
Reduction of Board Trustees

email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Fitch" Wednesday, July 8, 2015 at 9:52:57 AM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org beneventob@mhusd.org", email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED] rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]",
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Dear

Superintendent Betando, MHUSD Board President Beneveto and Board Trustees,

DO NOT

reduce the number of board trustees from 7 to 5!

Your

job is to handle the welfare of our school district. In doing so, you represent the citizens of our town. We elect the Board Trustees because we seek for them to act on our behalf, as we are the stakeholders and the parents of your "customers." Part of your job is to listen to your constituents. It does not matter if you agree with us, you must listen to us!

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are not and cannot be part of the minutia of running a school district, so we look to you to ask questions for us. It does not matter if the questions are simple or complex, we need you to ask questions and seek answers for us. Asking a question is not a distraction nor is it pointing at the emperor when he stands naked. Asking questions is about transparency.

Let
me remind you, the superintendent works for the PEOPLE! You work for the
people. You MUST listen to the people.

I
understand that a new election “redistricting” will happen. I personally
disagree with it. I feel that it is the ploy of a sore loser whose designated
and targeted “community” did not support him in the recent election. Why we
must all suffer because of his hurt feeling is a distraction during a time when
as a greater community, we have more important things to attend to. However , DO NOT use this
pending lawsuit as
a reason to stack the deck in the favor of the current majority! DO NOT reduce
the number of board trustees from 7 to 5!

Karen
Fitch

Board Meeting Agenda Tuesday Night

email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica Guynn"

Sunday, August 2, 2015 at 9:32:30 PM Pacific Daylight Time

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

Cc: email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED]", email: "badillor@mhusd.org", email: "borgiolig@mhusd.org", email: "gerardd@mhusd.org", email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org", email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org"

Dear Board Members,

As parents [REDACTED] we overwhelmingly do not support the grade level reconfiguration. Furthermore, we do not want to bus [REDACTED] to [REDACTED] a year earlier (at an added \$365 plus per year for bussing) to a school that is out of our town, in San Jose. Research documents that a K-8 environment improves student achievement and the other model 6, 7, 8 shows a major decline in academics when students experience changes such as middle school.

Another major agenda item of great concern is trying to change the ED code language that the superintendent and his supporters want the board to approve on August 4th that will eliminate the people's voices from speaking on any matters relative to the redistricting. We also do not support a self-evaluation process for the superintendent and any other administrator. That job should be left to other qualified individuals. Also, all administrator spending should get board approval prior to money's being issued. Principals need school site council approval. There should be a system of checks and balances and approval for all.

In addition to this, we strongly do not support the reduction of board trustees from seven to five. Board members are elected and we need more oversight at the district level to hold the superintendent accountable. We feel this is another tactic to remove elected trustees, giving more power to the remaining members and also attempting to once again eliminate the people's voice and sabotage our district.

Over the past eighteen years, we have seen the decline of Morgan Hill School District. [REDACTED] This Morgan Hill School District is in PI, test scores are down, and our schools have been dropping in ranks statewide. To the remaining board members, you were elected to improve our school district and our district has not improved. As a matter of fact, it has declined. Just remember that you are all elected officials who promised to improve our school and district and have failed miserably.

Remember: one mosquito in a closed room can make a difference.

See you Tuesday night,
Monica & Rob

Think Solutions!

Board Meeting/ E-mail Response

email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica Guynn"

Friday, August 7, 2015 at 11:22:42 AM Pacific Daylight Time

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED]" , email: "badillor@mhusd.org" , email: "borgiolig@mhusd.org" , email: "gerardd@mhusd.org" , email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org"

I sent the following e-mail to trustee Donna Ruebusch in response to an e-mail I received from her and wanted to share my comments with the entire Board.

Donna-

Even though your words were well written, your actions speak louder than those words! The people spoke and four of your board members did not listen. At the meeting, a parent spoke passionately about her views and the translator did not even translate her words correctly. That was so disrespectful and rude toward the Latino community, that you said in your e-mail to me you supposedly value. Also, one of your administrators was sleeping during the meeting. In addition to that, board members were passing notes and then the board president stood up and obviously, clear for all to see, handed the note to another trustee. That was so unprofessional! The board members and superintendent came into the meeting with their decisions already made and not one parent felt respected or heard. The word respect, is not valued at the board meetings I have attended!

Be on notice, you now have the community and parents attention...

The buzz around town is "recall."

Monica Guynn, Parent and Community Member
RSP Teacher
Evergreen School District

Respect

email: "monicaguynn [REDACTED] Monica Guynn"

Friday, August 7, 2015 at 11:35:26 AM Pacific Daylight Time

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

Mr. Benevento-

My husband sent you a passionate and heart-felt e-mail, which he composed at 2am after Tuesday's Board Meeting, and you have yet to have the courtesy to respond to him. You state repeatedly at Board Meetings and Community Events that you value communication and the input of parents/community members in our district, yet you only want your opinions heard. At ever board meeting, you rudely cut off board members, parents, and community input. If a speaker is off topic or shares your view, you allow them to proceed past the allotted time. I am extremely disappointed with how you have presented yourself at Board Meetings when you initially seemed like such a "nice guy."

Please read the e-mail that I sent to Donna Ruebusch and to all the other Board Members.

Thank you,

Monica Guynn, Parent and Community Member

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Transparency in the School District and on the School Board

email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Fitch" Monday, August 10, 2015 at 9:01:11 PM Pacific Daylight Time
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email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org Amy Porter Jensen" Wednesday, August 12, 2015 at 12:12:31 PM Pacific Daylight Time

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Dear Karen,

I appreciate your concern and agree notes should not be passed during meetings.

Regards,

Amy

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CSMH's Charter Renewel

email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Wednesday, August 26, 2015 at 11:43:13 AM Pacific Daylight Time Fitch"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org beneventob@mhusd.org", email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED] rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]", email: "badillor@mhusd.org badillor@mhusd.org", email: "borgiolig@mhusd.org borgiolig@mhusd.org", email: "gerardd@mhusd.org gerardd@mhusd.org", email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org porterjensena@mhusd.org", email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org ruebuschd@mhusd.org", email: "betandos@mhusd.org Steve Betando"

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Respectfully,

Karen Fitch

Re: CSMH's Charter Renewel

email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento"

Wednesday, August 26, 2015 at 5:56:42 PM Pacific Daylight Time

To: email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Fitch"

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Uniform Complaints, and Board Notification

email: "badillor@mhusd.org Rick Badillo" Sunday, September 13, 2015 at 8:32:23 PM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "BeneventoB@mhusd.org Bob Benevento"
Cc: email: "betandos@mhusd.org Steve Betando"
Bcc: email: "kathlyngreube[REDACTED] Kathryn Greubel" , email: "veronicabadl[REDACTED] Veritutititita mi amorcito" , email: "dgerard[REDACTED] David Gerard" , email: "ckharman1[REDACTED] Kristin Harman" , email: "fitchfamusa[REDACTED] Karen Fitch" , email: "barmando3[REDACTED] Armando Be" , email: "juanlopez94619[REDACTED] john lopez" , email: "manciasjulian[REDACTED] Julian Mancias" , email: "sforstner[REDACTED] Scott Forstner" , email: "snoguchi@[REDACTED] Sharon Noguchi"

Bob,

As per BP 9322, I am requesting that an item be placed on the agenda, regarding 1312.3 Uniform Complaint Procedures. I would like a comprehensive review of this policy, and also, would like an amendment to existing policy, to include a report to the Board, of disposition of all complaints filed in the district

Rick

VOTING RIGHTS of the People: Agenda Item G1 from the September 15, 2015 MHUSD School Board Meeting

email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Monday, September 14, 2015 at 10:59:31 AM Pacific Daylight Time Fitch"

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Cc: email: "betandos@mhusd.org Steve Betando" , email: "sforstner [REDACTED] Scott Forstner" , email: "snoguchi [REDACTED] Sharon Noguchi"

Dear President Benevento, and Trustees Woolf, Borgioli, Porter-Jensen, Reubush, Badillo and Gerard,

I am writing to you to urge you to VOTE NO on Agenda item G1 during the upcoming September 15th meeting.

Item G1 on the agenda deals with **VOTING RIGHTS**. G1 is the request to adopt a "Waiver of Election for Trustee Boundary Areas" thus eliminating the public's voice, vision and vote on the matter.

If the School Board votes yes, the voting rights on of the public on this matter are eliminated. A vote yes sets an abysmal precedent. The very people who placed you in your office as a trustee will no longer have any say. You are effectively deciding that the MHUSD Trustees and your agent, the Superintendent will have the ultimate authority to do as he wishes on the issue.

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Respectfully,

Karen Fitch

7 Trustees

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Monday, September 14, 2015 at 3:12:41 PM Pacific Daylight Time
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Please vote for 7 trustees please...
Thank you,

Rob Guynn Photography 
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El Toro SSC President

[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED] {Office}

[REDACTED] {Mobile}

Sent from my ipad ©

Maps 2 and 1

email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica Monday, September 14, 2015 at 5:45:01 PM Pacific Daylight Time Guynn"

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Maps 2 and 1 only and No Waivers...
Thank you

Item G8 on this Evening's MHUSD Board Meeting Agenda

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Dear President Benevento, and
Trustees Woolf, Borgioli, Porter-Jensen, Reubush, Badillo and Gerard,

Last week I found out some spectacular news about [REDACTED] school. The principal has asked you to explore turning Paradise Valley Elementary School into an Engineering Academy. I am writing to you to urge you to VOTE YES on Agenda item G8, but only with a caveat, turn Paradise valley into a K-8 focused academy.

Item G8 is the TURNING PARADISE VALLEY INTO AN ENGINEERING ACADEMY. This may be one of the best opportunities for our children to get a focused academy, but to fully fulfill the goal of an "academy," Paradise Valley School should be a K through 8 school. Being a focused academy paired with a K-8 is the only viable and logical solution. Although the K-5 students will certainly take advantage of this change, truly it is the 6th, 7th and 8th grade students can fully explore, enjoy and benefit from this potential focused academy.

The district model for a successful ACADEMY is K-8.

The School Board and the District Office showed such foresight when creating Jackson Academy of Music and Math as a K-8. JAMM is successful as a K-8, their recent SBAC scores are higher than both the 7th and 8th graders at Britton and Murphy.

On August 4th, the San Martin/Gwinn Academy was voted by you, the MHUSD School Board of Trustees, to go K-8—a strong endorsement from the BOARD that K-8 is the right model for MHUSD Academies.

I recently communicated with Mrs. Dagar, PV's principal. She told me that, "For the past two years, my staff and I have dedicated our instructional focus to set the foundation with students for technology and project based learning. Now I am ready to take it up to another level to explore a focus academy. Student interest and getting them to be college and career ready is at the core of it all!" I absolutely love that our school will be a Project Based Learning environment. I fully support Mrs. Dagar in this effort, but again, only if PV becomes a K-8 academy.

I urge you to vote yes on G8 but only if you follow your own model and make PV a K-8 Academy.

Respectfully,

Karen Fitch

Re: VOTING RIGHTS of the People: Agenda Item G1 from the September 15, 2015 MHUSD School Board Meeting

email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento" Tuesday, September 15, 2015 at 11:15:35 AM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Fitch"

Hello Karen,
Thank you for your message.
Bob

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Re: Maps 2 and 1

email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento"

Tuesday, September 15, 2015 at 11:18:41 AM Pacific Daylight Time

To: email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica Guynn"

Monica,
Thank you for your message.
Bob

On Mon, Sep 14, 2015 at 5:45 PM, Monica Guynn <[monicaguynn\[REDACTED\]](mailto:monicaguynn[REDACTED])> wrote:

Maps 2 and 1 only and No Waivers...

Thank you

Re: Item G8 on this Evening's MHUSD Board Meeting Agenda

email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento" Tuesday, September 15, 2015 at 11:19:53 AM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Fitch"

Karen,
Again, thank you for your messages.
bb

On Tue, Sep 15, 2015 at 6:53 AM, Karen Fitch <[fitchfamusa@\[REDACTED\]](mailto:fitchfamusa@[REDACTED])> wrote:

Dear President Benevento, and
Trustees Woolf, Borgioli, Porter-Jensen, Reubush, Badillo and Gerard,

Last week I found out some spectacular news about [REDACTED] school. The principal has asked you to explore turning Paradise Valley Elementary School into an Engineering Academy. I am writing to you to urge you to VOTE YES on Agenda item G8, but only with a caveat, turn Paradise valley into a K-8 focused academy.

Item G8 is the TURNING PARADISE VALLEY INTO AN ENGINEERING ACADEMY. This may be one of the best opportunities for our children to get a focused academy, but to fully fulfill the goal of an "academy," Paradise Valley School should be a K through 8 school. Being a focused academy paired with a K-8 is the only viable and logical solution. Although the K-5 students will certainly take advantage of this change, truly it is the 6th, 7th and 8th grade students can fully explore, enjoy and benefit from this potential focused academy.

The district
model for a successful ACADEMY is K-8.

The School Board and the District Office showed such foresight when creating Jackson Academy of Music and Math as a K-8. JAMM is successful as a K-8, their recent SBAC scores are higher than both the 7th and 8th graders at Britton and Murphy.

On August 4th, the San Martin/Gwinn Academy was voted by you, the MHUSD School Board of Trustees, to go K-8—a strong endorsement from the BOARD that K-8 is the right model for MHUSD Academies.

I recently communicated with Mrs. Dagar, PV's principal. She told me that, "For the past two years, my staff and I have dedicated our instructional focus to set the foundation with students for technology and project based learning. Now I am ready to take it up to another level to explore a focus academy. Student interest and getting them to be college and career ready is at the core of it all!" I absolutely love that our school will be a Project Based Learning environment. I fully support Mrs. Dagar in this effort, but again, only if PV becomes a K-8 academy.

I urge you to vote yes on G8 but only if you follow your own model and make PV a K-8 Academy.

Respectfully,

Karen Fitch

Leadership often means making the right decisions, even if they are tough decisions

email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Sunday, September 20, 2015 at 4:48:55 PM Pacific Daylight Time Fitch"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED] Ron Woolf" , email: "borgiolig@mhusd.org Gino Borgioli" , email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org Amy Porter Jensen" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email: "badillor@mhusd.org Rick Badillo" , email: "gerardd@mhusd.org David Gerard" , email: "betandos@mhusd.org Steve Betando" , email: "snoguchi [REDACTED] Sharon Noguchi"

Dear Trustees and Superintendent,

The following statement was found in a comment section of the online article MHUSD Board President served with recall paperwork:

"The Bob and Steve show has become a distraction to the business of making positive changes in our classrooms. When all we see in the MHT is how the board is squabbling over lunch receipts and note passing, that is a pretty good sign that it is time for a change in leadership.

Our school's scores continue to "decline" or stay stagnant. The latest test results show Morgan Hill Students at 50% proficient. That means 50% are not! Glenn Webb was quoted as saying "We're ahead of the state in every grade level in both English and Math...". Yes we are... ahead of prison schools, continuation schools, and districts like Ravenswood, and Alum Rock. Of the 34 districts in Santa

Clara County we are 24th. That is like saying we are 1st place ahead of everyone behind us (at 24th place). It's good to have goals, but we should set the bar higher?

Steve claimed we are headed in the right direction when this past fall our graduate and "prepared for college" scores took a nosedive. He got a raise. What did your students get? Mismanaged Common Core implementations, rigged AP class schedules, and now musical chairs with 6th grade and the middle schools, with no plan in sight or communicated. But the board has become very good at communicating to meeting attendees they are subject to arrest.

The MHUSD School Board needs leadership. It needs VISION. It needs to stop threatening the community that it serves. It needs to read its own mission statement - at every board meeting."

That is a well written and powerful statement for change.

It would be my hope that Mr. Benevento would make the right decision, save the school district the tax-payers' dollars on this recall, and resign his position on the board.

Karen Fitch

Re: Recall

email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento"

Monday, September 21, 2015 at 8:11:52 PM Pacific Daylight Time

To: email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn"

Rob,

Please do not insult our *intelligence...*

My wife and I know exactly what you are up to...We both deserve

dignity and respect...

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I have read the recall petition and I want [REDACTED] education first.

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Respectfully,
Robert L. Guynn

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NFL Alumni Photo Services
El Toro SSC President

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RECALL

email: "monicaguyenn[REDACTED] Monica Monday, September 21, 2015 at 8:12:52 PM Pacific Daylight Time
Guynn"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

Dear President Benevento and Trustees Badillo, Borgioli, Gerard, Porter-Jensen, Ruebusch and Woolf,

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Respectfully,

Monica Guynn

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Re: RECALL

email: "monicaguynn [REDACTED] Monica Monday, September 21, 2015 at 8:25:45 PM Pacific Daylight Time Guynn"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento"

Bob-

Couldn't come up with your own retort so you had to use my husband's words?

I am not in any way insulting your wife. She has nothing to do with the downfall of MHUSD.

You, Betando, and your trustee minority are continuing to make poor choices that affect our children and their education. They deserve a lot more than what they are getting. Our community deserves more.

Parents4PositiveChange

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Subject: Re: RECALL

To: "Monica Guynn"

Date: Monday, September 21, 2015, 8:16 PM

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Mr. Benevento, it time for a change.

Respectfully,

Monica Guynn

RECALL

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Monday, September 21, 2015 at 8:41:46 PM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

Bob,

I can see you did not get much out of the district's in-service about DIGNITY & RESPECT, that was another waste of tax payers money but I see you have learned to **copy and paste!**

Have a blessed evening...

PARENTS 4 POSITIVE CHANGE!

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El Toro SSC President

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Benevento Recall

email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Wednesday, September 23, 2015 at 7:50:22 AM Pacific Daylight Time
Fitch"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED] Ron Woolf" , email:
"borgiolig@mhusd.org Gino Borgioli" , email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org Amy Porter Jensen" , email:
"ruebuschd@mhusd.org ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email: "badillor@mhusd.org Rick Badillo" , email:
"gerardd@mhusd.org David Gerard" , email: "betandos@mhusd.org Steve Betando"

Dear President Benevento and Trustees Badillo, Borgioli, Gerard,
Porter-Jensen, Ruebusch and Woolf,

My name is Karen Fitch and I have
been following the news of the pending recall of MHUSD Board Trustee and
President, Bob Benevento.

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eventually voting for Trustee Benevento's removal.

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I have read the recall petition and I want [REDACTED] education first.

Mr. Benevento, it time for a change.

Respectfully,

Karen Fitch

Recall

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Friday, September 25, 2015 at 7:10:39 PM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

-A HALF MILLION DOLLARS-
out of our children's educational funds.

Urge
BENEVENTO
to
RESIGN!

RECALL BENEVENTO

email: "robguynn[REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Saturday, September 26, 2015 at 1:06:38 PM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED]"

Dear President Benevento and Trustees Badillo, Borgioli, Gerard, Porter-Jensen, Ruebusch and Woolf,

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Mr. Benevento, it time for a change, Resign.

Respectfully,
PARENTS4POSITIVECHANGE

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RESIGN

email: "robguynn[REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Saturday, September 26, 2015 at 1:16:42 PM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED]" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org"

Not one person!
PARENTS4POSITIVECHANGE

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RECALL BOB BENEVENTO

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Monday, September 28, 2015 at 8:32:32 AM Pacific Daylight Time

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "badillor@mhusd.org" , email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email: "gerardd@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]" , email:

"jborgioli [REDACTED] gino Borgioli"

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P4PC

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RESIGN

email: "robguynn[REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Monday, September 28, 2015 at 8:34:01 AM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED]" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org"

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To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org"

Your time is over!
The MHUSD board has lost focus.
BOB BENEVENTO
RESIGN!

PARENTS4POSITIVECHANGE ✓

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Tuesday, September 29, 2015 at 11:45:55 AM Pacific Daylight Time

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RESIGN BENEVENTO

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn"

Tuesday, September 29, 2015 at 11:50:02 AM Pacific Daylight Time

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

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Resign

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Tuesday, September 29, 2015 at 9:09:13 PM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

NO JUST ONE PERSON...RESIGN...

Attachments:

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58 pm on Tue, Sep 29, 2015.

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MH Times Poll

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Guynn"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

Cc: email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED]"

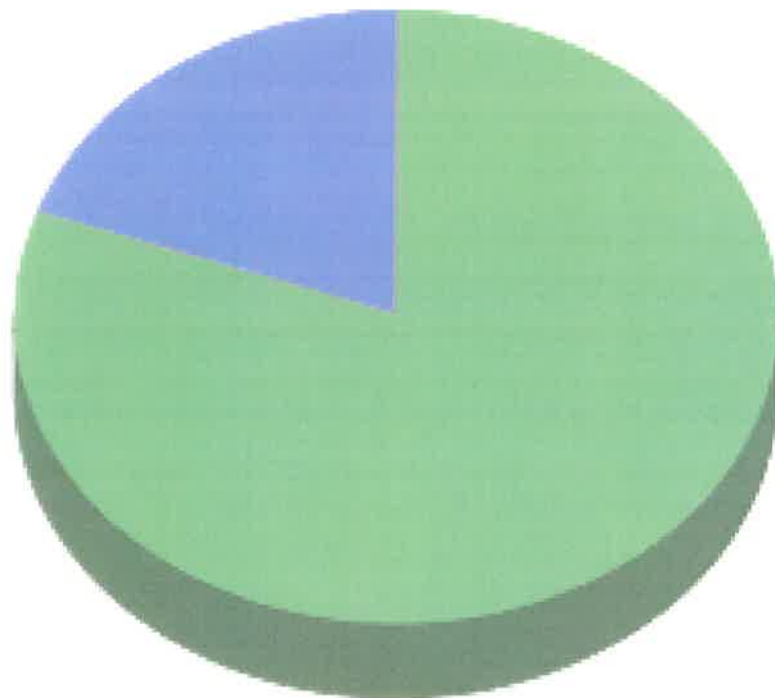
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**Do you support the effort by
Parents for Positive Change
to recall elected MHUSD
Board President Bob
Benevento?**

Total Votes: 107



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- Yes 86
 - No 21
-

You voted: Yes

RESIGN

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn"

Tuesday, September 29, 2015 at 10:30:35 PM Pacific Daylight Time

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FYI...

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RESIGN

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RESIGN RESIGN RESIGN RESIGN RESIGN RESIGN RESIGN RESIGN

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Wednesday, September 30, 2015 at 8:54:18 AM Pacific Daylight Time
Guynn"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email:
"rickbadillo [REDACTED]" , email: "dgerard [REDACTED]" , email: "jborgio [REDACTED] gino Borgioli" , email:
"porterjensena@mhusd.org"

In his role as Morgan Hill Unified School District board president, Bob Benevento has created a **culture of hostility** toward parents and among the board members. His disregard for parent input has isolated him from the people he represents. Under his guidance, the board has become a totalitarian vacuum that condescendingly rationalizes they know best. **Benevento does not know what's best for students.**

As the president, Benevento holds the position as leader. But rather than leading, he's responsible for the **dysfunction and disarray** that is the board of trustees. Under his direction, the board has fallen into a **systemic majority versus minority**. The minority asks questions, seeks public input, meanwhile, Benevento and his **majority collude, criticize and create an aura of retaliation** toward parents that inquire, speak up and question them. Benevento arbitrarily decides to change board policy on his whim; **reducing speaker times for some, yet allowing other speakers go past their allocated times.**

Benevento now **invites a Morgan Hill police officer to the board meetings**. He stated: "If you choose to disrupt the meeting, you will be asked to leave the meeting, and if you are **forced to leave** the meeting you could be subject to misdemeanor...or fine." **This is a threat and intimidation directed at the parents** who called the actions of Benevento into question at the Aug. 4 meeting. During "notegate," a note was generated, passed between the superintendent and several trustees, five of them learning the contents. Parents requested the note become part of the public record. They were ignored. The president is there to run the meeting, to follow parliamentary procedure, and assure there are no Brown Act violations; he's not there to threaten the audience with arrest.

Part of the board's mission is "**Parents/guardians shall have the opportunity to work with schools in a mutually supportive and respectful partnership and to help their children succeed in school.**" (Education Code 51100) Trustees need to listen to the speakers; speakers have a vested interest. Benevento's own words indicate how he truly feels about parents attending meetings: "The public is much broader than just the **20 or so people** attending the school board meetings with their own agenda." Those 20 people are parents. They do have an agenda, their agenda is their children! Morgan Hill residents are deeply disappointed in the actions of the board of trustees. The frustrations have led them to form a grassroots campaign to **recall Benevento** from his elected position of board trustee/president. As president, Benevento should be the beacon of appropriate behavior and public service. He's not. Parents have **lost confidence** in his ability to lead and act as a public servant. Voters are unsure that Benevento acts on our behalf or represents our best interest. **This is our vote of no confidence in MHUSD School Board Trustee/President Bob Benevento.** It is time for change, Bob should **do what's best.... RESIGN!**

PARENTS4POSITIVECHANGE

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Not just one parent...Resign...

Attachments:

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Home News

Do you support the effort by Parents for Positive Change to recall elected MHUSD Board President Bob Benevento?

Total Votes:

121



- Yes
- No

You voted: Yes

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RESIGN

email: "robguynn[REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Wednesday, September 30, 2015 at 1:42:48 PM Pacific Daylight Time

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED]" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org"

Resign, it's the right thing to do...

I wonder if Bob were to step down as president of the board would the recall go away. In my opinion that would be a reasonable compromise.

Just my 2 cents

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Just One Parent?

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Wednesday, September 30, 2015 at 10:34:04 PM Pacific Daylight Time
Guynn"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org"

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TO ALL TRUSTEES: URGE BOB TO RESIGN YOUR TIME IS OVER! RESIGN

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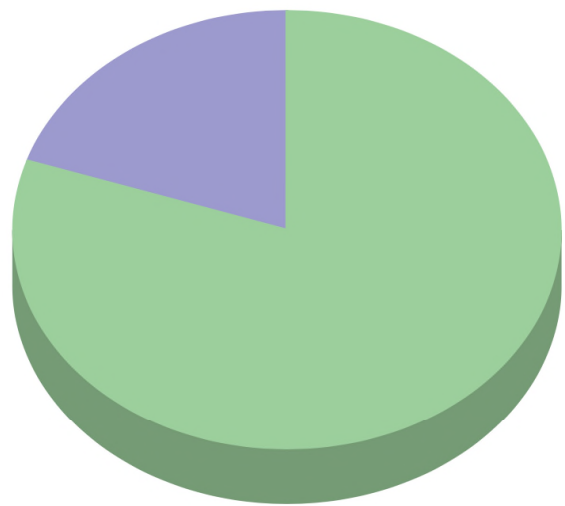
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Do you support the effort by Parents for Positive Change to recall elected MHUSD Board President Bob Benevento?

Total Votes: 171



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| Yes | 137 |
| No | 34 |

You voted: Yes

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MHT's

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Thursday, October 1, 2015 at 8:46:42 AM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email:
"jborgioli [REDACTED] gino Borgioli" , email: "dgerard [REDACTED]"

In the Morgan Hill Times Today...

-- ***Benevento*** has been ***threatening those who disagree with him***, and created a ***Board of puppets*** who ***do as they are told*** and who ***do not care*** about the students, only their ***personal political agendas.***

RESIGN-RECALL

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Thursday, October 1, 2015 at 10:57:56 AM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org"

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...But.....**164**..... that support a RECALL...
RESIGN!

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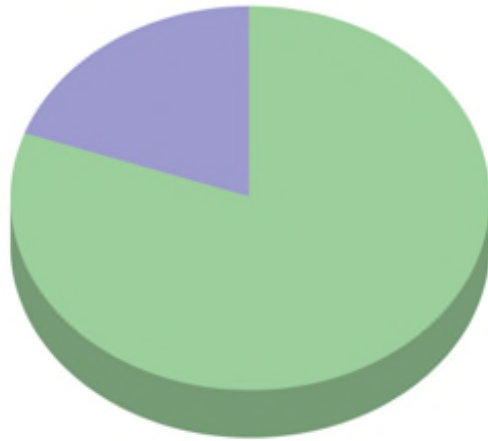
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Do you support the effort by Parents for Positive Change to recall elected MHUSD Board President Bob Benevento?

Total Votes: 204

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| Yes | 164 |
| No | 40 |

You voted: Yes

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Recall

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Thursday, October 1, 2015 at 6:01:17 PM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "dgerard [REDACTED]" , email: "jborgio [REDACTED] gino Borgioli"

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Let's remove him so he can do something that won't hurt the kids.

Do the right thing..."For The Kids" ...
RESIGN or be RECALLED ✓

Re: Item G8 on this Evening's MHUSD Board Meeting Agenda

email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Fitch" Friday, October 2, 2015 at 6:13:30 AM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "porterjensena@mhUSD.org Amy Porter Jensen"
Cc: email: "beneventob@mhUSD.org Bob Benevento" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED] Ron Woolf" , email: "borgiolig@mhUSD.org Gino Borgioli" , email: "gerardd@mhUSD.org David Gerard" , email: "ruebuschd@mhUSD.org ruebuschd@mhUSD.org" , email: "badillor@mhUSD.org Rick Badillo" , email: "dagars@mhUSD.org Swati Dagar" , email: "betandos@mhUSD.org Steve Betando"

Amy, Thank you for reaching out to me. As you can tell from my message, I am a strong proponent of PV being a K-8 Academy. The way for "us" to work together is for you to be open to parent input, advocate on your end, as a board member, that Paradise Valley go K-8, and eventually vote in favor of the PV K-8 revamp.

Karen Fitch

On Wednesday, September 30, 2015 10:06 AM, Amy Porter Jensen <porterjensena@mhUSD.org> wrote:

Hi Karen,

I would love to chat on the phone or meet for coffee to try and figure out a way for us to work together.

Regards,

Amy
[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 15, 2015, at 6:53 AM, Karen Fitch <[fitchfamusa \[REDACTED\]](mailto:fitchfamusa [REDACTED])> wrote:

Dear President Benevento, and
Trustees Woolf, Borgioli, Porter-Jensen, Reubush, Badillo and Gerard,

Last week I found out some spectacular news about [REDACTED] school. The principal has asked you to explore turning Paradise Valley Elementary School into an Engineering Academy. I am writing to you to urge you to VOTE YES on Agenda item G8, but only with a caveat, turn Paradise valley into a K-8 focused academy.

Item G8 is the TURNING PARADISE VALLEY INTO AN ENGINEERING ACADEMY. This may be one of the best opportunities for our children to get a focused academy, but to fully fulfill the goal of an “academy,” Paradise Valley School should be a K through 8 school. Being a focused academy paired with a K-8 is the only viable and logical solution. Although the K-5 students will certainly take advantage of this change, truly it is the 6th, 7th and 8th grade students can fully explore, enjoy and benefit from this potential focused academy.

The district model for a successful ACADEMY is K-8.

The School Board and the District Office showed such foresight when creating Jackson Academy of Music and Math as a K-8. JAMM is successful as a K-8, their recent SBAC scores are higher than both the 7th and 8th graders at Britton and Murphy.

On August 4th, the San Martin/Gwinn Academy was voted by you, the MHUSD School Board of Trustees, to go K-8—a strong endorsement from the BOARD that K-8 is the right model for MHUSD Academies.

I recently communicated with Mrs. Dagar, PV's principal. She told me that, "For the past two years, my staff and I have dedicated our instructional focus to set the foundation with students for technology and project based learning. Now I am ready to take it up to another level to explore a focus academy. Student interest and getting them to be college and career ready is at the core of it all!" I absolutely love that our school will be a Project Based Learning environment. I fully support Mrs. Dagar in this effort, but again, only if PV becomes a K-8 academy.

I urge you to vote yes on G8 but only if your follow your own model and make PV a K-8 Academy.

Respectfully,

Karen Fitch

WE VOTE!

email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Fitch" Friday, October 2, 2015 at 7:11:03 AM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento"
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"borgiolig@mhusd.org Gino Borgioli" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email:
"betandos@mhusd.org Steve Betando"

Some once said that people do not read the MH Times.
Interestingly enough...we do know how to vote.

Karen Fitch

Attachments:

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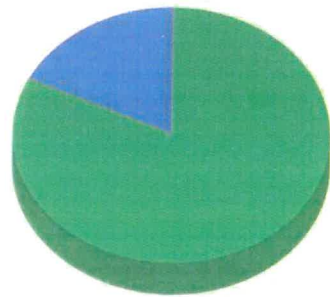
Nobody reads the
Morgan Hill Times.

Oh yeah?
Looks like we
know how to
vote though.

POLLS News

Do you support the effort by
Parents for Positive Change to
recall elected MHUSD Board
President Bob Benevento?

Total Votes: 255



Recall

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Friday, October 2, 2015 at 8:27:52 AM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email:
"dgerard [REDACTED]"

RESIGN OR BE RECALLED...
"IT'S ABOUT THE KIDS..."

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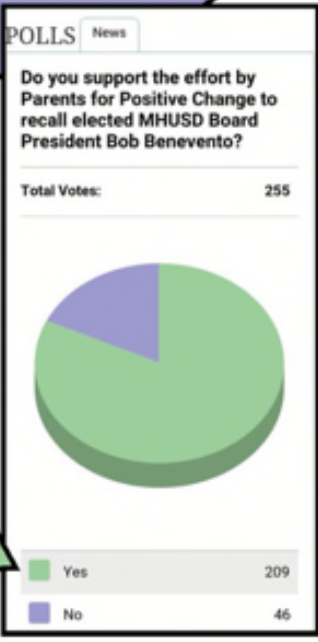
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Oh yeah? Looks like we know how to vote though.



Recall

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn"
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

Friday, October 2, 2015 at 3:06:02 PM Pacific Daylight Time

Dear President Benevento and Trustees Badillo, Borgioli, Gerard, Porter-Jensen, Ruebusch and Woolf,

My name is P4PC and I have been following the news of the pending recall of MHUSD Board Trustee and President, Bob Benevento.

I support the recall and I intend on signing the recall petition and eventually voting for Trustee Benevento's removal.

The school district has enough things to deal with, besides a special election to have Benevento recalled.

Mr. Benevento, I urge you to resign as a MHUSD Trustee.

The parents of this community understand that you have served many years on committees and boards and organizations, but perhaps your time is up. Education has changed in this world and Morgan Hill needs to face the fact that our schools are not shining stars.

I have read the recall petition and I want [REDACTED] education first.

Mr. Benevento, it time for a change. RESIGN.....

Respectfully,
P4PC

Morgan Hill Times: Because Morgan Hill news happens every day

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn"
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

Friday, October 2, 2015 at 3:41:34 PM Pacific Daylight Time

All teachers are now voting for you, that's cheating...we teach our children not to cheat in school.

For the kids, not...resign...

<http://www.morganhilltimes.com/?TNNoMobile>

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Resign

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn"
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

Friday, October 2, 2015 at 4:04:17 PM Pacific Daylight Time

I have notified Scott over at the Morgan Hill Times on this cheating...
RESIGN OR BE RECALLED

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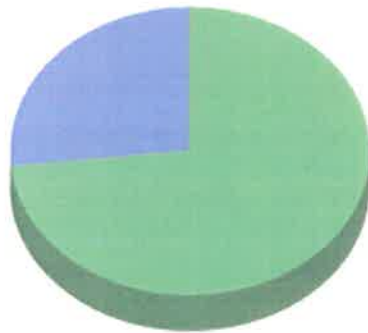
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President Bob Benevento

Total Votes: **325**



Yes 238

No 87

You voted: Yes

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Cc: email: "mmoore [REDACTED]", email: "mohimoty [REDACTED] mohimoty", email:
"melissalh68 [REDACTED] Melissa Harper"

Scott,
FYI...

On Line Vote On Whether to vote for or against the Benevento recall front page.

Please pull the front page vote, Mr. Benevento has ordered all teachers to vote in his favor, that my friend is cheating and fraudulent! His voting numbers have stayed at 50 all week and today right after school his numbers, in less then an hour, went from 50 and now has climbed into the hundreds as I type...This is the honest Board President we have running our school district? We teach our children not to cheat...and the board president has to cheat to make himself shine...shame on him...not to bright. Caught cheating... When you print the final numbers, make sure you put a CHECK ✓ by his name as **CHEATER...** Thank you Scott
Print this In your next article...**How low can you go to get a vote?**

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RESIGN

email: "robguynn[REDACTED] Rob Guynn"
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

Friday, October 2, 2015 at 8:18:23 PM Pacific Daylight Time

Dear President Benevento and Trustees Badillo, Borgioli, Gerard, Porter-Jensen, Ruebusch and Woolf,

My name is PARENTS4POSITIVECHANGE and I have been following the news of the pending recall of MHUSD Board Trustee and President, Bob Benevento.

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I have read the recall petition and I want to put [REDACTED] education first.

Mr. Benevento, it time for a change.

Respectfully,
P4PC

RECALL

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn"
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

Friday, October 2, 2015 at 8:20:51 PM Pacific Daylight Time

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email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn"
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

Friday, October 2, 2015 at 8:26:03 PM Pacific Daylight Time

IN THE MORGAN HILL TIMES...

Along with all those votes you got in an hour...joke was on me today, good one.

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Recall

email: "monicaguynn [REDACTED] Monica Guynn"

Friday, October 2, 2015 at 8:39:06 PM Pacific Daylight Time

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]" , email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org" , email: "gerardd@mhusd.org" , email: "badillor@mhusd.org"

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RESIGN or be RECALLED ✓

Morgan Hill times Comment

email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica
Guynn"

Friday, October 2, 2015 at 9:17:30 PM Pacific Daylight Time

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED]"

In the Morgan Hill Times...

I believe that Benevento just pulled one of the most pathetic moves of all time. Because he is clearly losing the on-line poll asking RESIDENTS in our community if they support the recall, he has launched a [Change.org](#) petition soliciting votes from people around the world. Sorry Bob, but those people that don't live here won't be able to save you from this recall effort. I want him gone, but I am actually embarrassed for him having to resort to this type of lame move.

Resign or be Recalled

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To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

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Votes

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"melissalh68[REDACTED] Melissa Harper"

Scott,

Check this out...this will go along with my last e-mail that Benevento cheated on getting those votes at a rapid rate...I smell a rat...
Comment in the your MHT's...

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Petition · Protect local educator · Change.org

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To: email: "sforstner [REDACTED] Scott Forstner"
Cc: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

FYI...

https://www.change.org/p/bob-benevento-protect-local-educator?recruiter=342664467&utm_source=share_petition&utm_medium=facebook&utm_campaign=share_page&utm_term=mob-md-share_petition-custom_msg&fb_ref=Default

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Morgan Hill Times Comment

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Sunday, October 4, 2015 at 5:00:24 PM Pacific Daylight Time
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Cc: email: "sforstner [REDACTED] Scott Forstner" , email: "snoguch [REDACTED] Sharon Noguchi"

To support this man, Bob Benevento after he has sunk this low is really SAD!

So in the last 30 hours since the Teachers Union article was published online, Benevento's son, Daniel, who does not live in Morgan Hill, has posted a [Change.org](#) post with a link to this newspaper's online poll, resulting in a change of 81% in favor of recall versus 19% against recall to a new figure that is almost evenly split between supporters and opponents. Karen Fitch's Facebook page "Bye Bye Bob--Recall Benevento" has been visited by someone named Steven Tankersley who lives in Folsom and who is a friend of Daniel Benevento. Encouraged by Benevento, Tankersley has posted a vile, sexist ad on Fitch's Facebook that says, "I'm not always a whiny b**ch, but when I am it's usually over nothing of importance." The parents are saying that Benevento is a bully-and here is more evidence that Bob Benevento is not just a bully but he is now having his son and his son's friends try to bully and intimidate the award-winning [REDACTED] Karen Fitch. Please support Karen and help her to remove this really shameful public official from his office as School Board President.

Cc Sharon- San Jose Mercury News
Scott - Morgan Hill Times

***ROB GUYNN PHOTOGRAPHY
NFL Alumni Photo Services
El Toro SSC President***

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] {Office}
[REDACTED] {Mobile}
[REDACTED]

sent from my iPad

MH Times Comment

email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica Monday, October 5, 2015 at 8:12:43 PM Pacific Daylight Time
Guynn"

To: email: "borgiolig@mhusd.org" , email: "gerardd@mhusd.org" , email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org" , email:
"badillor@mhusd.org" , email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

This a comment made in the Morgan Hill Times:

Trampoline: Thank you, Morgan Hill Times, for removing the online poll on the recall. As numerous readers pointed out, Benevento supporters tried to manipulate it by launching a change.org petition that linked directly into the local MH Times poll so that people from anywhere in the world would be voting NO on the recall. You showed good journalistic practices in the face of the kind of political dirty tricks that have outraged so many parents and have led to the unusual step of a recall. Please watch for further tricks and next I predict that his supporters will send goons to harass pro-recall signature gatherers as well as try to intimidate those who do sign. Such a sad situation, but such a good reason to send Mr. Benevento away from a job where his impact is so unhealthy to our community. Sign the recall petition, fellow citizens!

Monday, October 5, 2015, 12:44 pm

Friday Folder Handout

email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica Saturday, October 10, 2015 at 12:39:59 PM Pacific Daylight Time Guynn"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "betandos@mhusd.org betandos@mhusd.org" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED]" , email: "badillor@mhusd.org" , email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org" , email: "gerardd@mhusd.org" , email: "jborgiol[REDACTED] gino Borgioli"

What an insult! I just opened [REDACTED] Friday folder and found this MHUSD approved memo. Our Director of Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment sent out this notice about "California Law Regarding Safe Storage of Firearms." Is this how he prepares us for 6th grade reconfiguration? Is this meant to make us feel more secure about sending our children to school? You have the audacity to send this out. Now I ask you, why do think parents and community members want change? You should be ashamed of yourselves.....

Attachments:

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Glen Webb, Director of Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

Webbgl@mhusd.org



Subject: California Law Regarding Safe Storage of Firearms

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Thank you for helping to keep our children safe at school. Remember that the easiest and safest way to comply with the law is to keep firearms in a locked container or secured with a locking device when not in use.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Glen R. Webb".

Glen Webb, Director of Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

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² See Cal. Penal Codes §§ 25100; 25110; 26835.

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Leadership

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Poor Leadership Begins at the Top: It's Time for Positive Change

I find myself disgusted, disappointed, and in desperate need of a solution. Here is my perspective on changes that have been occurring. Years ago, [REDACTED] walked onto [REDACTED] campus and were greeted by students in vests, opening our car doors, wearing smiles, and saying, "Good Morning!" Teachers smiled and warmly greeted [REDACTED]. Now things are so different. To fix one of its underachieving schools, the district pulled our principal and several teachers were moved around to different school sites. They made that one underachieving school a music and math academy and on paper, the state can see that our leadership tried. Not all teachers appear happy with this decision. When we now walk our students on campus, they are no longer greeted with warmth and happy smiles. Our campus was once clean, cheerful, and warm. Now it is dead, unloved, and dismal. Last year, two parents came on campus and repainted the numbers on our

blacktops because students and parents could not see where to line up their children and because the district refused to restripe the blacktop.

At each board meeting, I hear how wonderful our schools are and how awesome our test scores appear and I wonder where they are getting their information. Several of our Morgan Hill schools have been in PI (Program Improvement) for years. So, once again, our great leadership tries to make our district look good on paper. In the same board decision, they make one elementary school a K-8 and in the same breath say they believe that 6th grade reconfiguration will be wonderful for our students. There is no plan in place and they have yet to convince me that [REDACTED] will benefit from getting on a bus and travelling to South San Jose, at my out of pocket expense of at least \$385. I am supposed to believe that [REDACTED] will have a more enriched experience and be more involved. I am supposed to believe that [REDACTED] will be safe and well cared for. Well, I don't. [REDACTED] were not more involved and did not benefit from all of the enriched experiences. They

travelled on the bus and often times took more than an hour to get home. On a few occasions they were left behind, unattended, and had to wait for the bus to come back or wait for me to leave work early and come get them. It appears that our leadership is trying to let the community believe that all is well and our schools are amazing. I feel like they are trying to look good on paper and present only the positive facts at board meetings without discussions about equity and improvement for all schools. I sit and listen to how schools get outside lab stations, chrome books for each individual student, interactive white boards and document cameras in each school, new signage, and so much more. What I see at El Toro is a graying unwelcoming dismal sign not welcoming our families to the school. I see a dead garden, dead grass, and an iron gate. Upon entering the classrooms during back to school night, I see that not all the classrooms have interactive white boards and am told that classrooms share chrome book carts. We now have a principal who is trying desperately to motivate our families, students, and teachers, but continues to hit roadblocks from the administration higher up. Our home and school club desperately tries

to raise money to improve our school and last year teachers finally received document cameras. The school site council is approving teacher professional development and programs that can enhance our student learning. Yet even with these amazing individuals, where is the equity among our schools? Again, at the board meetings we hear how money from the different measures and the state has improved our schools so much. I observe parents walking out of these meetings with looks of disgust. El Toro finally got their entire blacktop restriped and Martin Murphy got new fences. These are the schools I want to send [REDACTED] to? No, I don't. Each day more and more families are pulling their students from our school. There are less and less familiar faces. Several other parents are talking about doing the same. This is quality education at its best? This is treating our students with dignity and respect? This is why parents are bannng together to recall Benevento and change our leadership at the top. To add insult to injury, the board approved a Public Relations position. This individual must have a Bachelor's Degree and will be paid \$100,000 per year. Our teachers must have a Bachelor's Degree, teaching credential, and extra units to clear their credential (some have a Master's Degree) and these dedicated amazing teachers do not make anywhere near that amount. What an insult to them. This position is to deal with the bad publicity our district is receiving and the disappointed community members such as Parents4PositiveChange who cannot take this downward spiral. Change must

occur so that we have a chance to bring back dignity, respect, and equity to our schools and improve the quality of the education all our children deserve.

Fwd: Memo

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Sunday, October 11, 2015 at 9:45:50 AM Pacific Daylight Time
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Cc: email: "mohimoty [REDACTED] Karen Fitch", email: "melissalh68 [REDACTED] Melissa Harper", email: "barmando3 [REDACTED] Armando Be", email: "scasas999 [REDACTED] Sally Casas", email: "aidacazares [REDACTED]"

...and the hits just keep on coming...

This past Friday [REDACTED] came home from school went into [REDACTED] back pack and opened [REDACTED] Friday folder. I heard [REDACTED] crying from [REDACTED] room. When I went to [REDACTED] to see what was up, [REDACTED] said [REDACTED] had read this memo. [REDACTED] said [REDACTED]

I agree, I was employed at Union School District for close to 30 years and never saw something like this memo go out to the public...

Mr. Webb, this is supposed to be the smooth transition into sixth grade that you so much preach?

[REDACTED] Thank you!

Whoever approved this memo should be fired...

You wonder why we parents are upset and I wonder when this madness will end?!

See said memo below...

Begin forwarded message:

From: Monica Guynn <monicaguynn [REDACTED]>
Date: October 10, 2015 at 12:42:58 PM PDT
To: Rob Guynn <robguynn [REDACTED]>
Subject: Memo

Attachments:

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Comment from MH times

email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica Tuesday, October 13, 2015 at 6:44:43 PM Pacific Daylight Time Guynn"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "betandos@mhusd.org betandos@mhusd.org" , email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED]" , email: "jborgioli[REDACTED] gino Borgioli" , email: "badillor@mhusd.org" , email: "gerardd@mhusd.org"

This comment was posted in response to a recent recall article in the MH times.

Trampoline: Please rewrite this article. Your lead paragraph says that two of the organizers of the recall have not indicated whether they will run, but Armando Benavides clearly states that he WON'T RUN. Also this article gets the financial implications wrong—while it states that it will cost an estimated \$500,000 to hold this election, the 100 plus parents who will remove their kids from MHUSD schools if Benevento and his boss Betando stay--represent a LOSS of \$8,000 PER STUDENT of tax revenues to MHUSD from the state, or \$800,000 per year—and that is if they have just one kid per family. Stop scaring people with this cost nonsense—let's look at the true picture. Benevento and his board majority will cost us \$800,000 per year, minimum. Let's have some balanced views here. Once that recall petition is out for signature, I predict it will be hotter than an Apple iPhone 6S. People in Morgan Hill are not stupid. They see how the status quo "educators" in synch with the "teachers union" are giving our kids a substandard education. New residents see the results in test scores and in the unprofessional behavior of the Superintendent Steve Betando and his team of four trustees, Bob Benevento, Amy Porter Jensen, Ron Woolf and Donna Ruebusch who are positively delighted with the mediocre performance of MHUSD schools. Of course the "teachers union president" blames parents and the Board minority for the problems, but just look at the MHUSD videos on YouTube from August 4th and you will see how Betando and Benevento behave with note passing and generally unprofessional behavior all the time. But parents and community members are waking up, so Bye bye Benevento, soon.

Sharing another comment from MH Times

email: "monicaguynn [REDACTED] Monica Wednesday, October 14, 2015 at 9:47:07 PM Pacific Daylight Time Guynn"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento" , email: "betandos@mhusd.org betandos@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED] Ron Woolf" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org Donna Ruebusch" , email: "badillor@mhusd.org" , email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org Amy Porter Jensen" , email: "jborgiol [REDACTED]" , email: "gerardd@mhusd.org David Gerard"

Here is another comment made by a community member dissatisfied with our district

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helloMH95037: MY AGENDA IS MY KID!

I am still unclear as to the agenda of the superintendent.

He wants to hire a mouthpiece to do his job at the cost of another \$100,000.00.

The 6th grade configuration cheerleader, Webb, asks for money to cover the cost of sending 5th grade students to science camp. Is his agenda to appease questioning parents with magic money?

You have Amy Porter-Jensen making wisecracks about how much some schools fundraise verses others. What is her agenda?

Donna Ruebusch's agenda is to leave School Board Meetings early?

Benevento's agenda...rubber-stamp whatever Betando wants.

Wednesday, October 14

Read comments in MH times and listen to your constituents

email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica Wednesday, October 14, 2015 at 9:53:31 PM Pacific Daylight Time Guynn"

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Sharing more comments.....

I believe the person who commented was trying to get the article corrected because it is not accurate.

I don't believe that 100 students will leave if the schools don't improve, i believe it will be a lot more than that. I know [REDACTED] will be gone, and it is not because I am pulling them if the parents fighting for the kids lose their recall movement, I am pulling them because our schools are not doing well and yet the Superintendent and his four sheep on the school board are not willing to admit there is a problem that needs to be addressed. If you are happy with failing you should definitely support the current board and superintendent. They are very good at pretending the schools are great, and apparently gordonj588 is drinking the Cool Aid.

MH Times

email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica Wednesday, October 14, 2015 at 9:56:48 PM Pacific Daylight Time Guynn"

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.....read the views of your public....

Another community member comment....

The MHUSD is spiraling down hill. Our leaders are making poor decisions with a 4 to 3 board and a district leader who allows memos to be sent out in Friday folders telling parents to secure their guns because if their kids come to school with a gun and fire it, the parents will be fined 30,000 dollars. Those of you who support this poor leadership obviously don't go to board meetings and don't have children that attend our schools. Don't support either side unless you know all the issues and can support your side with facts and not your hateful opinions.

More evening reading

email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica Wednesday, October 14, 2015 at 10:01:01 PM Pacific Daylight Time Guynn"

To: email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org Donna Ruebusch" , email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org Amy Porter Jensen" , email: "badillor@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED] Ron Woolf" , email: "geraridd@mhusd.org David Gerard" , email: "borgiolig@mhusd.org Gino Borgioli" , email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento" , email: "betandos@mhusd.org betandos@mhusd.org"

Why are so many community members disappointed? Maybe you should listen to them.....

The MHUSD should be under investigation for corruption.

At each and every board meeting Superintendent Betando's majority always votes 4-3 in favor of the major issues facing the school district, thus the MHUSD is now spinning out of control. At the last board meeting the parents in the audience witnessed Ruebusch following Porter Jensen into the lady's room in an attempt to demean Jensen for voting to table the Superintendent past expenditures. Then we witnessed Ruebusch walk out of the board meeting without the meeting being adjourned...very unethical and extremely unprofessional. I will be also joining the many parents that are pulling their children out of this corrupt district.

Resign Mr. Benevento

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Thursday, October 15, 2015 at 9:01:09 AM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

RESIGN or BE RECALLED

You can hide behind the **police**. You can hide behind the new one hundred thousand dollars P.R. employee brought in to **protect** your position on the board. You will be **unable** to hide behind the **power of 8000 signatures.**

PARENTS4POSITIVECHANGE ✓

SBAC Results

email: "badillor@mhusd.org Rick Badillo" Thursday, October 15, 2015 at 2:08:38 PM Pacific Daylight Time

To: email: "betandos@mhusd.org Steve Betando"

Cc: email: "BeneventoB@mhusd.org Bob Benevento"

Bcc: email: "sforstner[REDACTED] Scott Forstner" , email: "snoguch[REDACTED] Sharon
Noguchi" , email: "dgerard[REDACTED] David Gerard" , email: "barmando3[REDACTED] Armando Be" , email:
"fitchfamusa[REDACTED] Karen Fitch" , email: "robguynn[REDACTED] Rob Guynn" , email: "roakley[REDACTED]
Oakley, Ryan" , email: "veronicabad1[REDACTED] Veritutititita mi amorcito" , email: "Sally_Casas[REDACTED]
Sally Casas" , email: "pcisewski[REDACTED] Paige Cisewski" , email: "ckharman[REDACTED] Kristin Harman"

Steve,

I know the MHUSD has had the SBAC results. When will we be sending these out to the community. Ed Code 60640, in part states that within 20 working days of receipt, or within 20 days of the next school year. Please provide the entire Board with an update.

Rick

Supt. Expenses

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Thursday, October 15, 2015 at 3:41:37 PM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]" , email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org"

FOUR TO THREE

ALWAYS!

All in favor say I...What A Farce!

Comment in the times...

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MH Times

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More truthful comments from your public....

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RESGN

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn"
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

Friday, October 16, 2015 at 11:44:18 AM Pacific Daylight Time

Comment in the Times...

In reference to drjohn's response, I am appalled that if this is all true-and I have no reason to doubt these facts- Mr. Robert Benevevto should be fired on the spot and removed from office. He is a **disgrace** to the MHUSD and his attention to his personal agenda and upcoming election make him a **dirty politician** also.

RESIGN OR BE REMOVED by RECALL

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Saturday, October 17, 2015 at 10:01:45 PM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org"

Dear President Benevento and Trustees Badillo, Borgioli, Gerard, Porter-Jensen, Ruebusch and Woolf,

My name is P4PC and I have been following the news of the pending recall of MHUSD Board Trustee and President, Bob Benevento.

I support the recall and I intend on signing the recall petition and eventually voting for Trustee Benevento's removal.

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I have read the recall petition and I want to put [REDACTED] education first.

Mr. Benevento, it time for a change. Resign!

Respectfully,
P4PC

Here are the email addresses of the MHUSD School Board Trustees and the Superintendent:

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Resign or be forced out

email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica Saturday, October 17, 2015 at 10:27:16 PM Pacific Daylight Time Guynn"

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Respectfully,
P4PC

RESIGN!

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Sunday, October 18, 2015 at 2:08:31 AM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org"

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 6th Grade Reconfiguration For Bob's Votes!

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 votes -vs- six grade configuration!

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email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Sunday, October 18, 2015 at 3:00:18 PM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org"

Trustees

Urge Mr. Robert (Bob) Benevento to **RESIGN!**

You two should do the same...→→→→→

Resign or be Recalled

email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica Sunday, October 18, 2015 at 3:03:07 PM Pacific Daylight Time
Guynn"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento" , email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED] Ron Woolf" , email:
"ruebuschd@mhusd.org Donna Ruebusch" , email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org Amy Porter Jensen"

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URGE BOB BENEVENTO

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RESIGN or RECALL MR. BOB BENEVENTO

email: "robguynn[REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Sunday, October 18, 2015 at 5:30:13 PM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED]" , email:
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cc Sharon Noguchi - san jose mercury news
Scott Fortsner - morgan hill times
David Ellier - attorney at law

Positive Change

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Guynn"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org Donna Ruebusch" , email:
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Listen to the community...especially the parents

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Chance to Change

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Resign

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Recall

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~ Tony Robbins

Don't Bring Negative to my Door

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Guynn"

To: email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED] Ron Woolf" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org Donna Ruebusch" , email:
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Resign or be recalled.....

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Change Negative To Positive Quotes

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P4PC...more than just 20 parents who want positive change....

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Listen to the parents....listen to the community....

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Decide to listen...decide to make good choices that benefit our children...no more 4 fo 3.....

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WAKE UP

WITH POSITIVE INTENTIONS;

**TO BETTER YOURSELF
AND THE LIVES OF THOSE AROUND YOU**



Now is the time....

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To resign or be recalled...

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— *If* —
you are
WAITING
FOR THE
RIGHT TIME,
— *it's* —
NOW.

Positive Change

email: "monicaguynn[REDACTED] Monica Monday, October 19, 2015 at 6:36:03 AM Pacific Daylight Time
Guynn"

To: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org Donna Ruebusch" , email:
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RESIGN!

email: "robguynn[REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Monday, October 19, 2015 at 10:15:00 AM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523[REDACTED]" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email: "beneventob@mhusd.org"

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P4PC

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RESIGN OR BE FORCED OUT BY A RECALL! ☑

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Superintendent's Expenses

email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn" Monday, October 19, 2015 at 1:13:14 PM Pacific Daylight Time
To: email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED]" , email: "porterjensena@mhusd.org" , email:
"beneventob@mhusd.org" , email: "dgerard [REDACTED]" , email: "jborgio [REDACTED] gino Borgioli" , email:
"rickbadillo [REDACTED]"
Cc: email: "sforstner [REDACTED] Scott Forstner" , email: "snoguch [REDACTED] Sharon Noguchi"

VERY IMPORTANT...MUST READ...VERY IMPORTANT...MUST READ...

We the people are in the process of filing a complaint with the Justice Department of the State of California for Superintendent Steve Betando's past expenses to be reviewed. As tax payers we have the right to have the expenses investigated and what we are doing is legal. What Mr. Betando has done is highly illegal.

Please vote **no** on Superintendent Steve Betando's past expenses. I must remind you that he is **under contract** and that said contract says with prior approval. A contract is a binding document, a yes vote will **breach his contract**. He must be held accountable for money he has stolen from tax-payers.

cc Attorney Generals Office, State of California
Attention: Justice Department
Santa Clara District Attorney's Office
Sharon Noguchi, San Jose Mercury News
Scott Forstner, Morgan Hill Times

Re: RECALL BENEVENTO

email: "porterjensena [REDACTED] Amy Wednesday, October 21, 2015 at 11:14:30 AM Pacific Daylight Time Porter Jensen"

To: email: "robguynn [REDACTED] Rob Guynn"

Cc: email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento" , email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED] Ron Woolf" , email: "ruebuschd@mhusd.org Donna Ruebusch" , email: "jborgioli [REDACTED] gino Borgioli" , email: "dgerard [REDACTED] David Gerard" , email: "rickbadillo [REDACTED] rickbadillo [REDACTED]"

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"Professional Contact"

email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Fitch" Thursday, October 22, 2015 at 6:20:30 AM Pacific De
To: email: "porterjensena@mhUSD.org Amy Porter Jensen", email: "badillor@mhUSD.org Rick Badillo", email: "beneventob@mhUSD.org Bob Benevento", email: "rwoolf9523 [REDACTED] Ron Woolf", email: "borgiolig@Gino Borgioli", email: "ruebuschd@mhUSD.org ruebuschd@mhUSD.org", email: "gerardd@mhUSD.org Da", email: "betandos@mhUSD.org Steve Betando", email: "snoguch [REDACTED] Sharon Noguchi"
"s fors tner [REDACTED] Scott Fors tner"

Mrs. Porter Jensen,

We are not and we shall never be "friends" via FaceBook. Do not contact me through that channel. If you want to contact me, do it through your MHUSD email. I told you, after you approached me, at the culmination of a MHUSD Board of Trustees Meeting that I do not trust you. I see no reason for communicate at all, unless it is about the business of the MHUSD.

Respectfully,
Mrs. Fitch

The Status of Amy Porter-Jensen as a MHUSD Trustee

email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Wednesday, October 28, 2015 at 12:05:17 PM Pacific Daylight Time
Fitch"

To: email: "betandos@mhusd.org Steve Betando" , email: "beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento" , email:
"rwoolf9523 [REDACTED] Ron Woolf" , email: "badillor@mhusd.org Rick Badillo" , email: "borgiolig@mhusd.org Gino
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10/28/15

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Please confirm that Mrs.
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Respectfully,

Karen Fitch

Re: The Status of Amy Porter-Jensen as a MHUSD Trustee

email: "gerardd@mhusd.org David Gerard"

Wednesday, October 28, 2015 at 12:47:44 PM Pacific Daylight Time

To: email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Fitch"

Cc: email: "betandos@mhusd.org Steve Betando" , email: "Beneventob@mhusd.org Bob Benevento"

Dear Mrs. Fitch:

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Best regards
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Karen Fitch

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email: "fitchfamusa [REDACTED] Karen Wednesday, October 28, 2015 at 1:19:45 PM Pacific Daylight Time Fitch"

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THANK YOU MR. GERARD.

It is so refreshing to actually get a response to a correspondence that I sent.

I appreciate your candor and understand that you cannot confirm the Mrs. Porter-Jensen has vacated her position.

Karen Fitch

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