

RESOLUTION NO. 00-33

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS
ENDORING LOS ALTOS SCHOOL DISTRICT MEASURE E
ON THE NOVEMBER 7, 2000 BALLOT

WHEREAS, the Los Altos School District maintains an exceptional academic program with the highest student test scores in the State of California; and

WHEREAS, the Los Altos School District parcel tax provides 13% of the District's budget, over \$3 million a year, in ongoing financial support of the District's high-quality academic program; and

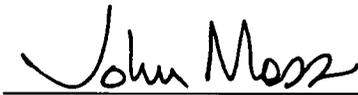
WHEREAS, the parcel tax of \$264 per parcel per year will expire at the end of the current school year unless it is renewed for an additional four years at the same rate; and

WHEREAS, if the parcel tax is not reauthorized, the District will need to make major cuts in its academic program, including increases in class sizes, closure of school libraries, elimination of electives at the middle school, reduction in custodial and maintenance services, and substantial cuts in supply and textbook budgets;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Los Altos strongly endorses Measure E, the School District parcel tax renewal, and urges Los Altos voters to support Los Altos School District excellence by voting YES on Measure E on the November 7, 2000 ballot.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was duly introduced and adopted by the City Council of the City of Los Altos at a meeting thereof held on the 17th day of October, 2000, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Mayor Moss, Councilmembers Becker and Lear
NOES: None
ABSENT: Councilmembers Casto and La Poll



JOHN MOSS, MAYOR

Attest:



CAROL SCHARZ, CITY CLERK