Ballot Measure Primary Argument Submission Form

A ballot 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. If the measure is presented to voters pursuant to an initiative petition in a special district election, please contact the Elections Office for special instructions.

Word count limit for Primary Arguments = 300

Ballot Measure J for the Statewide General Election to be held on November 4, 2014

☐ Primary Argument in Favor of ☐ Primary Argument Against

This argument is submitted by: (check all that apply)

☐ The Governing Body of the County of San Mateo, a School District, or a Special District

If this argument is filed by the governing body of the County of San Mateo, a school district or a special district, fill in the name of the governing body on the line below and complete both sides of this form.

Governing Body:

Contact Person's Printed Name: ____________________________  Contact Person’s Signature: ____________________________

Title: ____________________________  Email: ____________________________

Phone: ____________________________  Email: ____________________________

☐ Member(s) of the Governing Body of the County of San Mateo, a School District, or a Special District

If this argument is filed by any member(s) of the governing body, fill in the information below and complete both sides of this form. By statute, members of school district governing boards need board authorization to file an argument.

Member(s) of the Governing Body: ____________________________  Name of Governing Body: ____________________________

Contact Person’s Printed Name: ____________________________  Contact Person’s Signature: ____________________________

Title: ____________________________  Email: ____________________________

Phone: ____________________________  Email: ____________________________

☐ Bona Fide Association of Citizens/Organization

If this argument is filed by a bona fide association of citizens/organization, the signers of the argument must be affiliated with the association/organization, be authorized to sign the argument on its behalf, provide the printed name and signature of at least one principal officer of the organization, and complete both sides of this form.

Name of Association/Organization: ____________________________

Principal Officer’s Printed Name and Title: ____________________________  Principal Officer’s Signature: ____________________________

Contact Person’s Printed Name: ____________________________  Email: ____________________________

Phone: ____________________________  Fax: ____________________________

☐ Individual(s) eligible to vote on the measure

Individual signers must be eligible to vote on the measure.

Contact Person: ____________________________

Phone: ____________________________

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Please complete the reverse side of this form.
Primary 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 signers are part of a bona fide association/organization, there is no requirement that they be eligible to vote on the measure. However, 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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Each signer must designate in which capacity they are signing. Check the one box that applies.
Jefferson Union High School District
Argument in Favor of Measure J

Your YES vote on Measure J will let us repair and improve Jefferson, Oceana, Terra Nova, Thornton, and Westmoor High Schools, construct new classrooms to reduce overcrowding, and provide students with up-to-date technology while still protecting taxpayers and helping to increase property values. Here’s how.

While the high school campuses of Jefferson Union High School District have been well-maintained over the years, many high school classrooms are over 20 years old—and some over 50 years old. These classrooms and educational facilities require major upgrades and improvements to meet not only today’s technological, safety and educational standards, but also to avoid more costly repairs in the future.

Your support on Measure J will improve school facilities by:

• Upgrading classrooms throughout the District with computers and mobile devices.
• Repairing and replacing leaky roofs and drains.
• Constructing new classrooms to reduce overcrowding.
• Replacing and upgrading heating, ventilation, air conditioning systems.
• Expanding and improving vocational education facilities for science, technology, engineering and math.

By law, Measure J guarantees taxpayer protections:

• No funds will be spent on administrator or teacher salaries, benefits or pensions.
• All expenditures will be reviewed by an independent Citizens’ Oversight Committee.
• Annual financial audits by an independent accounting firm will be required.
• All funds must be spent on our local school facilities and CANNOT BE TAKEN BY THE STATE OR SPENT ELSEWHERE.

Measure J deserves our support. It will bring about meaningful, cost-effective improvements at our schools and classrooms, increase property values and provide students with up-to-date computers and technology. Please join us and VOTE YES on MEASURE J.