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### Tulare City Council Votes to Support COS Measure J

TULARE – Measure J, the COS bond that will fund a campus to serve Tulare, Corcoran, Lindsay and the south county, last week received the endorsement of the Tulare City Council.

The Tulare City Council heard a presentation by Bill Scroggins, President of COS, during its regularly scheduled meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 2. The council unanimously voted in favor of a resolution in support of Measure J, with Councilmember David Macedo absent.

Measure J will provide the local match for over \$128 million in state funds to build a new full-service campus near Mission Oak High School in Tulare. The bond will also fund new educational programs in Corcoran and Lindsay, and provide a more accessible college education for residents of the south county, including Pixley and Tipton.

“This campus is going to make a huge difference for residents of Tulare and surrounding communities,” noted campaign co-chairman Ken Nunes. “We will have state-of-the-art technology for our students, general education courses, certificate and degree programs – truly a full-service campus. This is a remarkable opportunity for education.”

For information on Measure J, contact Friends of COS In Support of Measure J committee co-chairman Ken Nunes at 688-7401.