SONORA UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT CITIZEN'S OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

(MEASURE J – Approved by District Voters on November 6, 2012)

PERIOD COVERING July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014

ANNUAL REPORT

This report is hereby adopted by the Sonora Union High School District Citizen's Oversight Committee pursuant to Education Code Section 15280(b) and submitted to the Public in conformance with such section. This report covers the period from July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014 and certain related matters.

I. <u>MEMBERSHIP OF THE SONORA UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT CITIZEN'S OVERSIGHT</u> COMMITTEE:

Citizen's Oversight Committee Members

The membership on the Sonora Union High School District Citizen's Oversight Committee consisted of the following individuals (From July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015) during a portion of the reporting period.

Patricia Hohne (Business Organization Representative)
 William Dunlavy (Senior Citizen Organization Representative)
 Linda Crocker (Member at Large)
 LaDeane Hansten (Parent Representative)
 Ricky Canepa (Parent Representative)
 Clark Keefe (Member at Large)
 Jim Grinnell (Member at Large)

II. <u>ACTIVITIES OF THE SONORA UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT CITIZEN'S OVERSIGHT</u> COMMITTEE:

Minutes describing the meetings and activities of the Sonora Union High School District Citizen's Oversight Committee are available as public reports and are available on the District website, www.sonorahs.k12.ca.us, under Measures J. For more complete descriptions of actions by the Sonora Union High School District (SUHSD) Citizen's Oversight Committee (COC), please see Minutes of the corresponding meeting posted of the SUHSD website. All approved Minutes, Annual Reports, and additional documents are posted on the SUHDS website in accordance with the directives of the COC.

III. CITIZEN'S OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (COC):

1. COC has met four times per year.

The COC must meet at least two times per year. The meetings of the COC are held quarterly. Minutes of the COC meetings are on file with the SUHSD and are posted on the website, www@sonorahs.k12.ca.us, under Measure J.

2. COC has received reports, updates, and information on the expenditures of the Measure J Series.

A complete list of the reports provided to the COC is available at the SUHSD office for public review upon request. Information on certain COC handouts and documents is also located on the website.

- 3. Measure J Bond funds have been expended on the identified projects authorized by Measure J (Education Code Section 15278(b)(1)).
- 4. No Measure J monies have been spent on teacher/administrator salaries or other school operating expenses (Education Code Section 15278(b)(2)).
- The 2012/13 Measure J General Obligation Financial and Performance Bond Audit Report was reviewed, received, and filed with the COC.

The required annual audit for Fiscal Year 2012-13 was performed by the accounting firm of Vavrinek, Trine, Day & Co., LLP. The Audit report was accepted by the SUHSD Board of Trustees at their February 18, 2014 meeting. The audit report was presented to the COC at their February 13, 2014 meeting. A copy of the audit report is attached to this Annual Report as Attachment "A". In all respects, the SUHSD properly accounted for the expenditures held in the Building Fund (Measure J) and such expenditures were made for authorized Bond Projects.

- The COC has received all necessary technical and administrative assistance from the SUHSD (Education Code Section 15280).
- 7. The SUHSD website is operating and includes all required documentation and information for the Measure J Bond and COC (Education Code Section 15280(b)).

The Measure J page on the SUHSD website is operated and maintained by the SUHSD on behalf of the COC and is currently located under Measure J at www.sonorahs.k12.ca.us.

8. Based on the foregoing, the SUHSD is in compliance with the requirement of Article XIII 1(b)(3) of the California Constitution.

Summary of Major Projects in 2013-14

Planning:

Professional Services Urban Futures – Isom Advisors VTD – Audit services	\$ 8,000
Architect/Engineering Fees	\$ 1,180,275
Dept. State Architect (DSA Plan Fees	\$ 106,606
Preliminary Testing, Surveys Condor Earth North Star Engineering Placeworks – CEQA	\$ 127,979
Other Planning Costs School Site Solutions Union Democrat – Ads	\$ 7,815
Construction Management Fees	\$ 588,207
TOTAL	\$ 2,018,882

IV. <u>CONTACT INFORMATION:</u>

Comments, questions, and suggestions can be forwarded to the COC through the SUHSD at the following address:

Sonora Union High School District 100 School Street Sonora, CA 95370

Attn:

Superintendent

Telephone:

(209) 533-8510, ext. 12

The foregoing COC Annual Report was approved by the Citizen's Oversight Committee at their quarterly meeting on September 18, 2014.

James Grinnell, COC Chairperson

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Linda Crocker, COC Secretary