



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 Y for the General to be held on 11-6-18

Primary Argument in Favor of Primary Argument Against Jefferson Univer. High

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

<input type="checkbox"/>	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:	
	Phone:	Email:
<input type="checkbox"/>	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:	
	Phone:	Email:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	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: <u>Silicon Valley Taxpayers Association</u>	
	Principal Officer's Printed Name and Title: <u>Mark W.A. Hinkle - President</u>	Principal Officer's Signature: [Redacted]
	Contact Person's Printed Name: <u>MARK W.A. HINKLE</u>	Email: [Redacted]
	Phone: [Redacted]	Fax: [Redacted]
<input type="checkbox"/>	Individual(s) eligible to vote on the measure Individual signers must be eligible to vote on the measure.	
	Contact Person:	Phone:
	Mailing Address:	
	Fax:	Email:

Please complete the reverse side of this form.

Primary 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, 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.

Governing Body of San Mateo County, a School District, or a Special District
 Member(s) of the Governing Body of San Mateo County, a School District, or a Special District
 Bona Fide Association of Citizens/Organization
 Individual(s) eligible to vote on the measure

1.	Name: MARK W. A. HINKLE	Title: Silicon Valley President: Taxpayers Association	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Phone: [Redacted]	Email: [Redacted]				
	Address: Morgan Hill, CA 95037					
	Signature: [Redacted]	Date: 8-17-18				
2.	Name:	Title:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Phone:	Email:				
	Address:					
	Signature:	Date:				
3.	Name:	Title:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Phone:	Email:				
	Address:					
	Signature:	Date:				
4.	Name:	Title:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Phone:	Email:				
	Address:					
	Signature:	Date:				
5.	Name:	Title:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Phone:	Email:				
	Address:					
	Signature:	Date:				

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

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Signers Registered N/A Signed Dated
 Bona Fide Association Verified N/A Signed Dated

SILICON VALLEY TAXPAYERS ASSOCIATION

Dedicated to protecting the rights & interests of the taxpayers of
Silicon Valley against the over-reaching & over-spending of government

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Jefferson Union High School District \$58 Parcel Tax: Argument Against Measure

Y

With this latest "temporary" parcel tax, the Jefferson Union High School District claims 9 they need a tax increase because they are "devoted to providing quality public 13 education...". 1

The district failed to get voter approval in the last \$85 parcel tax ballot measure, and 16 now they want to try again for a more modest tax of \$58 per year for 10 years for most 20 homeowners. 1

Have they earned this tax increase that will cost you over \$580 over the next 10 years 17 (on top of the taxes you are already paying)? 9

Let's look at the student performances in two key subjects: 10

- 2016-17 **students not meeting** English literacy standards: 53.6% 9
- 2016-17 **students not meeting** Math literacy standards: 63.7% 9

The District, which spends \$11,269 per student, per year, rewarded parents and 12 taxpayers by **increasing the number** of students who **failed to meet English & Math 14 standards!** 1

Source: California Department of Education Data Partnership 12

Should you, the voters, reward the district for dropping scores in 2 key subjects? 14

If no, we encourage you to vote **NO on Measure Y.** 10

The School District is spending \$11,269 per student per year (ADA) with a 13 student/teacher ratio of 19.1 to 1. That's \$215,237 per classroom per year. Yet, they 13 want more of your hard earned money to pad their salaries and fat pension plans. 15

The measure says that none of the funds will be used for administration. But, funds 15 generated separately from this parcel tax can be used for administration expenses 12 without limits. So, that is really just an empty promise. Do not be fooled. 14

Tell the School Board to be fiscally responsible by voting **NO on Measure Y.** 13

if you reward failure, you will get more failure! 9

Just say NO to Measure Y. 15

For more information please visit us at: 7

<http://www.svtaxpayers.org/2018-sanmateo-measure-y> 1

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