Argument Against Measure I

In 2008, the Santa Ana Unified School District asked voters to borrow \$200 Million to replace portable classrooms with permanent ones and to renovate facilities.

Eight years before that, in 2000, Santa Ana Unified School District asked voters for \$145 Million to replace portable classrooms with permanent ones and to renovate facilities.

Fast forward to 2018, and Santa Ana Unified School District is back again asking for \$232 Million more!

The purpose of this new bond? You guessed it: Replace portable classrooms with permanent ones and renovate facilities.

In less than 20 years Santa Ana Unified School District will have wasted more than a billion dollars but students still attend classes in portables that the majority of the school board promised to remove.

School bonds add to housing costs in Santa Ana, and lead to increased rents and property taxes.

Student enrollment has been falling for decades and just last year Santa Ana Unified School District threatened to lay off 287 teachers.

There's clearly a problem in Santa Ana Unified School District that more money just can't fix.

Let's insist on accountability before we give them more of our tax dollars.

Please vote No on Measure I

s/ Angie Cano

s/ Cecilia P. Iglesias Governing Board Member, Santa Ana Unified School District

s/ Miguel Angel Gonzalez Businessman/ETAC Commissioner

s/ Thomas Anthony Gordon Santa Ana Resident

s/ Chris Schmidt