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ORDINANCE NO.

[Building Code - Earthquake Performance Evaluation of Private School Structures]

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2 Ordinance amending the Building Code to 1) require that existing private elementary  
3 and secondary schools obtain an evaluation by a licensed structural engineer for  
4 performance during a future earthquake, 2) ~~to~~ assess a fee for Building Department  
5 review and related evaluation processing, 3) ~~to~~ exempt certain buildings from the  
6 evaluation requirements, 4) ~~to~~ provide that buildings where voluntary seismic retrofit  
7 work is done to specified standards shall not be identified as a seismic hazard under  
8 later-enacted local building standards, and 5) ~~to~~ require that a building changing to a  
9 school occupancy classification comply with the evaluation requirements; making  
10 environmental findings and findings under the California Health and Safety Code; and  
11 directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to forward this ordinance to the  
12 California Building Standards Commission upon final passage.

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19 subsections or parts of tables.

20 Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

21 Section 1. General Findings.

22 (a) The Planning Department has determined that the actions contemplated in this  
23 ordinance comply with the California Environmental Quality Act (California Public Resources  
24 Code Sections 21000 et seq.). The Board of Supervisors hereby affirms this determination.  
25 Said determination is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 140120 and  
is incorporated herein by reference.

1 (b) Pursuant to Charter Section D3.750-5, the Building Inspection Commission  
2 considered this ordinance on February 19, 2014 at a duly noticed public hearing.  
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4 Section 2. Findings under the California Health and Safety Code. The Board of  
5 Supervisors hereby finds that this ordinance does not modify a State "building standard," as  
6 that term is defined in Section 18909 of the California Health and Safety Code. Therefore, the  
7 finding of local climactic, geological, or topographical conditions required by Sections 18941.5  
8 and 17958.7 is not required.  
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10 Section 3. Specific Findings. The Board of Supervisors hereby finds and declares as  
11 follows:

12 (a) In Section 19160 of the California Health and Safety Code, the Legislature  
13 declared that because of the generally acknowledged fact that California will experience  
14 moderate to severe earthquakes in the foreseeable future, increased efforts to reduce  
15 earthquake hazards should be encouraged and supported. Section 19161 authorizes each  
16 city, city and county, or county to assess the earthquake hazard in its jurisdiction and identify  
17 buildings that may be potentially hazardous to life in the event of an earthquake.

18 (b) In December 2004, the California Seismic Safety Commission (SSC) issued a  
19 report on "Seismic Safety in California's Schools," which contains Findings and  
20 Recommendations on Seismic Safety Policies and Requirements for Public, Private, and  
21 Charter Schools. The SSC report was made in response to inquiries from members of the  
22 Legislature, the public and parents, and to concerns about the risks posed by older school  
23 buildings, the different seismic standards for public, private and charter schools, and the  
24 safety of buildings converted to school use.  
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1 (c) The data collected by the SSC for its 2004 report showed that almost 9% of  
2 California's school children attended private schools, ten counties had more than 10% of their  
3 total students enrolled in private schools, and of these ten counties San Francisco was the  
4 highest at 29.1%. Because under State law private schools are not required to meet the  
5 stringent safety requirements of public schools unless they are new buildings or have been  
6 extensively remodeled, private schools pose a greater risk than comparably aged public  
7 schools in a future moderate or large earthquake.

8 (d) San Francisco's Community Action Plan for Seismic Safety and Earthquake Safety  
9 Implementation Program.

10 (1) On October 17, 2011, the Office of the Mayor released the first draft of the  
11 City's Earthquake Safety Implementation Program (ESIP), which is a 30-year Workplan to  
12 update building codes, retrofit privately-owned buildings, and prepare for post-disaster  
13 recovery that encompasses 50 objectives with the goal of making San Francisco as safe as it  
14 can be before the next earthquake hits.

15 (2) The ESIP Workplan is based upon, and incorporates the goals and  
16 recommendations of, the Community Action Plan for Seismic Safety (CAPSS) that was  
17 unanimously endorsed in December 2010 by an advisory group of over 60 representative  
18 stakeholders, community leaders, professional experts, and City officials. The CAPSS  
19 program was developed over a ten-year period, resulting in agreement upon acceptable  
20 earthquake impacts for San Francisco and, through dozens of meetings and workshops,  
21 development of a plan to achieve the City's resilience goals.

22 (3) The CAPSS recommendations are consistent with the proposed goals and  
23 policies of the Resilient City initiative, a multi-year study program by San Francisco Planning  
24 and Urban Research Association's (SPUR), as well as the Planning Department's Community  
25 Safety Element and the City's Hazard Mitigation Plan.

1 (e) The first legislative enactment under the ESIP was an ordinance mandating the  
2 seismic retrofit of certain wood-frame buildings in San Francisco, which was approved by the  
3 Mayor on April 18, 2013 (Ordinance No. 66-13). The next category of buildings to be  
4 evaluated under the ESIP is private elementary and secondary (K-12) schools.

5 (f) Among California towns and cities, San Francisco has the highest percentage of  
6 children attending private schools. Since the collapse of or extensive damage to even a few  
7 schools is an unacceptable risk, it is essential that all private schools be evaluated to assess  
8 their ability to perform in an earthquake.

9 (g) A Private Schools Earthquake Working Group was formed under the ESIP to study  
10 the issue of the seismic safety of private schools in San Francisco. It met for over a year, with  
11 publicly-noticed open meetings. In its December 31, 2013 report entitled "Earthquake Risk  
12 and San Francisco's Private Schools," the Working Group found that:

13 (1) San Francisco's private school buildings appear to have approximately  
14 double the risk of the City's public school buildings in future earthquakes;

15 (2) 43% of the City's private school buildings have characteristics that indicate  
16 they are likely to perform well in future earthquakes;

17 (3) 33% of the City's private school buildings have characteristics that indicate  
18 they might perform poorly in future earthquakes; and

19 (4) for 24% of the City's private school buildings, the Working Group did not  
20 have enough information to determine likely seismic performance in future earthquakes.

21 (h) As the next phase in the City's implementation of its program for earthquake  
22 preparedness and post-earthquake resilience, this ordinance mandates that all private  
23 elementary and secondary schools in San Francisco obtain an evaluation of structural safety  
24 and be rated for performance during a future earthquake.

1 (i) In 2013 The Board of Supervisors unanimously approved legislation to expand the  
2 City's existing GreenFinanceSF program to provide public financing for commercial property  
3 owners to conduct both voluntary and mandatory seismic upgrades. This Mello-Roos style  
4 funding program allows property owners to repay their loan in the form of special tax financing  
5 assessments.

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7 Section 4. The Building Code is hereby amended by adding Sections 3428, 3428.1,  
8 3428.2, 3428.3, 3428.4, 3428.5, 3428.6, 3428.7, and 3428.8, to read as follows:

9 **Chapter 34**  
10 **EXISTING STRUCTURES**

11 \* \* \* \*

12 **SECTION 3428 – EARTHQUAKE EVALUATION OF PRIVATE SCHOOL STRUCTURES**

13  
14 **3428.1 General.** *Every building classified as an Educational Group E occupancy under section 305 of*  
15 *this code that is not under the jurisdiction of the Division of State Architect's Structural Safety section,*  
16 *and all non-building structures accessory to such buildings, shall be evaluated in accordance with the*  
17 *provisions of this Section 3428. All evaluations required by Section 3428 shall be conducted under the*  
18 *supervision of a licensed structural engineer.*

19 **Exceptions:**

- 20 1. Evaluation is not required for buildings occupied by 25 or more persons for less than 12  
21 hours per week or four hours in any given day.
- 22 2. Evaluation is not required for schools with an enrollment of 25 or fewer students.
- 23 3. Evaluation is not required for buildings not classified as Group E occupancy such as  
24 churches, places of religious worship, accessory residential buildings or similar non-  
25 educational uses.

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2 **Section 3428.1.1. Retroactivity.** The requirements of Section 3428 are retroactive and shall apply to all  
3 buildings and non-building structures within the scope of Section 3428 that are in existence as of the  
4 effective date of Section 3428 regardless of the date of construction.

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6 **3428.2 Scope and Criteria.** Each building and non-building structure shall be evaluated using ASCE  
7 41-13 with the evaluation objective of Structural Life Safety with the BSE-1E hazard and Nonstructural  
8 Life Safety with the BSE-1E hazard as modified by an Administrative Bulletin to be adopted by the  
9 Department. An Evaluation required by Section 3428 shall not in itself trigger any additional non-  
10 earthquake related work.

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12 **3428.3 Evaluation Scope Submittal.** Within one year of the effective date of Section 3428, the building  
13 owner or the owner's authorized agent shall submit to the Department an Evaluation Scope document  
14 listing each structure to be evaluated, the evaluation objective to be applied, and other information  
15 requested by the Department.

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17 **3428.4 Evaluation Report Submittal.** No later than three years after the effective date of Section 3428,  
18 the building owner or the owner's authorized agent shall submit an Evaluation Report to the  
19 Department. The Evaluation Report shall conform to content and format requirements provided in the  
20 Administrative Bulletin adopted by the Department pursuant to Section 3428.6.

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22 **3428.5 Voluntary Minimum Life-Safety Retrofit.** For a period of 20 years after the effective date of  
23 Section 3428, any building or non-building structure within the scope of Section 3428 for which  
24 voluntary seismic strengthening is performed that meets or exceeds the criteria of ASCE 41-13, S-3 N-  
25 C with the BSE-1E hazard shall not be identified as a seismic hazard pursuant to any local building  
standards adopted after the effective date of Section 3428 unless the City has concluded that the

1 building incurred disproportionate damage, as defined by Section 3402.1 of this Code, or  
2 otherwise has been structurally damaged or structurally altered, as defined by Section 3404 of this  
3 Code, so that it no longer meets the engineering criteria under which it was retrofitted. In the event  
4 of damage, building repair, addition or alterations to correct damage, meeting or exceeding  
5 the engineering criteria under which the structure was originally retrofitted must be made in  
6 compliance with this Code in order to continue the 20-year limit under this Section 3428.5.

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8 3428.6 Administrative Bulletin. The Department shall prepare an Administrative Bulletin detailing the  
9 procedural implementation requirements for this Section 3428.

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11 3428.7 Enforcement. Buildings and non-building structures in violation of this Section 3428 may be  
12 considered to be unsafe. The Department may apply the provisions of Section 102A, including 102A.13,  
13 Repair and Demolition Fund, in remedying such unsafe conditions. Enforcement action may be  
14 initiated by the Department for failure to comply with any of the requirements of Section 3428,  
15 including failure to submit an Evaluation Scope document or Evaluation Report within the time  
16 designated by Sections 3428.3 and 3428.4.

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18 3428.8 Fees. Fees based on standard hourly rates in accordance with the SFBC Table 1-A-D –  
19 Standard Hourly Rates shall be charged to compensate the Department for review and for related  
20 evaluation processing.

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22 Section 5. The Building Code is hereby amended by revising Section 3408.4.1, to read  
23 as follows:

24 **3408.4.1 Change of occupancy.** In addition to the other requirements of this code, the term  
25 "comply with the requirements of this code for such division or group of occupancy," as used

1 in this section, shall also mean compliance with the lateral force provisions of Section 3401.10  
2 when the change results in an increase of more than 10 percent in the occupant load of the  
3 entire building or structure, and which also increases the occupant load by more than 100  
4 persons as compared to the occupant load of the existing legal use or the use for which the  
5 building was originally designed. A building changing occupancy to an E occupancy, and is  
6 otherwise subject to Section 3428, shall comply with Section 3428.  
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8 Section 6. City Outreach and Assistance. The City shall develop a program focused on  
9 providing case management to school building owners, schools, and parents through  
10 providing technical information, identifying resources, and assisting schools and school  
11 building owners to comply with the requirements of Section 3428. Among other functions, this  
12 program will serve as a resource for parents, school building owners, and schools – especially  
13 those schools leasing their space – by providing the status of evaluations, assistance in  
14 completing evaluations, and any information related to seismic work and potential building  
15 impacts and costs.  
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17 Section 7. Inter-departmental working group. The City shall convene an inter-  
18 departmental working group of all agencies involved in the building permit approval process to  
19 assist with expediting and prioritizing permits for those seeking to comply with section 3428.5,  
20 and to the extent allowable by law help alleviate the requirements for any non-seismic related  
21 work required, including State and Federal mandates as well as any work subject to local  
22 discretion including but not limited to the Unreasonable Hardship provisions of Chapter 11B of  
23 the San Francisco Building Code.  
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2 Section 8. Evaluations, plans, supporting documents and other materials are subject to  
3 the standard procedures for making such information available as directed by the  
4 Department's Records Management Division.

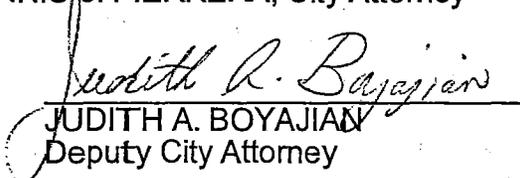
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6 Section 9. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective 30 days after  
7 enactment. Enactment occurs when the Mayor signs the ordinance, the Mayor returns the  
8 ordinance unsigned or does not sign the ordinance within ten days of receiving it, or the Board  
9 of Supervisors overrides the Mayor's veto of the ordinance.

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11 Section 10. Scope of Ordinance. In enacting this ordinance, the Board of Supervisors  
12 intends to amend only those words, phrases, paragraphs, subsections, sections, articles,  
13 numbers, punctuation marks, charts, diagrams, or any other constituent parts of the Municipal  
14 Code that are explicitly shown in this ordinance as additions, deletions, Board amendment  
15 additions, and Board amendment deletions in accordance with the "Note" that appears under  
16 the official title of the ordinance.

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18 Section 11. Directions to Clerk. The Clerk of the Board of Supervisors is hereby  
19 directed to forward a copy of this ordinance to the California Building Standards Commission  
20 upon final passage.

21 APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
22 DENNIS J. HERRERA, City Attorney

23 By:

  
24 JUDITH A. BOYAJIAN  
Deputy City Attorney

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**REVISED LEGISLATIVE DIGEST**  
**(9/8/14, Amended in Committee)**

[Building Code - Earthquake Performance Evaluation of Private School Structures]

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Existing Law

Among other things, the Building Code regulates and controls the design, construction, use and occupancy, location, maintenance and demolition of buildings and structures. Chapter 34 deals with additions, alterations, or repairs to existing structures. Public schools are regulated by the State but private schools are under the jurisdiction of the local Building Department.

Amendments to Current Law

The proposed ordinance adds Section 3428 to Chapter 34 of the Building Code to require certain private elementary and secondary schools (K-12) in San Francisco to be evaluated by a licensed structural engineer in order to assess how they are expected to perform in a future earthquake. Section 3408.4.1 is amended to require any building that changes its occupancy class to a private school use to comply with the requirements. Evaluations are not required for buildings occupied by 25 or more persons for less than 12 hours per week or four hours in any given day, for schools with an enrollment of 25 or fewer students, or for buildings such as churches, accessory residential buildings or similar non-educational uses.

Within one year of the effective date of the ordinance, the building owner or owner's agent must submit an Evaluation Scope document to the Department of Building Inspection ("DBI") that lists each structure to be evaluated, the evaluation objective to be applied, and other information requested by DBI. An Evaluation Report must be submitted not later than three years from the ordinance's effective date. Evaluations, plans, supporting documents and other materials are subject to the standard procedures for making such information available as directed by DBI's Records Management Division.

The Department's standard hourly rates will be charged to compensate the Department for review and related evaluation processing. Buildings and non-building structures in violation of the evaluation requirements may be considered to be unsafe and are subject to enforcement action. If a property owner chooses to perform voluntary seismic strengthening work that meets or exceeds specified criteria, the building undergoing the retrofit shall not be identified as a seismic hazard pursuant to any local building standards adopted within a period of 20 years after the effective date of the ordinance unless the building incurred disproportionate damage, or otherwise has been damaged or altered so that it no longer meets the engineering criteria under which it was retrofitted.

The ordinance mandates the City to develop an outreach and assistance program focused on providing case management to school building owners, schools, and parents through providing technical information, identifying resources, and assisting schools and school building owners to comply with the requirements. The City is also required to convene an inter-departmental working group of all agencies involved in the building permit approval process to assist with expediting and prioritizing permits for those seeking to perform voluntary seismic strengthening work on their buildings and, to the extent authorized by law, to help alleviate the requirements for any non-seismic related work that may be required.

#### Background Information

In Section 19160 of the California Health and Safety Code, the State Legislature declared that because of the generally acknowledged fact that California will experience moderate to severe earthquakes in the foreseeable future, increased efforts to reduce earthquake hazards should be encouraged and supported. Section 19161 authorizes each city, city and county, or county to assess the earthquake hazard in its jurisdiction and identify buildings that may be potentially hazardous to life in the event of an earthquake.

In December 2004, the California Seismic Safety Commission (SSC) issued a report on "Seismic Safety in California's Schools," containing Findings and Recommendations on Seismic Safety Policies and Requirements for Public, Private, and Charter Schools. The data collected by the SSC for the report showed that 10 counties had more than 10% of their students enrolled in private schools, and of these 10 counties San Francisco was the highest at 29.1%. Because private schools are not required to meet the safety standards of public schools unless they are in new or extensively remodeled buildings, the SSC found that they posed a greater risk in a future moderate or large earthquake if housed in older buildings.

On October 17, 2011, the Office of the Mayor released the first draft of the City's Earthquake Safety Implementation Program (ESIP), which is a 30-year Workplan to update building codes, retrofit privately-owned buildings, and prepare for post-disaster recovery that encompasses 50 objectives with the goal of making San Francisco as safe as possible before the next earthquake hits. The ESIP Workplan is based upon, and incorporates the goals and recommendations of, the Community Action Plan for Seismic Safety (CAPSS) that was unanimously endorsed in December 2010 by an advisory group of over 60 stakeholders,

community leaders, professional experts, and City officials. The CAPSS program was developed over a 10-year period, resulting in agreement upon acceptable earthquake impacts for San Francisco and, through dozens of meetings and workshops, development of a plan to achieve the City's resilience goals. The CAPSS recommendations coordinate with the proposed goals and policies of the Resilient City initiative, a multi-year study program by San Francisco Planning and Urban Research Association's (SPUR), as well as the Planning Department's Community Safety Element and the City's Hazard Mitigation Plan. The first legislative enactment under the ESIP was an ordinance mandating the seismic retrofit of certain wood-frame buildings in San Francisco, which was finally passed by the Board of Supervisors on April 9 and approved by the Mayor on April 18, 2013.

A Private Schools Earthquake Working Group was formed under the ESIP to study the issue of the seismic safety of private schools in San Francisco. It met for over a year, with publicly-noticed open meetings. A special effort was made to encourage representatives of private schools to attend the meetings. The Group found that: while San Francisco's private school buildings appear to have about double the risk of the City's public school buildings in future earthquakes, (1) 43% have characteristics indicating that they are likely to perform well in future earthquakes; (2) 33% have characteristics indicating that they might perform poorly in future earthquakes; and (3) for 24%, there was not enough information to determine their likely seismic performance in future earthquakes. As the next phase in implementation of the City's program for earthquake preparedness and post-earthquake resilience, this ordinance mandates that all private elementary and secondary schools in San Francisco obtain an evaluation of their structural safety and ability to perform during a future earthquake.

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# Seismic Safety in California's Schools

## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The California Seismic Safety Commission has responded to inquiries from members of the Legislature, the public, and parents about the seismic safety requirements for schools in California. Concerns have been raised about the risks posed by older school buildings, the different seismic standards for public, private and charter schools, and the safety of buildings converted to school use. The public concern was increased when a pre-Field Act California public school, seismically retrofitted in 1959, was damaged in the moderate December 22, 2003 San Simeon earthquake. A common theme in these questions is that parents have a right and a desire to know if their children's schools, whether public, private or chartered, are safe. A review of policies and standards was conducted and this report was developed to answer these questions.

The Field Act was enacted on April 10, 1933, one month after the Long Beach Earthquake in which many schools were destroyed or suffered major damage. Since the passage of the Field Act, Californians have expected that their children would be safe if an earthquake occurred while they were attending school. To a very great extent their expectations are being met. This report considers those situations where schools may fall short of our expectations. The goal of this investigation is to ensure that similar seismic safety be provided to all school children in California, whether they attend public, private or charter schools in new or old buildings.

The review detailed in this report found that several issues impact the relative seismic safety of school children in California. The principal findings are:

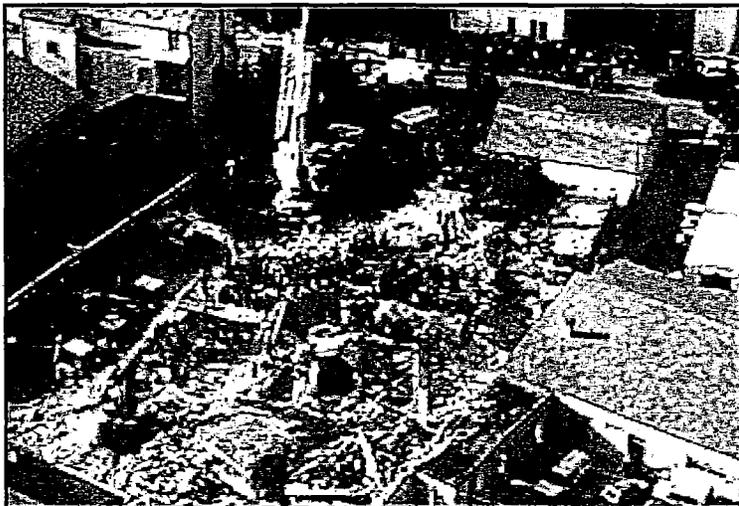
- In any community, public schools constructed under the Field Act after 1978 are likely to be among the safest buildings in which to experience a major earthquake;
- Private schools are not required by law to meet the Field Act standards, and therefore are not likely to be as safe as public schools of similar age;
- Private schools located in older buildings can pose a serious risk to the life-safety of their students. The full extent of the problem cannot be assessed because of the lack of information about historical regulation and enforcement during design and construction of private school buildings. No survey has been done for private schools. In some jurisdictions, no special provisions for private school safety may be in force because of the confusion about the applicable regulations;
- Certain older public school buildings may not be as safe as modern buildings and have the potential to be a life-safety risk to their occupants, because they were constructed to pre-1978 building code standards;
- Only some charter school buildings are subject to the Field Act provisions. What rules do apply when the Field Act does not is unclear to many school and building officials;
- Non-structural components that are not anchored or braced in older schools, public, private and charter, such as mechanical, electrical and architectural elements, can pose significant life-safety risks;
- No regulations cover the anchoring and bracing of the contents of buildings installed after construction is complete. These contents, if not properly secured, can pose significant risks of injury and possibly death to students even in recently constructed public school buildings.

The Commission recognizes that only limited governmental funding is available and has focused its recommendations on little-or no-cost steps that can improve school safety now and provide information to policy makers that could be used to establish priorities for later funding. The Commission recommends that the State undertake several actions to reduce the risk faced by our children. These are:

- Complete the process of rating the seismic safety of existing public and private school buildings constructed prior to 1978 and 1986, respectively. About 7500 public school buildings were rated as potentially at risk by the Division of the State Architect (DSA) in a study mandated by AB 300 (Chapter 62, Statutes of 1999). Current ratings of seismic safety should be required for all existing schools and whenever a building is converted to public, private, or charter school use. Explore options, such as interactive websites, for disseminating the resulting ratings to interested parties, including parents. This seismic safety rating should be given to prospective parents when they apply to a public, private, or charter school;
- Modify the Private Schools Building Safety Act and Charter School Act to clarify seismic safety provisions. This could be done at minimal cost to the taxpayers and need not wait until better economic times;
- Provide education and training to local jurisdictions to improve consistency and enforcement of the current building codes and regulations. Provide training for private and charter schools to help them understand how to ensure seismic safety in their buildings, especially the benefits of building or retrofitting to the current Field Act standards;
- Explore options for funding the seismic upgrading of the public schools identified as hazardous under AB 300, and support private schools in their efforts to improve the seismic safety of their buildings. If retrofitting is not financially feasible, provide disclosure of risks;
- Include in the seismic safety ratings for all schools the potentially hazardous architectural, electrical and mechanical elements that are not anchored or braced and develop and apply mitigation guidelines;
- Regulate and enforce securing of school contents. Mandatory regulations could be enforced by local fire departments as part of their annual fire inspection of public schools.

## INTRODUCTION

In response to damage to school buildings in recent earthquakes, the California Seismic Safety Commission established a Committee to determine and report to the Commission the standards for seismic safety that are currently applied to public, private and charter schools in the State of California. The committee held six meetings and received testimony from the Division of State Architect and the building officials from seven Californian communities. The goal was an in-depth look at the earthquake-resistant building design and construction policies for schools, in order to provide legislators and decision makers enough information to determine if additional legislation is required to protect the safety of California's schoolchildren. The Committee also considered how to help parents judge if there is a significant difference in earthquake risk to their children among the various choices they may have for schools (public, private or charter). The report considers the risks posed by new construction, existing buildings of differing ages, and the contents of the buildings for public, private, and charter schools. The Committee received input from the Office of the Secretary for Education, Office of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, California Association of Private School Organizations (CAPSO), California Catholic Conference (CCC), State Superintendents of Private Schools Advisory Committee (PSAC), California Charter Schools Association (CCSA), and Western Association of Schools and Colleges-Western Region Joint Accreditation of Public and Private Schools (WASC).



*This school building collapsed when a 5.4-magnitude earthquake struck San Giuliano Di Puglia in Italy in October 2002.*

## DISTRIBUTION OF K-12 SCHOOLS IN CALIFORNIA

In the 2003-2004 school year, almost 9% of California's school children attended private schools and that percentage exceeded 15% in some counties. In addition, charter schools in California served 2.2% of our students and some of these schools are not covered by public school regulations. The distribution of students in these three types of schools is shown below.

Type of K-12 Schools	Number of Schools	Enrollment
Public	9,221	6,298,769
Private >25 Enrollment	2,755	586,764
Private >5<26 Enrollment	996	12,841
Charter Schools	443	164,798

*Data compiled by DataQuest and the Specialized Programs Division, California Department of Education (CDE), 2004 (www.cde.ca.gov). This table includes only private schools with enrollment of at least six or more students.*

Students in private schools accounted for 8.7% of the total 2003-2004 enrollment of schools. Almost 64% of the students enrolled in private schools attended church-affiliated schools. Counties having more than 10% of their total students enrolled in private schools in 2003-2004 were: Alameda (11.8), Contra Costa (10.3), Los Angeles (10.5), Marin (19.7), Napa (13.4), Orange (10.1), San Francisco (29.1), San Mateo (15.4), Santa Clara (12.4), and Santa Cruz (11.2).

## CONSTRUCTION OF NEW SCHOOLS

The seismic safety standards for construction of new private schools are not as stringent as those for new public schools. Public school construction has been governed by the Field Act since 1933 and enforced by the Division of the State Architect. There were no special standards for construction of private schools before 1986. Since then, their construction has been governed by the Private School Act and enforced by local jurisdiction building departments. The two processes will be discussed separately.

*Public Schools and the Field Act.* The Field Act was enacted on April 10, 1933, one month after the Long Beach earthquake in which 70 schools were destroyed, 120 schools suffered major damage, and 300 schools received minor damage. Since: (a) public schools are funded with public money, (b) schools house the children of the electorate, and (c) the State Constitution requires children to attend schools, the state is liable and thus responsible for protecting children and staff from injury in public schools grades K-12 and community colleges, and for protecting the public's investment in school buildings during and after earthquakes.



*Public school damaged in the 1933 Long Beach earthquake.*

The Field Act requires:

- School building construction plans be prepared by qualified California licensed structural engineers and architects;
- Designs and plans be checked by the Division of the State Architect (DSA) for compliance with the Field Act before a contract for construction can be awarded;
- Qualified inspectors, independent of the contractors and hired by the school districts, continuously inspect construction and verify full compliance with plans;
- The responsible architects and/or structural engineers observe the construction periodically and prepare changes to plans (if needed) subject to approval by DSA;
- Architects, engineers, inspectors and contractors file reports, under penalty of perjury, to verify compliance of the construction with the approved plans emphasizing the importance of testing and inspections to achieve seismically safe construction. Any person who violates the provisions or makes any false statement in any verification report or affidavit required pursuant to the Act, is guilty of a felony.

**Private Schools and the Private Schools Building Safety Act.** Private schools are not subject to the Field Act and fall solely under the jurisdiction of the local building departments and their requirements. Private schools are covered under the Private Schools Building Act of 1986, with the legislative intent that children attending private schools be afforded life safety protection similar to that of children attending public schools.

The Private Schools Building Safety Act requires:

- School construction plans be prepared under the responsible charge of California-licensed architects, civil engineers or structural engineers;
- Designs and plans be checked by the enforcement agencies using structural engineers, either on staff or under contract, that are responsible for all design review;
- During construction or alteration of a school structure, special inspections by qualified inspectors when need is determined by the enforcement agencies. Continuous inspection is not required;
- Jurisdictions that do not have an enforcement agency meeting the requirements of the Act obtain necessary qualified personnel to meet the requirements by contracting with other public agencies, private sector firms or individuals qualified to perform the necessary services;
- The projects' architects, civil engineers or structural engineers exercise general responsibility over construction for compliance with the approved plans. If they are unable, other architects, civil engineers or structural engineers shall be retained to exercise general responsible charge of construction. Any person who willfully violates the Act is guilty of a misdemeanor.

**Charter Schools.** Charter schools must comply with the Field Act requirements if their charter requires it. Moreover, to qualify for the 2002 and 2004 K-12 Bond (Prop. 47 and Prop. 55) funds allotted for new charter school construction, they must comply with Field Act requirements. Which building regulations apply when the Field Act does not apply, appears to be subject to debate and interpretation. Some building officials during this study stated that some charter schools have argued that they should be exempt from any plan review of the design or inspection of the construction, by either the State Architect or the local building departments.

**Finding 1.** The differences in governing regulations do produce different standards for seismic safety. Because private schools are not required to meet the same rigid requirements for design and inspection for construction control as public schools, they may be less safe than public schools of a similar age.

The Private Schools Act states that it is "the intent of the Legislature that children attending private schools be afforded life safety protection similar to that of children attending public schools" (Education Code Section 17322). Appendix A presents a summary of the differences in the requirements of the Field Act and Private Schools Act requirements. The most significant differences are:

- The Field Act requires more comprehensive field control of construction through continuous inspection;
- The Field Act requires more rigorous checking of the engineering designs and plans to ensure compliance with the Act;
- Although the Private Schools Act called for similar seismic safety, it cites the California Building Code, and not the portion of that code governing Field Act buildings as the standard, resulting in many instances in lower standards (see Appendix A);

- Because the Private Schools Act is in the Education Code, apparently many local building departments are unaware of its existence.

If the requirements of the Private Schools Building Safety Act are carefully followed, the resulting buildings should provide a level of safety about the same as other “non-school” buildings in the local community. Unfortunately, many local building departments do not have the resources to ensure full compliance with the Private Schools Building Safety Act. Because of the lack of continuous inspection, substandard construction is more likely in a non-Field Act building.

The application of the Field Act has been estimated to add 3-4% to the cost of construction of new school buildings (DSA, Field Act Cost Impact Study, 1992). However, the long-term costs are less, because in addition to protecting the lives and safety of the students, these buildings experience less damage when large earthquakes do occur. One study of the 1971 San Fernando earthquake showed that Field Act buildings within 25 miles of that earthquake’s epicenter suffered losses equal to 0.3% of the buildings’ value while other buildings in the same area suffered losses on average equal to 18% of their value (Assessing Seismic Safety Policy, Daniel Barclay, Seismological Research Letters [SRL], Vol. 74, No. 1, Jan./Feb. 2003).

## **OLDER STRUCTURES**

Older buildings are less safe than new buildings for both public and private schools because they were designed and constructed to now out-dated codes. Moreover, the disparity in safety levels between public and private schools of similar age is even greater for older structures. The problems posed by older public and private school buildings are discussed separately below.

**Public Schools – Pre-1978.** In the late 1960s (Section 15516, Appendix X, Education Code, 1968) regulations were put in place to have pre-Field Act (1933) buildings retrofitted, removed from school use or demolished. The Field Act also prohibits use of unreinforced masonry buildings as schools buildings. Seismic building standards in general were greatly strengthened after significant damage to buildings was observed, especially in the 1971 San Fernando earthquake. The Field Act regulations in place since 1978 are considered adequate for most public school buildings in most cases.

**Finding 2.** Buildings built or retrofitted under the Field Act between 1933 and 1977 pose one of the most significant safety issues for public schools. In 2003, the Division of State Architect determined that about 7,500 pre-1978 public school buildings are potentially a risk and require further evaluation. Those potentially at risk buildings amount to approximately 15% of the total number of public school buildings. DSA recommended that the standard for rehabilitation be to the performance objectives for new public school construction. The findings from the 2003 DSA study have not been generally forwarded to the individual school districts involved. DSA notified the districts that the information was available if the district wished to pursue the matter. Only 70 of more than 1,400 school districts have requested the information as of November 2004.

**Finding 3.** Further risks can be found in older structures from un-anchored and/or unbraced mechanical, electrical, and architectural features in the school buildings. Since the 1980s, the installation of these features has been regulated to ensure adequate anchoring or bracing of these heavy items. The features in older unmodified buildings can pose a significant safety risk.

**Private Schools.** An unknown, but probably large number of private school buildings were constructed before the Private School Act of 1986. Some of those buildings likely pose a significant life safety risk to their students and teachers, especially those constructed of unreinforced masonry, concrete tilt-up, reinforced concrete or in some cases, steel frame. The regulations covering the original construction of these buildings, and any retrofitting upon their conversion to school use, vary widely between jurisdictions.

Because private schools are not subject to Field Act standards, and many private schools are housed in older buildings, older private schools are of the greatest concern for the life safety of students. Compilations of historical earthquake damage to private schools are not available, but there is no reason to think that private school buildings will behave differently than the general building stock. As cited earlier, a study in the 1971 earthquake showed that Field Act buildings performed substantially better than the general building stock.



Damage to a private school in the 1994 Northridge earthquake.

**Finding 4.** A current inventory of pre-1986 private school buildings does not exist. This makes it difficult to describe the regulations applicable to private schools in all situations. The major issues are:

- Unreinforced masonry buildings (URM) are widely recognized as the most dangerous type of construction in earthquakes. These buildings have not been built in California since 1935 and no public schools are in a URM. However, 40 private schools were in URM buildings in 1995. Any URM building that has been retrofitted to the requirements of the Uniform Code for Building Conservation, Appendix Chapter 1 (i.e., 75% of the seismic loads required for design by the current code) can be converted to private or certain charter school use. In some cases URMs have been retrofitted to even lesser standards. Many engineers feel that the 75% seismic load criterion may provide protection against collapse but may not provide for life safety protection;
- The California Building Code requires that when a building is converted to a higher occupancy use, it must be retrofitted to modern safety standards for that level of use. However, this required retrofit may not have been triggered if the building was small or if the change of occupancy did not come to the attention of the local building authority;
- There are no requirements for private schools of long standing to upgrade the seismic safety of their older buildings. Generally these buildings do not come to the attention of the local building department. Moreover, because enforcement lies with local building jurisdictions rather than DSA, enforcement can be variable. There was testimony to the Committee that not all local building officials were aware of the Private Schools Act, because it is in the Education Code and not in the Building Code;

**Charter Schools.** There is no inventory of the buildings occupied by charter schools. The Charter School Act of 1992 left it unclear what seismic safety regulations would apply to charter schools. To qualify for

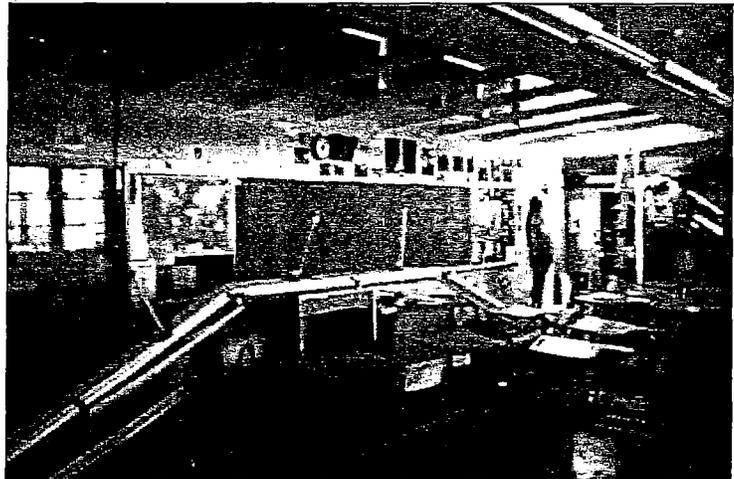
the 2002 and 2004 K-12 Bond (Prop. 47 and Prop. 55) funds allotted for new charter school construction, they must comply with Field Act requirements.

**Finding 5.** Charter school buildings that do not fall under the Field Act are left in a regulatory limbo. Because of misunderstanding in interpretation of applicable building codes, local building officials have indicated that some charter schools moving into existing buildings have not been required to perform seismic upgrades of those buildings.

## CONTENTS OF BUILDINGS

As building standards have improved, the risks to occupants posed by the contents of buildings, including furniture and equipment, have become more significant. Four of the deaths in the Northridge earthquake were directly caused by the movement of the contents of buildings, such as falling bookcases. The securing of most of the contents of school buildings is currently unregulated.

**Finding 6.** The movements of contents of buildings during earthquakes pose a significant risk to student safety in all types of schools, new and old, public and private. In general, these items are brought into the building after initial construction inspections are over. Guidelines (Guide and Checklist for Nonstructural Earthquake Hazards in California Schools, January 2003) (SB 1122, Statutes of 1999 mandated by Government Code Section 8587.7) for securing these contents have been prepared by the Office of Emergency Services (OES) in a joint project with DSA, Seismic Safety Commission (CSSC) and Department of Education (CDE), but the use of these guidelines is completely voluntary. The application of these safety measures is often left to the PTA, resulting in higher safety levels for those schools with more active PTAs.



Damage to non-structural components of a school in the Northridge earthquake.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

Clearly, California schools cannot guarantee the safety of schoolchildren even in some buildings constructed in accordance with the Field Act if an earthquake were to happen during school hours. Because children are in school less than 1/3 of the 24 hours of the day on less than one-half the days of the year, most earthquakes happen when they are not at school. Indeed, California has been lucky in that the large damaging earthquakes of the last 70 years have all occurred outside of school hours. Nevertheless, it is only a matter of time until our luck will run out. If nothing is done to improve the safety of certain schools, occupants will die in future moderate and large earthquakes.

Ideally, all the deficient schools would be retrofitted and regulations developed to secure the non-structural items and building contents that pose a risk. However, this will require substantial financial resources. The largest risks are posed by private schools, and some charter schools that are housed in older buildings, especially those in unreinforced masonry buildings. Given that a complete elimination of the problem is

unlikely in the foreseeable future, the Seismic Safety Commission believes that parents need to be able to determine the safety risks of a school building so that they can make informed decisions about their children's educational options.

**Recommendation 1.** Complete the process of rating the seismic safety of existing public and private school buildings constructed prior to 1978 and 1986, respectively. About 7500 public school buildings were identified as potentially at risk by the DSA in a study mandated by AB 300 (Chapter 62, Statutes of 1999). This evaluation should be required for all existing schools and whenever a building is converted to public, private, or charter school use. Explore options, such as interactive websites, for disseminating the resulting ratings to interested parties, including parents. This seismic safety evaluation should be given to prospective parents when they apply to a public, private, or charter school.

Of course, actually eliminating the risk is preferable. A minimum step is to assure that no future school buildings are created without adequate design and construction to resist damage from earthquakes. Existing building codes provide protection at about the same level as other non-school buildings in the community, as long as they are consistently enforced. This is not equivalent to the protection provided by the Field Act provisions, and the community must understand that there will be greater risk to children in these buildings and greater damage to the buildings themselves during earthquakes.

**Recommendation 2.** Modify the Private Schools Building Safety Act and Charter School Act to clarify seismic safety provisions. Provisions should be developed to ensure that charter schools must conform to the applicable local building codes when the Field Act does not apply.

**Recommendation 3.** Provide education and training to local jurisdictions to improve consistency and enforcement of the regulations. Provide training for private and charter schools to help them understand how to ensure seismic safety in their buildings.

The State has always expressed a great responsibility for the safety of public schools because students are required to attend school. The risk posed by older public schools needs to be addressed.

**Recommendation 4.** Explore options for funding the seismic upgrading of the public schools identified as hazardous under AB 300 and to support private schools in their efforts to improve the seismic safety of their buildings.

**Recommendation 5.** Evaluate the types of potentially hazardous architectural, electrical and mechanical elements in older schools that are not anchored or braced and develop mitigation guidelines. Require compliance with these improvements.

**Recommendation 6.** Regulate and enforce securing the anchoring and bracing of school contents installed, especially after construction is complete. Voluntary guidelines from DSA and OES provide the information needed to accomplish this goal. Made mandatory, these regulations could be enforced by local fire departments as part of their annual fire inspection of public schools. This should not be left to local parent groups to complete. Doing so increases the disadvantages experienced by schools without active parent participation.

## APPENDIX A: Side-by-Side Comparison Field Act and the Uniform Building Code

**General:** The Field Act gives the Division of the State Architect (DSA) authority to write regulations for design and construction of public schools from kindergarten through community colleges. The DSA writes amendments to the model code to create Title 24, California Code of Regulations (CCR) as they relate to public schools. The model building code has been the Uniform Building Code (UBC) ever since the Field Act went into effect. Below is a side-by-side comparison of the significant differences between Title 24, CCR and the UBC as applied to private schools.

<b>Field Act Title 24, CCR for Public Schools</b>	<b>Uniform Building Code for Private Schools</b>
<b>Administrative Requirements</b>	
<b>Design Professionals</b>	
An architect or a structural engineer must be in general responsible charge of the design and construction.	In addition to an architect and structural engineer, a civil engineer is also allowed to be, in general, responsible charge of the design and construction.
<b>Plan Approval Process</b>	
Requirements for submitting the site data, geologic hazard reports, calculations, change orders are provided in detail. The process of reviewing, marking the plans, and verification of corrections are delineated.	Detailed requirements are not provided.
<b>Inspection</b>	
Continuous inspection by an inspector approved by DSA is required.	Periodic special inspection at construction milestones (i.e. before concrete placement, before covering structural framing, gypsum board inspection).

<p align="center"><b>Field Act Title 24, CCR for Public Schools</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>Uniform Building Code for Private Schools</b></p>
<p align="center"><b>Verified Reports</b></p>	
<p>The inspector is required to provide a verified report under penalty of perjury attesting that the construction is in compliance with the approved plans and specifications based on personal knowledge provided by continuous inspection.</p>	<p>No similar report is required.</p>
<p>The architects, engineers, and contractors are required to provide a verified report under penalty of perjury attesting that the construction is in compliance with the approved plans and specifications based on periodic visits to the site and the reporting of others.</p>	<p>No similar report is required.</p>
<p align="center"><b>Structural Requirements</b></p>	
<p align="center"><b>Bleachers</b></p>	
<p>Additional details and inspection requirements above the UBC.</p>	<p>No similar requirements.</p>
<p align="center"><b>Dynamic Analysis</b></p>	
<p>A calculation is required to determine if an earthquake with a 10% probability of exceedance in 100 years would cause a collapse is required, in addition to the 10% in 50 years calculation of the design of a structural system.</p>	<p>The structural design to resist the forces for the 10% probability in 50 years earthquake is the same as Title 24, CCR. There is no similar 10% probability in 100 years collapse evaluation required.</p>

<p align="center"><b>Field Act Title 24, CCR for Public Schools</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>Uniform Building Code for Private Schools</b></p>
<p align="center"><b>Foundation Strength</b></p>	
<p>Additional requirements above the UBC for foundation and superstructure-to-foundation connections</p>	
<p align="center"><b>Elevators</b></p>	
<p>The design for stability of the elevator system is subject to additional requirements above the UBC.</p>	
<p align="center"><b>Classroom Floor Loads</b></p>	
<p>50 pounds per square foot.</p>	<p>40 pounds per square foot.</p>
<p align="center"><b>Seismic Importance Factor for Occupancy over 300</b></p>	
<p>I = 1.15</p>	<p>I = 1.00</p>
<p align="center"><b>Wind Importance Factor for Occupancy over 300</b></p>	
<p>I = 1.15</p>	<p>I = 1.00</p>
<p align="center"><b>Precast Concrete Walls</b></p>	
<p>Additional reinforcing is required above the UBC.</p>	
<p align="center"><b>Post-tensioned Precast Concrete</b></p>	
<p>Additional requirements for anchorages and couplers, lift slab construction, and flat slab construction are indicated.</p>	

<p align="center"><b>Field Act Title 24, CCR for Public Schools</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>Uniform Building Code for Private Schools</b></p>
<p align="center"><b>Expansion Anchors in Concrete</b></p>	
<p>Tension testing is required.</p>	<p>Testing not required</p>
<p align="center"><b>Bolts Embedded in Concrete</b></p>	
<p>Allowable loads are much smaller when the force on the bolt is directed towards the edge of the concrete. For example a 1-inch diameter bolt placed 6 inches from the edge would have an allowable shear value of 1,700 pounds.</p>	<p>A 1-inch bolt placed 6 inches from the edge would have an allowable shear value of 4,500 pounds.</p>
<p align="center"><b>Masonry Construction</b></p>	
<p>All cells filled solid with grout.</p>	<p>Optional based on stresses.</p>
<p>Wall reinforcing spacing 2 feet on center.</p>	<p>Wall reinforcing spacing 4 feet on center.</p>
<p>Masonry core testing required.</p>	<p>Not required.</p>
<p align="center"><b>Wood Construction</b></p>	
<p>Glue-laminated beams special inspection required.</p>	<p>Not required.</p>
<p>Gypsum sheathing board not allowed to resist lateral forces.</p>	<p>Gypsum sheathing board allowed to resist lateral forces.</p>
<p>“Conventional” wood framing design is not allowed: Project specific design required.</p>	<p>“Conventional” wood framing design allowed – Use of standard sizes and spacing of wood members for design.</p>

This side-by-side comparison of the Title 24 (Field Act) with the Uniform Building Code doesn't address enforcement of the code provisions. The staffing of the over 500 jurisdictions that review designs and enforce the code provisions during construction varies considerably. Some jurisdictions rely almost entirely on the expertise of the designer and the contractor. Others perform a rigorous review and have an active presence during the construction. Necessarily the depth and breath of enforcement is inconsistent and can outweigh the difference in the code provisions as to the safety of the design and construction.





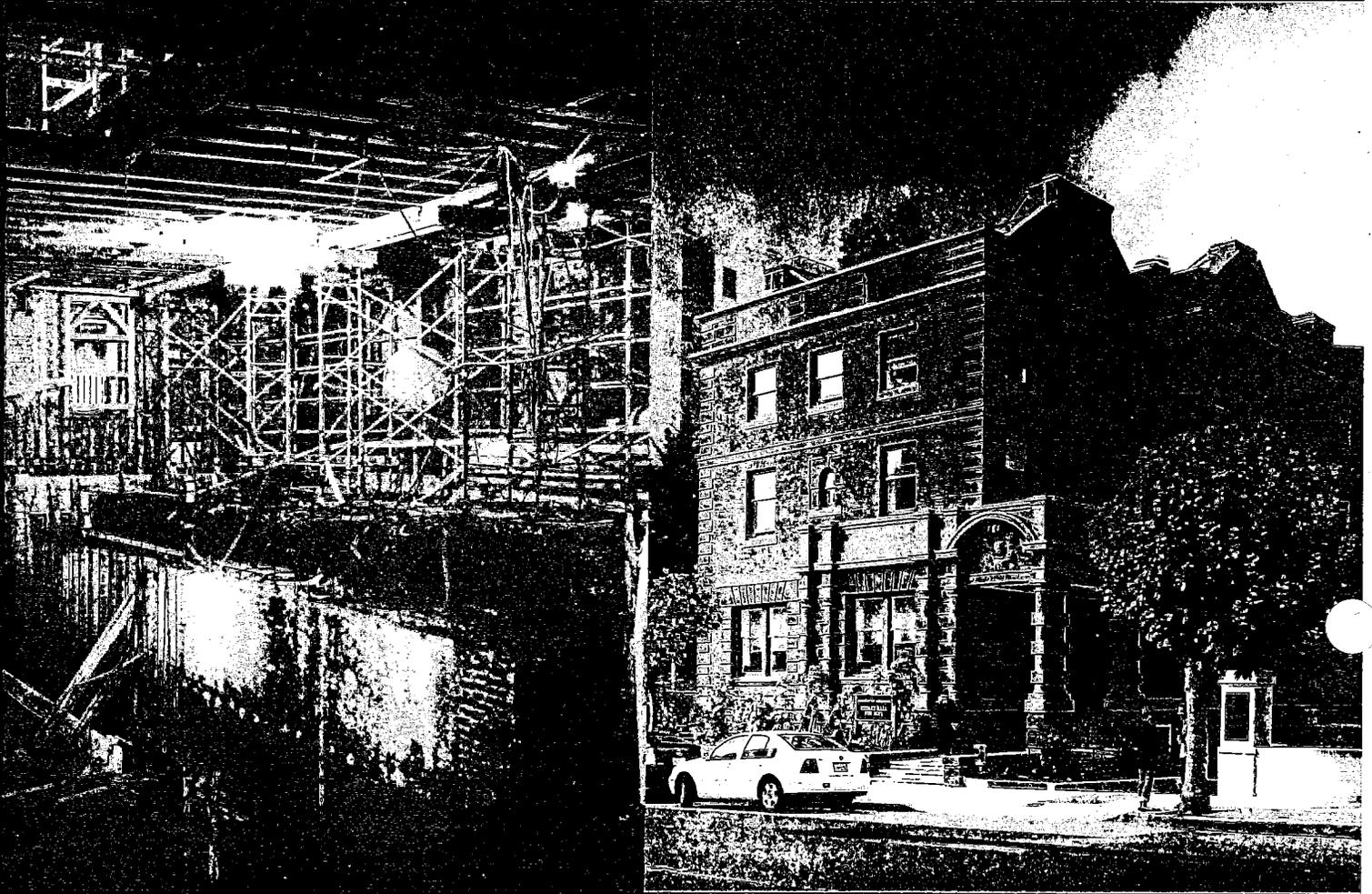
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**EARTHQUAKE RISK AND SAN FRANCISCO'S PRIVATE SCHOOLS | REPORT**

December 31, 2013



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July 31, 2014

File No. 140120

Sarah Jones  
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San Francisco, CA 94103

Dear Ms. Jones:

On July 22, 2014, Mayor Lee introduced the following legislation:

**File No. 140120**

**Ordinance amending the Building Code to require that existing private elementary and secondary schools obtain an evaluation by a licensed structural engineer for performance during a future earthquake, to assess a fee for Building Department review and related evaluation processing, to exempt certain buildings from the evaluation requirements, to provide that buildings where voluntary seismic retrofit work is done to specified standards shall not be identified as a seismic hazard under later-enacted local building standards, and to require that a building changing to a school occupancy classification comply with the evaluation requirements; making environmental findings and findings under the California Health and Safety Code; and directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to forward this Ordinance to the California Building Standards Commission upon final passage.**

This legislation is being transmitted to you for environmental review.

Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board

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By: Andrea Ausberry, Assistant Clerk  
Land Use & Economic Development Committee

Attachment

c: Joy Navarrete, Environmental Planning  
Jeanie Poling, Environmental Planning

Not defined as a project under CEQA Guidelines Sections 15378 and 15060(c)(2) because it does not result in a physical change in the environment.

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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Tom Hui, Director, Department of Building Inspection  
Sonya Harris, Secretary, Building Inspection Commission

FROM: Andrea Ausberry, Assistant Clerk, Land Use and Economic Development  
Committee, Board of Supervisors

DATE: July 31, 2014

SUBJECT: LEGISLATION INTRODUCED

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The proposed ordinance is being transmitted pursuant to Charter Section D3.750-5 for public hearing and recommendation. It is pending before the Land Use & Economic Development Committee and will be scheduled for hearing upon receipt of your response.

Please forward me the Commission's recommendation and reports at the Board of Supervisors, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102.

c: William Strawn, Department of Building Inspection  
Carolyn Jayin, Department of Building Inspection

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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Patrick Otellini, Director of Earthquake Safety, Earthquake Safety Implementation Program  
Faud Sweiss, Deputy Director for Infrastructure and City Engineer, Department of Public Works

FROM: Andrea Ausberry, Assistant Clerk, Land Use and Economic Development Committee, Board of Supervisors

DATE: August 1, 2014

SUBJECT: LEGISLATION INTRODUCED

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The Board of Supervisors' Land Use and Economic Development Committee has received the following proposed legislation, introduced by Mayor Lee on July 22, 2014:

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If you have any additional comments or reports to be included with the file, please forward them to me at the Board of Supervisors, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102.

c: Jenó Wilkinson, Earthquake Safety Implementation Program  
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**YOUTH COMMISSION**  
**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Andrea Ausberry, Clerk, Land Use and Economic Development Committee  
**FROM:** Youth Commission  
**DATE:** March 17, 2014  
**RE:** Referral response to BOS File No. 140120

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At our regular meeting of March 17, 2014 the Youth Commission voted unanimously to support the following motion:

To support File No. 140120, Ordinance amending the Building Code to require that existing private elementary and secondary schools obtain an evaluation by a licensed structure engineer for performance during a future earthquake, and assessing a fee for Building Department review and related evaluation processing; requiring that a building changing to a school occupancy classification comply with the evaluation requirements; making environmental findings, and findings under the California Health and Safety Code; and directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to forward this Ordinance to the California Building Standards Commission upon final passage.

Please inform us of forward movement on this item.

If you have any questions about these recommendations or anything related to the Youth Commission, please don't hesitate to contact our office at (415) 554-6446.

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Chair, Nicholas Persky  
2013-2014 San Francisco Youth Commission



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**RE: Proposed Ordinance (File No. 140120)** amending the Building Code to require that existing private elementary and secondary schools obtain an evaluation by a licensed structural engineer for performance during a future earthquake, and assessing a fee for Building Department review and related evaluation processing; requiring that a building changing to a school occupancy classification comply with the evaluation requirements; making environmental findings and findings under the California Health and Safety Code; and directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to forward this ordinance to the California Building Standards Commission upon final passage.

Dear Ms. Calvillo:

On February 19, 2014 the Building Inspection Commission held a public hearing on the proposed amendment to the San Francisco Building Code referenced above. The Commissioners voted unanimously to support this proposed amendment.

The Commissioners voted as follows:

President McCarthy	Yes	Vice-President Mar	Yes
Commissioner Clinch	Yes	Commissioner Lee	Yes
Commissioner McCray	Yes	Commissioner Melgar	Yes

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 558-6164.

Sincerely,

Sonya Harris  
Commission Secretary

cc: Tom C. Hui, S.E., C.B.O., Director  
Patrick Otellini, Director of Earthquake Safety  
Mayor Edwin M. Lee  
Supervisor London Breed  
Supervisor David Campos  
Supervisor David Chiu  
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February 28, 2014

File No. 140120

Sarah Jones  
Environmental Review Officer  
Planning Department  
1650 Mission Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
San Francisco, CA 94103

Dear Ms. Jones:

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This legislation is being transmitted to you for environmental review.

Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "A. Ausberry".

By: Andrea Ausberry, Committee Clerk  
Land Use & Economic Development Committee

Attachment

c: Nannie Turrell, Environmental Planning  
Jeanie Poling, Environmental Planning

*Not a project under CEQA  
Guidelines Sections 15060(c)  
and 15378 because there is  
no direct or indirect physical  
change in the environment.  
Nannie R Turrell  
March 4, 2014*

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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Patrick Otellini, Director, Earthquake Safety  
Phimy Truong, Director, Youth Commission  
Tom Hui, Director, Department of Building Inspection

FROM: Andrea Ausberry, Clerk, Land Use and Economic Development Committee  
Board of Supervisors

DATE: February 28, 2014

SUBJECT: LEGISLATION INTRODUCED

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If you have any additional comments or reports to be included with the file, please forward them to me at the Board of Supervisors, City Hall, Room 244, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA 94102.

c: William Strawn, Department of Building Inspection  
Carolyn Jayin, Department of Building Inspection



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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

LAND USE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

SAN FRANCISCO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Land Use and Economic Development Committee will hold a public hearing to consider the following proposal and said public hearing will be held as follows, at which time all interested parties may attend and be heard:

**Date:** Monday, September 8, 2014

**Time:** 1:30 p.m.

**Location:** Committee Room 263, located at City Hall  
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco, CA

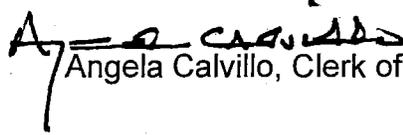
**Subject:** **File No. 140120.** Ordinance amending the Building Code to require that existing private elementary and secondary schools obtain an evaluation by a licensed structural engineer for performance during a future earthquake, to assess a fee for Building Department review and related evaluation processing, to exempt certain buildings from the evaluation requirements, to provide that buildings where voluntary seismic retrofit work is done to specified standards shall not be identified as a seismic hazard under later-enacted local building standards, and to require that a building changing to a school occupancy classification comply with the evaluation requirements; making environmental findings and findings under the California Health and Safety Code; and directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to forward this Ordinance to the California Building Standards Commission upon final passage.

If the legislation passes, a fee based on standard hourly rates in accordance with the Building Code Table 1-A-D-Standard Hourly Rates, shall be charged. The proposed fee will compensate the Department of Building Inspection for review and related evaluation processing of private elementary and secondary schools' structural performance during an earthquake.

In accordance with Administrative Code, Section 67.7-1, persons who are unable to attend the hearing on this matter may submit written comments to the City prior to the time the hearing begins. These comments will be made a part of the official public

record and shall be brought to the attention of the Members of the Committee. Written comments should be addressed to Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board, Room 244, City Hall, 1 Dr. Carlton Goodlett Place, San Francisco CA 94102.

Information relating to the proposed fee is available in the Office of the Clerk of the Board. Agenda information relating to this matter will be available for public review on Friday, September 5, 2014.

  
Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board

DATED: August 21, 2014

PUBLISHED/POSTED: August 25 & 31, 2014

Strengthen Our Schools  
**COALITION**



April 8, 2014

Patrick Otellini, Chief Resiliency Officer  
 City and County of San Francisco  
 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
 City Hall, Room 12  
 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Patrick:

The meeting you set for April 10, 2014 at 3 pm can be an important opportunity to improve the dialogue and raise the level of information and awareness regarding the Private Schools Earthquake Evaluation Ordinance introduced on February 11, 2014 by Mayor Ed Lee.

As we noted in earlier communications, securing attendance could be challenging given Spring Break for schools along with Passover, Easter and Orthodox Easter celebrations. It is our hope that the meeting will yield an informed, broad-based coalition of schools that can work alongside your Working Group, which you have also encouraged to attend.

Since the meeting on March 19, 2014 convened by Supervisor Scott Wiener, Chair of the Land Use and Economic Development Committee, concerns about this ordinance have amplified among the private schools that serve almost 30,000 students in San Francisco.

Many of these schools' concerns served as the focus of an in-depth discussion held yesterday morning at St. Mary's Cathedral. More than 60 principals, vice-principals, parent volunteers and other representatives were in attendance, representing the diverse communities served by private schools – including large independent schools, schools serving low-income and working families, cultural and language-based schools, schools serving special needs and learning-challenged populations, as well as religious schools of various denominations.

In more than two hours of discussion, these schools shared the common goals of increased, dedicated outreach on the ordinance and for improving seismic safety of their facilities while articulating their concerns. Private school students, their families, and faculty and staff deserve the same reassurance that San Francisco's public schools can offer their constituencies that the seismic safety process is inclusive and informed by real dialogue.

Yet, several concerns emerged again and again. I've taken the liberty of outlining them below in the hope that these can be incorporated into the agenda you are planning for Thursday's meeting, which most of Monday's attendees indicated they would be attending, so that we can move forward in a collaborative way:

1. **There needs to be greater and more effective outreach to, and inclusion of, San Francisco's diverse private school communities in this process given the wide-ranging impacts of the proposed ordinance.**

A significant number of schools had simply not heard anything about the ordinance; others were only partially aware of the advanced state of its development. It's fair to say that most of the schools represented Monday were apprehensive, even fearful, because they knew so little about this legislation.



One school said it had participated earnestly in the working group process, made a simple but significant request to adopt the “state definition” of schools and have it incorporated into the ordinance, only to have it ignored in the ordinance draft.

On Thursday, perhaps you can address these concerns and set forth a program that would build better knowledge and ultimately support among San Francisco’s private schools. These schools simply need more time to educate their diverse constituencies in a way that supports the goals of this legislation, not just studies of building conditions – but actual improvement of seismic safety, without engendering unnecessary fears about seismic issues.

2.

**There must be greater emphasis on transparency and shared goals. The very real effects of the legislation should be disclosed and discussed candidly.**

There is a concern, based on some of your discussion with us and representations in the media, that an “us vs. them” dynamic is developing. Collaboration should be the order of the day when the safety of San Francisco schoolchildren is the goal.

Your characterization of this ordinance as requiring “just a study” masks the very real chain of events that will be put in motion once this legislation passes. Representations that such studies can be done “for as little as \$8,000” suggest that private schools’ concerns are simply economic. Finally, many schools expressed frustration at your repeated representations to the Mayor, elected officials, decision-makers and City Hall staff that private schools’ concerns had been “worked out” or “smoothed over”. Clearly, there are many unresolved and serious issues.

The schools we heard from would greatly appreciate a toning down of such divisive characterizations, with a greater emphasis on how we can work *together* to make San Francisco more resilient and seismically safe for our children.

Better yet, we think it would be useful to collaborate on a set of shared goals and objectives that recognizes the aspirations and challenges this legislation incorporates. **As written, this ordinance will result in the closing of schools:** that is not a scare tactic but an inevitability for schools who serve poorer communities. Like all private schools, their tuitions cover only a portion of overall costs; unlike larger, more affluent schools, they cannot readily access or raise necessary funds.

We would like to see a strong statement from the City that private schools play an important role for San Francisco’s educational and economic future, that they contribute to the quality of life, economic and social diversity and values of our City, and that their concerns deserve to be addressed in the face of this proposed legislation so that none will be forced to shut its doors in the name of seismic safety.

What was clear from the discussion this morning, is the following events will almost certainly ensue after these seemingly simple studies are completed and posted as public information:

First, schools will feel a moral obligation to take action on whatever problems may surface. They will feel such an obligation without the benefit of necessary resources.

Second, there will be widespread concern among our parent communities that children may not be attending “safe” schools, with ensuing pressure to act quickly, again without the necessary resources to do so.

Third, it will be only a matter of time before private lawsuits are filed against private schools. As a practical matter, this will be the rough and expensive mechanism that moves a “simple study” to enforcement, however well intended the “study-only” language is.

Finally, as another practical matter, once permits are pulled for any seismic upgrades resulting from these studies, the City will compel schools to immediately comply with other building-safety statutes (ADA, energy efficiency, lead and asbestos abatement) that may apply. Some of the schools we heard from Monday indicated these related expenses could cost twice the amount of their seismic improvements.

**3. Vague portions of the legislation will have devastating impacts on some private schools; these need to be clarified and made more specific.**

It would be very helpful in the Thursday meeting if you could address very specifically what school facilities are covered by the ordinance. As you know, many private schools are located in older, sometimes historic, facilities. Many schools make use of facilities for very different purposes than those originally intended. What, in The City's view, is a "school building" as it pertains to the ordinance?

Likewise, it would also be important to specify which types of schools or facilities are specifically excluded from the ordinance, for example, pre-K services or optional enrichment programs such as dance, music, art, or gymnastics.

**4. The City's flexibility with regard to timelines will not only mitigate some of the unintended negative consequences of this legislation, but it will show the same kind of consideration extended to public schools in meeting their seismic safety obligations.**

It was noted this morning that schools in the San Francisco Unified School District (SFUSD) have been working to achieve seismic safety for more than 25 years after the ordinance affecting public schools became law. SFUSD schools had the benefit of a long-term comprehensive facilities planning process, a broad and ongoing funding mechanism from several sources (federal, state, and local), and flexibility when it came to recognizing the special circumstances of certain facilities. Private schools do not, at the moment, believe this same level of recognition, funding, and flexibility is being extended to them.

For religious schools in particular, the offer of City-endorsed loans is a nonstarter given church-state concerns. Realistically, private schools are left without a dedicated funding mechanism or even time to determine if and how to raise these funds privately.

Additionally, we spoke this morning of the significant number of private schools located in leased facilities (there are seven such Catholic schools alone). In this hot real estate market, many property owners will simply choose to discontinue renting to schools if they are required to adhere to the ordinance as written. San Francisco can ill-afford the spectacle of private schools essentially orphaned, and possibly closing, in the headlong rush to attain the requirements of imprecisely written legislation.

I want to reiterate our interest in working with City Hall to achieve our shared seismic safety goals. I hope that this preview of some of the concerns that may arise on Thursday will provide you with time to address them accordingly and to improve the process going forward. Let's continue to work together to achieve common goals.

Sincerely,



Denise M. LaPointe  
For the Strengthen Our Schools Coalition

cc: Mayor Edwin Lee  
San Francisco Board of Supervisors  
Building Inspection Commission

September 5, 2014

The Honorable Supervisor Malia Cohen  
Land Use and Economic Development Committee, Member  
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
City Hall, Room 244  
San Francisco, Ca. 94102-4689

***RE: File No. 140120 – Earthquake Performance Evaluation of Private School Structures  
September 8, 2014 agenda - Land Use and Economic Development Committee***

Dear Supervisor Cohen:

On behalf of the Strengthen Our Schools Coalition, we want to acknowledge and thank you and your staff, Ms. Yoyo Chan for your support over the past several months on the private school seismic safety evaluation ordinance.

As you know, private schools are key to San Francisco's viability as a livable City. San Francisco has the highest proportion of students attending private schools in California. One in three San Francisco children are being educated in private schools that serve our city's diverse communities and make it possible for even the most disadvantaged students to access the highest quality educational experiences. These students, their families, and the teachers, staff and volunteers who comprise the private school community deserve seismically safe facilities and a fair, equitable process to achieve earthquake evaluations, retrofits, and safety standards.

The City's seismic evaluation and retrofit ordinance introduced by the Mayor on February 11, 2014 was unclear, ambiguous, and burdensome.

Thanks to you and your staff's leadership intervention with the city administrators, the ordinance, as modified has made vast improvements. Now, it can be considered in concert with the Administrative Bulletin, the implementation document, per your direction that the documents travel parallel in the drafting process for consistency and clarity in order to create a workable ordinance for private schools.

Strengthen Our Schools Coalition acknowledges that the Archdiocese of San Francisco, one of our members, is the largest private school operator in San Francisco and the amendments are at a point they can accept without devastating harm to their schools. Specifically, the issues for the Archdiocese centered on three distinct issues – the life/safety versus recovery standard, the definition of school as defined by the State of California, and the direct code triggers from seismic work on code compliance issues ranging from ADA to energy upgrades to window treatments.

It's important that the ordinance does not unduly burden private schools, many of

which struggle financially. The changes proposed by the Coalition team representing 80 private schools would help alleviate, but not eliminate the immense challenges being placed on private schools by the mandatory seismic evaluation and retrofit ordinance. Please be reminded that even with the changes and modifications, the immense cost in the prescribed compressed timeline will inevitably force some school closures.

To date, the Coalition appreciates the great strides made and the effort by you and your staff, but want to identify a few significant issues raised by some Coalition members, that have fallen to the wayside. Not to imply that occurrence is from a lack of care or effort, but rather the technical, engineering and legal issues of the ordinance have dominated the primary agenda.

Some of the issues are:

- Other private schools (especially lessees) have additional requests. The City Attorney's direction to ESIP staff is that tenant protection provisions as requested from an attendee representing a foreign language school concerned about its landlord cannot be imbedded in the legislation. It's been publicly acknowledged to a building owner at a meeting that the owners of buildings to which schools have been leased will be asked to bear the costs. To date, it's unclear whether or not that subset has been identified and notified of the impacts of the ordinance or made part of the process.
- Sources and avenues of private funding to facilitate study and retrofit have not been identified to those private schools that may qualify.
- It is critical that applicants for evaluation and voluntary retrofit are moved into the City's priority category - the same process that has occurred for the seismic work for unreinforced masonry buildings as well as the public school seismic work. This can be achieved with the interdepartmental meetings that your office committed to oversee:
- Ongoing questions have been raised about the interaction of this ordinance with the California Environmental Quality Act, CEQA. The primary issue, as we all recognize, is that the ordinance will be enacted and enforced in such a way as to avoid, even arguably, a "substantial environmental effect." This is a fine line right now as we see it. Seismic evaluations of schools will of necessity lead to construction projects, some major, and will, should a pattern of closures occur, inevitably place demands upon public schools, public services (including traffic patterns and public transportation), child care, access to recreation and cultural resources. CEQA is the most appropriate process to address such indirect effects as well as the direct effects of this proposed law, and would serve to dissuade downstream legal challenges. The community, private school stakeholders and elected decision makers not only need coherent information on potential impacts of the ordinance,

but the ability to assess its effect upon the cultural fabric of the city. Some members continue to express concern about the Planning Department CEQA exemption and its legal stance, which we believe to be somewhat ingenuous.

- Reaffirmation of professional qualifications and professionally trained staff as case manager, and predictable program funding for staffing.
- The CAPSS program referenced in the findings of the ordinance calls for the seismic evaluation and retrofit of K-12 private schools and universities. Universities are omitted from all drafts of the ordinance. Hence, the finding referencing the CAPSS program is inaccurate.

Again, thank you and your staff for your time, interest and effort to work towards an ordinance that is unambiguous, fair and implementable. This is significant, as if the ordinance can be implemented and achieved with the least amount of harm for private school, we will reach our shared goal of seismic safety for our schools.

We look forward to the Land Use and Economic Development Committee moving this matter to the Board of Supervisors for a positive vote on September 8, 2014.

Sincerely,

Denise M. LaPointe



## Ausberry, Andrea

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**From:** Board of Supervisors  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 18, 2014 4:54 PM  
**To:** Ausberry, Andrea  
**Subject:** FW: Help Save Our Schools!

FILE: 140120

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**From:** [spehanich@gmail.com](mailto:spehanich@gmail.com) [<mailto:spehanich@gmail.com>]

**Sent:** Tuesday, March 18, 2014 10:59 AM

**To:** Board of Supervisors

**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

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March 18, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

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The proposed ordinance for seismic evaluation of private school buildings (file no. 140152), is being pushed too fast, and is problematic and punitive to private schools, as well as to the thousands of families with kids in San Francisco that they serve.

This ordinance needs to be revised to:

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Steve Pehanich

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**Sent:** Tuesday, March 18, 2014 11:44 AM  
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Robert McElroy  
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# THE ARCHDIOCESE OF SAN FRANCISCO

OFFICE OF THE AUXILIARY BISHOP

ONE PETER YORKE WAY, SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94109-6602 (415) 614-5611 FAX (415) 614-5613

March 19, 2014

Mr. Patrick Otellini,  
Chief Resilience Officer  
City Hall, Room 362  
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102

RE: Proposed Private School Seismic Evaluation Ordinance

Dear Mr. Otellini

Thank you for your time meeting with us this morning to discuss the proposed ordinance requiring seismic evaluation of private schools. As you know, during this meeting we believe we made progress toward helping the City understand the concerns held by the Archdiocese of San Francisco and are grateful for the opportunity finally to present them to you.

The most important point of our discussion was the reality that the study process which produced the draft ordinance was marked by a nearly total absence of participation by the private schools of the city of San Francisco. I can only believe that it is the absence of these key constituencies which produced a proposed ordinance which professes to demand no retrofitting, but in the real world produces a series of moral, legal and financial obligations upon our private schools to carry out a prohibitively expensive series of seismic and code related upgrades which will inevitably result in the closure of many schools serving the poor and people of color. Because this proposed ordinance has such serious consequences for the educational community of the City, and because this legislation has been rushed so rapidly and without public notice to the affected communities, we believe that it is essential for our legislative leaders to remove the ordinance from the calendar until all of the private school communities have been brought meaningfully into the conversation.

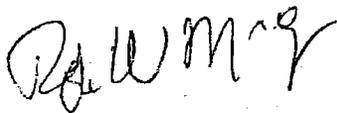
We are grateful for your willingness to try to revise the ordinance in the three specific areas which we raised with you: 1) revising the ordinance to demand studies at a life safety level rather than a recovery level; 2) demarcating clearly that only specifically school buildings are included in the ordinance; and 3) substantively addressing in the text of the ordinance pathways through which the non-seismic code requirements triggered by seismic safety upgrades could be meaningfully and substantially mitigated.

# THE ARCHDIOCESE OF SAN FRANCISCO

Mr. Patrick Otellini  
March 19, 2014  
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We look forward to working with you and the Board of Supervisors, as well as the Mayor's Office in order to craft an ordinance that does advance seismic safety within the private schools in a manner which does not burden those school communities unduly.

Sincerely yours

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Most Reverend Robert W. McElroy  
Auxiliary Bishop of San Francisco

cc: The Hon. Edwin Lee, Mayor of San Francisco  
The Hon. Members of the Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco

File 140120

**From:** mary.skone@sbcglobal.net  
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**To:** Board of Supervisors  
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Mary Wong  
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March 19, 2014

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Mary Wong  
415-999-9389



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**From:** vandelden@usfca.edu  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 9:49 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
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Claudine Van Delden  
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March 19, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Claudine Van Delden



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**From:** soaring\_leap@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 9:49 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Lauren Meredith  
2257 Fulton St  
San Francisco, CA 94117-1006

March 19, 2014

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**From:** htrwkt@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 9:54 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Henry Tam  
1887 22nd Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-4421

March 19, 2014

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**From:** shantiqua13@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 9:54 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Shanti Googins  
479 32ND AVE  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94121-1723

March 19, 2014

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Shanti Googins  
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**From:** lynemcc@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:14 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Lynda McCarthy  
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San Francisco, CA 94116-1947

March 19, 2014

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**From:** ryanmdarmody@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:19 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Ryan Darmody  
559 21st Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94121-3132

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Ryan Darmody  
415-310-7217



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**From:** kevin.chen@bbam.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:19 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Kevin Chen  
875 Faxon Ave  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94112-1205

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Kevin Chen  
4159902153



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**From:** tessa.mcfarland@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:19 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Tessa McFarland  
480 Castenada Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1909

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Tessa McFarland  
(415) 269-9523



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**From:** alvz4@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:24 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Sandra Alvarez  
71 Westfield Avenue  
Daly City, CA 94015-3714

March 19, 2014

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**From:** jim\_porter@merrysales.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:24 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
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James Porter  
2618 16th ave  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94116-3052

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James Porter  
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**From:** enahartnett@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:29 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Edmund Hartnett  
629 Los Palms Dr  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2211

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**From:** dangjanet@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:29 AM  
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Janet Ly  
458 Woodrow Street  
Daly City, CA 94014-1938

March 19, 2014

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:34 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
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Jeanine M. Donohue  
2541-21st Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-3014

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**From:** aflamburis@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:34 AM  
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**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

ANNAMARIA FLAMBURIS  
39 Gorham Street  
San Francisco, CA 94112-1454

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:34 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
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Marie Fitzpatrick  
206 Granville Way  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1136

March 19, 2014

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**To:** Board of Supervisors  
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Mary McFadden  
2655 22nd Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-3031

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Kelly Canady  
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Kelly Lynn Canady  
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**To:** Board of Supervisors  
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Celina Lam  
177 Shakespeare Street  
San Francisco, CA 94112-3938

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**From:** pattywong.ho@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:44 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Patricia Ho  
270 San Anselmo Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2049

March 19, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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4156828181



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**From:** mollyburke4@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:44 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Molly Burke  
1512 - 36th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3123

March 19, 2014

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:49 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Patty Phleger  
690 Funston Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94118-3604

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:49 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Helen Hong  
81 lily court  
Brisbane, CA 94005-1284

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**From:** cfwarden@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:54 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Chris Warden  
336 Lathrop Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94134-2450

March 19, 2014

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**From:** tkuglen@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:54 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Tom Kuglen  
183 St Germain Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94114-2131

March 19, 2014

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Tom Kuglen  
415.661.8585



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**From:** owen.tran@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:59 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Owen Tran  
175 Wood St, Apt 3  
San Francisco, CA 94118-3413

March 19, 2014

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**From:** namesake72@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 11:04 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Christopher Strunk  
754 Moultrie St  
San Francisco, CA 94110-6036

March 19, 2014

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**From:** mrkailey@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 11:04 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

helen kim  
1714 38th avenue  
san francisco, CA 94122-4146

March 19, 2014

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**From:** stephanie\_belfiore@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 11:14 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Stephanie Belfiore  
54 Anzavista Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94115-3860

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Stephanie Belfiore  
415-921-9272



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**From:** jstuartlewis@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 11:14 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Stuart Lewis  
333 5th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94118-2309

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**From:** maevetuite@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 11:19 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Maeve Tuite  
2475 25th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2341

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**From:** spcy61@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 11:24 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Susana Yu.  
2445 Judah Street  
San Francisco, CA 94122-1441

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4155480388

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**From:** lexfm72@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 11:29 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Alexandra Marsh  
648 27th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94121-2813

March 19, 2014

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**From:** mmiddlebrook@carusoaffiliated.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:24 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Please do not destroy the Catholic schools of this city that serve an essential role in educating middle and lower income families in San Francisco

Matt Middlebrook  
163 Forest Side Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1315

March 19, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

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Matt Middlebrook  
4158109650

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**From:** m\_wachowicz@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:54 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Private School Seismic Ordinance

Mary Wachowicz  
120 Alton Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1403

March 19, 2014

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Mary Wachowicz  
415-271-0754



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**From:** rcloranger@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 11:39 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Rachelle Considine  
127 Westgate Drive  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2541

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Rachelle Considine  
4155089561



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**From:** irispingel@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 12:04 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Iris Pingel  
771 41st Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94121-3318

March 19, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 12:09 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Michael Fogarty  
241 7th avenue  
san francisco, CA 94118-2319

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**From:** jansiefarris@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 12:14 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

jansie farris  
534 shorebird circle  
Redwood City, CA 94065-1096

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jansie farris



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**From:** maureenmaguire@att.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 12:19 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Maureen Maguire  
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San Francisco, CA 94132-1453

March 19, 2014

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Maureen Maguire



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**From:** mmaureen96@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 12:29 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Maureen McManus  
1881 Donner Avenue  
San Bruno, CA 94066-4707

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**From:** sean\_og@msn.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 12:39 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Sean O'Neill  
915 Vienna St.  
San Francisco, CA 94112-3832

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Sean O'Neill  
4153704189



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**From:** porterssf@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 1:09 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Ann Marie Porter  
2618 16th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-3052

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**From:** jyuan@forwardinvesting.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 1:39 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Janet Yuan  
875 Faxon Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94112-1205

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**From:** jennifertparker@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 1:39 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jennifer Parker  
812 Teresita Blvd  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2323

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**From:** jayallison@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 1:44 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jay Allison  
1235 Isabelle Circle  
South San Francisco, CA 94080-7516

March 19, 2014

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6502454930

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**From:** tdcoffey@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 1:54 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Dennis Coffey  
1783 Sweetwood Dr  
Daly City, CA 94015-2012

March 19, 2014

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**From:** denissf4@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 2:09 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Joanne Driscoll  
117 Country Club Drive  
San Francisco, CA 94132-1105

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**From:** reinman@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 1:50 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Please do not ruin a vital part of San Francisco's educational infrastructure!

Rein Gabrielsen  
2379 44th Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2042

March 19, 2014

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415-601\*8465



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**To:** Evans, Derek  
**Subject:** FW: Seismic Evaluation of Private Schools - File No. 140120

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**From:** Otellini, Patrick (ADM) [<mailto:patrick.otellini@sfgov.org>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 12:56 PM  
**To:** BOS-Supervisors; Elliott, Jason (MYR); Kelly, Naomi (ADM)  
**Cc:** BOS-Legislative Aides; Hilt, Micah (ADM); Boyajian, Judy (CAT)  
**Subject:** Seismic Evaluation of Private Schools - File No. 140120

Hello colleagues,

Thank you to our supporters and co-sponsors of this ordinance. As you all know this ordinance will require the seismic evaluation of all of the City's 120 non-public schools over the next three years.

This morning all SF Archdiocese schools notified their parents asking them to contact Mayor Lee and the Board of Supervisors expressing concern about this ordinance. Unfortunately this notice contains factually incorrect information. Most importantly it assumes that this ordinance requires seismic retrofits of these schools and this is not the case. The proposed ordinance only requires evaluation of these structures and any construction work is completely voluntary. The letter also points out three specific concerns. After discussing these issues at length with the Archdiocese, as well as many other schools that participated in the working group process, we are going to make revisions to the ordinance as noted below. This will address their concerns and once these changes are made we should have consensus-based support moving forward:

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2. More clear language will be added to ensure the only structures that are evaluated are buildings used for education and school administration (exempting churches, residential accessory buildings, and similar uses)
3. Additional clarifications that non-earthquake related work is not triggered by this ordinance.

Our office is happy to address any concerns that come up from constituents as a result of this.

Thank you,

**Patrick Otellini**  
Chief Resilience Officer  
Director, Earthquake Safety Implementation Program  
Office of the City Administrator

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**From:** sdalporto@astound.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 2:29 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Steven Dal Porto  
625 Arkasnas St.  
San Francisco, CA 94107-2830

March 19, 2014

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 2:34 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Maria Polyzos  
381 15th ave  
san francisco, CA 94118-2822

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 2:49 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Donna Cronin  
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San Francisco, CA 94116-2525

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 3:04 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Brian Burnett  
255 15th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94118-1012

March 19, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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415-751-0656

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**From:** jean.chagniot@hilton.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 3:09 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jean Chagniot  
95 Madrone Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1149

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4152027762

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**From:** yingminggu@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 3:24 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Yingming Gu  
2555 16th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-3051

March 19, 2014

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415-601-9939



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**From:** msboppie@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 3:34 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Susan Collins  
2162-20th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1806

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Susan C. Collins  
415-664-9314

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**From:** billcollins38@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 3:39 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

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San Francisco, CA 94116-1806

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**From:** ginaharan@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 3:44 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Gina Haran  
2060 Filbert St.  
San Francisco, CA 94123-3506

March 19, 2014

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Gina Haran



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**From:** teefee01@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 3:59 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Therese Bumanglag  
136 Allison St  
San Francisco, CA 94112-3704

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 4:09 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Grace Wang  
1884 16th ave  
SF, CA 94122-4540

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4156666819

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**From:** maryo@shopwestportal.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 4:09 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Maryo Mogannam  
58 West Portal Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1304

March 19, 2014

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415-350-7447



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**From:** elaineyuen415@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 4:29 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Elaine Yuen  
201 Magellan Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1452

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**From:** kfuhring@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 4:44 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Kirsten Fuhring-Cook  
2026 12th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1306

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415-694-9305

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**From:** baxflan@online.ie  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 4:49 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Niall Baxter  
145 Olympia Way  
San Francisco, CA 94131-1135

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**From:** nkwan888@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 5:04 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Nicholas Kwan  
297 Parker ave  
San Francisco, CA 94118-3320

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 5:09 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Thomas Landers  
1308 Ulloa St  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2533

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**From:** myumichael@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 5:29 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Michael Yu  
330 clement  
San Francisco, CA 94118-2316

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4159998879

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**From:** ald844@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 5:49 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Alexander Douglas Jr  
62 Farview Court  
San Francisco, CA 94131-1212

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**From:** melissa@mosserco.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 12:49 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Melissa Farris  
1050 Lake Street  
San Francisco, CA 94118-1123

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Melissa Farris  
415-850-5087

(BOS)

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**From:** pacatten@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 11:54 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Nancy Pacatte  
2155 15th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1844

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Sincerely,

Nancy Pacatte

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**From:** mlmwong@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 11:14 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Maurice Wong  
2166 28th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1731

March 20, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Maurice Wong  
415-661-6283

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**From:** jrberg32@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 11:04 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jeff Berg  
506 Vallejo Street  
San Francisco, CA 94133-4008

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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
SAN FRANCISCO



EDWIN M. LEE  
MAYOR

TO: Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
FROM: *for* Mayor Edwin M. Lee *EL*  
RE: Substitute Ordinance - File # 140120 - Building Code - Earthquake  
Performance Evaluation of Private School Structures  
DATE: July 22, 2014

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Attached for substitution to the Board of Supervisors is the ordinance amending the Building Code to require that existing private elementary and secondary schools obtain an evaluation by a licensed structural engineer for performance during a future earthquake, to assess a fee for Building Department review and related evaluation processing, to exempt buildings for which voluntary seismic strengthening is performed that meets or exceeds 2013 Building Code requirements from new San Francisco seismic strengthening requirements for 15 years, and to require that a building changing to a school occupancy classification comply with the evaluation requirements; making environmental findings and findings under the California Health and Safety Code; and directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to forward this ordinance to the California Building Standards Commission upon final passage.

Please note that this item is cosponsored by Supervisors Breed, Campos, Chiu, Farrell, Mar, Tang, Wiener, and Yee.

Should you have any questions, please contact Jason Elliott (415) 554-5105.

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EDWIN M. LEE  
MAYOR

TO: Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
FROM: Mayor Edwin M. Lee  
RE: Building Code - Earthquake Performance Evaluation of Private School Structures  
DATE: February 11, 2014

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I request that this item be calendared in Land Use and Economic Development Committee.

Should you have any questions, please contact Jason Elliott (415) 554-5105.

Supervisor London Breed  
Supervisor David Campos  
Supervisor David Chiu  
Supervisor Mark Farrell  
Supervisor Eric Mar  
Supervisor Katy Tang  
Supervisor Scott Wiener  
Supervisor Norman Yee

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**From:** Board of Supervisors  
**To:** BOS-Supervisors  
**Subject:** File 140120: Catholic School Persecution?

*LA MAA clerk*

-----Original Message-----

**From:** [a\\_ovalle@comcast.net](mailto:a_ovalle@comcast.net) [mailto:[a\\_ovalle@comcast.net](mailto:a_ovalle@comcast.net)]  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 8:07 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Catholic School Persecution?

Amber Ovalle  
781 24th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94121-3711

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Amber K. Ovalle  
415-596-5198

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File 140120 LU

**From:** Youthcom [youthcom@sfgov.org] *page*  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 12:00 PM  
**To:** Mayor; BOS-Supervisors  
**Cc:** Calvillo, Angela (BOS); Elliott, Jason (MYR); Maria Su (CHF); Garcia, Barbara (DPH);  
Mendoza, Hydra (MYR); Nance, Allen (JUV); ed.reiskin@sfmta.com; Rhorer, Trent (DSS);  
Still, Wendy (ADP)  
**Subject:** Youth Commission actions at the March 17, 2014 meeting  
**Attachments:** YC actions and requests on 3-17-14.pdf

**YOUTH COMMISSION  
MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Honorable Mayor Edwin M. Lee  
Honorable Members, Board of Supervisors

**CC:** Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
Jason Elliott, Director of Legislative & Government Affairs, Mayor's Office  
Maria Su, Director, Department of Children, Youth, and their Families  
Barbara Garcia, Director, Department of Public Health  
Hydra Mendoza, Mayor's Families & Children's Advisor  
Allen Nance, Chief, Juvenile Probation Department  
Ed Reiskin, Director of Transportation, Municipal Transportation Agency  
Trent Rhorer, Director, Human Services Agency  
Wendy S. Still, Chief, Adult Probation Department

**FROM:** Youth Commission

**DATE:** Monday, March 24, 2014

**RE:** Youth Commission actions at the March 17, 2014 meeting: Support on BOS file no. 140120 and BOS File No. 140123; Support and statement on BOS file no. 131208 [Health Code-Restrictions on Sale and Use of Electronic Cigarettes]; Motion calling for BOS hearing on services and solutions for youth with incarcerated parents; Resolution calling for MUNI's fare structure to make 18 year olds eligible for youth discounts; and Motion to sponsor the Take a Stand for SF youth event on April 5, 2014.

At our regular meeting on Monday, March 17, 2014, the Youth Commission voted to unanimously support the following from the Board of Supervisors:

- **[BOS File No. 140120] Building Code- Earthquake Performance Evaluation of Private School Structures.**
- **[BOS File NO. 140123] Urging State Community College Chancellor Brice Harris to Restore City College of San Francisco's Duly Elected Board of Trustees**

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At the same meeting, the Youth Commission also voted to unanimously support and provide the following comments to BOS File No. 131208:

- To support BOS File No. 131208, Ordinance amending the Health Code to prohibit the use of electronic cigarettes where smoking is otherwise prohibited; require a tobacco permit for the sale of electronic cigarettes; prohibit the sale of electronic cigarettes where the sale of tobacco products is otherwise prohibited; and making environmental findings.
- The Youth Commission urges the BOS to request the DPH to conduct a study on how electronic cigarette products affect nicotine consumption rates among young people and how this type of legislation can prevent nicotine addiction among young people.

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In addition, the Youth Commission adopted the following two motions:

- Motion 1314-05 to call on the BOS to hold a timely hearing regarding the unmet needs of youth with an incarcerated parent(s) and various City departments efforts to provide services and support for young people with incarcerated parents.
- Motion 1314-06 to support and co-sponsor the Taking a Stand SF event which will be held on April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2014 at the Center for Political Education.

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Finally, the Youth Commission adopted resolution 1314—03 urging the SFMTA to expand MUNI's discounted youth rate to include 18 year olds. This resolution acknowledges the approximately 400 18-year-old high school students within the SFUSD schools, and even more enrolled in private and parochial schools in San Francisco. 18 year old high school students face similar financial barriers to accessing transportation in comparison with their younger peers. It also notes that other Bay Area transportation agencies such as the East Bay's AC transit and North Bay's Golden Gate transit include 18 year olds in their youth fare discounts. This resolution urges the SFMTA to expand MUNI's discounted youth rate to include 18 year olds and to consider looking into ways in which the population of high school students older than 18 years of age and transitionally aged youth can qualify for free or reduced fares.

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If you have any questions about these items or anything related to the Youth Commission, please don't hesitate to contact our office at (415) 554-6446 or your Youth Commissioner.

San Francisco Youth Commission  
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File 140120

From: kay.narron@gmail.com  
Sent: Monday, March 24, 2014 9:37 AM  
To: ✓ Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

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Elizabeth Narron  
3400 Laguna St.#418  
San Francisco, CA 94123-7220

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Elizabeth Narron  
1-415-563-8453



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**From:** pjelower@aol.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 9:37 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Patricia Elower  
475 Panorama Drive  
San Francisco, CA 94131-1222

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415-290-3071



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**From:** chuymrtz4@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 9:42 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Maria Martinez  
27 persia ave  
san francisco, CA 94112-2744

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**From:** karinhaskell@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 10:02 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

KARIN HASKELL  
2601 18th Avenue  
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**From:** ottomonsanto@aol.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 10:17 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Otto Monsanto  
77 Joost Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94131-3209

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415-361-1819

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**From:** patrick.dominguez@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 10:22 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Patrick Dominguez  
1367 Oak Street #A  
San Francisco, CA 94117-2116

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Patrick Dominguez



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**From:** brettparmelee@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 10:02 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Brett Parmelee  
1534 Sacramento  
San Francisco, CA 94109-3810

March 24, 2014

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**From:** jennifer.killian@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 10:47 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jennifer Killian  
1801 Wedemeyer St #414  
San Francisco, CA 94129-5279

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**From:** mbd@lmi.net  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 11:02 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Mary Birchler  
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San Francisco, CA 94133-1813

March 24, 2014

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Mary Birchler



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**From:** kathmckeon@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 11:02 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Kathleen McKeon  
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San Francisco, CA 94127-1112

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415-664-7776



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**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 11:52 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Gilbert Casarez  
1 cityview way  
san francisco, CA 94131-1234

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Gilbert L. Casarez



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**From:** ginacibuzar@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 12:02 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Gina Cibuzar  
1522 Mason Street  
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March 24, 2014

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Gina Cibuzar



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**From:** lou.borden@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 11:52 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Lourdes Borden  
2219 26th Avenue  
SF, CA 94116-1751

March 24, 2014

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Sincerely,

Lourdes S. Borden  
415 682-0985

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**From:** gandpcaz@msn.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 11:52 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Margaret Casarez  
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March 24, 2014

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Margaret D. Casarez  
4152972756

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**From:** lara.l.morgan@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 12:27 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Lara Morgan  
145 Castenada Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1408

March 24, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Lara Morgan  
4156644945

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**From:** mcroffler@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 12:32 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Corinne Roffler  
2370 Francisco St  
San Francisco, CA 94123-1912

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Corinne Roffler



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**From:** cibuzar@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 12:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Greg Cibuzar  
1522 Mason Street  
San Francisco, CA 94133-3716

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Greg Cibuzar  
6124810917



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**From:** kathhcc@aol.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 1:12 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Katherine atkinson  
79 wawona  
san francisco, CA 94127-1118

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

Thirty percent of all San Francisco students attend private schools. Catholic schools disproportionately serve working class and inner-city families and are supported by their local parishes.

The proposed ordinance for seismic evaluation of private school buildings (file no. 140152), is not well thought out and is problematic and punitive to San Francisco's private schools and to the thousands of families with children whom they serve.

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Sincerely,

Katherine E. Atkinson  
415 664-5368

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**From:** sbmccarthy@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 2:27 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Suzanne McCarthy  
354 Santa Clara Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2035

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Suzanne McCarthy  
4155667088



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**From:** sherhair@msn.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 3:02 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Sherry Gray  
3011 26th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94132-1545

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

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Sincerely,

Sherry L. Gray  
415/656-9825

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**From:** wwalkersf@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 2:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Wendy Walker  
433 Pacheco Street  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1475

March 24, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Wendy Walker



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**From:** josiejomar@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 3:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Josephine Guerra  
2479 22nd Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2436

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

I believe that it is totally wrong to demand that Catholic schools earthquake buildings that are not strictly for classroom safety. They should not be forced to earthquake buildings so that they can be used for emergency shelters. I believe that is the job of the city. The schools do NOT have the resources to do what the ordinance requires.

Please give this request serious thought.

This e-mail is both for the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors.

Sincerely,

Josephine Guerra

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**From:** jbrinkmann90@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 3:22 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jennifer Hudon  
120 Navajo Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94112-3333

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Jennifer Hudon  
7733150747

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**From:** cathjer@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 3:32 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Gerald R. Mutz  
1176 Greenwich Street  
San Francisco, CA 94109-1582

March 24, 2014

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**From:** fredrikdemare@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 3:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Fredrik de Mare  
215 Santa Clara Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1521

March 24, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Fredrik de Mare

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**From:** tall76@aol.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 4:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Terrence Howard  
1944 20th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1201

March 24, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Terrence J. Howard

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**From:** mevota.vota@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 4:37 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

M. Vota  
55 Chumasero Drive, Apt. 6D  
San Francisco, CA 94132-2323

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

"[www.sfusd.edu/](http://www.sfusd.edu/)&#8206;  
San Francisco Unified School District  
The San Francisco Unified School District (SFUSD) is the eighth largest school district in ... over 53000 students who live in the City and County of San Francisco. ... are expected to fully implement the CCSS-M in the 2014-2015 school year and ... California's new way of funding public schools, and how you can participate in"

Of some 75,800 San Francisco school children enrolled in Grades K-12, fully 30 percent, some 22,000 children, attend private schools. Catholic private schools, which serve working class and inner-city families, are largely supported by tuition and local parishes.

Under the circumstances, why is the proposed ordinance for seismic evaluation of private school buildings (file no. 140152) being pushed?  
Why is the proposed ordinance failing fully 30 percent of San Francisco Grades K-12 schools in these ways?

- Failure to study evaluation levels to the standard of life-safety;
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- Failure to encourage the seismic safety work by adding catastrophic expenses of unrelated code requirements.

Further, in the best of all worlds and worthy of consideration but scarcely expected: Why is the proposed ordinance failing to appropriate public funding for seismic upgrading of all fully accredited Grades K-12 schools?

Your district and all of San Francisco will benefit by working with us.  
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Sincerely,

M. Vota

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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**From:** stephanie\_lowe@ymail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 3:57 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Please Help Save Our Schools!

Stephanie Lowe  
57 San Jacinto Way  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2053

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

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File 140120

**From:** willielucey@yahoo.com  
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**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

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Will Lucey  
230 Bella Vista Way  
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March 24, 2014

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**From:** gcanepa@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 5:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Gordon Canepa  
510 Dellbrook Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94131-1161

March 24, 2014

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**From:** rmustain@icacademy.org  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 5:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Rachel Mustain  
3625 24th St.  
San Francisco, CA 94110-3607

March 24, 2014

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**From:** acbsf@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 7:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Andrea Bornstein  
[acbsf@yahoo.com](mailto:acbsf@yahoo.com)  
San Francisco, CA 94123

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

I am considering sending my daughter, who is currently in a public pre-school, to the neighborhood Catholic school because I do not have a public neighborhood elementary school and like many of my neighbors will be forced to send my child across town to attend public school. Many families are shut out of public schools in this city and are left with only the option to move or find a private solution. Catholic schools are an affordable option for many families as they are subsidized by local parishes.

I am a single, working mother and have limited options, and I am not alone. Catholic schools disproportionately serve working class and lower income families. As members of this community, we deserve a voice.

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Sincerely,

Andrea Bornstein  
4157710594



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**From:** sboyce100@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 7:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Stephen Boyce  
2121 Laguna St #37  
San Francisco, CA 94115-2151

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**From:** scott@heavygraphics.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 8:37 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Scott Baumann  
1559B Sloat Blvd. #268  
San Francisco, CA 94132

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**From:** lauralou1@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 8:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Laura Mulcrevy  
149 Wawona Street  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1325

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Laura Mulcrevy



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**From:** realmona78@aol.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 9:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Vaughan Camacho  
2880 Shannon Drive  
South San Francisco, CA 94080-5320

March 25, 2014

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**From:** maryannmilias@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 9:17 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

mcihael st peter  
2645 scott st  
san francisco, CA 94123-4634

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mary ann and michael st peter  
415-922-4466

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**From:** matthew\_callahan@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 9:27 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Matt Callahan  
1638 8th avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3718

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**From:** mike2531@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 9:37 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
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Michael Schymeinsky  
2531 - 45th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2644

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**From:** schober2@pacbell.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 5:57 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Kristin Schober  
2748-41st Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2710

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**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 9:27 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Tom Nieto  
2554A Gough Street  
San Francisco, CA 94123-5013

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6504333740



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**From:** rgranucci@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 10:42 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Robert Granucci  
25 St. Francis Blvd.  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1936

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Respectfully yours,

Robert Granucci  
415-391-4492



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**From:** carolhc@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 10:52 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Carol Bulgatti  
2366 15th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2502

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Heather Natsch  
2010 Lyon Street  
San Francisco, CA 94115-1610

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Heather Natsch



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Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 11:34 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Michelle O'Driscoll  
881 Faxon Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94112-1205

March 20, 2014

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**From:** angeljade177@aol.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:49 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Michelle Der  
1230 LaPlaya Street Apt.#105  
San Francisco, CA 94122-1073

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Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:44 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Teresa Basile  
269 Avila Street  
San Francisco, CA 94123-1508

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415-928-8170

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Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:34 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Joel Leung  
1990 Ellis Street  
San Francisco, CA 94115-3954

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:29 PM  
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**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Wendy Leung  
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**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Mark Lau  
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**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Cindy Okazaki  
1474 Funston Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3512

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:19 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Ann Yu  
70 Parnell Avenue  
Daly City, CA 94015-2709

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:19 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Mark Kelly  
442 16th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94118-2812

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:19 PM  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 10:14 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

J.J. Andre  
191 Wawona  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1325

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Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 9:34 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

LeRoid David  
3077 Los Prados St. #101  
San Mateo, CA 94403-2047

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Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 9:14 PM  
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Mertenesh Asrat  
1247  
San Francisco, CA 94115

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Mertenesh  
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Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 9:14 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Bassel Samaha  
2428 14th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2521

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Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 9:09 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
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Helen Vydra  
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San Francisco, CA 94127-2106

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Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 8:49 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
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1247 Webster St.  
San Francisco, CA 94115-4230

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Sincerely,

Belete Gebrewold  
4153512368



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**From:** philip.j.deguzman@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 8:44 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Philip DeGuzman  
4343 Callan Blvd  
Daly City, CA 94015-4406

March 19, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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From: esther94014@yahoo.com  
Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 8:34 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Esther Ramos  
426 Willits Street  
Daly City, CA 94014-1932

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Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 8:34 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Frank Billante  
629 Ulloa Street  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1142

March 19, 2014

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**From:** ecbillante@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 8:29 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

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Elizabeth Billante  
415.242.9744



(BOS)

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**From:** carolquan@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 8:19 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Carol Quan  
185 Skyview Way  
San Francisco, CA 94131-1228

March 19, 2014

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Carol Quan  
415-342-0944



(BOS)

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From: henryho101@gmail.com  
Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 8:19 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Henry Ho  
1450 11TH AVE  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94122-3605

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Henry Ho  
4156617027



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From: caragan.debra@gene.com  
Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 8:19 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Debra Caragan  
7096 Alder Creek Road  
vallejo, CA 94591-3821

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**From:** wiggy336@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 8:14 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Lyn OConnor  
1011 Fassler ave  
Pacifica, CA 94044-3653

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From: chrispratt007@me.com  
Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 7:59 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Christopher Pratt  
1522 34th Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3113

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Christopher Pratt



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Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 7:54 PM  
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From: bigdaddychin2000@yahoo.com  
Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 7:39 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Douglas Chin  
1464 Hyde Street  
san francisco, CA 94109-3106

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**From:** teresa.ira5@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 11:34 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Teresa Ira  
831, 33rd avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94121-3429

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**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 11:09 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Michelle Baran  
635 20th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94121-3831

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Michelle Baran  
4155183462



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From: mkosewic@gmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 10:39 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Maureen Kosewic  
15 Yerba Buena Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1543

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From: torgain@comcast.net  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 10:09 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Thomas Orgain  
3014 Ulloa Street  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2227

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Thomas and Diana Orgain



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From: mhinnes1@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 9:14 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Michael Innes  
3085 Turk Blvd  
San Francisco, CA 94118-4157

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**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 9:04 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
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Taeko Hidalgo  
1657 Sutter Street  
San Francisco, CA 94109-5208

March 21, 2014

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Taeko Hidalgo  
(415)786-4035

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**From:** surveenks@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 8:54 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

S. Singh  
1830 33rd Ave  
SF, CA 94122-4106

March 20, 2014

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Sincerely,

S. Singh  
4152429542

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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From: castanon\_diane@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 8:49 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Diane Castanon  
73 Snview Drive  
San Francisco, CA 94131-1618

March 20, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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From: deb@defanti.net  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 8:49 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Deb DeFanti  
1690 9th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3621

March 20, 2014

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Deb DeFanti  
4159907126



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**From:** fioconsf@pacbell.net  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 8:09 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Fiona Connolly  
171 Gold Mine Drive  
San Francisco, CA 94131-2556

March 20, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

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From: darlingsanfran@sbcglobal.net  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 7:54 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Kathleen Darling  
180 Dorantes Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1431

March 20, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Kathleen Darling  
9253890994

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From: frjoelandi@hotmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 7:44 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Lodovico Landi  
2555 17th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-3002

March 20, 2014

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415/987-4289

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From: angiedenardo@gmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 7:44 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Mariangela Denardo  
257 23rd Ave #4  
San Francisco, CA 94121-2046

March 20, 2014

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Sincerely,

Mariangela Denardo  
4158315306



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**From:** theresa.lobre@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 7:39 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Theresa Lobre  
2944 24th ave  
San Francisco, CA 94132-1536

March 20, 2014

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4156856729

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From: mdharriman@gmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 7:34 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

MICHAEL HARRIMAN  
2555 17th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-3002

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4157315214



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From: clarencewing@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 7:34 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Clarence Yap  
770 42nd Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94121-3323

March 20, 2014

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415-308-9517

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From: sethanb@aol.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 7:24 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Stephen Barry  
1727 23rd Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-4423

March 20, 2014

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Stephen Barry  
(415)564-5736



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From: timtmed2@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 6:49 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

tim nguyen  
215 maywood drive  
san francisco, CA 94127-2009

March 20, 2014

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tim t nguyen  
316-516-1219



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From: oanhsen668@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 6:44 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

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396. faxon ave  
san francisco, CA 94112-2216

March 20, 2014

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415-350-4861

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From: jbanko412@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 6:39 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

John Bankovitch  
137 Ashton Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94112-2207

March 20, 2014

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John Bankovitch  
415-333-5343



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Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 6:39 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
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hong nguyen  
215 maywood drive  
san francisco, CA 94127-2009

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415-452-0411

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From: kennethchilders@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 6:24 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Kenneth Childers  
2245 Ortega Street  
San Francisco, CA 94122-4247

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Sincerely,

Kenneth Childers  
4152901884



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From: staceyoyler@gmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 5:49 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
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Stacey Oyler  
2515 Lake St  
San Francisco, CA 94121-1118

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Stacey Oyler  
415-496-4121

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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**From:** fvdulay@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 5:44 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Fernando Dulay  
PO Box 591118  
San Francisco, CA 94159-1118

March 20, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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From: stephenbrandin@comcast.net  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 5:44 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Stephen Brandin  
1611 43rd Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-2926

March 20, 2014

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Sincerely,

Stephen Brandin  
415-265-4189



(BOS)

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From: r8ch.808@gmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 5:39 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Rachel Dulay  
1032 Irving Street #983  
San Francisco, CA 94122-2216

March 20, 2014

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From: fktri@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 5:34 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Frank Keane  
342 18th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94121-2317

March 20, 2014

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**From:** alwong@ccsf.edu  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 5:34 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Alvin Wong  
804 Pacific Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94133-4302

March 20, 2014

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Alvin Wong



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From: taniasheppard10@gmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 5:34 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Tania Sheppard  
2646 44th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2635

March 20, 2014

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Tania Sheppard  
4803901342

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From: sunbne@aol.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 5:34 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Joan Merten  
563 - 47th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94121-2424

March 20, 2014

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From: seanasheppard@gmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 5:14 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Sean Sheppard  
2646 44th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2635

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Sean Sheppard  
6027501500



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**From:** dar@powerengconstruction.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 5:14 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Danny Reynolds  
136 Lunado Way  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2855

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DANNY A REYNOLDS  
415-334-4598



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From: dkohlmyer@msn.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 4:24 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

David Kohlmyer  
2691 16th avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-3053

March 20, 2014

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**From:** ggnallstars@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 4:09 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Barbara Bonilla  
822 Commercial Avenue  
South San Francisco, CA 94080-2407

March 20, 2014

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From: chellemabelle@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 3:44 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Michelle O'Neill  
915 Vienna Street  
San Francisco, CA 94112-3832

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Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 3:24 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

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118 denslowe drive  
san francisco, CA 94132-2035

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415-601-4044

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From: jeanshriver@hotmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 3:19 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Jean Shriver  
2174-43rd Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1527

March 20, 2014

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From: acsgutier@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 2:54 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Anna Gutierrez  
270 Juanita Way  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1736

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Anna Gutierrez  
4152421486

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From: axrzcs@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 2:34 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Alexander Rodriguez  
1534 Arch St.  
Berkeley, CA 94708-1829

March 20, 2014

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Alexander Rodriguez  
5108412229



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From: lynrubino@hotmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 1:54 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Arlene Rubino  
47 Castleton Avenue  
Daly City, CA 94015-3530

March 20, 2014

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Arlene Rubino



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From: mcavamontaner@hotmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 1:29 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Maria Cava  
1804 northshore drive  
richmond, CA 94804-2575

March 20, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Maria Cava  
5104578382



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Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 1:29 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Jon Tocchini  
2379 26th ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2343

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From: tcashin@shorenstein.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 1:24 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Thomas Cashin  
300 Genessee Street  
San Francisco, CA 94112-1347

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Thomas Cashin  
415.772.7176

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From: kara.douglas@gmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 1:24 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Kara Douglas  
260 27th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94121-1129

March 20, 2014

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Kara Douglas  
4157522418



(BOS)

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From: mmurray1@sbcglobal.net  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 1:24 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Michael Murray  
15 cedar avenue  
kentfield, CA 94904-2504

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From: cnevolo@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 1:14 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Cathy Nevolo  
28 Casa Way  
San Francisco, CA 94123-1207

March 20, 2014

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Sincerely,

Cathy Nevolo  
415.816.1277



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From: stephaniebrandin@comcast.net  
Sent: Thursday, March 20, 2014 1:14 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Stephanie Ibarra-Rivera  
1800 Green Street  
San Francisco, CA 94123-4922

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Stephanie Ibarra-Rivera



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**From:** melissa@mossierco.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 12:49 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Melissa Farris  
1050 Lake Street  
San Francisco, CA 94118-1123

March 20, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Sincerely,

Melissa Farris  
415-850-5087



(BOS)

From: amanda.sawyer@gmail.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 9:50 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Amanda Sawyer  
543 12th Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94118-3616

March 21, 2014

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Amanda Sawyer  
4152651312

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From: kved04@gmail.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 9:34 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Kenny Ved  
2452 39th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2153

March 21, 2014

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Kenny Ved  
4152423221



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From: jmerritt@cri-sf.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 8:55 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Jennifer Merritt  
929 Filbert Street  
San Francisco, CA 94133-2605

March 21, 2014

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Jennifer Merritt  
415-533-5489



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From: kathybona@sbcglobal.net  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 8:54 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Kathy Bonacini  
40 San Rafael Way  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1949

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4156611911

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**From:** juklump@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Friday, March 21, 2014 8:44 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Julie chernoff  
125 Hernandez Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1011

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From: erikaleon@sbcglobal.net  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 8:40 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Erika Leon  
640 Polk st #203  
San Francisco, CA 94102-3302

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Erika Leon  
(415) 595-1171



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**From:** kevinhaskell@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Friday, March 21, 2014 8:35 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Kevin Haskell  
2601 18th ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-3008

March 21, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Kevin D. Haskell  
4156644016

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Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 8:35 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Geraldine Galarza  
30 Escanyo Dr  
south San Francisco, CA 94080-4132

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Geraldine Galarza  
6508694869



(BOS)

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From: joannegomez007@gmail.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 7:54 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Michael Fiske  
1449 Lake Street  
San Francisco, CA 94118-1035

March 21, 2014

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Sincerely,

Joanne Gómez



(BOS)

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**From:** mpiech@alum.mit.edu  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 8:17 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Michael Piech  
1746 12th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94122-4606

March 23, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Michael Piech  
4157598389

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**From:** domingum@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 7:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Rosie Dominguez  
2477 14th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2522

March 23, 2014

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Sincerely,

Rosie Landers Dominguez  
415-664-8520



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From: avg1@sbglobal.net  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 7:37 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Ann von Germeten  
2441 Vallejo Street  
San Francisco, CA 94123-4638

March 23, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to urge you to re-consider the proposed ordinance for seismic evaluation of private school buildings, particularly given the City's supposed interest in keeping families with young children from fleeing to the suburbs.

As we all know, there are not enough spots at quality public schools for all the children in the city of San Francisco. As a result, fully 30% attend private schools. Most of these schools are extravagantly expensive, even for professional families. The one notable exception has been the Catholic schools, which provide a quality education at a fraction of the cost, to both Catholic and non-Catholic families. Not surprisingly, Catholic schools disproportionately serve working class and inner-city families.

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Thank you for giving our schools and our families a chance.

Sincerely yours,

Ann von Germeten  
415-440-9301



(BOS)

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From: strose66@aol.com  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 7:07 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: HELP SAVE OUR SCHOOL!!!

Jacklyn Hanratty  
#2 STILLINGS AVE  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94131-2839

March 23, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Sincerely,

Jacklyn D'Angelo Hanratty  
415-672-4312



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From: catherinekelly11@gmail.com  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 6:52 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Catherine Kelly  
3541 Webster  
San Francisco, CA 94123-1716

March 23, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Catherine

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**From:** caroline\_gissler@testlabs.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 5:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Mary C.Gissler  
2729 Baker St.  
San Francisco, CA 94123-3811

March 23, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Mary C.Gissler  
415 346 5585

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From: vburns@excite.com  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 5:22 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Charles Burns  
28 Forest Side Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1121

March 23, 2014

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Sincerely,

Charles P. Burns

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From: katie@hagansf.com  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 4:52 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Katie Hagan  
2424 Washington Street  
San Francisco, CA 94115-1834

March 23, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Katie Hagan  
415-674-1713



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From: blueseaforever@netzero.com  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 4:47 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Marie De Loache  
51 Stoneybrook Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94112-1648

March 23, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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**From:** jwearhart@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 4:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

James Earhart  
480 Pacheco St.  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1472

March 23, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Hoping reason prevails,

James W. Earhart  
415-753-0559

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**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 4:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Matthew De Loache  
51 Stoneybrook Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94112-1648

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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From: emills@icacademy.org  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 4:42 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Eloisa Mills  
2200 Pacific Ave 2C  
San Francisco, CA 94115-1407

March 23, 2014

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Eloisa A. Mills



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**From:** adb30@earthlink.net  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 3:57 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Genene Benjamin  
2295 Vallejo Street #307  
San Francisco, CA 94123-4767

March 23, 2014

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Genene Benjamin  
4153466561

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**From:** jconduffscott@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 3:32 PM.  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

John Scott  
840 Van Ness Avenue, Apt. 306  
San Francisco, CA 94109-7816

March 23, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

John C. Scott  
4156739839



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**From:** tadtassone@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 3:22 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jude Tassone  
30 Westwood Dr.  
San Francisco, CA 94112-1220

March 23, 2014

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**From:** joseph.a.urban@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 3:22 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

joseph urban  
1870 jackson street #503  
sf, CA 94109-2823

March 23, 2014

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joseph urban



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Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 3:17 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Patrick Wenzinger  
372 Byxbee St  
San Francisco, CA 94132-2621

March 23, 2014

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Sincerely,

Patrick Wenzinger



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**From:** caryecampbell@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 3:17 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

carye campbell  
1870 jackson street #403  
sf, CA 94109-2822

March 23, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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From: mjbar2@aol.com  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 3:12 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Mary Baireuther  
1710 21st avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-4416

March 23, 2014

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Mary Baireuther  
415 753 1023

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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From: bravobill@hotmail.com  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 2:12 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

william and Diane carroll  
1650 Jackson #608  
San Francisco, CA 94109-3031

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Sincerely,

Bill and Diane Carroll  
4154092595



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**From:** suang911@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 1:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Steve Uang  
1473 23rd Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3305

March 23, 2014

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**From:** mignault@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 1:27 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Nadine Goyhenetche  
2419 21st Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2409

March 23, 2014

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415 517-3331

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From: williamgargano@comcast.net  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 12:47 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

William Gargano  
2845-39th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2744

March 23, 2014

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William R. Gargano  
4156815567



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**From:** annkutner@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 12:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

AnnAnn Kutner  
2242 16th avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1825

March 23, 2014

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Ann Kutner  
415-742-5109

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From: dbergson@pacbell.net  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 12:32 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Richard Bergson  
1661 Pine Street Apt 725  
San Francisco, CA 94109-0408

March 23, 2014

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Very respectfully yours,

Richard W. and Maureen C. Bergson  
415 447-5689



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**From:** lorcezann@aol.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 12:22 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Cezanne Tocchini  
2379-26th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2343

March 23, 2014

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Sincerely,

Mrs. Cezanne M. Tocchini  
415-564-5388

The Rodgers Family

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From: mspustek@gmail.com  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 11:27 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Maria Spustek  
630 17th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94121-3819

March 23, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
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From: mmsmithsf@comcast.net  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 10:57 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Mary M smith  
763 Myra Way  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1716

March 23, 2014

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Mary Martha Smith  
415-333-7560

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**From:** carlin.christensen@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 10:47 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Carl Christensen  
155 Jackson St. #1107  
San Francisco, CA 94111-1929

March 23, 2014

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Carl Christensen  
415 986 0322



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Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 10:47 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
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Gracian Goyhenetche  
2419 21st Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2409

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415 517-3330

Tom Duffy  
4156816516

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From: tmduffy27@gmail.com  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 10:07 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Tom Duffy  
267 Dalewood Way  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1652

March 23, 2014

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I would appreciate hearing from you as to the position you have taken on the subject of this letter.

Sincerely,

Paul E. Moslander  
(415) 673-5491

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From: falconcitypaul@juno.com  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 9:42 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Paul Moslander  
1895 Jackson Street Apt 401  
San Francisco, CA 94109-2817

March 23, 2014

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From: m.duffy2@comcast.net  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 9:37 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Michael Duffy  
2700 Great Highway  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2672

March 23, 2014

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Michael Duffy



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**From:** sfhuskie@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 9:07 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Steven Tong  
2055 15th avenue  
san francisco, CA 94116-1315

March 23, 2014

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Sincerely,

Steven Tong

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

(BOS)

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**From:** alexbrumder@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 23, 2014 8:57 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Alexandra Tong  
2055 15th ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1315

March 23, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

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Sincerely,

Alexandra Tong  
415 699-3424



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From: jimfranferry@msn.com  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 8:52 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Jim Ferry  
123 Robinhood Dr.  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1626

March 23, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Jim & Fran Ferry



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From: wjk3@att.net  
Sent: Sunday, March 23, 2014 8:47 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Bill Kelly  
10 El Verano Way  
San Francisco, CA 94127

March 23, 2014

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Bill Kelly







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**From:** heatherkbrown@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 10:52 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Heather Natsch  
2010 Lyon Street  
San Francisco, CA 94115-1610

March 25, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

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Heather Natsch

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From: Board of Supervisors  
To: BOS Supervisors  
Subject: File 140120: Catholic School Persecution?

*LA MMS clerk*

-----Original Message-----

From: [a\\_ovalle@comcast.net](mailto:a_ovalle@comcast.net) [mailto:[a\\_ovalle@comcast.net](mailto:a_ovalle@comcast.net)]  
Sent: Monday, March 24, 2014 8:07 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Catholic School Persecution?

Amber Ovalle  
781 24th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94121-3711

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

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Sincerely,  
Amber K. Ovalle  
415-596-5198

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From: roiwanchuk@gmail.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 11:24 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Russell Iwanchuk  
2101 Sacramento St. #302  
San Francisco, CA 94109-3313

March 21, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Russ Iwanchuk  
4158851056

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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From: slisaann@icacademy.org  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 11:45 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Rosalinda Martinez  
1212 Guerrero Street  
San Francisco, CA 94110-3621

March 21, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Rosalinda Martinez  
4158242052

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From: cwweaver@comcast.net  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 11:55 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Carl Weaver  
640 46th ave  
San Francisco, CA 94121-2406

March 21, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Carl Weaver

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From: naughton@gene.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 1:10 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Patricia Naughton  
510 Hillcrest Blvd.  
Millbrae, CA 94030-2348

March 21, 2014

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From: verarodkewich@gmail.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 1:10 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Vera Rodkewich  
863 28th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94121-3513

March 21, 2014

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Vera M. Rodkewich  
4155928898

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**From:** scatanzariti@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Friday, March 21, 2014 1:24 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

sergio catanzariti  
2790 19th ave, apt. 11  
SF, CA 94132-1635

March 21, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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sergio catanzariti



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From: shanac123@yahoo.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 2:19 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Shana Combatalade  
337 TERESITA BLVD  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94127-1847

March 21, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Shana Combatalade  
4154529168

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From: nes\_1712@yahoo.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 3:00 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Nora Sheriff  
1712 Castro Street  
SF, CA 94131-1839

March 21, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Nora Sheriff  
4155191996



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**From:** ceilyturner@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Friday, March 21, 2014 3:39 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Cecilia Landman  
1472 6th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3811

March 21, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Cecilia Landman  
4158718303

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From: joshualandman@yahoo.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 3:39 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Joshua Landman  
1472 6th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3811

March 21, 2014

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Sincerely,

Joshua Landman  
4155772321



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**From:** ovovov@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Friday, March 21, 2014 5:09 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Greg Ovalle  
451 Lombard Street  
San Francisco, CA 94133-2416

March 21, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 5:09 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Amy Ovalle  
451 Lombard Street  
San Francisco, CA 94133-2416

March 21, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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**From:** cathy.t.doyle@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Friday, March 21, 2014 5:15 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Catherine Doyle  
1617 Plymouth Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2117

March 21, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Catherine T. Doyle  
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Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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From: ceruttime@gmail.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 5:49 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Mary Cerutti  
240 Hugo Street  
San Francisco, CA 94122-2643

March 21, 2014

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4155664154

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From: jeff.hagan@earthlink.net  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 5:49 PM.  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Jeff Hagan  
2424 Washington Street  
San Francisco, CA 94115-1834

March 21, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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4156741713

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From: lstephens@drstephens.net  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 6:09 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Lane Stephens  
2275 Broadway St., #622  
San Francisco, CA 94115-1204

March 21, 2014

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From: kmylett@sbcglobal.net  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 6:09 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Kathleen Morgan  
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San Francisco, CA 94114-3639

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From: skestes@sbcglobal.net  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 6:39 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Kristi Estes  
909 Divisadero Street  
San Francisco, CA 94115-4402

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From: lesli.asiello@gmail.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 8:29 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Lesli Asiello  
856 b MacArthur Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94129-4046

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Lesli Asiello  
4155612677

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From: alisamarie@yahoo.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 8:34 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Alisa Peralta  
83 Springfield Dr.  
San Francisco, CA 94132-1454

March 21, 2014

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Alisa Peralta

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**From:** mvilling@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Friday, March 21, 2014 8:44 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Marie Villing  
PO Box 210243  
San Francisco, CA 94121-0243

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Doug  
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Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 8:59 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
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Cathy Pedroncelli  
1278 C Lendrum Ct  
San Francisco, CA 94129-4487

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From: giazza@gmail.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 10:29 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Gino Iezza  
801 W. colorado BL #B  
Monrovia, CA 91016-6936

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626-359-4301

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From: havlink@gmail.com  
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2014 10:49 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Kathleen Havlin  
1331 Scott street  
San Francisco, CA 94115-4010

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From: takearney705@aol.com  
Sent: Saturday, March 22, 2014 6:15 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Tiffany Kearney  
365 Valley Street  
San Francisco, CA 94131-2322

March 22, 2014

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Amanda Danaher  
137 Marston Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94112-1816

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March 22, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Katherine Alba-Swanson  
San Francisco

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

(BOS)

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From: michael@trileaves.com  
Sent: Saturday, March 22, 2014 8:44 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Michael Lehane  
88 King Street Unit 619  
San Francisco, CA 94107-4029

March 22, 2014

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Michael Lehane  
4157069518

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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From: mark@markpardini.com  
Sent: Saturday, March 22, 2014 9:14 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Mark Pardini  
710 15th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94118-3507

March 22, 2014

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Sincerely,

Mark S. Pardini  
415-379-9612

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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From: mollybeyer@sbcglobal.net  
Sent: Saturday, March 22, 2014 9:14 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Molly Beyer  
1430 Jefferson Street  
San Francisco, CA 94123-1211

March 22, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Molly Beyer

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(BOS)

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**From:** sean.havlin@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 22, 2014 9:44 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Sean Havlin  
1331 Scott Street  
San Francisco, CA 94115-4010

March 22, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Sincerely,

Sean Havlin



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**From:** sly.danielle@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 22, 2014 10:14 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Danielle Sly  
1231 5th avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-2613

March 22, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Danielle Sly

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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From: trigs@sbcglobal.net  
Sent: Saturday, March 22, 2014 10:29 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Michael Terrigno  
269 26th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94121-1126

March 22, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

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Regards,

Michael Terrigno  
4155315876

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From: juli@gammo.net  
Sent: Saturday, March 22, 2014 12:54 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Juli Gammon  
1430 Francisco Street, #9  
San Francisco, CA 94123-2244

March 22, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

Juli Gammon  
415-786-2562



(BOS)

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From: tedwong.bayarea@gmail.com  
Sent: Saturday, March 22, 2014 1:05 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Ted Wong  
1430 francisco st #9  
san francisco, CA 94123-2244

March 22, 2014

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Ted Wong  
4154416261

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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From: mark\_j\_anderson@mac.com  
Sent: Saturday, March 22, 2014 2:35 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Mark Anderson  
482 Alvarado St  
San Francisco, CA 94114-3305

March 22, 2014

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From: shahriarmost@yahoo.com  
Sent: Saturday, March 22, 2014 3:04 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Shahriar Mostarshed  
156 Panorama Dr.  
San Francisco, CA 94131-1253

March 22, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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From: cckelleysf@gmail.com  
Sent: Saturday, March 22, 2014 4:14 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Catherine Kelley  
135 Terrace Drive  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1529

March 22, 2014

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**From:** ajiaru96@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 22, 2014 6:00 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Rosemarie Camacho  
2880 Shannon Drive  
South San Francisco, CA 94080-5320

March 22, 2014

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Rosemarie Camacho  
650-201-3578

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From: squibi@gmail.com  
Sent: Saturday, March 22, 2014 6:20 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Steve Jones  
536 Los Palms Dr  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2210

March 22, 2014

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Steve Jones  
415-516-6950

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From: sarahjones10@live.com  
Sent: Saturday, March 22, 2014 6:19 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Sarah Jones  
536 Los Palms Dr  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2210

March 22, 2014

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Sarah Jones  
415-999-8611

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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From: barmelg@aol.com  
Sent: Saturday, March 22, 2014 7:10 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Barbara Graham  
3419 Ulloa Street  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2265

March 22, 2014

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Sincerely,

Barbara Graham  
(415) 564-4497

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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**From:** juliaclarkdobel@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 22, 2014 8:09 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Julia Clark Dobel  
2570 Diamond Street  
San Francisco, CA 94131-3067

March 22, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Julia Clark Dobel





(BOS)

File 140120

From: prayrosary@att.net  
Sent: Monday, March 24, 2014 2:22 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Thomas McGreevy  
250 Knoll Rd., Apt. 155  
San Marcos, CA 92069-1594

March 24, 2014

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Sincerely,

Thomas McGreevy  
760-471-2988

(BOS)

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From: bethsteininger@yahoo.com  
Sent: Monday, March 24, 2014 6:22 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Beth Wraga  
142 Cervantes Blvd  
San Francisco, CA 94123-1108

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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(BOS)

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**From:** kellycommercial@aol.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 7:42 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Brian Kelly  
1276 Lincoln Avenue, Suite 102  
San Jose, CA 95125-3008

March 24, 2014

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Brian Kelly  
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(BOS)

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From: rgschu@sbcglobal.net  
Sent: Monday, March 24, 2014 8:02 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Robert Schusteritsch  
1329 Sacramento St. #1  
San Francisco, CA 94109-4253

March 24, 2014

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Robert Schusteritsch

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From: c.maresh@yahoo.com  
Sent: Monday, March 24, 2014 7:27 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Catherine Maresh  
3417 Divisadero St  
San Francisco, CA 94123-1907

March 24, 2014

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Catherine Maresh  
415-717-3655

(BOS)

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**From:** colette.gumm@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 8:22 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Colette Gumm  
116 Moffitt St.  
San Francisco, CA 94131-2617

March 24, 2014

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From: jmeriadoc204@comcast.net  
Sent: Monday, March 24, 2014 9:17 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

James Merriman  
2221 Gough Street #204  
San Francisco, CA 94109-2807

March 24, 2014

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File 140120

**From:** willielucey@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 5:22 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

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Will Lucey  
230 Bella Vista Way  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1812

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Will Lucey  
415-452-9004



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**From:** stephanie\_lowe@ymail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 3:57 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Please Help Save Our Schools!

Stephanie Lowe  
57 San Jacinto Way  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2053

March 24, 2014

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Dr. Stephanie Lowe  
415-587-6217



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**From:** bd322@pacbell.net  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 5:22 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

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**From:** gcanepa@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 5:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Gordon Canepa  
510 Dellbrook Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94131-1161

March 24, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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**From:** rmustain@icacademy.org  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 5:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Rachel Mustain  
3625 24th St.  
San Francisco, CA 94110-3607

March 24, 2014

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**From:** acbsf@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 7:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Andrea Bornstein  
[acbsf@yahoo.com](mailto:acbsf@yahoo.com)  
San Francisco, CA 94123

March 24, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

I am considering sending my daughter, who is currently in a public pre-school, to the neighborhood Catholic school because I do not have a public neighborhood elementary school and like many of my neighbors will be forced to send my child across town to attend public school. Many families are shut out of public schools in this city and are left with only the option to move or find a private solution. Catholic schools are an affordable option for many families as they are subsidized by local parishes.

I am a single, working mother and have limited options, and I am not alone. Catholic schools disproportionately serve working class and lower income families. As members of this community, we deserve a voice.

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Sincerely,

Andrea Bornstein  
4157710594



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**From:** sboyce100@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 7:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Stephen Boyce  
2121 Laguna St #37  
San Francisco, CA 94115-2151

March 24, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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415-931-6963

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**From:** scott@heavygraphics.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 8:37 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Scott Baumann  
1559B Sloat Blvd. #268  
San Francisco, CA 94132

March 24, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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**From:** lauralou1@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 8:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Laura Mulcrevy  
149 Wawona Street  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1325

March 24, 2014

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Laura Mulcrevy



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**From:** realmona78@aol.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 9:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Vaughan Camacho  
2880 Shannon Drive  
South San Francisco, CA 94080-5320

March 25, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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**From:** maryannmilias@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 9:17 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

mcihael st peter  
2645 scott st  
san francisco, CA 94123-4634

March 25, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

mary ann and michael st peter  
415-922-4466



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**From:** matthew\_callahan@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 9:27 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Matt Callahan  
1638 8th avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3718

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4153862003



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**From:** mike2531@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 9:37 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Michael Schymeinsky  
2531 - 45th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2644

March 25, 2014

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Michael Schymeinsky

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**From:** schober2@pacbell.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 5:57 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Kristin Schober  
2748-41st Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2710

March 25, 2014

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Kristin Schober  
4155666403



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**From:** tnieto@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 9:27 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Tom Nieto  
2554A Gough Street  
San Francisco, CA 94123-5013

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**From:** rgranucci@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 10:42 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Robert Granucci  
25 St. Francis Blvd.  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1936

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Respectfully yours,

Robert Granucci  
415-391-4492



file 140120

**From:** jilly\_bean\_400@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 11:13 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jill McCarden  
1721 Chestnut St., Apt. 101  
San Francisco, CA 94123-2943

April 3, 2014

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Jill McCarden  
4156719100



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**From:** irishden@prodigy.net  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 03, 2014 8:13 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Margaret O'Donnell  
2566 - 27th Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2908

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Margaret O'Donnell  
415 661-8945



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**From:** irishden@prodigy.net  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 03, 2014 8:18 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
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Dennis O'Donnell  
2566 - 27th Ave.  
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File 140120

**From:** janengland7@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 11:23 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jan England  
8020 Walerga road Unit 1021  
Antelope, CA 95843-5761

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Jan England  
916-749-6719



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**From:** mrgyorke@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 11:53 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Mary Gyorke  
334 24th Avenue Apt 2  
San Francisco, CA 94121-2027

April 2, 2014

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Mary R. Gyorke  
916-600-7061



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**From:** mmartinez@saicsf.org  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 11:58 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Miguel Martinez  
299 Precita Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94110-4627

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Miguel Martinez  
415-648-2008



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**From:** vflaviani@holynamesf.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 12:58 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Victor Flaviani  
846 33rd Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94121-3430

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**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 1:18 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Carlos Longa  
127 Del Vale. Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1834

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**From:** wintmobile@aol.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 2:38 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jerry Winters  
224 Arguello Blvd  
San Francisco, CA 94118-1407

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**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 2:43 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Alexandrine Raul  
1906 Great Highway  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1053

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**From:** bobfoutssf@aol.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 3:33 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Robert Fouts  
3224 Baker St.  
San Francisco, CA, CA 94123-1807

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File 140120

**From:** sheblinatasha@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 7:28 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Natasha Massarweh  
929 Taraval Street, Apt. 1  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2422

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Sincerely,

Natasha Massarweh



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**From:** cmazer@att.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 8:43 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Catherine Mazer  
55 Marin Ave.  
Sausalito, CA 94965-1774

April 1, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Catherine Mazer  
415-324-7008



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**From:** alexshotkoski@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 9:18 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Alex Shotkoski  
12205 Providence Place  
Chino, CA 91710-2851

April 2, 2014

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Alex Shotkoski  
909-460-1628



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**From:** upkerryupcork@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 9:48 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

John Harrington  
2529-18th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-3006

April 2, 2014

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Mr. & Mrs. John F. Harrington



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**From:** jkamcpa@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 9:03 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Janice Kam  
5515 Anza Street  
San Francisco, CA 94121-2430

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Janice Kam  
4153108644



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**From:** justineandrews@att.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 9:18 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Justine Andrews  
1520 Sacramento st.  
San Francisco, CA 94109-3867

April 2, 2014

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Sincerely, Justine Andrews

Justine Andrews



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**From:** eng\_david@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 9:48 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

David Eng  
229 Bay Ridge Dr  
Daly City, CA 94014-1570

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**From:** faneball@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 9:48 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

GERARD FANE  
25 morningside drive  
san francisco, CA 94132-1236

April 2, 2014

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Gerard J. Fane



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**From:** faneball@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 02, 2014 9:53 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Eamonn Fane  
25 morningside drive  
san francisco, CA 94132-1236

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File 140120

**From:** baltman@gmail.com  
**sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 2:13 PM  
**o:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Brian Altman  
630 Lyon Street  
San Francisco, CA 94117-1333

April 1, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Sincerely,

Brian Altman  
9175547498

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**From:** jmtornese@aol.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 5:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Judith Tornese  
224 Argue  
San Francisco, CA 94118-1407

March 31, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Judith Tornese  
415-668-7125

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**From:** frdan@stbrendanparish.org  
**nt:** Monday, March 31, 2014 5:57 PM  
**o:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Daniel Nascimento  
29 Rockaway Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1029

March 31, 2014

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Rev. Daniel Nascimento

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**From:** aurenab1@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 9:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Aurelia Nabor  
1735 Oakdale ave  
San Francisco, CA 94124-2326

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Aurelia  
4157562686



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**From:** sfbuf@aol.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 9:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Connie Buford  
1818 Broadway #304  
San Francisco, CA 94109-2224

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**From:** thaihoatran@gmail.com  
**sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 10:22 PM  
**to:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Thaihoa Tran  
451 7th Ave #3  
San Francisco, Ca, CA 94118-3072

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415-831-4681

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**From:** slope3@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 7:02 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

silvia lopez  
[slope3@yahoo.com](mailto:slope3@yahoo.com)  
san francisco, CA 94134

April 1, 2014

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silvia lopez  
4156990582

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**From:** lcar28@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 8:17 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Laura Cardarelli  
PO Box 744  
Clayton, CA 94517-0744

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Laura Cardarelli  
415 420-2580

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**From:** ctperez2000@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 11:03 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Carol Perez  
1174 Burrows St  
San Francisco, CA 94134-1363

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Carol Perez

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Carol Perez

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**From:** ctperez2000@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 11:13 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Thomas Perez  
1174 Burrows St.  
San Francisco, CA 94134-1363

April 1, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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**From:** ankica74@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 11:48 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Ankica Radalj  
2503 Cabrillo Street  
San Francisco, CA 94121-3623

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Maurice & Ankica Radalj  
4152980092

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**From:** kelliemfoy@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 1:23 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Kellie Foy  
1594 19th Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3417

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Kellie Foy  
415-661-6153

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**From:** murrayassoc@aol.com  
**ent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 3:53 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Maryanne Murray  
1488 36th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3122

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Maryanne Murray

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**From:** fatima.94gon@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 4:18 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Fatima Gonzalez  
216 Sawyer St.  
San Francisco, CA 94134-2336

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Fatima Gonzalez  
4153854293

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**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 4:23 PM  
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Socorro Gomez  
4153023336

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**From:** oscargonzalez783@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 4:28 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Oscar Gonzalez Gomez  
216 sawyer st  
san francisco, CA 94134-2336

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Oscar Gonzalez Gomez  
4152716475

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**From:** mattyjoshelley@gmail.com  
**ent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 5:18 PM  
**o:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Matt Shelley  
533 5th Ave #1  
San Francisco, CA 94118-3928

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**From:** patrolwing@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 5:23 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Sue Gaylord  
39 Eaton Ave.  
Daly City, CA 94015-4617

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415 999-9999

(BOS)

File 140120

**From:** Board of Supervisors  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 4:39 PM  
**To:** BOS-Supervisors  
**Subject:** File 140120 - Help Save Our Schools!

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**From:** [store4414@theupsstore.com](mailto:store4414@theupsstore.com) [<mailto:store4414@theupsstore.com>]  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 3:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

MARTIN KONOPASKI  
3001 BRIDGEWAY STE. K  
SAUSALITO, CA 94965-1485

March 31, 2014

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**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** ellen@bubblerealestate.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 3:27 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Ellen Novak  
1804 Filbert  
San Francisco, CA 94123-3608

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**From:** paulamccallum@msn.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 3:12 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Russell Sabini  
139 Alhambra St.  
San Francisco, CA 94123-2003

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**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** casfo\_100@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 2:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Margaret K.  
5th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94118

March 31, 2014

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**From:** traceybonfiglio@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 1:57 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Tracey Bonfiglio  
3011 Van Ness Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94109-1011

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Tracey Bonfiglio  
415-713-5842



**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** lofberg6@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 1:17 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Lisa Lofberg  
358 Ralston St  
San Francisco, CA 94132-2638

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Lisa Lofberg  
4158102999



**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** hemenwayc3@aol.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 12:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Charlotte Hemenway  
590 26th Avenue Apt 10  
San Francisco, CA 94121-2939

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**From:** jdeguzman@stmarysf.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 11:37 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jojo de Guzman  
838 Kearny St.  
San Francisco, CA 94108-1304

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Mr. Jojo de Guzman



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File 140120

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**From:** Board of Supervisors  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 11:09 AM  
**To:** BOS-Supervisors  
**Subject:** File 140120 - Help Save Our Schools!

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**From:** [kmontermoso@gmail.com](mailto:kmontermoso@gmail.com) [mailto:kmontermoso@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 10:52 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Kara Montermoso  
630 Lyon St  
San Francisco, CA 94117-1333

March 31, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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## Lagunte, Richard (BOS)

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**From:** craig.sullivan@clorox.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 9:58 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Craig Sullivan  
65 Montclair Terrace  
San Francisco, CA 94109-1517

March 31, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Craig and Maureen Sullivan



**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** wmy02@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 9:58 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Cindy Young  
1558 27th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3228

March 31, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** white@stanne.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 9:53 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Thomas White  
1517 Spinnaker Lane  
Half Moon Bay, CA 94019-1556

March 31, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Thomas C. White



**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** clewis@mshanken.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 9:52 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Cheryl Lewis  
3241 Gough Street, #2  
San Francisco, CA 94123-2366

March 31, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** pattymelgar@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 9:03 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

PATRICIA MELGAR  
659 Keith Street  
San Francisco, CA 94124-1708

March 31, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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PATRICIA MELGAR  
415-730-9109



**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** francolucchesi204@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 8:12 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Franco Lucchesi  
204 madrid  
san Francisco, CA 94112-2055

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Sincerely,

Franco, Susan, & Tom  
415-806-2746



**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** mfloyd415@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 7:02 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Michele Floyd  
2618 18th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-3007

March 31, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Michele Floyd



**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** csiu3838@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 10:32 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Clare Siu  
1842 Lake Street  
San Francisco, CA 94121-1312

March 31, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Clare Siu, M.D.

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**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** lisachu22@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 10:12 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

melissa Landers  
240 seaside drive  
pacific, CA 94044-2930

March 31, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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melissa Landers  
pacific



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**From:** reihill44@aol.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 9:57 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Rachel Adame  
482 alhambra road  
South San Francisco, CA 94080-5615

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626-409-5949



**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** gertsbergm@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 9:22 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Marina Gersberg  
152 s. lake merced hl  
san francisco, CA 94132-2935

March 31, 2014

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Marina Gersberg  
4153854506

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**From:** ajrando@mac.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 9:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

ANTHONY RANDO  
6000 California st.  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94121-2108

March 31, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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ANTHONY RANDO  
415-751-4162



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**From:** newjerusalem69@att.net  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 8:57 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Carlos Guerra  
16279 Ivy Ave  
Fontana, CA 92335-3351

March 30, 2014

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Carlos Guerra  
9098540513



**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** lindabehnke@me.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 7:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Linda Behnke  
239 Mallorca Way  
San Francisco, CA 94123-1551

March 30, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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**From:** nanalucy80@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 5:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Loucine Rassam  
250 5th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94118-2308

March 30, 2014

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Coley Pogonian  
666 24th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94121-2911

March 30, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** czjuarez@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 4:02 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

changing juarez  
30 edgemont dr  
Daly City, CA 94015-3808

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**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** donnamohr@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 3:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Donna Mohr  
588 Arkansas Street  
San Francisco, CA 94107-2829

March 30, 2014

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**From:** vlerotic@pacbell.net  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 3:32 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Vesna Lerotic  
109 Elsie Street  
San Francisco, CA 94110-5148

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Vesna Lerotic  
4158266117

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## Lagunte, Richard (BOS)

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**From:** dawwalker@mac.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 2:37 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

David Walker  
3135 Gough Street  
San Francisco, CA 94123-2311

March 30, 2014

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David Walker  
928-5375



**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** matija@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 2:12 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Matija Mosunic  
328 Union St  
San Francisco, CA 94133-3516

March 30, 2014

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Sincerely,

Matija Mosunic  
415-765-9960



**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** g@charmes.net  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 1:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Guillaume Charmes  
115 Knowles Ave  
Daly City, CA 94014-3851

March 30, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Guillaume J. Charmes  
5599273225



**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** vilmajoe@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 12:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Joseph Soares  
2262 36th Ave.  
san francisco, CA, CA 94116-1646

March 30, 2014

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Sincerely,

Joseph Soares  
415-731-3002



**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** vilmajoe@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 11:57 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Vilma Soares  
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**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** musetap@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 11:52 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Richard Bryan  
4075 Ceasar Chavez Street  
San Francisco, CA 94131-1918

March 30, 2014

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4156957446



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**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** rocky@saicsf.org  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 30, 2014 7:17 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Robin Rockey  
4075 Cesar Chavez Street  
San Francisco, CA 94131-1918

March 30, 2014

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415 695-7446







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**From:** tjmarx3@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 29, 2014 9:02 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Thomas Marx  
450 SCOTT ST  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94117-2323

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**From:** lcristiani@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 29, 2014 6:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Laura Andronaco  
783 23rd Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94121-3736

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**From:** mmarnold6@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 29, 2014 5:02 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Millie Arnold  
264 Precita Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94110-4623

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Millie Arnold  
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**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** oltom2@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 29, 2014 3:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Patricia Landers  
1308 Ulloa St  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2533

March 29, 2014

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415 664 8220



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**From:** sfbev@aol.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 29, 2014 3:17 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Beverly Boone  
53 Manor Drive  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2733

March 29, 2014

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**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** brandye\_pmp@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 29, 2014 1:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Patricia Pendergast  
2459-22nd. Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2436

March 29, 2014

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Patricia M. Pendergast  
731-1535



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**From:** richardvmurray@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 29, 2014 12:37 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Rick Murray  
P.O. Box 29126  
San Francisco, CA 94129-0126

March 29, 2014

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Sincerely,

Rick Murray  
415.902.9997







**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** mayannehom@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 29, 2014 11:57 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

may hom  
946 stockton st, apt 8f  
san francisco, CA 94108-1643

March 29, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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may hom  
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**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** starr.jessie@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 29, 2014 9:17 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jessica Starr  
1854 15th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-4536

March 29, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Jessica Starr  
415 563 3313







**Lagunte, Richard (BOS)**

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**From:** kstarr@usc.edu  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 29, 2014 9:12 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Sheila Starr  
1835 Franklin St. #1502  
San Francisco, CA 94109-3401, CA 94109-3401

March 29, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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**From:** wszymanko@saicsf.org  
**Sent:** Friday, March 28, 2014 5:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Sister Wanda Szymanko  
299 Precita Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94110-4627

March 28, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sister Wanda Szymanko







File 140120

**From:** mmartinmd@earthlink.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 2:57 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Catholic School Issue and Seismic Ordinance

Michael J.  
2 Pacheco St.  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1435

March 26, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

Catholic schools serve a very large number of children from working class and inner-city families. These schools are supported mostly by local parishes.

I believe that the proposed ordinance for private school seismic (file no. 140152), is being rushed through, and is punitive to private schools. It will adversely impact thousands of San Francisco families with kids.

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- Encourage the seismic safety work by not triggering upgrades of unrelated code requirements.

This ordinance needs to be carefully thought through to limit its adverse impact on our schools. There needs to be more input from the private school community.

Please allow consider many different views to heard and be part of process on this proposed ordinance.

Any new regulation should incorporate the life-safety standard, limit the ordinance to school buildings, and grant relief from unrelated code requirements.

Thank you for your attention to this important issue.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Matin, MD  
(415) 665-5624

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File 140120

**From:** boblv222@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 4:37 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Robert Valdez  
120 Dorado Terrace  
San Francisco, CA 94112-1743

March 26, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Robert L Valdez



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**From:** jlfieber@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 2:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Julie Fieber  
1962 29th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1142

March 26, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Julie Fieber



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**From:** jayers@matson.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 2:37 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jim Ayers  
2662 25th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2903

March 26, 2014

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Sincerely,

Jim Ayers  
510.628.4327



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**From:** mpoland@orrick.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 2:37 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Mindy Poland  
4000 Ocean Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94132-1427

March 26, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Mindy Poland



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**From:** kmq\_erickson@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 2:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Todd & Karla Erickson  
3924 Pasadena Drive  
San Mateo, CA 94403-3643

March 26, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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**From:** teddy\_handoko@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 1:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Teddy Handoko  
1607 38th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3001

March 26, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Teddy Handoko



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**From:** vbricker@siprep.org  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 1:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Veronica Bricker  
1200 39th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-1339

March 26, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Veronica Bricker



**From:** pecrudodds@aol.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 1:02 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Paul Crudo  
459 Magellan Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1922

March 26, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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415 566 8224

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**From:** efown@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 6:37 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Erin grogan  
2721 Wawona St  
san francisco, CA 94116-2867

March 26, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Erin Grogan  
4155668392



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**From:** micaela.khh@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 4:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Micaela Heekin  
159 downey street  
san francisco, CA 94117-4419

March 26, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Micaela Heekin & Chris Hart



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**From:** paul.clifford.ent@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Friday, March 28, 2014 12:02 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Paul Clifford  
458 Flood Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94112-1335

March 28, 2014

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Paul Clifford  
415-637-7162

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**From:** carolpaul5@aol.com  
**Sent:** Friday, March 28, 2014 12:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Ana Clifford  
458 Flood Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94112-1335

March 28, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Ana Carolina Clifford  
415-672-7291

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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**From:** rochelle@yosemiteplace.com  
**Sent:** Friday, March 28, 2014 12:12 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Rochelle Edwards  
2 Henry Adams St. #370  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94103-5024

March 28, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Rochelle Edwards  
415-240-2132

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**From:** rosy@lizpalacios.com  
**Sent:** Friday, March 28, 2014 12:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

ROSA GARCIA  
3085 Cesar Chavez St  
San Francisco, CA 94110-4730

March 28, 2014

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**From:** euskalduna@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Friday, March 28, 2014 2:27 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Nicole Sorhondo  
75 Cityview Way  
San Francisco, CA 94131-1234

March 28, 2014

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415.285-0748

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**From:** elvie.ysip@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Friday, March 28, 2014 2:27 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

elvira ysip  
67 denslowe dr  
san francisco, CA 94132-2043

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elvira ysip  
4154529235

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(BOS)

File # 140120

**From:** kevinmaureen@barry5.net  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 10:02 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Maureen Barry  
1921 8th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1440

March 27, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Sincerely,

Maureen Barry  
415-225-3176



(BOS)

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**From:** kevinmaureen@barry5.net  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 10:07 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Kevin Barry  
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Kevin Barry  
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(BOS)

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**From:** jomahe@aol.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 12:02 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Joanne Maher  
1760 Main Street  
Saint Helena, CA 94574-1039

March 27, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Joanne Maher  
4152797039



(BOS)

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**From:** maramirez@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 12:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

margie ramirez  
580 capp st  
san francisco, CA 94110-2570

March 27, 2014

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Sincerely,

margie a. ramirez



(BOS)

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From: frankdecana@gmail.co  
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2014 12:22 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Frank Byrne  
1 Lobos St.  
San Francisco, CA 94112-3019

March 27, 2014

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Frank Byrne  
415-420-4763



(BOS)

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**From:** pfdasilva@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 12:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Patricia Da Silva  
1855-43rd Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-4011

March 27, 2014

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From: elmilanese@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2014 1:57 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Erica Boznanski  
631 Folsom Street, 10D  
San Francisco, CA 94107-3611

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Erica Boznanski  
4155631003



(BOS)

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From: cmthorsen@sbcglobal.net  
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2014 2:02 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Catherine Thorsen  
2523 45th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2644

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**From:** mariecivil@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 2:22 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Marie Civil  
269 Darley Drive  
Vallejo, CA 94591-8504

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Marie Civil



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From: lalalala\_ph@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2014 3:17 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Maria Segismundo  
449 Peninsula Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94134-2428

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**From:** shanlieve@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 3:22 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Mary Louise Brannigan  
1870 32ND AVENUE  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94122-4156

March 27, 2014

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Mary Louise Brannigan  
4157316635



(BOS)

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**From:** edelmanjoan@aol.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 3:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Joan Edelman  
2925 buchanan street  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94123-4222

March 27, 2014

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Joan Edelman



(BOS)

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**From:** legarrea@aol.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 3:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Angelo Legarrea  
2931 Buchanan Street  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94123-4222

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From: deb.l.sellers@gmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2014 4:22 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Deborah sellers  
2078 green street  
san francisco, CA 94123-4813

March 27, 2014

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Sincerely,

Deborah sellers



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From: ikkicocoa@aol.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2014 4:47 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Z Sanchez  
1850 Sullivan Av  
Daly City, CA 94015-2221

March 27, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Z Sanchez  
6509916769

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

(BOS)

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**From:** sherilyn.s.sanchez@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 4:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Sherilyn Sanchez  
230 Vienna Street  
San Francisco, CA 94112-2128

March 27, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Sherilyn Sanchez  
415-806-3432

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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**From:** mark.carlin1222@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 5:12 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Mark Carlin  
2457 21st avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2409

March 27, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Mark Carlin  
4156647699



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**From:** brigidmurphy@att.net  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 5:22 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Brigid Murphy  
1609 20th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3435

March 27, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Brigid Murphy  
(415)731-8728

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

(BOS)

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**From:** viki@myastound.net  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 7:32 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Viki Saba  
2800 Alemany Blvd  
San Francisco, CA 94112-4146

March 27, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Viki Saba  
415-586-0633

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From: maryvop@hotmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2014 8:07 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Mary Virginia Leach  
1212 Guerrero Street  
San Francisco, CA 94110-3621

March 27, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Mary Virginia Leach



## Ausberry, Andrea

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**From:** Board of Supervisors  
**Sent:** Monday, March 24, 2014 1:36 PM  
**To:** BOS-Supervisors; Ausberry, Andrea  
**Subject:** File 140120: Help Save Our Schools!

-----Original Message-----

**From:** [sethanb@aol.com](mailto:sethanb@aol.com) [<mailto:sethanb@aol.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 7:24 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Stephen Barry  
1727 23rd Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-4423

March 20, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,



Stephen Barry  
(415)564-5736

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## Ausberry, Andrea

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**From:** Board of Supervisors  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 11:45 AM  
**To:** Ausberry, Andrea  
**Subject:** File 140120: Help Save Our Schools!

-----Original Message-----

**From:** [cooneyman@yahoo.com](mailto:cooneyman@yahoo.com) [<mailto:cooneyman@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 11:17 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Joseph Cooney  
3575 Fillmore Street # 105  
San Francisco, CA 94123-2123

March 25, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Joseph Cooney

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(BOS)

File #140120

From: jgberger@gmail.com  
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2014 5:12 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Jennifer Schatz  
2283 Green St  
San Francisco, CA 94123-4709

March 26, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Jennifer Schatz  
4158292888



(BOS)

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**From:** mpawski@att.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 6:27 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Miles Pawski  
101 Villa Terrace  
San Francisco, CA 94114-2213

March 26, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Miles Pawski



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**From:** melissa\_m\_martin@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 6:57 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Melissa Martin  
2544 Lake St  
San Francisco, CA 94121-1119

March 26, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Melissa Martin  
414-876-1913



(BOS)

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From: boyerpm@gmail.com  
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2014 8:32 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Paul Boyer  
2452 Geary Blvd  
San Francisco, CA 94115-3317

March 26, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Paul Boyer  
6502554084

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From: cathy\_costello@hotmail.com  
Sent: Wednesday, March 26, 2014 8:42 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

cathy wells  
3432 ulloa st  
sf, CA 94116-2264

March 26, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

cathy wells



(BOS)

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**From:** laurajgcorleto@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 9:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Laura Corleto  
764 North Point Street #4  
San Francisco, CA 94109-1333

March 27, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

Fully 30 percent of all San Francisco students attend private schools. Catholic schools disproportionately serve working class and inner-city families and are largely supported by local parishes, not the Archdiocese.

I count myself as part of one of those working class families that the SF Archdiocese serves and I am proud that I am able to provide my daughter with this type of education.

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Sincerely,

Laura Corleto

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

(BOS)

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**From:** oherlihy.mary@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 11:12 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Mary Noonan  
2429 Franklin Street  
San Francisco, CA 94123-5004

March 27, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

I am contacting you as a parent of a first-grader and an incoming kindergartner and as a parishioner at St. Vincent de Paul Parish.

Catholic schools in San Francisco disproportionately serve working class and inner-city families and are largely supported by local parishes, not by the Archdiocese.

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In a time of flight of families to the suburbs because of cost of living in the City, Catholic Schools are keeping working families with children in San Francisco. Please allow a diverse set of views to be part of process on this proposed ordinance so that affected communities in San Francisco can be heard.

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Thank you!

Sincerely,

Mary Noonan  
6174804993

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**From:** tresbellarosas@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 11:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Maria Vasquez  
2903-A Baker St.  
San Francisco, CA 94123-3209

March 27, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Maria Vasquez

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California.

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**From:** bozboy11@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 11:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Blake Boznanski  
631 Folsom Street 10D  
San Francisco, CA 94107-3611

March 27, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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From: emriego@gmail.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2014 8:52 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Michelle Riego  
106 Guttenberg St  
San Francisco, CA 94112-4344

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4158166496

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From: sfbuck009@yahoo.com  
Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2014 9:12 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Edward Martinez  
1418 47th avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-2909

March 27, 2014

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**From:** jennygstanley@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 9:22 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jennifer Stanley  
135 Balceta Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1001

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Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2014 9:22 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

Erin Darwin  
1777 Oak St  
San Francisco, CA 94117-2014

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**Sent:** Thursday, March 27, 2014 9:32 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

anna totah  
48 Belmont Drive  
Daly City, CA 94015-1060

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**From:** jadine0124@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 12:22 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

MICAELA MUNDA  
56 CAMELOT COURT  
DALY CITY, CA 94015-2850

March 25, 2014

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**From:** joverobiz@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 12:32 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Kumiko Jovero  
40 Cerritos Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2704

March 25, 2014

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**From:** erigerod@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 12:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

David Erigero  
3426 Divisadero Street  
San Francisco, CA 94123-1908

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**From:** lucypsj@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 12:57 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Lucy Serafino  
1550 Bay Sreet - Apt. 401  
San Francisco, CA 94123

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Lucy Serafino



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**From:** tntoc@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 1:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Theresa O'Connell  
2330 - 43rd Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2037

March 25, 2014

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(415) 664-4157



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**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 1:07 PM  
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2448 Great Highway # 14  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2077

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415-665-1463



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**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 1:12 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
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Joanne Foy  
22235 Beach Sreet  
San Francisco, CA 94123

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**From:** oconnellr@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 1:32 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Lynn O'Connell  
2770 19th Avenue #49  
San Francisco, CA 94132-5149

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**From:** dvonrock@vonrocklaw.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 2:02 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Deidre Von Rock-Ricci  
750 Laguna Honda Blvd  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1022

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**From:** gmulcrevy@att.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 2:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Gracie Mulcrevy  
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San Francisco, CA 94127-1325

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**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Susan Entringer  
90 Gaviota Way  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1818

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Susan Entringer



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**From:** devikach@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 2:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Devika Bhatnagar  
530 chestnut street  
San Francisco, CA 94133-2393

March 25, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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**From:** maurengoword@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 3:12 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

maureen kirwan  
158 inverness drive  
san francisco, CA 94132-1449

March 25, 2014

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mrs maureen kirwan r.n.



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**From:** wmemccall@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 3:17 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Walter McCall  
2650-15th Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1314

March 25, 2014

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**From:** dldilena@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 3:22 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

David Di Lena  
P.O. Box 1092  
Moss Beach, CA 94038-1092

March 25, 2014

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David L. Di Lena  
650.728.1110

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**From:** monica\_syler@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 3:32 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Monica Syler  
2054 43rd Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1033

March 25, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Monica Syler  
415-613-7108

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**From:** gcoxsf@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 3:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Glenda Cox  
1855 46th avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3913

March 25, 2014

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**From:** tringuyen.147@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 3:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Tri Nguyen  
2106 Santiago Street  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1635

March 25, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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**From:** tinapaul@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 4:02 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Tina Paul Mulye  
4329 KIRKHAM STREET  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94122-2916

March 25, 2014

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Tina Paul Mulye  
4156618891



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**From:** jenniferlescallett@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 4:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jennifer LesCallett  
2821 Moraga Street  
San Francisco, CA 94122-4122

March 25, 2014

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Jennifer LesCallett  
4153078405

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**From:** marilynwhitcher@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 4:12 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Marilyn Whitcher  
125 El Verano Way  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2036

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Marilyn Whitcher  
415-585-7768



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**From:** jdvssf@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 4:17 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

James Valle-Schwenk  
2070 29th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1144

March 25, 2014

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**From:** tydebrunner@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 4:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Teresa Debrunner  
2286 47th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1547

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**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 5:17 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Susan Yu  
232 Naylor St.  
San Francisco, CA 94112-4511

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4153338758

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**From:** jenlearley@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 5:32 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jennifer Earley  
2590 Sacramento Street  
San Francisco, CA 94115-2276

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**From:** ritabbest@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 5:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Rita Nolan  
1446 27th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3226

March 25, 2014

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Mrs. Rita Nolan  
San Francisco



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**From:** edtafe@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 6:12 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Edward Tafe  
138 Hemlock Court  
Palo Alto, CA 94306-4622

March 25, 2014

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Edward Tafe  
415-225-4649

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**From:** yoshi4879@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 8:07 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Cheryl Wong  
1560 Sloat Boulevard  
San Francisco, CA 94132-1223

March 25, 2014

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**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 7:37 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jennifer Pawlowski  
2019 Green St  
San Francisco, CA 94123-4812

March 25, 2014

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Sincerely,

Jennifer Pawlowski  
4154091287



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**From:** lindabarnessf@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 6:47 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Linda Barnes  
2133 17th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1855

March 25, 2014

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415-242-0454



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**From:** t121f@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 8:32 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Triffiny Lau  
27 Monterey Drive  
Daly City, CA 94015-3863

March 25, 2014

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Triffiny Lau  
6507576886



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**From:** mosterlombardini@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 8:42 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Melissa Lombardini  
405 Hazelwood Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2129

March 25, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Melissa Oster Lombardini  
415-586-4886

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**From:** andrewpodriscoll@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 8:57 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Andrew O'Driscoll  
1372 Green Street  
San Francisco, CA 94109-1927

March 25, 2014

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4153782471

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**From:** joni\_lyon@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 8:57 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Joanne Sokol  
283 juanita way  
San francisco, CA 94127-1744

March 25, 2014

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Joanne sokol



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**From:** maureen@2bebold.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 8:57 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Maureen Kelly  
1372 Green Street  
San Francisco, CA 94109-1927

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Maureen Kelly



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**From:** lorriannraji@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 9:17 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Lorriann Raji  
2350 32nd Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2206

March 26, 2014

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**From:** patshea7@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 10:12 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Patrick Shea  
2547 14th avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1307

March 26, 2014

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Patrick Shea  
4155646042



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**From:** mmshea03@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 9:57 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

maureen Mullane  
2547 14th avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1307

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4155771852

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**From:** kcmarotto@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 10:32 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Krista Marotto  
604 FUNSTON AVE  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94118-3604

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4155052144

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**From:** roarko2@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 10:52 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

joanne oneill  
161 pixley st  
sf, CA 94123-3420

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joanne oneill  
4155675680



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**From:** g\_stanley@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 25, 2014 11:02 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Graham Stanley  
135 Balceta Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94127-1001

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Graham Stanley  
4153855849



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**From:** jfranceschi@svdpsf.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 6:02 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Julie Franceschi  
2350 Green St.  
San Francisco, CA 94123-4625

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Julie Franceschi  
415-346-5505



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**From:** tessa\_oleary@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 9:47 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Tessa O'Leary  
225 Pacheco St  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1458

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**From:** rvench@sonic.net  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 9:57 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Robert Venchiarutti  
1116 Fell Street  
San Francisco, CA 94117-2315

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 10:32 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

senait abraha  
38 lois lane  
san francisco, CA 94134-2460

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4153360504

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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 11:17 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Noreen McCullagh  
415 Piccadilly Place #8  
San Bruno, CA 94066-2030

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**From:** ccerutti01@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 26, 2014 11:17 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Connie Cerutti  
2371 44th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2042

March 26, 2014

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**Sent:** Wednesday, April 23, 2014 11:01 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Cinta Telfer  
4-15th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94118-1009

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**From:** carmelpm@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Friday, April 18, 2014 5:11 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

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Carmel McDonnell  
1522 23rd Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3308

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**Sent:** Friday, April 18, 2014 5:41 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Hilda Kissane  
2004 Pine Court  
Daly City, CA 94014-3501

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**From:** wonge@sfsud.edu  
**Sent:** Saturday, April 19, 2014 7:46 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Edna Wong  
485 37th ave  
san francisco, CA 94121-1613

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**From:** emma@emma-bryant.com  
**Sent:** Monday, April 21, 2014 10:56 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Emma Bryant  
1425 Chestnut Street  
San Francisco, CA 94123-3115

April 21, 2014

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## Evans, Derek

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**From:** Nevin, Peggy  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 2:21 PM  
**To:** Evans, Derek  
**Subject:** FW: Seismic Evaluation of Private Schools - File No. 140120

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**From:** Otellini, Patrick (ADM) [<mailto:patrick.otellini@sfgov.org>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 12:56 PM  
**To:** BOS-Supervisors; Elliott, Jason (MYR); Kelly, Naomi (ADM)  
**Cc:** BOS-Legislative Aides; Hilt, Micah (ADM); Boyajian, Judy (CAT)  
**Subject:** Seismic Evaluation of Private Schools - File No. 140120

Hello colleagues,

Thank you to our supporters and co-sponsors of this ordinance. As you all know this ordinance will require the seismic evaluation of all of the City's 120 non-public schools over the next three years.

This morning all SF Archdiocese schools notified their parents asking them to contact Mayor Lee and the Board of Supervisors expressing concern about this ordinance. Unfortunately this notice contains factually incorrect information. Most importantly it assumes that this ordinance requires seismic retrofits of these schools and this is not the case. The proposed ordinance only requires evaluation of these structures and any construction work is completely voluntary. The letter also points out three specific concerns. After discussing these issues at length with the Archdiocese, as well as many other schools that participated in the working group process, we are going to make revisions to the ordinance as noted below. This will address their concerns and once these changes are made we should have consensus-based support moving forward:

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3. Additional clarifications that non-earthquake related work is not triggered by this ordinance.

Our office is happy to address any concerns that come up from constituents as a result of this.

Thank you,

**Patrick Otellini**

Chief Resilience Officer  
Director, Earthquake Safety Implementation Program  
Office of the City Administrator

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City Hall, Room 362  
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File 140120

**From:** dimme99@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 16, 2014 10:26 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

John Maimone  
412 dolores st  
san francisco, CA 94110-1009

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**From:** slmcquaid@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 16, 2014 11:11 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Sarah McQuaid  
388 Urbano Drive  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2869

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**From:** maguiresf@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 17, 2014 1:11 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Kathleen Maguire  
4024 Kirkham st.  
San Francisco, CA 94122-2943

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Sent: Friday, April 18, 2014 8:31 AM  
To: Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
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James Holtz  
66 Edgemont Dr.  
Daly City, CA 94015-3808

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**Sent:** Wednesday, April 16, 2014 9:36 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Norma Fierro  
534 Cordova St  
San Francisco, CA 94112-4421

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shaunda hayes  
535 Buena vista Ave # 303  
alameda, CA 94501-2056

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Norma Fierro  
4155156060



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**From:** blanken1@aol.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 15, 2014 5:46 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jorge A Portillo  
115 Blanken Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94134-2406

April 15, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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4154676147

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**From:** munozroxy@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 15, 2014 4:56 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Roxana Muñoz  
55 Ankeny Street  
San Francisco, CA 94134-2138

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**From:** kvcd007@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 15, 2014 2:56 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Katherine Dunakin  
108 Galewood Circle  
San Francisco, CA 94131-1132

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**From:** jdito@valinoti-dito.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 15, 2014 12:11 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jeffrey Dito  
65 Clifford Terrace  
San Francisco, CA 94117-4503

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**From:** westamp@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 15, 2014 12:01 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Wendy Kan  
778 - 43rd ave  
san francisco, CA 94121-3302

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**From:** ap1973@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 15, 2014 12:51 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Annie Poon  
1370 39th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94122-1341

April 15, 2014

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415-568-6878

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File 140120

From: juliepaul164@comcast.net  
Sent: Monday, April 14, 2014 6:25 PM  
To: Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
Subject: Help Save Our Schools!

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Julie Paul  
164 Jordan Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94118-2512

April 14, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Julie Paul



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**From:** shanehillier@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, April 14, 2014 8:05 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Shane Hillier  
560 18th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94121-3111

April 14, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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415-488-7894

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**From:** fotieileen@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 10, 2014 8:29 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Eileen Foti  
741 Joost Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94127-2203

April 10, 2014

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415 596-6259

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**From:** paulus4934@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 10, 2014 11:34 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Paulus Dinh  
4934 arnica ct  
san jose, CA 95111-3901

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**From:** reneemcknn@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Friday, April 11, 2014 5:29 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Renee McKenna  
3131 rivera st  
san francisco, CA 94116-1524

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Renee McKenna  
415 731 5832

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**From:** peskysf@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Friday, April 11, 2014 9:49 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

christopher bessette  
201 ewing terrace  
san francisco, CA 94118-4408

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christopher bessette  
4156010793

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**From:** tomwalsh1534@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Friday, April 11, 2014 5:24 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Thomas Walsh  
1534 26th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3218

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**From:** nealonka@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, April 12, 2014 11:15 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Karen Nealon  
78 Rudden Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94112-2540

April 12, 2014

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**From:** robert.rodriguez3@sbdinc.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, April 12, 2014 11:15 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Robert Rodriguez  
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San Francisco, CA 94112-2540

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**Sent:** Saturday, April 12, 2014 1:25 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
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manuel macias  
2316 hepworth ave  
commerece, CA 90040-1121

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Rosaleen Connolly  
962 EDINBURGH ST  
San Francisco, CA 94112-3818

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Sincerely,

Rosaleen Connolly  
4157221225

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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**From:** tara.moriarty@ktvu.com  
**Sent:** Monday, April 14, 2014 11:15 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Tara Moriarty  
67 Weston Dr  
Daly City, CA 94015-3048

April 14, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Tara Moriarty  
415 606-1687

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**From:** cplestelle@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Monday, April 14, 2014 11:40 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Cathy Estelle  
1822 38th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-4148

April 14, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Cathy Estelle



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**From:** socalm@bellsouth.net  
**Sent:** Monday, April 14, 2014 11:45 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Laura Maneschi  
160 Shrader street  
San Francisco, CA 94117-1017

April 14, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
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Sincerely,

Laura and Antonio Maneschi  
4153872062

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**From:** helmutsorders@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Monday, April 14, 2014 2:55 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Helmut Schmidt  
2139 39th ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1651

April 14, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Helmut Schmidt  
5718181

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**From:** ted@prevalentdesign.com  
**Sent:** Monday, April 14, 2014 1:00 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Weems Estelle  
1822 38th ave  
san francisco, CA 94122-4148

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File 140120

**From:** coletteakelly@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 09, 2014 4:59 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

colette kelly  
275 broadway  
San Francisco, CA 94115

April 9, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Colette A. Kelly



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**From:** riagleva@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 09, 2014 8:29 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Rebecca Ruiz  
215 Raymond Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94134-2327

April 9, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

Dear City and County of San Francisco:

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Sincerely,

Rebecca Ruiz  
415-859-0135

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**From:** giame@domino.it  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 09, 2014 9:04 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Fabrizio Giamello  
1410 Dolores St  
San Francisco, CA 94110-4321

April 9, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Fabrizio Giamello  
4155508301

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**Nevin, Peggy**

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**From:** joe@alliancetravel.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 10, 2014 9:49 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

joe Dugan  
1458 10th ave  
san francisco, CA 94122-3603

April 10, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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joe dugan



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**From:** jennycdugan@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 10, 2014 9:49 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jennifer Dugan  
1458 10th ave  
san francisco, CA 94122-3603

April 10, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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**From:** aprilsarraille@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 10, 2014 11:54 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

April Sarraille  
542 LOMBARD ST  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94133-2314

April 10, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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April Sarraille  
4156375951

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**From:** jferretty@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 10, 2014 3:04 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Javier Ferretty  
258 A Street  
Redwood City, CA 94063-1010

April 10, 2014

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San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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**From:** aferretty@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 10, 2014 3:04 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Annette Ferretty  
258 A Street  
Redwood City, CA 94063-1010

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**From:** arostrain@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 10, 2014 5:04 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Anna Strain  
130 Funston ave  
SF, CA 94118-1119

April 10, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Anna Strain  
415-215-5027

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**From:** bernice314@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 10, 2014 5:04 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors (BOS)  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Bernice Palacio  
71 Oneida ave  
San Francisco, CA 94112-3211

April 10, 2014

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1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Sincerely,

Bernice Palacio



File 140120

**From:** ktrouble@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 08, 2014 1:04 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Karen Takamoto  
2211 38th Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1649

April 8, 2014

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Sincerely,

Karen Takamoto  
415-661-3397

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**From:** j9ratti@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 08, 2014 5:04 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Jeannine Ratti  
1021 Granada Dr  
Pacifica, CA 94044-3518

April 8, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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April 8, 2014

Patrick Otellini, Chief Resiliency Officer  
 City and County of San Francisco  
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 San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Patrick:

The meeting you set for April 10, 2014 at 3 pm can be an important opportunity to improve the dialogue and raise the level of information and awareness regarding the Private Schools Earthquake Evaluation Ordinance introduced on February 11, 2014 by Mayor Ed Lee.

As we noted in earlier communications, securing attendance could be challenging given Spring Break for schools along with Passover, Easter and Orthodox Easter celebrations. It is our hope that the meeting will yield an informed, broad-based coalition of schools that can work alongside your Working Group, which you have also encouraged to attend.

Since the meeting on March 19, 2014 convened by Supervisor Scott Wiener, Chair of the Land Use and Economic Development Committee, concerns about this ordinance have amplified among the private schools that serve almost 30,000 students in San Francisco.

Many of these schools' concerns served as the focus of an in-depth discussion held yesterday morning at St. Mary's Cathedral. More than 60 principals, vice-principals, parent volunteers and other representatives were in attendance, representing the diverse communities served by private schools – including large independent schools, schools serving low-income and working families, cultural and language-based schools, schools serving special needs and learning-challenged populations, as well as religious schools of various denominations.

In more than two hours of discussion, these schools shared the common goals of increased, dedicated outreach on the ordinance and for improving seismic safety of their facilities while articulating their concerns. Private school students, their families, and faculty and staff deserve the same reassurance that San Francisco's public schools can offer their constituencies that the seismic safety process is inclusive and informed by real dialogue.

Yet, several concerns emerged again and again. I've taken the liberty of outlining them below in the hope that these can be incorporated into the agenda you are planning for Thursday's meeting, which most of Monday's attendees indicated they would be attending, so that we can move forward in a collaborative way:

- 1. There needs to be greater and more effective outreach to, and inclusion of, San Francisco's diverse private school communities in this process given the wide-ranging impacts of the proposed ordinance.**

A significant number of schools had simply not heard anything about the ordinance; others were only partially aware of the advanced state of its development. It's fair to say that most of the schools represented Monday were apprehensive, even fearful, because they knew so little about this legislation.

One school said it had participated earnestly in the working group process, made a simple but significant request to adopt the “state definition” of schools and have it incorporated into the ordinance, only to have it ignored in the ordinance draft.

On Thursday, perhaps you can address these concerns and set forth a program that would build better knowledge and ultimately support among San Francisco’s private schools. These schools simply need more time to educate their diverse constituencies in a way that supports the goals of this legislation, not just studies of building conditions – but actual improvement of seismic safety, without engendering unnecessary fears about seismic issues.

2.

**There must be greater emphasis on transparency and shared goals. The very real effects of the legislation should be disclosed and discussed candidly.**

There is a concern, based on some of your discussion with us and representations in the media, that an “us vs. them” dynamic is developing. Collaboration should be the order of the day when the safety of San Francisco schoolchildren is the goal.

Your characterization of this ordinance as requiring “just a study” masks the very real chain of events that will be put in motion once this legislation passes. Representations that such studies can be done “for as little as \$8,000” suggest that private schools’ concerns are simply economic. Finally, many schools expressed frustration at your repeated representations to the Mayor, elected officials, decision-makers and City Hall staff that private schools’ concerns had been “worked out” or “smoothed over”. Clearly, there are many unresolved and serious issues.

The schools we heard from would greatly appreciate a toning down of such divisive characterizations, with a greater emphasis on how we can work *together* to make San Francisco more resilient and seismically safe for our children.

Better yet, we think it would be useful to collaborate on a set of shared goals and objectives that recognizes the aspirations and challenges this legislation incorporates. **As written, this ordinance will result in the closing of schools:** that is not a scare tactic but an inevitability for schools who serve poorer communities. Like all private schools, their tuitions cover only a portion of overall costs; unlike larger, more affluent schools, they cannot readily access or raise necessary funds.

We would like to see a strong statement from the City that private schools play an important role for San Francisco’s educational and economic future, that they contribute to the quality of life, economic and social diversity and values of our City, and that their concerns deserve to be addressed in the face of this proposed legislation so that none will be forced to shut its doors in the name of seismic safety.

What was clear from the discussion this morning, is the following events will almost certainly ensue after these seemingly simple studies are completed and posted as public information:

First, schools will feel a moral obligation to take action on whatever problems may surface. They will feel such an obligation without the benefit of necessary resources.

Second, there will be widespread concern among our parent communities that children may not be attending “safe” schools, with ensuing pressure to act quickly, again without the necessary resources to do so.

Third, it will be only a matter of time before private lawsuits are filed against private schools. As a practical matter, this will be the rough and expensive mechanism that moves a “simple study” to enforcement, however well intended the “study-only” language is.

Finally, as another practical matter, once permits are pulled for any seismic upgrades resulting from these studies, the City will compel schools to immediately comply with other building-safety statutes (ADA, energy efficiency, lead and asbestos abatement) that may apply. Some of the schools we heard from Monday indicated these related expenses could cost twice the amount of their seismic improvements.

**3. Vague portions of the legislation will have devastating impacts on some private schools; these need to be clarified and made more specific.**

It would be very helpful in the Thursday meeting if you could address very specifically what school facilities are covered by the ordinance. As you know, many private schools are located in older, sometimes historic, facilities. Many schools make use of facilities for very different purposes than those originally intended. What, in The City's view, is a "school building" as it pertains to the ordinance?

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For religious schools in particular, the offer of City-endorsed loans is a nonstarter given church-state concerns. Realistically, private schools are left without a dedicated funding mechanism or even time to determine if and how to raise these funds privately.

Additionally, we spoke this morning of the significant number of private schools located in leased facilities (there are seven such Catholic schools alone). In this hot real estate market, many property owners will simply choose to discontinue renting to schools if they are required to adhere to the ordinance as written. San Francisco can ill-afford the spectacle of private schools essentially orphaned, and possibly closing, in the headlong rush to attain the requirements of imprecisely written legislation.

I want to reiterate our interest in working with City Hall to achieve our shared seismic safety goals. I hope that this preview of some of the concerns that may arise on Thursday will provide you with time to address them accordingly and to improve the process going forward. Let's continue to work together to achieve common goals.

Sincerely,



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Building Inspection Commission

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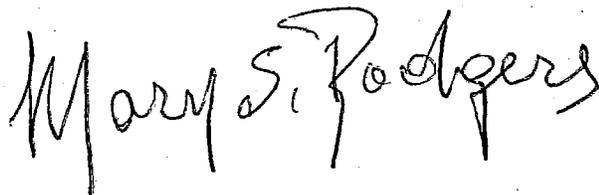
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Sincerely,

June Park  
415-668-5409

Catholic Legislative Network, A Voice for Life & Dignity in California

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**From:** brianzarka@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Saturday, April 05, 2014 7:53 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Brian Zarka  
1697 Rancho Drive  
Ceres, CA 95307-4598

April 5, 2014

City and County of San Francisco  
1 Drive Carlton B. Goodlett Place  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4603

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Brian Zarka  
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**From:** lupeu2004@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, April 06, 2014 11:53 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Guadalupe Umanzor  
1358 Revere Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94124-3341

April 6, 2014

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Guadalupe Umanzor  
415-333-1800

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**From:** lupeu2004@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, April 06, 2014 11:58 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Bessy Umanzor  
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**From:** bpistillo@mofo.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, April 06, 2014 1:58 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Bernadino J. Pistillo, Jr.  
425 Market St. Flr 32  
San Francisco, CA 94105-2467

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4153703605

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**From:** josephine.chew@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, April 06, 2014 4:28 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

IiChoo Chew  
2535 45th Avenue  
san francisco, CA 94116-2644

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4156828870

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**From:** sharanjot.saini@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, April 06, 2014 5:33 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Sharanjot Saini  
65 Poncetta drive  
Daly City, CA 94015-1178

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**From:** tjbauer8546@att.net  
**Sent:** Sunday, April 06, 2014 5:53 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Thomas Bauer  
2201 Pacific Ave  
San Francisco, CA 94115-1445

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Thomas Bauer  
415-346-5568



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**From:** leonel.nascimento7@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, April 06, 2014 9:43 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Leonel Nascimento  
2215 45th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1504

April 7, 2014

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**From:** tom@biritemarket.com  
**Sent:** Monday, April 07, 2014 7:59 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Thomas McGuigan  
1200 - 39th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94122-1339

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415-731-1866

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**From:** jknietes@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Monday, April 07, 2014 10:29 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Janice Nietes  
370 Michelle Lane  
Daly City, CA 94015-2886

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**From:** tom.leach@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Monday, April 07, 2014 11:14 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Tom Leach  
1571 Funston Ave,  
San Francisco, CA 94122-3530

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File 140120

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**From:** pbelard25@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Friday, April 04, 2014 2:33 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Peter Belardinelli  
52 Cervantes Boulevard  
San Francisco, CA 94123-1606

April 4, 2014

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415-409-1963

File 140120

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**From:** jamurphy@pacbell.net  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 03, 2014 12:08 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Marjorie Murphy  
2491 32nd Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-2238

April 3, 2014

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Marjorie Murphy



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**From:** charleneyee@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 03, 2014 12:18 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Charlene Yee  
622 30th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94121-2823

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Charlene  
4152607386

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**From:** leslieweber2524@comcast.net  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 03, 2014 12:18 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Leslie Weber  
225-12th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94118-2103

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Leslie Weber



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**From:** murphy95@sbcglobal.net  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 03, 2014 8:28 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Elizabeth Murphy  
2175 35th Avenue  
San Francisco, CA 94116-1612

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Elizabeth Murphy



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**From:** triciasf@hotmail.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 03, 2014 9:08 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Tricia Lawrence  
740 Rhode Island St.  
San Francisco, CA 94107-2658

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16 Huckleberry Court  
Brisbane, CA 94005-1264

April 4, 2014

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Sincerely,

Elvie Bast  
415-467-5657



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**From:** mrsnicolson@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Friday, April 04, 2014 10:48 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Valerie Nicolson  
2507 23rd Ave.  
San Francisco, CA 94116-3033

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415-731-2807



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**From:** suzannemarie@msjdominicans.org  
**Sent:** Friday, April 04, 2014 11:03 AM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Suzanne Marie Prows  
1212 Guerrero St.  
San Francisco, CA 94110-3621

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510-589-6731

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**Sent:** Friday, April 04, 2014 12:48 PM  
**To:** Board of Supervisors  
**Subject:** Help Save Our Schools!

Hernan Luna  
520 Geary #207  
San Francisco, CA 94102-1620

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Hernan A. Luna  
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Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Paul Riehle".

Paul Riehle

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
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EDWIN M. LEE  
MAYOR

TO: Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
FROM: Mayor Edwin M. Lee *EL*  
RE: *AD* Substitute Ordinance - File# 140120 - Building Code - Earthquake  
Performance Evaluation of Private School Structures  
DATE: March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2014

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Attached for introduction to the Board of Supervisors is the ordinance amending the Building Code to require that existing private elementary and secondary schools obtain an evaluation by a licensed structural engineer for performance during a future earthquake, to assess a fee for Building Department review and related evaluation processing, to exempt buildings for which voluntary seismic strengthening is performed that meets or exceeds 2013 Building Code requirements from new San Francisco seismic strengthening requirements for 15 years, and to require that a building changing to a school occupancy classification comply with the evaluation requirements; making environmental findings and findings under the California Health and Safety Code; and directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to forward this ordinance to the California Building Standards Commission upon final passage.

Please note this item is cosponsored by Supervisors Breed, Campos, Chiu, Farrell, Mar, Tang, Wiener, and Yee

Should you have any questions, please contact Jason Elliott (415) 554-5105.

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