

# **Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee**

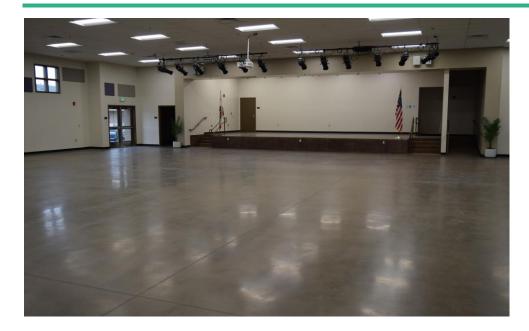
# 2023-24 Annual Report

Tierra Del Sol – New Gymnasium





Lindo Park – Multipurpose Room and Kitchen Modernization





Lakeside Farms – Modernization



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### Website:

<u>www.lsusd.net</u> Departments Bond Programs

#### CBOC Meetings:

Meetings are open to the public. Check the website for meeting times, agendas, and minutes.

#### 2023/24 CBOC Meeting Schedule:

Wednesday, October 25, 2023 Wednesday, March 27, 2024 Wednesday, May 29, 2024

#### Lakeside Union School District Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee

### 2023-2024 Annual Report Measure L

To: The Board of Trustees and the Citizens of the Lakeside Union School District

The Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee (CBOC) is pleased to present its Annual Report to the Board of Trustees and Community. The CBOC was formed in 2009 to review expenditures of Proposition L and Measure V bond funds for the Lakeside Union School District projects listed in the ballot language that was approved by Lakeside voters. The CBOC provides an independent examination of district bond project planning and spending to afford the taxpayers and community at large validation that funds are being spent as intended and designed.

This report offers information about the projects and expenditures for Fiscal Year 2023-24 and those that are underway and are targeted to be completed in subsequent years. This Annual Report is submitted after completion and approval of the 2023-24 Bond Audit Report to the LUSD Board of Trustees.

It should be noted that the expenditure of District funds on projects that are not funded from bond proceeds and deferred maintenance projects fall outside the scope of the Committee's review.

The CBOC performs its oversight through regular reviews of project progress and spending. The CBOC also reviews the annual external financial audit. The audit has stated satisfactory results and the CBOC has recommended its approval to the Governing Board. The CBOC meetings are open to the public. Everyone is always welcome. Please visit the website at https://www.lsusd.net/Page/267

# **CBOC Members**

Committee Member	Member Position	Original Term Began	Current Term Expiration	Term Number (limit to 3)
Jennifer Lee	Parent of enrolled student	03/12/2020	3/12/2026	3 <sup>rd</sup> Term
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Open	Member at Large			Term
John Heredia	Bona Fide Taxpayer's Association	03/21/2019	03/21/2025	3 <sup>rd</sup> Term
Liz Higgins, Vice Chair	Senior Representative	07/11/2019	03/31/2025	3 <sup>rd</sup> Term
Frank Hilliker	Member-At-Large	04/01/2019	03/31/2025	3 <sup>rd</sup> Term
Kathy Kassel, Chair	Member of Local Business Community	04/01/2019	03/31/2025	3 <sup>rd</sup> Term
Felicia Walton	Parent active in PTA/PTO	12/16/2021	12/16/2025	2 <sup>nd</sup> Term

### What is the Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee (CBOC)?

The CBOC is an independent committee that was created by the Lakeside Union School District as mandated by state legislation that requires school districts that have passed bonds to inform the public about its proper use and expenditures of those bond revenues. The committee oversees Proposition V, which was approved on November 4, 2008 by the required 55% of voters in the amount of \$79,550,000. On November 14, 2014 the district was successful under Measure L in obtaining 55% of voters in approving the reauthorization of \$31,000,000 in general obligation bonds. Real property owners pay for the bonds based on the assessed value of their real property as determined by the San Diego County Tax Assessor's office.

For the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the committee found the following to be in compliance with the requirements of Article XIIIA, Section 1(b)(3) of the California State Constitution:

- 1. Bond funds have been expended consistent with the bond language.
- 2. No bond proceeds have been used for teacher, administrative salaries or school operating expenses; and
- 3. An annual independent financial audit has been completed as required.
- 4. CBOC held 4 meetings which were open to the public in accordance with the Ralph M. Brown Act
- 5. CBOC membership consists of seven members, as specified under Prop 39 and CBOC bylaws and were appointed by the LUSD Board

The CBOC members review documents that define project work and financial reports, that each planned and completed project complies with the ballot language. The members also visit construction sites and completed projects to ensure that project work is consistent with reported expenditures.

Site	Project
Districtwide	Parking lot asphalt and resurface
Lakeside Middle School	Roof replacement
Districtwide	Security Cameras
Central Kitchen	Modernization Phase I
Eucalyptus Hills	Shade Structures
Wintergardens	Shade Structures
Eucalyptus Hills	Fire Alarm Replacement
Wintergardens	Fire Alarm Replacement
Lindo Park	HVAC Replacement
Lakeside Farms	Flooring Replacement
Districtwide	Visual Screens Installation
Lemon Crest	Walkway renovations
Lindo Park	Multipurpose room and kitchen modernization
Tierra del Sol	New Gym
Tierra del Sol	MPR & kitchen modernization
Lakeside Farms	Office, bathrooms and kitchen modernization
Central Kitchen	Modernization Phase II
District	Modernization & Energy Saving

## **Projects Completed to Date**

## **Accounting of Project Budgets and Costs**

Site	Project	Project Budget	Project Expenditures	Remaining Project	Project Complete
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Lakeside	Office, Bathrooms & Kitchen	\$3,720,000	\$3,099,676.24	\$0	Yes
Farms	Modernization				
Lindo Park	MPR & Kitchen Modernization	\$4,760,520	\$4,011,442.52	\$0	Yes
Tierra del Sol	New Gym	\$7,025,000	\$6,900,744.27	\$0	Yes
Tierra del Sol	MPR & Kitchen Modernization	\$2,135,063	\$2,302,021.49	\$0	Yes
District	Central Kitchen Phase II	\$1,700,000	\$730,194.14	\$0	Yes
District	Modernization & Energy Savings	\$5,000,000	\$4,698,014.85	\$0	Yes
Total		\$24,340,583	\$21,742,093.51	\$0	

# **Revenues and Expenditures for FY 23-24**

	<b>Expenditures for FY 23-24</b>	Ending Fund Balance FY 23-24		
	\$1,138,810.21	\$0.00		
Project		Expenditures for FY 23-24		
Lindo Park MPR & Kitchen Modernization		\$9,758.19		
Lakeside Farms Office, Bathrooms & Kitchen Modernization				\$7,656.50
Modernization & Energy Savings			\$840,126.25	
TDS GYM				\$140,612.84
Central Kitchen	Phase II			\$134,941.11

### **Bond Financial Summary**

Measure L & Prop V- Budget Overview				
	<b>Bond Authorizations</b>	<b>Bond/Interest Revenues</b>		
Total Bonds Authorized	\$31,000,000			
Series A Bonds Issued	\$ (2,900,000)	\$2,900,000		
Series B Bonds Issued	\$(15,000,000)	\$15,000,000		
Interest Earned		\$819,685		
Prop V Refinancing (2015 & 2016)		\$676,243		
Bond Issuance*	\$(13,100,000)	\$13,100,000		
Bond Program Expenditures				
Totals as of 6/30/2023:	\$0	\$32,495,928		

\*The final bond issuance of \$13.1 million was sold in August of 2021.

### San Diego County Taxpayers Association (SDCTA) Report

SDCTA Bond Transparency Scorecard for transparency and accountability update for 2023-24.

Based on November 2024 scorecard, LUSD received a grade B-. The material areas identified for transparency were project descriptions, project progress, and expenditures itemized by project/site. SDCTA information can be found on their website: www.sdcta.org/studies-feed.