



February 20, 2019

Honorable Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors, Stanford Provost Persis Drell, and Robert C. Reidy, Stanford V.P. of Land, Buildings and Real Estate,

Ellen Fletcher Middle School re-opened in 2001 with a contribution of \$10 million to PAUSD by Stanford in 1999 to address rising enrollments and to provide a local middle school campus for many students living west of El Camino Real. Located down the street from Gunn High School, Fletcher serves a diverse group of 667 students in grades 6, 7 and 8.

Fletcher is an inclusive community of students, families, and educators engaged in achieving high academic and social standards with respect for diversity in a positive school climate. We staff our school based on what our students need to achieve high academic and social standards and to develop personal and community responsibility. Continuing our excellence depends on annual funding for our support staff of over 75 teachers, paraprofessionals, custodians, food service workers and administrative staff.

As Stanford continues to expand via the 2018 General Use Permit (GUP), Fletcher respectfully requests Stanford to "fully mitigate" its impacts on PAUSD schools so that Fletcher and all PAUSD schools can continue to staff based on what our students need to achieve high academic and social standards and to develop personal and community responsibility.

FULL MITIGATION INCLUDES:

1. ANNUAL PAYMENTS to PAUSD or Palo Alto Partners in Education for the cost of educating each student living in Stanford tax-exempt housing
2. Elementary school site near the proposed housing - traffic mitigation, safe routes, neighborhood schools
3. Impact fees for the cost to build the new school
4. Contributions to the PAUSD Safe Routes to School
5. Fund the expansion of oversubscribed after-school childcare on PAUSD campuses that serve many Stanford staff and student body
6. Subsidized housing for PAUSD staff and teachers

Thank you for considering our requests.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Audrey Gold'.

Audrey Gold

Fletcher PTA President on behalf of the Ellen Fletcher Middle School PTA

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