

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE A

Everyone values quality schools. From higher achieving students, to greater neighborhood safety, to increased home values, great schools make a difference. While our teachers improve educating our children, we have begun improving educational facilities. Many classrooms and school facilities at the Williams Unified School District are still outdated and inadequate. This is why our children need your **YES vote on Measure A!**

Modernization projects completed so far include classroom renovations and high school electrical & plumbing updates. Upcoming is a new gym floor and bleachers with ADA compliant restrooms, followed by an Agri-Science/Farm Mechanics shop and science classrooms. New construction includes a Fitness Center and Multipurpose Room.

Although District schools are well maintained and facility updates have started, aging classrooms still need upgrading, because many buildings still do not meet 21st century standards. Measure A would allow the District to continue needed improvements to our schools. By investing in our schools, we better our community.

If passed, Measure A will provide funding to make school facility improvements by:

- Upgrading inadequate electrical systems
- Modernizing and renovating outdated classrooms, restrooms and school facilities
- Repairing or replacing deteriorating plumbing and sewer systems
- Upgrading P.E. fields and facilities for school and community use; and
- Constructing new classrooms and facilities with 21st century learning environments

Measure A makes financial sense and protects taxpayers.

- All funds must be spent locally and cannot be taken by the State.
- By law, spending must be reviewed and annually audited by an independent citizens' oversight committee.
- Funds can only be spent to improve our local schools, not for administrator salaries.

Measure A continues necessary upgrades and renovates inadequate school facilities, improves education of local children, and enhances the quality of our community. That's something we can all support. Please join and VOTE YES ON MEASURE A!

/s/ Kent S. Boes, Supervisor District 3, Colusa County Board of Supervisors

/s/ Santos Jauregui, Williams City Council Member

/s/ John J. Troughton, Jr., Williams City Council Member

/s/ Virginia L. Frias, Resident and Citizen of Williams

/s/ Humberto Guevara, La Fortuna Bakery Owner

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None Filed**

