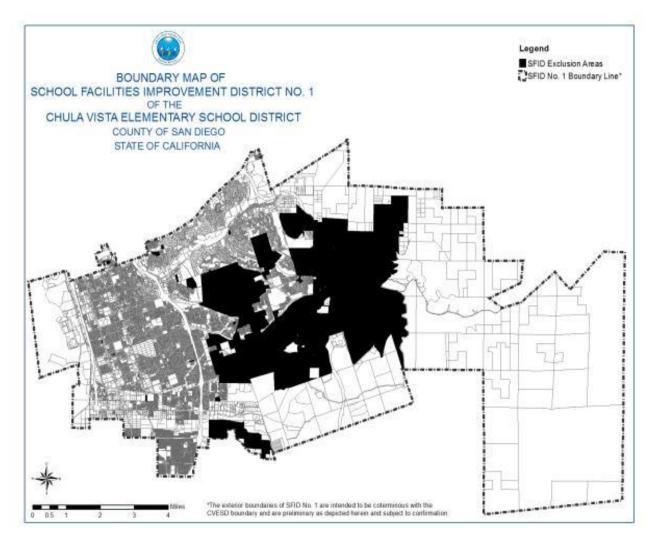
- □ Performed by Wilkinson Hadley King & Co. LLP, an independent (third party) auditor.
- □ Second year report for the period ending June 30, 2014.
- □ Included a financial statements section (assets, liabilities, expenses) and a performance section to make sure funds were used only for items stated in the bond measure.
- ☐ Audit report reviewed and approved by ICOC on March 18, 2015.



Audit findings
resulted in an
"unmodified opinion,"
which is the highest
rating that can
be given.



School Facilities Improvement District No. 1 Boundary for CVESD



The SFID boundary encompasses 31 elementary schools on most of the western portion of CVESD and excludes all existing **Community Facilities Districts** (CFDs)/Mello-Roos parcels.



31 SFID No. 1 School Sites





Major Categories for Improvements

- ☐ Infrastructure Improvements

 Electrical, sewer, water and storm drains, fire alarms, electrical closets, and structural.
- HVAC, window replacements, energy efficient site lighting, classroom upgrades, Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliance, and other upgrades.
- Wireless Technology Upgrades
 Wireless hardware, network cabling,
 and equipment. Provides access
 for new online state testing.



Allen Elementary School



Bond Sales: Series A Summary of Series A Building Fund

Building Fund \$31,000,000 Par Amount Less \$225,000 Costs of Issuance	\$30,775,000
Less: Projected Costs for Castle Park, Rice, and Rosebank as of May 31, 2015	(20,252,237)
Less: WiFi Installation Costs for SFID No. 1 Sites (Summer 2013)	(466,066)
Equals: Projected Remaining Series A Building Fund	\$10,056,697

Bond issuance authorized by the Board of Education in April 2013.



Summer 2014 Modernization Projects

Proposition E Expenditures Summary for Castle Park, Rice, and Rosebank

Expenditure Type	Costs as of May 31, 2015
Soft Costs (Architect, Construction Management, Testing, Inspection)	\$ 4,166,112
Flooring, Network Infrastructure, Equipment	2,370,410
Construction Costs (Less Rice Library Costs and Proposition 39 Energy Costs)	13,715,715
TOTAL	\$ 20,252,237



Bond Sales: Series B Summary of Series B Building Fund

Sources	Amount
Par Amount, Series B Bonds	\$14,000,000
Costs of Issuance*	(168,000)
Total Sources	\$13,832,000

* Financial Advisor, Bond Counsel, District Counsel, Standard & Poor's Credit Rating, Paying Agent, Publication and Printing Costs, Etc.

Sources	Amount	
Projected Remaining Series A Funds	\$10,056,697	
Construction Fund, Series B	13,832,000	
Total Sources	\$23,888,697	

Bond issuance authorized by the Board of Education in September 2014.



Summer 2015 Modernization Projects

Proposition E Estimated Expenditures Summary for Allen, Hilltop Drive, and Vista Square

Expenditure Type	Estimated Costs
Soft Costs (Architect, Construction Management, Testing, Inspection)	\$ 5,295,525
Furniture, Fixtures, and Equipment	494,378
Construction Costs	18,098,794
TOTAL	\$23,888,697



Contract Awards: Summer 2015 Modernization Projects Allen, Hilltop Drive, and Vista Square

Bid Pkg. No.	Description	Prime Contractor	Total Bid
1	Landscape and Irrigation	Merino Landscape, Inc.	\$ 646,770
2	Demolition; Hazardous Materials	Casper Company	2,003,616
3	Asphalt Paving and Striping	J & S Asphalt	259,970
4	Grading and Concrete	Team C Construction	2,066,975
5	Rough Carpentry	EC Constructors, Inc.	396,090
6	Finish Carpentry	Spooner's Woodworks, Inc.	311,045
7	Roofing and Sheet Metal	Sylvester Roofing	80,000
8	Doors, Frames, and Hardware	Brady SoCal, Inc.	731,692
9	Glass and Glazing	Pacific Coast Glazing, Inc.	1,123,940
10	Finishes	Standard Drywall, Inc.	3,668,135
11	Ceramic Tile	Inland Pacific Tile, Inc.	160,000
12	Paint	A. J. Fistes Corporation	195,321
13	Specialties	Brady SoCal, Inc.	1,137,898
14	Kitchen Equipment	Bid Package No. 14 bids were rejected with no intent to rebid.	
15	Mechanical HVAC and Controls	Paradigm Mechanical Corp.	1,199,162
16	Plumbing; Underground Utilities	Strelic Plumbing, Inc., dba Advance Plumbing Company	1,503,500
17	Electrical and Low Voltage	Baker Electric	2,614,680
	TOTAL		\$18,098,794

Bids awarded by Board of Education on March 11, 2015. Partial costs for electrical and lighting will be paid from Proposition E and Proposition 39 funds.



Timeline

Summer 2015 Modernization Projects Allen, Hilltop Drive, and Vista Square

Activity	Date
Award Bids	March 11, 2015
Site Packing	Completed June 5, 2015
District Move Out	Completed June 7, 2015
Modernization Construction Period	June 8 – August 28, 2015
Teachers Return	September 1, 2015
Students Return	September 8, 2015



ICOC Visits to First Three Modernization Sites September 17, 2014



The ICOC toured Castle Park, Rice, and Rosebank after these sites were modernized in Summer 2014.











ICOC Members were accompanied by District staff and representatives from Ruhnau Ruhnau Clarke (District Architect) and Balfour Beatty Construction (District Construction Manager).



ICOC Visits to Next Three Modernization Sites May 13, 2015

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Modernization Construction Period June 8 – August 28, 2015

Ella B. Allen Elementary School























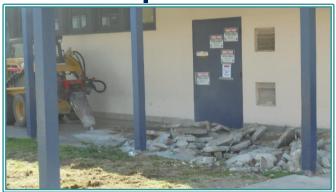


Modernization Construction Period

June 8 – August 28, 2015

Hilltop Drive Elementary School



















Modernization has begun!



Modernization Construction Period

June 8 – August 28, 2015

Vista Square Elementary School



























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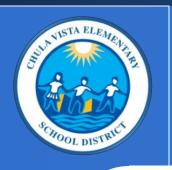
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- □ Debbie Croshier
 Community At-Large
 Representative
- □ Marina DiazParent Representative

□ Sean R. Dunbar

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- ☐ Mary I. HelvieSenior Citizens OrganizationRepresentative
- ☐ Karyn KoenigCommunity At-LargeRepresentative









Thank you!

Questions? Comments?