REDWOOD CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

2026–27 Addendum to the Application for Use of Measure U Funds

Taft Community School

Board-Approved Procedure for Disbursement of Measure U Funds:

Measure U funds will be distributed directly to each school to be spent in accordance with the priorities stated in the Measure U ballot language:

- Enhance math, science, reading, and writing skills
- Attract and retain qualified teachers
- Enhance quality arts and music programs
- Update classroom computers and instructional technology

In 2026–27, each school will receive a baseline amount of $17,000, plus approximately $226 per student.

Each year, the board will approve all the proposed expenditures according to the following process:

- Each school's Site Council, which includes the principal, teachers, and elected parent representatives, will develop the proposed expenditures.
- Site Council may only propose expenditures that are in alignment with the ballot language.
- Funds must be spent on a purpose that aligns with at least one of the bullet points above, but not necessarily with all four.
- Each school's Site Council will submit the proposed expenditures to the Superintendent. The Superintendent will review, compile, and recommend the proposed expenditures from all the school sites to the board for approval.

The Citizens Oversight Committee will be responsible for ensuring that the expenditure of all funds complies with the ballot language. The Citizens Oversight Committee does not approve the expenditures in advance; it ensures that the money has been spent properly.

Name of School: Taft Community School

Amount of Allocation: $90,508 **+ $43,594.00 (2025-26 carryover/adjustment) = $134,102.00**

Date Site Council Discussed: 10/26/2026

Names of Site Council Members Present

Staff: David Camarena, Kerry Benjamin, Wende Bailon, Rita Leon, Sebastian Chavez

Parents & Community Members: Norma Welsh, Elyssa Edwards, Breanna Rivera

Site Council Vote: Ayes: 7 No: 0 (Principal abstains from voting)

Please use the chart below to describe the proposed program/expenditure. Please mark with an "X" which voter-approved priority is addressed. All Measure U expenditures must meet at least one voter-approved priority.

Description of Measure U funded program/expense	Staff Required	Enhance Math, Science, Reading and Writing Skills	Attract and retain qualified teachers	Enhance quality arts and music programs	Update classroom computers and instructional technology	How does the program support one or more of the voter-approved priorities?	Amount
Teacher Release for Data Analysis and Planning			X			Teacher release or stipends for data analysis of RCSD Aligned Assessments in Reading and Mathematics. This also pays for subs to provide release time to teachers. Attracts and retains teachers by providing professional development for improving Math and Reading skills.	~~$1,100~~ **$5,000**
Assemblies		X		X		Pay for Science, Math, Music, PBIS, and Author Assemblies for all students and staff to create a positive school culture.	~~$2,099~~ **$3,000**
PE +	Partial funding of contracted PE+ Instructors		X			Have PE+ coaches create release time for teachers to plan and analyze data, collaborate on instruction, and engage in collective inquiry for student learning in grades K–5. This helps attract and retain teachers.	$20,730
Library Books, Materials, and Incentives		X				Purchase books for the school library to support reading. Provide incentives for students who are meeting their reading goals through iReady. By investing in library resources, schools create a rich learning environment that strengthens literacy, critical thinking, and problem-solving across subjects.	~~$1,000~~ **$4,000**
Field Trips: Fees for entrance and transportation		X				Pay for field trips in the areas of Science, Social Studies, Technology, and Art in order to provide enrichment opportunities for students. Entrance fees and bus costs will be covered. Field trips offer hands-on, real-world experiences that can significantly enhance math, science, reading, and writing skills by making learning more engaging and practical.	~~$5,000~~ **$7,500**
RCSD Music Teacher	X			X		Help pay for the RCSD music teacher's salary. A music teacher enhances the quality of arts and music programs by providing expert instruction,	$15,000

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						fostering creativity, and developing students' technical and performance skills.	
Community School Coordinator	X	X				Helps fund the salary of the Community School Coordinator (CSC). The Community School Coordinator coordinates additional services such as tutoring programs (HCT, CAP, & Air Reading) for students. The CSC also leads and supports Taft's Student Council.	$25,000
STEAM Teacher	X	X	X			Helps fund the salary of the full-time STEAM teacher. The STEAM teacher teaches STEAM to all K-5 students and also does math intervention. STEAM Teacher also provides prep time to all K-5 teachers.	$20,579
Outdoor Education: Student scholarships, transportation, and teacher stipends	**2 Teachers**	**X**				**Provide scholarships for students who are in need to participate in the Science Enrichment at Outdoor Education Camp. Also, pay for school busing to go to and return from the camp, as well as pay for teacher stipends. Field trips such as Outdoor Education offer hands-on, real-world experiences that can significantly enhance math, science, reading, and writing skills by making learning more engaging and practical.**	**$10,000**
After-school Tutoring		**X**				**Pay for teachers to provide after-school tutoring for students who are struggling in Reading and Mathematics. This will support Goal 3 of our SPSA and enhance math, reading, and writing skills.**	**$5,293**
Teacher Planning and Collaboration for Saturday/Sunday		**X**	**X**			**Pay teachers who chose to plan and collaborate on site during the weekend. This will support Goal 3 of our SPSA and retain qualified teachers.**	**$6,000**

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Technology Apps		X				Pay for Next Gen Math (CAASPP test prep platform for math) for grades 3-5 and supplemental apps for 2nd grade. This will support Goal 3 of our SPSA and enhance math.	$4,500
Math Materials & Support		X				Pay for supplemental math materials and workbooks. This will support Goal 3 of our SPSA and enhance math.	$2,500
TOTAL							$134,102.00

Please sign below:

Principal — Date: 10/27/26

Site Council President — Date: 10/27/26