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RE: 2022/2023 Local Control and Accountability Plan and Adopted Budget

Dear Ms. Salinas and Mr. Coombs:

Thank you for the timely submission of the 2022/2023 Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) for Lowell Joint School District. We have completed our analysis of the LCAP, Supplement to the Annual Update, Action Tables and Budget Overview for Parents pursuant to the requirements specified under Education Code § 52064.1(c) and 52070(d) and are pleased to inform you that the 2022/2023 LCAP for Lowell Joint School District has met the requirements for approval.

The high regard the district holds for the LCAP development process is evident in the effort that Lowell Joint School District has put forth to include educational partners and use their input to inform the planning process. The Lowell Joint School District included many promising initiatives such as expanding a Dual Language Program to support English language learners and to provide the opportunity for English only students to develop a second language, and continuing to implement district-wide Multi-Tiered System of Support (MTSS) for intervention and remediation with Intervention Coordinators.

We also completed our review of the 2022/2023 Adopted Budget as required by Education Code § 42127(c) and 52070(d). These sections require the standards and criteria were adopted pursuant to Education Code § 33127; the budget meets its financial obligations during the year, and is consistent to satisfy its multiyear financial commitments; the district budget meets reserve requirements; and contains the necessary expenditures to implement the Local Control and Accountability Plan. The 2022/2023 Adopted Budget of the Lowell Joint School District is hereby approved.

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We would like to extend our sincere gratitude to your staff for the exceptional effort invested in developing the Local Control Accountability Plan & Adopted Budget and your commitment to ensure the highest quality educational experience for every student during this challenging time.

Sincerely,



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County Superintendent