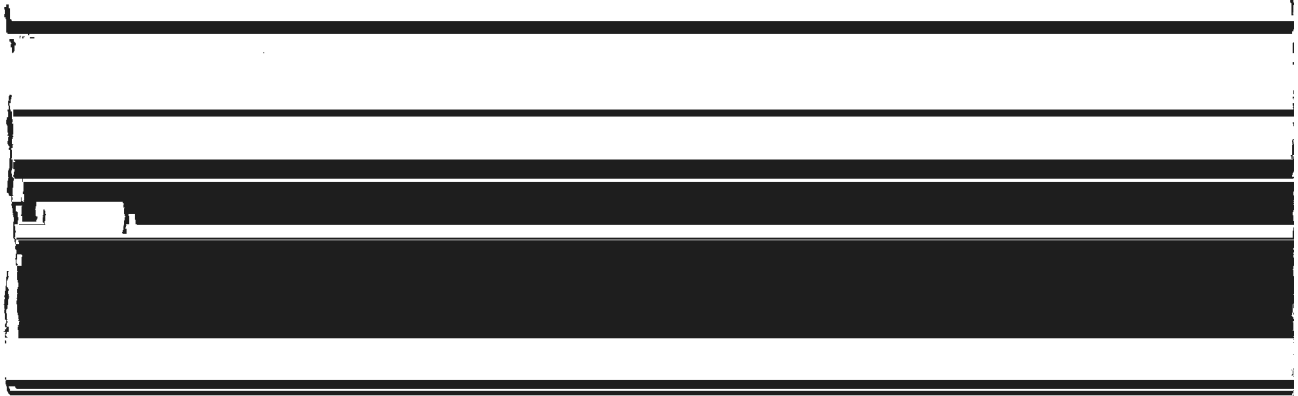


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Name: Evan Minton

Comment: My name is Evan Minton. I fully support SCUSC ending their contract with law enforcement. Raising a growing child of color who has special needs, I am fully aware that he is at the intersection as a target for police violence and harassment. I am fully aware that there is a very well-established, extremely unjust school-to-prison pipeline that disproportionately impacts kids like the one I help raise. I am aware that this system



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Name: Justin Leung

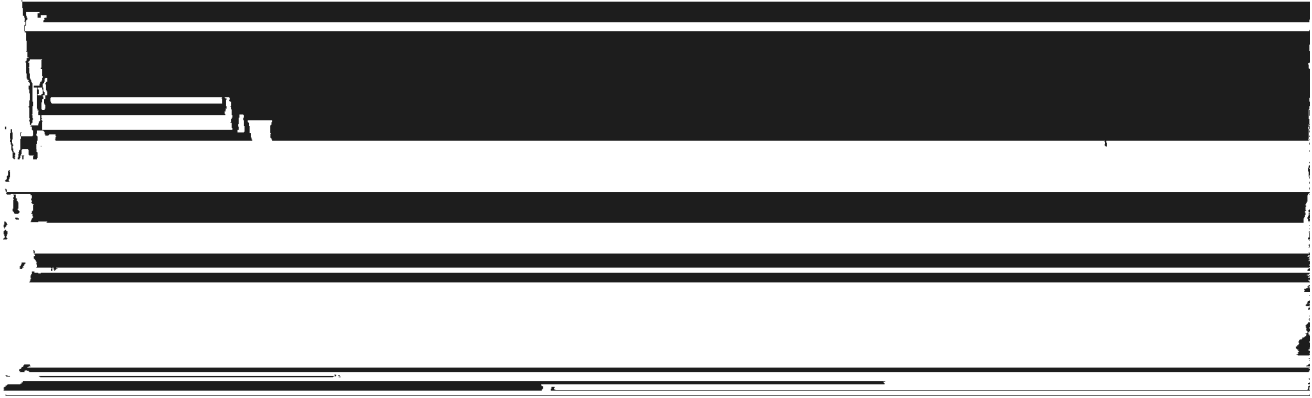
Comment: Greetings School Board Members,

[The following text is redacted with black bars.]

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Name:	Mya Dosch

Comment: I am strongly in favor of Resolution No. 3157 as a first step to making our schools safer



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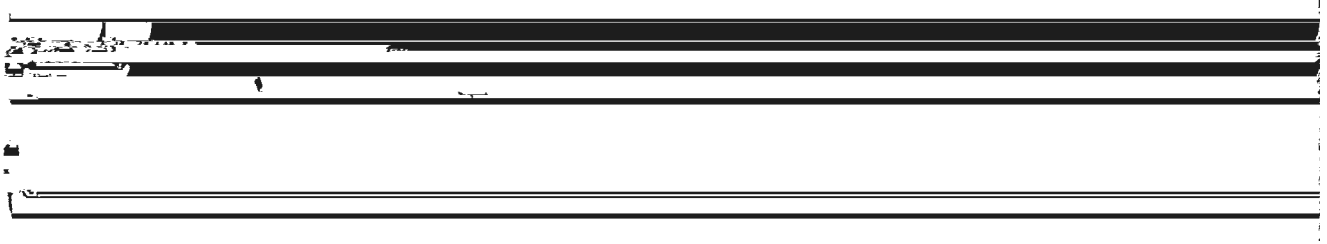
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Name Erin Mahoney

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Name: Melanie Saeck

Comment: I am writing to express my concern with police in schools. I strongly request that police be removed from schools and the the funds be redistributed to programs and services that support the students' health and wellbeing. Police in schools make students less safe. I experienced this myself as a child growing up. The police came after and threatened me instead of my rapist when I was a child. I was less safe as a child as a result of the police. This problem only escalates for students of color and students with disabilities. These students deserve to be safe from police violence. Police presence in schools also



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Name: Timothy Irvine

Comment: I support removing police from schools and ending all contracts with Sac PD. I hope this is only the start of broader divestment from punitive systems and reinvestment in teachers and students, starting with our most marginalized students.

[Redacted Signature] Community Member

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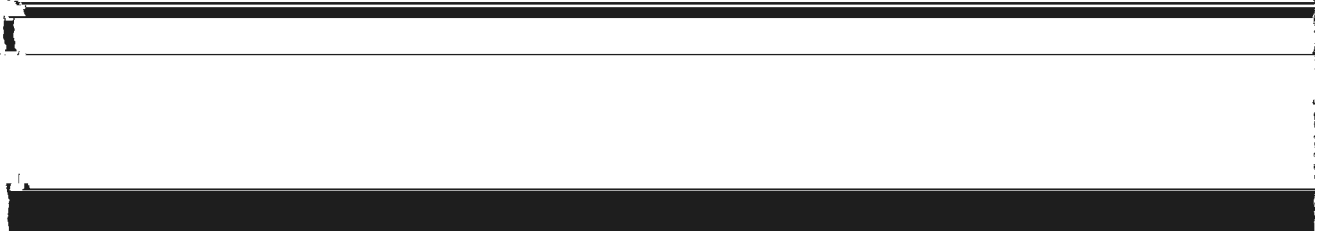
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Name: Nkauj Iab Yang

Comment: Thank you President Jessie Ryan and school board members for this resolution. I encourage the board to refine the resolution language by including and explicitly stating the following -

- 1.) Include student and parent representatives to be part of the task force that reflect SCUSD's overall student population, focusing on vulnerable populations.
- 2.) State that the task force will take part in designing and implementing the Alternative Safety Plan, and have oversight power to assess/audit/evaluate the implementation of the plan.
- 3.) No future contracts with law enforcement.
- 4.) Not allowing the military to recruit SCUSD students, especially targeting low-income students, and instead to increase SCUSD's college going culture.

~~In order to further address the root causes of systemic racism...~~

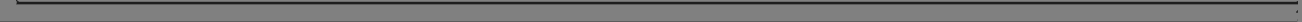
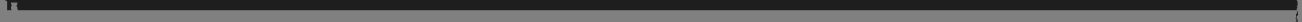
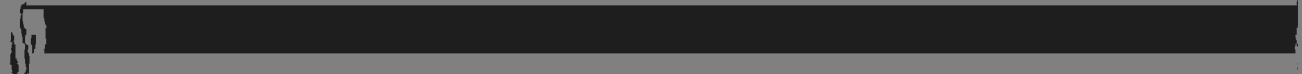


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Name:	Teresa Flores
Comment:	My name is Teresa Flores and I'm a parent of an incoming 5th grader at John Cabrillo and the Director of Organizing with Sacramento ACT. We are glad that the board is following through on its promise to pass a resolution and develop a task force to



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Name Alma Lopez

Comment:

Thank you for taking the step in the right direction in addressing systemic racism in our education system, starting with ceasing funding of the... [REDACTED]

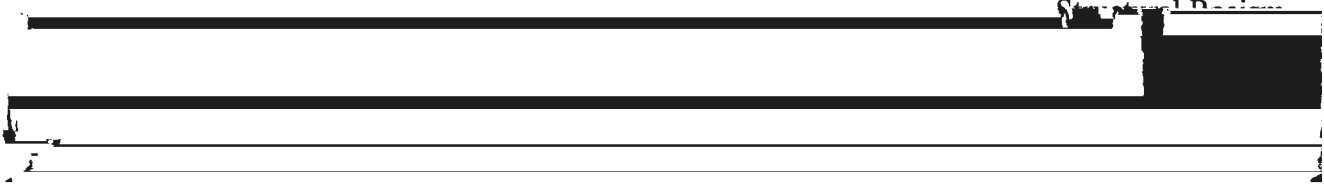
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In Honor of Veterans: Civilian - our district should NOT allow the owner to recommit any

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Name: Junior Goris

Comment Good evening School Board members, Superintendent Aguilar and Staff, I wanted to say THANK YOU for identifying the need in addressing Structural Racism. The horrific idea of racism has helped to some degree fix higher suspension rates of hispanic and black



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Name: Lamaia Coleman

Comment: I support this resolution as a step towards creating a physically and emotionally safer environment to learn and grow in our district. I commend the board for this step.

I also note that it is missing some important concrete actions and specifics in the wider
~~attempts to eliminate racism's harmful effects on our students and staff~~

[REDACTED]

First, I call on you to add to the resolution, that there will be no future contracts with law enforcement.

Next, the task force needs to be more inclusive and more powerful. Student voice needs to be centered including students who are perceived as "causing trouble". It also needs more teachers, classified staff and parents not already part of a formal district group.

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way is to require teachers to take anti-racism classes, potentially community lead, during induction, but outside of the school year.

Speaking as: parent, district sub, SacACT member

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Name: Courtney Poole

Comment: Please consider incorporating more restorative justice practices, counseling and wellness centers, and the community schools model

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Name: Amanda Diamond

Comment: My name is Amanda Diamond and I am a community member who supports Sacramento ACT.

While we are glad the board has heard the cries of the community in regard to SROs, we believe this resolution should be stronger by:

-Making it clear that there will be no future contracts with law enforcement.

Explicitly containing this resolution on student voices and having them at the table.



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Comment: My name is Heather Haight and I'm a member of Sacramento ACT. While we are glad

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Name:	Sarah Williams Kingsley
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Comment:	Thank you Board Chair Jessie Ryan for offering this resolution to re-imagine safety in our schools. I hope the task force called for in the resolution is able to meet the proposed timeline and fulfills its purpose. Since the Capital of Suspensions report in 2018, many positive changes have been made to our school system. The community has been doing the work, and I am hopeful that the foundational work, including the African American Achievement Taskforce, will allow this next step to be less “starting from scratch” as a revisiting of established priorities to decide next steps. As a parent, I would like to see this review include streamlining behavior and discipline policies at school sites, both in
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Name:	Nancy Xiong
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Comment: Hmong Innovating Politics is urging the board to refine the resolution language to include and explicitly state the following:

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- Not allowing the military to recruit SCUSD students, especially targeting low-income students, and instead to increase SCUSD's college going culture.

Thank you.
