

Dear Committee Member,

As a parent of a Torrey Hills student, I am very concerned about the proposals that call for putting district offices on the Torrey Hills campus. The space needed for the buildings will reduce the campus area too much and basically ruin our school atmosphere. It would also greatly increase the traffic at the school which is already a major problem.

Torrey Hills has 300 students more than Del Mar hills (646 versus 329). In 5 years, the projection is for Torrey Hills to have 796 students versus 303 at Del Mar Hills - Torrey Hills would have 2 1/2 times the number of students. Yet someone believes the right answer is to put all the DMUSD Offices at Torrey Hills with 800 students, and leave Del Mar Hills operating as it currently does with no changes and an enrollment of 300 students? How can that even be an option? It should not be an option. It makes no sense!!!

The proposal G to combine all of the offices with all of the students at Torrey Hills is incredibly unfair!

Why would we crowd 800 students and all the office personnel into one space, while another location is already built and ready to be used with no crowding? Closing a school with only 300 students impacts the least number of people, especially when there is another school a few blocks away.

Why would we spend considerable amount of money to construct NEW BUILDINGS when the DMUSD already has plenty of space in current buildings? This would be a WASTE of our taxpayer money and DMUSD may be criticised in the press about wasting resources that should be going to our children's education, not new office space. I'm being asked to

pay \$800 per child to continue the level of education enrichment they have now. I would resent paying this knowing that the district is building new office buildings while keeping the tiny Del Mar Hills open to function like a private school on taxpayer money. Del Mar Hills does not have enough students to stay open and should be consolidated with the nearest school.

The ironic thing is that even with consolidation, there will only be 600 students, which is still less than 3 of the other schools in the SAME district.

I urge you to please vote for Proposal B.

Thank you,

Susan Lane