

Argument in Favor of Measure H

Measure H ensures that College of San Mateo, Skyline College and Cañada College continue offering affordable, quality education to local students transferring to four-year colleges. 14
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By renovating classrooms, laboratories and libraries, Measure H also helps our colleges provide training for working adults needing to upgrade their technical skills in this challenging economy. 15
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Tuition at public universities has soared to nearly six times the cost of attending community college. Demand for classes is at an all time high. With the State Legislature cutting funding, thousands of local students have been turned away from classes they need. 14
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In recent years, College of San Mateo, Skyline College and Cañada College lost hundreds of millions of dollars in state support. By law, Measure H funds must be spent only to improve our local colleges. Sacramento cannot take away these funds. 14
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The College District's first phase of renovation and construction addressed the most urgent needs. However many labs and classrooms are over 40 years old and need updating. 14
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Yes on Measure H will complete the job of modernizing College facilities including: 13

- Renovating science, engineering and computer labs and classrooms 8
- Upgrading training centers for 21st century jobs 7
- Updating nursing, health sciences, biotech and clean energy labs 9
- Improving earthquake, fire and accessibility safety 4
- Implementing energy efficiency projects to save taxpayers millions in utility bills 11

Moody's gave the District an Aaa bond rating—the highest rating that can be earned! 15

A Citizens' Oversight Committee will monitor expenditures and ensure that independent audits are conducted. Bond monies must be spent on capital improvements and classroom equipment; no funds may be spent on administrators' salaries. Measure H is fully tax deductible. 13
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For under \$6.50 per month for the average homeowner, we can provide modern classrooms and laboratories for generations of college students. 14
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Signed:
Anna Eshoo,
Member of Congress, 14th Congressional District

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Ballot Measure Primary Argument Submission Form

MARK CHURCH, Chief Elections Officer

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Word count limit for Primary Arguments = 300 San Mateo County

Ballot Measure H for the Community College District to be held on November 8, 2011.

[X] Primary Argument in Favor of [] Primary Argument Against

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

Form with four sections: 1. The Governing Body of the County of San Mateo, a School District, or a Special District; 2. Member(s) of the Governing Body of the County of San Mateo, a School District, or a Special District; 3. Bona Fide Association of Citizens/Organization; 4. Individual(s) eligible to vote on the measure. The fourth section is checked and contains the name Virginia Kiraly.

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1.	Name: <i>Anna Eshoo (attached)</i> Title: Phone: Address: Signature: Date:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.	Name: <i>Guillermo Morantes</i> Title: <i>Trustee, San Mateo County Board of Education</i> Phone: [REDACTED] Address: [REDACTED] Signature: [REDACTED] Date: <i>08-16-2011</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>BC</i>
3.	Name: <i>Virginia Chang Kiraly</i> Title: <i>Member, California Commission for Economic Development</i> Phone: [REDACTED] Address: [REDACTED] Signature: [REDACTED] Date: <i>8/17/2011</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4.	Name: <i>Gene Mullin</i> Title: <i>Former Member, California State Assembly</i> Phone: [REDACTED] Address: [REDACTED] Signature: [REDACTED] Date: <i>8/19/11</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5.	Name: <i>Stacey Wagner</i> Title: <i>Chair, San Mateo Area Chamber of Commerce</i> Phone: [REDACTED] Address: [REDACTED] Signature: [REDACTED] Date: <i>8/19/11</i> <i>94401</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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1.	Name: ANNA G. ESTHOO Title: Member of Congress, 14th CD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Phone: [REDACTED] Email: [REDACTED]				
	Address: [REDACTED]				
	Signature: [REDACTED] Date: August 18, 2011				
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"/>
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	Address: _____				
	Signature: _____ Date: _____				
4.	Name: _____ Title: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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	Signature: _____ Date: _____				
5.	Name: _____ Title: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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