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Ms. Tamar Galatzan Los Angeles Unified School District BOARD OF EDUCATION 333 South Beaudry Avenue, 24th Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

Board Member Galatzan,

Over the past several months the Porter Ranch Neighborhood Council (PRNC) has conducted a Stakeholder survey to suggest names for the new Porter Ranch School, Valley Region Span K-8 No. 2. We received over 50 responses from the community, and the complete list can be found on the PRNC website at:

http://prnc.org/agendas/suggested-school-sames-2010-1231.pdf

At our January 4, 2011 meeting, the PRNC Board discussed recommending one name to you, however, we were unable to agree. The favored names among the Board were:

- Porter Ranch Community School
- Porter Ranch School
- Porter Ranch Academy
- Porter Ranch Learning Center

The words "Porter Ranch" are the common element above and, as a result, the PRNC Board recommends that the final name chosen for Valley Region Span K-8 No. 2 prominently includes "Porter Ranch". We hope that this helps and look forward to the school opening in 2012.

Very truly yours,

Mel Mitchell President

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