

### Building New Facilities and Generating Revenues for LUSD Properties



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# Study Purpose

"Consultant shall develop a proposed real estate utilization strategy and a proposed process for the use of underutilized and/or excess LUSD-owned properties."

# Suggested Guiding Principles

### **Ensure Participation**

• Ensure public participation from parents, educators, staff, and community members

### **Preserve Value**

• Lease, DO NOT sell, district properties

### **Create Partnerships**

• Partner with private & non-profit sector at no cost to the district





# **Proposed Goals**

- Maintain and augment academic programs
- Retain new facilities funded from LUSD school bonds
- Generate ongoing and long-term lease revenues
- Construct new and upgraded educational and joint-use community facilities
- Ensure development partners maintain new/upgraded joint use facilities, such as sports fields, dog parks, community meeting rooms, etc.
- Pursue housing which could increase enrollment and potentially include "workforce" housing for educators
- Developers will fund all District expenses related to real estate

### **District Office**



https://goo.gl/maps/EcyEfMFb2xMqCGTp6

## Eucalyptus Hills Elementary (D.R.E.A.M Academy)



### Winter Garden Elementary (Grades TK-1 of Riverview International Academy, Site 1 of 2)



### **Riverview International Academy** (Grades 2-5 of Riverview Academy, Site 2 of 2)

#### https://goo.gl/maps/s8WSaYaKh3cqrVQg8



Est. Lot size 8.53 acres

Enrollment 522

## **Lakeside Farms Elementary**



## **Lindo Park Elementary**



#### https://goo.gl/maps/Hge56TuJpo2Qr2Dh7

### Lakeside Middle School (Shares site with multiple district uses)



### https://goo.gl/maps/hLHyeMGtzKQ81iJx6

### **River Valley High School Charter** (Shares site with multiple district uses)



## **Tierra del Sol Middle School**



## **Lakeview Elementary**



## **Lemon Crest Elementary**



# **Options for Redeveloping LUSD Properties**



#### **Sale of Properties**

NOT RECOMMENDED. District should maintain ownership. Awarded to highest bidder.



#### 99 Year Land Lease

Awarded to highest bidder.

No District control over Development.

#### **Joint Occupancy**



Up to 99 year lease to private or non-profit developer. District receives title of private development at end of lease.

Must include some "Educational use." *Classrooms/Sports field, etc.* Can be community joint use. RFP process-highest bid not required.



#### **Property Exchange**

Exchange District real property for real property of a business or individual. Allows exemption form Education Code dealing with real estate.

# Recommendation

**Utilize Joint Occupancy RFP Process to achieve District goals** 

Potential privately-funded, revenue-generating projects:

- Consolidate magnet school programs to improve continuity of services to students and provide enhanced facilities
- Relocate non-education departments to shared site for efficiency, safety and facility improvements
- Build new educational and community facilities such as Tech Lab, Sports Fields, etc.
- Provide neighborhood-appropriate private development to generate new, continuous District revenue sources



# **Questions?**

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# **Supporting Documents Attached**



### LUSD Property Specifications

•Site analysis and overview of development options contained in underlying zoning



#### **County VMT**

•An overview of the county's Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT) impacts is included in back up materials, and does not indicate significant impacts

#### Legislation

•An overview of current (and proposed) legislation related to school districts utilization of its real estate assets is included in back up materials

### **Education Code Process**

#### **Options**

•Summary of options available to a California public school district for the disposition and/or development of land owned by a school district



#### CEQA

•California School Property Environmental Quality Act Exemptions