



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 August 25, 2014.

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

Ballot Measure K for the Bayshore Elementary SD to be held on November 4, 2014.

Rebuttal to Argument in Favor of Measure _____ Rebuttal to Argument Against Measure K

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:	<i>Audra Pittman</i>	Phone:	[Redacted]
Mailing Address:	[Redacted]		
Fax:	[Redacted]		

Please complete the reverse side of this form.

Rebuttal Argument Signers Form

Each signer must designate in which capacity they are signing. Check the one box that applies.

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.

Governing Body of San Mateo County, a School District, or a Special District	Member of the Governing Body of San Mateo County, a School District, or a Special District	Bona Fide Association of Citizens/Organization	Individual
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1.	Name: <i>Audra Pittman</i>	Title: <i>Superintendent</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Phone: [Redacted]	Email: [Redacted]				
	Address: [Redacted]					
	Signature: [Redacted]	Date: <i>8/20/14</i>				
2.	Name: <i>CECIL TOWNERS</i>	Title:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Phone: [Redacted]	Email: [Redacted]				
	Address: [Redacted]					
	Signature: [Redacted]	Date: <i>8/21/14</i>				
3.	Name: <i>MERLITA SABADO</i>	Title: <i>SCHOOL SECRETARY</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Phone: [Redacted]	Email: [Redacted]				
	Address: [Redacted]					
	Signature: [Redacted]	Date: <i>8/21/14</i>				
4.	Name: <i>Irene G. Cuellar</i>	Title: <i>Instructional Aide</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Phone: [Redacted]	Email: [Redacted]				
	Address: [Redacted]					
	Signature: [Redacted]	Date: <i>8/21/14</i>				
5.	Name: <i>JOY G. GUTIERREZ-PILARE</i>	Title: <i>Board Member</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Phone: [Redacted]	Email: [Redacted]				
	Address: [Redacted]					
	Signature: [Redacted]	Date: <i>8/21/14</i>				

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

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Signers	<input type="checkbox"/> Registered	N/A	Signed	Dated
Bona Fide Association	<input type="checkbox"/> Verified	N/A	Signed	Dated

Rebuttal Argument to Measure K

13 Protecting our educational programs, retaining qualified teachers and preserving small class sizes are
17 critical to a quality education for our children. Don't be misled by the argument against Measure K.
18 It wasn't written by a District resident who shares our local interests. Clearly we know what is best
8 for our community. Here are the real facts:

16 **Fact:** Measure K will renew the parcel tax that District property owners have already been paying
2 since 2008.

15 **Fact:** Property owners in 14 out of 19 San Mateo County school districts are currently paying for
16 parcel tax measures. The average annual tax rate is approximately \$170 per parcel; much higher than
13 the \$102.94 Bayshore Elementary School District is requesting. If we are to be competitive, we need
2 Measure K.

17 **Fact:** Funds from Measure K will ensure that teachers are well trained and using the most effective
13 techniques for teaching as well as integrating improved technology. Without Measure K, the
8 educational experience provided to our children will suffer.

13 **Fact:** The Bayshore Elementary School District had an increase of 50 API points from 2008 –
2013.

17 **Fact:** Reduced enrollment means less funding from the State, thus an even greater need for Measure
K.

16 Measure K will improve the quality of education to local children by protecting our reading, math,
13 science, and music programs, and increases student access to technology and instructional materials.
10 Measure K gives our children the best chance to succeed.

8 Vote based on facts and support Measure K!

Word Count: 244

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By _____

