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Thank you Ontario-Montclair School District Residents!

On behalf of the Ontario-Montclair School District Board of Trustees, students and staff, I want to express my deep appreciation to the OMSD community for the successful passage of the School Bond Measure K! The passage of this important measure is a fine example of what an outstanding community we live in where the safety and education of our children are top priorities.

This bond measure will allow OMSD to make the necessary improvements to address aging classrooms, science and computer labs, and improve electrical systems and wiring in schools. It will ensure that our schools continue to provide safe and modern learning environments for our students to receive a world-class education.

Please be assured that tough fiscal accountability and taxpayer safeguards are in place to ensure your hard earned tax dollars will be spent in the most cost effective manner possible.

The Board of Trustees will establish an independent Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee (COC) to monitor expenditures, ensure that bond revenues are used as specified, and to keep the public informed. Information about the process of forming the <u>Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee</u> will be published soon.

I am incredibly grateful to the many volunteers who worked on the passage of Measure K. I am honored and humbled by the overwhelming support from our community.

Thank you for investing in our students, our schools, and our future.

Respectfully,

James Q. Hammond, Ed.D.

Superintendent