

**FULL TEXT OF MEASURE MM**  
**MIRACOSTA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT**  
**BOND MEASURE ELECTION NOVEMBER 8, 2016**

**"MIRACOSTA COLLEGE JOB TRAINING, COLLEGE TRANSFER, VETERAN SUPPORT MEASURE.** To upgrade classrooms and career training facilities for science, healthcare, technology, advanced manufacturing, other growing local industries, provide job training/placement to Navy/ Marines/ other veterans, improve access to affordable higher education for local students, improve disabled access, repair, construct, acquire classrooms,

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- (vi) **PROVIDE LOCAL NORTH COUNTY STUDENTS WITH AN AFFORDABLE, HIGH-QUALITY EDUCATION;**
- (vii) **Adhere to stringent fiscal accountability safeguards including:**
  - (a) **All expenditures will be subject to annual independent financial audits,**
  - (b) **No funds will be used for administrator or faculty salaries and pensions,**
  - (c) **An independent citizens' oversight committee will be appointed to ensure that all funds are spent only as authorized.**

The following types of projects are authorized to be undertaken at each of the District's locations:

**PROVIDE AN AFFORDABLE EDUCATION  
FOR LOCAL RESIDENTS AND VETERANS:**

Facility Improvements Needed To Update Classroom, Laboratory Instruction and Technology To Support Core Subjects, Like Math, Science and Technology

**Goals and Purposes: The cost to attend the University of California and the State University systems has become so expensive, more local students and their families rely on MiraCosta College to start their education and save tens of thousands of dollars.**

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PROVIDE JOB TRAINING, COLLEGE TRANSFER AND VETERAN  
SUPPORT:**

Facility Improvements  
To Help Students and Veterans Transfer to Four-Year  
Universities or be Trained For High Demand Jobs

**Goals and Purposes:** MiraCosta College is one of the most important Veterans' serving institutions in California. It provides job training and counseling to approximately 1,800 active military and veterans every year. Upgraded and expanded veteran services and job training are needed so returning service members receive the support they need to complete their education and enter the civilian workforce.

MiraCosta College is a vital resource for our business community that relies on the college to train future and current employees in fields like biomedical engineering, nursing, hospitality and other high demand careers.

- x Upgrade science center and labs to allow for state-of-the-art courses in biology, chemistry and physical sciences.
- x **Expand and improve the Veterans' Center, which provides job training, counseling, and support services to Navy, Marine, and other military veterans and their families.**
- x Update classrooms, labs, libraries and computer systems to keep pace with technology.
- x Improve career training facilities for science, healthcare, technology and skilled trades to better prepare students and returning veterans for success in college and careers.

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**FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY**

**This bond measure has strict accountability requirements including:**

1. All money will benefit MiraCosta College campus and CANNOT BE TAKEN BY THE STATE.
2. NO MONEY can be used for ADMINISTRATOR OR FACULTY SALARIES or pensions.
3. Require CITIZENS' OVERSIGHT and yearly audits to ensure all funds are used locally, effectively and as promised.
4. NO ADMINISTRATOR OR FACULTY SALARIES. Proceeds from the sale of the bonds authorized by this proposition shall be used only for the acquisition, construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation, or replacement of school facilities, including the furnishing

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5. FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY. THE EXPENDITURE OF BOND MONEY ON THESE PROJECTS IS SUBJECT TO STRINGENT FINANCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY REQUIREMENTS. BY LAW, PERFORMANCE AND FINANCIAL AUDITS WILL BE CONDUCTED ANNUALLY, AND ALL BOND EXPENDITURES WILL BE MONITORED BY AN INDEPENDENT CITIZENS' OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE TO ENSURE THAT FUNDS ARE SPENT AS PROMISED AND SPECIFIED. THE CITIZENS' OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE MUST INCLUDE, AMONG OTHERS, REPRESENTATION OF A BONA FIDE TAXPAYERS ASSOCIATION, A BUSINESS ORGANIZATION AND A SENIOR CITIZENS ORGANIZATION. NO DISTRICT EMPLOYEES OR VENDORS ARE ALLOWED TO SERVE ON THE CITIZENS' OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

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information systems, printers, digital white boards, upgrade voice-over-IP, communication systems, audio/visual and telecommunications systems, call manager and network security/firewall, Internet connectivity, wireless systems, technology infrastructure, and other miscellaneous IT and instructional equipment, DATA storage, fiber/copper infrastructure, phones, identity access cards and the creation. The Project List includes the construction of buildings for general education classrooms, chemistry and biotechnology, allied health, arts/ media services, engineering, math, technology and applied sciences and physical education and kinesiology, and the renovation of facilities for student services, business and workforce development, biology and related sciences.

The allocation of bond proceeds may be affected by the District's receipt of State matching funds and the final costs of each project. Some projects may be undertaken as joint use projects in cooperation with other local public or non-profit agencies. The budget for each project is an estimate and may be affected by factors beyond the District's control. The final cost of each project will be determined as plans and construction documents are finalized, construction bids are received, construction contracts are awarded and projects are completed. Based on the final costs of each project, certain of the projects described above may be delayed or may not be completed. Demolition of existing facilities and reconstruction of facilities scheduled for repair and upgrade may occur, if the Board determines that such an approach would be more cost-effective in creating more enhanced and operationally efficient campuses. Necessary site preparation/restoration may Oceanside Campus or in connection with new construction, renovation or remodeling, or installation or removal of relocatable classrooms, including ingress and egress, removing, replacing, or installing irrigation, utility lines, trees and landscaping, relocating fire access roads, and acquiring any necessary easements, licenses, or rights of way to the property. Proceeds of the bonds may be used to pay or reimburse the District for the cost of District staff when performing work on or necessary and incidental to bond projects.

Bond proceeds shall only be expended for the specific purposes identified herein. The District shall create an account into which proceeds of the bonds shall be deposited and comply with the reporting requirements of Government Code § 53410.