

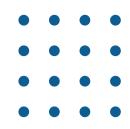
# THE QUEST FOR EXCELLENCE

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## Working as a team to help every student succeed!





## DIRECTION

Modern, safe, quality facilities & resources.

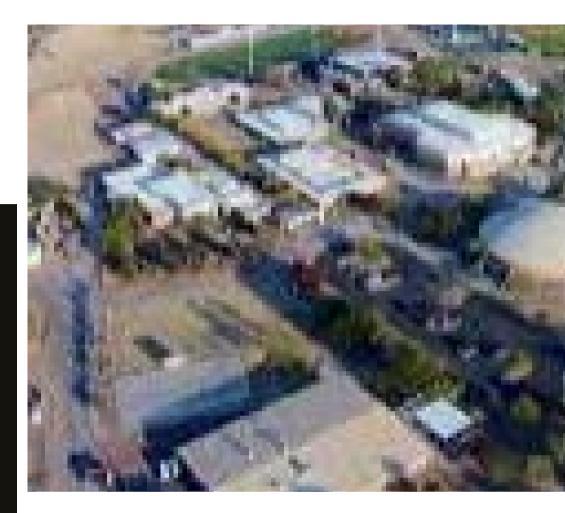




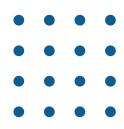
## EXCELLENCE IS A CONTINUOUS QUEST!

#### Some examples of needs:

- Little Theater
- Turf Fields/Track
- Early Childhood Center More Space
- Cafeteria Renovation
- Integrated Security Systems with Cameras, Network, Access Control, Law Enforcement
- Classroom WRS
- New Furniture and Equipment, Classroom Space
- Sports Lighting
- Paint
- Roof, Mechanical System Upgrades
- Playground Equipment
- IT Network Development Expansion







## WHAT WOULD YOU ADD?

## WHAT IF WE COULD DO THIS W/O SIGNIFICANT TAX RATE INCREASE?

HOW?







#### Criteria:

- Major Improvements
- Something For Every School
- Safety, Learning, Service, Quality

#### Plan:

- Gathering Survey
- Refine Criteria
- Evaluate Project Recommendations
- Create Project List
- Possible Bond Measure





## AGE OF FACILITIES

Investment in facilities is vital!

**ECC - 2012** SPS - 1957 SHS - 1998 Aquatics Center -ATS - 2007 SIS - 1970's 2012 SMS - 1960's WGHS - 2011 WRS - 2019 CVES - 2012 **SOPORI - 1970** 



## PICTURES OF SUCCESS























## Big Capital Items

### RECENT BOND PROJECTS



\$5M	Walden Grove Supplement	
\$14M	Copper View Elementary School	
\$3M	Aquatic Center	
\$3M	Early Childhood Center	
\$20M	Wrightson Ridge School K-8	



## **CURRENT CONSTRUCTION**





\$19M - Mostly State funded expansion SHS and WGHS.



Gym Space	New CTE Space
Music Room	Office Space
Training Room	New Classrooms







- Save \$2M
- Refinancing Save \$2M Debt Payoff
- Growth = 3% Average Last 10 Years
- Conservative Sound Management

**CURRENTLY, WE CAN** FINANCE INCREASE \$50M W/O ANTICIPATED **TAX RATE!** 



What is one significant improvement that would make a difference in safety, learning, service, quality, and student success?

https://susd30.us/2023-school-facility-improvement-survey/



"Excellence is not a destination; it is a continuous journey that never ends."

-Brian Tracy

Thank you