Rebuttal to the Argument in Favor of Bayshore Elementary School District
$6,000,000 Bond Issue

When school boards ask voters’ permission to go into debt with bonds like Measure C, what are they saying? They are admitting that everything they spend our tax dollars on, now, is more important than the projects in this Measure.

Budgets reflect priorities.

Bayshore Elementary School District is saying every education dollar spent today is going to something they prioritize higher than “improv[ing] student access to...modern technology.”

Do you agree?

Education Data Partnership (www.Ed-Data.K12.ca.us) shows only about 389 students in Bayshore Elementary School District, so this bond could exceed $15,400/student -- NOT counting interest and administration expenses.

Would you buy a computer with a useful life of 3-5 years, and pay for it with a 25-year loan?

No? That’s what the District is asking you to do.

Which is more important to you?

1. Paying reasonable amounts for “modern technology” now, by using dollars already in schools’ budgets.

2. Sending new tax dollars -- through principal and interest payments -- to big banks, investment brokers, and others who buy these bonds as tax shelters.

If you value children’s “access to computers” over funding tax shelters, vote NO on Measure C.

If you value children having access to “modern technology” versus making principal and interest payments for 25 years, vote NO on Measure C.

For more information: www.SVTaxpayers.org/2014-06-bayshore-elementary-sd-bond

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Ballot Measure Argument Rebuttal Submission Form

If both an argument in favor of and against a measure have been selected for publication in the voter information pamphlet, a rebuttal to the argument in favor of or the argument against the measure may be submitted as outlined in this form.

The author of the argument in favor of the measure may prepare and submit a rebuttal argument to the argument against the measure or may authorize in writing any other person or persons to prepare, submit, or sign the rebuttal argument. Likewise, the author of the argument against the measure may prepare and submit a rebuttal argument to the argument in favor of the measure or may authorize in writing any other person or persons to prepare, submit, or sign the rebuttal argument.

A rebuttal argument shall not be accepted unless accompanied by this completed form, which shall contain the printed name(s) and signature(s) of the person(s) submitting it or, if submitted on behalf of a bona fide association of citizens/organization, the name of the association/organization and the printed name and signature of at least one of its principal officers.

Word count limit for Rebuttal Arguments = 250

The rebuttal arguments shall be submitted to the elections official conducting the election no later than ____________.

These rules apply to all rebuttal arguments unless a rebuttal argument is otherwise provided by law.

Ballot Measure _______ for the ___________ to be held on ____________

☐ Rebuttal to Argument in Favor of Measure _______ ☐ Rebuttal to Argument Against Measure _______

Signed by Exact Same Individual(s) as Argument Already Selected for the Voter Information Pamphlet

If you are submitting a rebuttal argument and the individual(s) signing the rebuttal argument are the same as the individual(s) signing the original Ballot Measure Primary Argument Submission Form, check the following box and complete the back side of this form.

☐ Rebuttal Argument Is Signed by Same Individual(s) as Argument Already Selected For the Voter Information Packet

Submitted by Different Individual(s) as the Opposing Primary Argument

If the rebuttal argument is signed by anyone different than the signer(s) of the Ballot Measure Primary Argument Submission Form already submitted—including whether there is only one different individual or whether there are up to five new individuals—you must complete the section below, complete the back side of this form, and attach to this form the written authorization by the author that indicates: (i) your name(s); and (ii) the author’s name, contact information, statement of authorization, and signature.

Contact Person:_________ Phone:_________

Mailing Address:_________

Fax:_________ Email:_________

Please complete the reverse side of this form.
Rebuttal Argument Signers Form

No more than five signatures shall appear with any argument. If more than five signatures are submitted, the first five listed shall be printed.

Names and titles listed will be printed in the order that they are listed below.

If the signers are part of a bona fide association/organization, for each such signing individual(s), the title under the signer’s name shall list the name of that bona fide association/organization and may include their position within that association/organization.

By signing below, the undersigned state that they have read the argument and believe it not to be false or misleading.

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Date: 3/24/14

Submit a second form (this side only) for alternate signers attached to this form and the argument.

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Signers

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