District "Right-Sizing" Overview, Process and Recommendations

Overview

Over the last decade, enrollment in Sacramento City Unified School District has declined by approximately 10 percent, from a high of 53,418 in 2001-02 to 47,939 last year. Enrollment this year is down again by at least 800 students. The aging of our neighborhoods, the lure of new housing in suburbs beyond our borders, and the region's economic crisis have been cited as factors leading to this decline. We are projected to lose another 800 students in 2013-14. While we will continue to innovate programs aimed at attracting new families, we are unlikely to see an enrollment surge in neighborhoods hard-hit by job losses, foreclosures and California's shifting demographics. According to a report released this month by the USC Price School of Public Policy and the Lucile Packard Foundation for Children's Health, California is facing an "unprecedented decline" in its child population, a trend triggered by lower birth rates, fewer newcomers arriving in the state and a smaller population of women of child-bearing age.

SCUSD's struggles with declining enrollment have compounded the district's serious and severe budget problems, as fewer students mean less state funding. In the last five years alone, SCUSD has been forced to cut $146 million from our budget due to state cuts to public education, declining enrollment and a loss of one-time federal funds. Balancing our books has meant raising class sizes and reducing or eliminating librarians, nurses, teachers, counselors, custodians and assistant principals. These cuts have damaged our ability to continue to provide a high-quality education to every student on every campus. Despite passage of Proposition 30 and its promise of increased education funding, we are predicting another budget deficit for 2013-14 as our costs continue to rise.

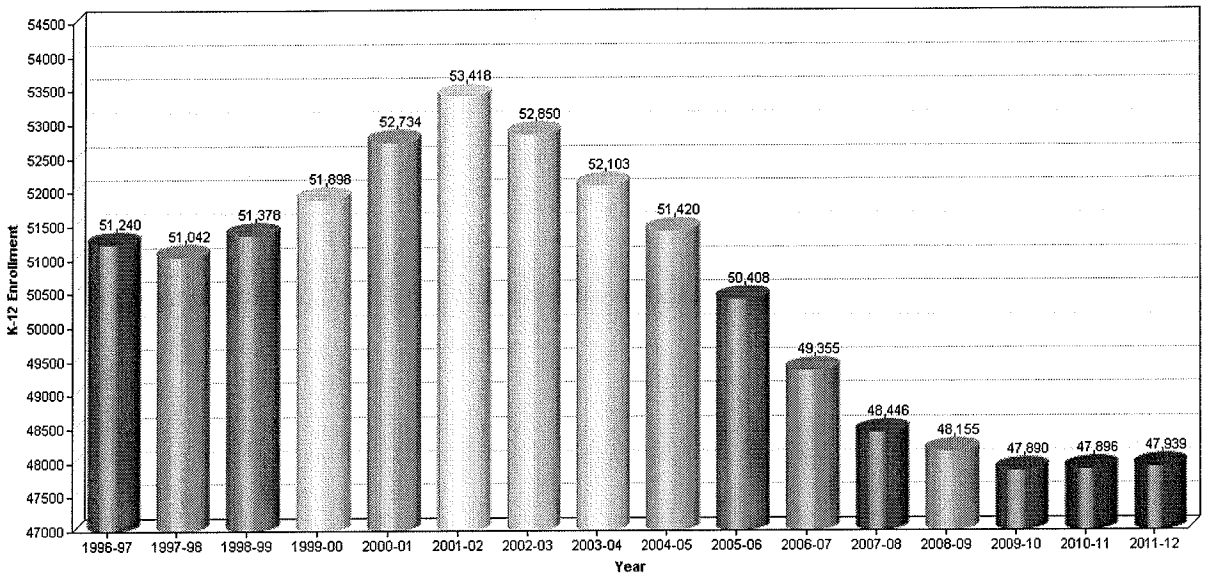
Currently, SCUSD's elementary schools are operating at just 56 percent of enrollment capacity. This model is not fiscally sustainable and drains resources from other students and other schools. SCUSD operates 56 schools that serve elementary students. By comparison, Elk Grove Unified, which has substantially more students, has 39 schools that serve elementary students. San Juan Unified, with a similar number of students, operates 43. To "right-size" our district, staff is recommending the closure of 11 dramatically under-enrolled elementary schools, a deep reduction that is meant to reduce costs over time and address the structural imbalance that leads to under-enrolled campuses.

Right-sizing has benefits beyond those that are purely economic. Fewer elementary schools will mean fewer split-grade classrooms. Fewer elementary schools will mean more learning supports for every student at every school. Fewer elementary schools will also improve the district's ability to maintain our campuses, classrooms, playgrounds and fields, which will help keep students safer and healthier. Fewer campuses will allow the district to concentrate our financial resources for the benefit of students and families and lower our utility costs. By being at a larger school, students will have more opportunities for intervention and enrichment and teachers will have greater opportunities to collaborate with peers who teach the same grade level.

In addition, we are projecting a $2 million reduction in costs for 2013-14 through the closure of 11 campuses, and more savings over the years. Plans are being put in place to ease the transition as much as possible for families so that they are well taken care of during this process. Community meetings will be held so that every voice is heard as we move forward.

Declining Enrollment in SCUSD

Below is an enrollment "time capsule" bar chart from the California Department of Education:



	# of Elementary Schools	# of K-12 Students*
SCUSD	56	47,939
San Juan	43	47,245
Elk Grove	39	62,123

**2011-12 California Department of Education statistics for LEAs – includes all charter schools*

Enrollment for the 2012-13 school year is down at least 800 students. Projections for 2013-14 suggest a similar trend. As businesses like Campbell's Soup leave our community, more and more families leave their aging neighborhoods in favor of newer homes in areas like Roseville.

Under-enrolled schools result in more split classes and fewer resources for families and faculties.

Benefits of School Closure

- Ongoing financial savings
- Fewer split classes
- Larger schools receive more support for student interventions
- More resources for staffing flexibility
- Easier to provide security support for fewer campuses
- Large schools provide more opportunity for staff collaboration

Process

Since this is a fiscal decision, staff used fiscal data to determine a list of schools for closure.

1. Started with list of district schools listed in reverse order by enrollment percentage of capacity (see table on following page).
2. Schools were removed from consideration for the following two reasons:
    I. Schools whose enrollment is expected to grow as a result of schools higher on the list feeding into them - so as to not disproportionately impact certain neighborhoods or communities.
    II. Priority Schools – The district has invested substantial resources into turning around these schools in our highest needs neighborhoods.
3. Following Board action, a new 7-11 Committee will be appointed to complete a thorough assessment of impacted sites and community needs and make recommendations to the Board for their reuse/repurposing.

Timeline

January 17:	Initial presentation of recommendations to Board.
January/February:	Community meetings – dates to be determined by January 18.
February 7:	Board hears staff report with any updated information.
February 21:	Board vote.
February 22:	Transition Process begins.
Early March:	Appoint New 7/11 Committee charged with creating a comprehensive plan for repurposing and reuse of closed facilities.

2012/2013 ENROLLMENT TO CAPACITY
Enrollment 10/5/2012 CBEDS

Elementary Schools (K-6, K-8)	Enrollment 12/13	Capacity 12/13	% Use	Space Available
Fruit Ridge	310	1,024	30%	714
James W. Marshall	390	1,103	35%	713
A. M. Winn	338	891	38%	553
Washington	222	580	38%	358
Tahoe	315	822	38%	507
Collis P. Huntington	237	611	39%	374
Fr Keith B. Kenny (K – 8)	313	802	39%	489
Susan B. Anthony	279	708	39%	429
Bret Harte	402	981	41%	579
Leataata Floyd	300	730	41%	430
Oak Ridge	416	994	42%	578
Joseph Bonnheim	413	970	43%	557
Mark Hopkins	418	954	44%	536
Mark Twain	393	891	44%	498
Clayton B. Wire	454	1,027	44%	573
John Morse Therapeutic Center (K – 8)	58	130	45%	72
William Land	290	641	45%	351
Maple	232	499	46%	267
Caroline Wenzel	380	798	48%	418
John Cabrillo	375	778	48%	403
H. W. Harkness	318	648	49%	330
Peter Burnett	541	1,100	49%	559
Hollywood Park	259	514	50%	255
Woodbine	362	713	51%	351
John D. Sloat	310	595	52%	285
Bowling Green (D)	815	1,529	53%	714
Earl Warren	493	918	54%	425
John Bidwell	390	725	54%	335
Isador Cohen	349	648	54%	299
Cesar E. Chavez (4 – 6)	331	607	55%	276
Caleb Greenwood (K – 8)	485	889	55%	404
Ethel Phillips (QEIA)	439	797	55%	358
Pacific (QEIA)	551	971	57%	420
Martin Luther King, Jr. (K – 8)	553	957	58%	404
Theodore Judah	500	838	60%	338
Camellia Basic	480	801	60%	321
Abraham Lincoln	475	774	61%	299
O.W. Erlewine	377	608	62%	231
Leonardo da Vinci (K – 8)	759	1,219	62%	460
David Lubin	555	891	62%	336
Elder Creek	746	1,186	63%	440
Edward Kemble (K – 3) (QEIA)	527	833	63%	306
Ethel I. Baker	608	956	64%	348
Nicholas	664	1,002	66%	338
Golden Empire	606	889	68%	283
Parkway	587	860	68%	273
Sequoia	509	741	69%	232
Hubert H. Bancroft	553	805	69%	252

John Still ES & MS (QEIA as K-8 w/MS)	948	1,272	75%	324
Genevieve F. Didion (K – 8)	631	831	76%	200
Sutterville	597	786	76%	189
Matsuyama	664	849	78%	185
Pony Express	456	564	81%	108
Phoebe A. Hearst	640	769	83%	129
Alice Birney (K – 8)	551	640	86%	89
Crocker / Riverside	661	742	89%	81
Total	25,825	46,400	56%	20,575

Based on this process, the following schools are recommended for closure (or removed based on the recommended criteria):

1. **Fruit Ridge**
2. **James Marshall**
3. ~~*AM Winn*~~ – *REMOVED DUE TO IMPACT OF JAMES MARSHALL*
3. **Washington**
4. **Tahoe**
5. **C.P. Huntington**
6. ~~*Father Keith B. Kenny*~~ – *REMOVED DUE TO IMPACT OF FRUIT RIDGE, TAHOE AND BRET HARTE*
6. **Susan B. Anthony**
7. **Bret Harte**
8. ~~*Leataata Floyd*~~ - *REMOVED DUE TO PRIORITY SCHOOL*
8. ~~*Oak Ridge*~~ - *REMOVED DUE TO IMPACT OF FRUIT RIDGE AND BRET HARTE*
8. **Joseph Bonnheim**
9. **Mark Hopkins**
10. ~~*Mark Twain*~~ – *REMOVED DUE TO IMPACT OF TAHOE AND JOSEPH BONNHEIM*
10. **C.B. Wire**
11. ~~*John Morse Therapeutic Center*~~ – *SPECIALIZED PROGRAM NOT UNDER CONSIDERATION*
11. ~~*William Land*~~ – *REMOVED DUE TO IMPACT OF WASHINGTON*
11. **Maple**

Estimated Financial Considerations

	Year One Projected Savings	Year Two Projected Savings	Year Three Projected Savings	Year Four Projected Savings
Fruit Ridge	$ 270,171	$ 275,575	$ 281,086	$ 286,708
James W. Marshall	$ 231,123	$ 235,746	$ 240,461	$ 245,270
Washington	$ 254,287	$ 259,373	$ 264,560	$ 269,851
Tahoe	$ 221,577	$ 226,008	$ 230,529	$ 235,139
C.P. Huntington	$ 217,562	$ 221,913	$ 226,352	$ 230,879
Susan B. Anthony	$ 188,226	$ 191,991	$ 195,831	$ 199,747
Bret Harte	$ 222,687	$ 227,141	$ 231,684	$ 236,317
Joseph Bonnheim	$ 207,885	$ 212,043	$ 216,284	$ 220,609
Mark Hopkins	$ 231,904	$ 236,542	$ 241,273	$ 246,099
Clayton B. Wire	$ 250,556	$ 255,567	$ 260,678	$ 265,892
Maple	$ 223,740	$ 228,215	$ 232,779	$ 237,435
Sub-total	$ 2,519,720	$ 2,570,114	$ 2,621,516	$ 2,673,947
Year One Implementation Cost	$ 348,000			
Total Savings	$ 2,171,720	$ 2,570,114	$ 2,621,516	$ 2,673,947

Community Meeting Outreach Plan

A series of Community Forums will be held in the coming weeks regarding the potential closure of the sites being recommended. There will be a community meeting held at each of the sites recommended for closure.

These meetings will provide community members with an opportunity to hear information on the financial landscape that has precipitated these recommendations, as well as the process and criteria being used. These meetings will provide an opportunity to gather feedback from the community on how to ensure that the needs of families are met during this difficult transition.

Outreach Efforts (including, but not limited to):

- Letters backpacked home to parents at each school regarding the upcoming meetings (letters will be translated where appropriate)
- Connect-ED messages sent out to parents at each school regarding the upcoming meetings
- Prominent placement on the district website (www.scusd.edu)
- Press release to local media outlets
- Engage with local Neighborhood Associations
- Coordination with partners in the city and county
- The district will use all means at our disposal to inform school communities of these meetings

Fruit Ridge Elementary

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New Home School(s) for Students
Father Keith B. Kenny
Oak Ridge

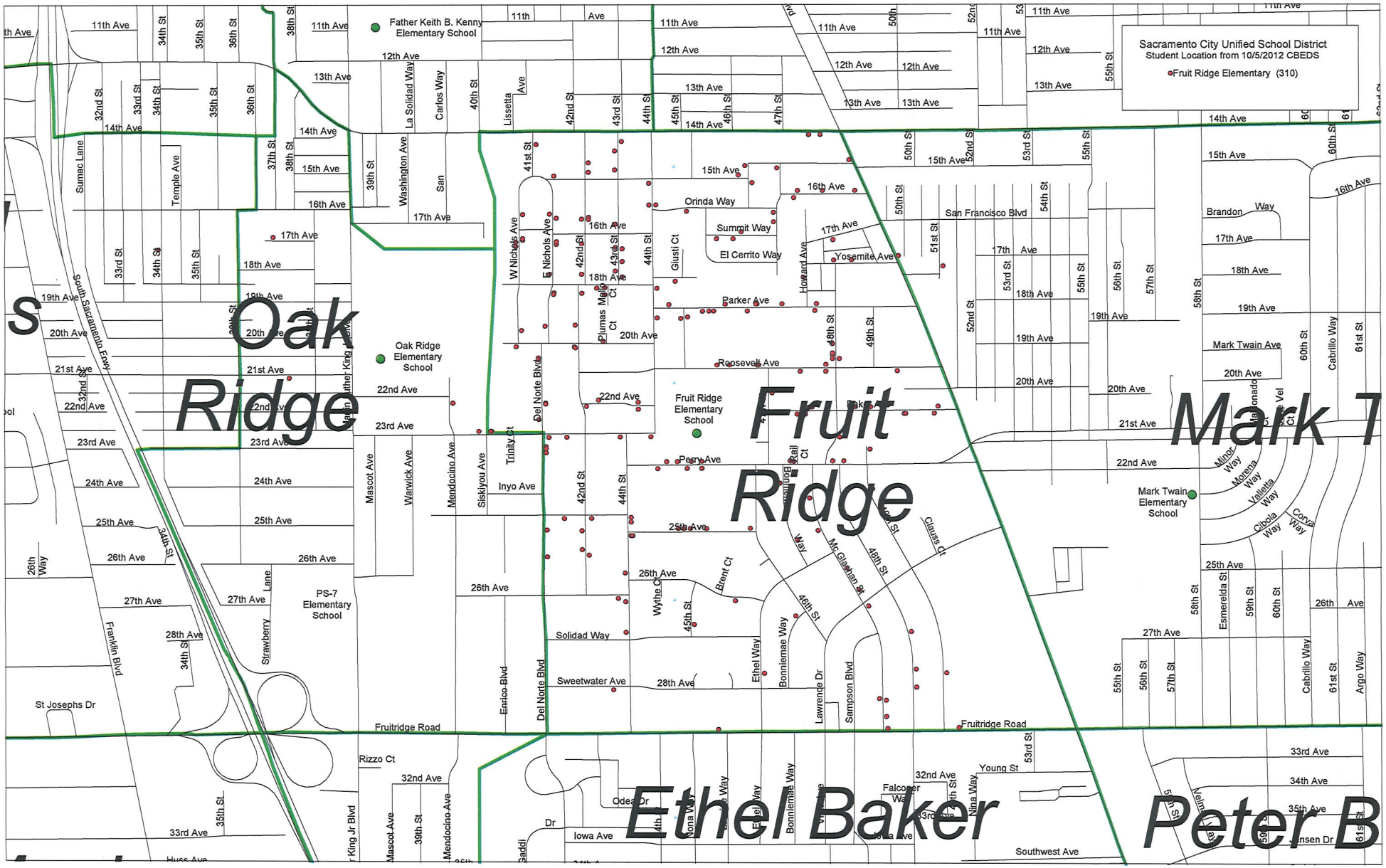
Other Neighboring School(s)
Mark Twain
Ethel I Baker

Rationale/Information Regarding Receiving Schools
Both Oak Ridge and Father Keith B. Kenny are within close proximity and neither requires the crossing of a major street or railroad track.

Transportation
A walking attendant for students traveling to Father Keith B. Kenny will be added. Transportation for students traveling to Oak Ridge will be added to mitigate traffic concerns for families displaced by the closure of Fruit Ridge.

Benefits/Supports for Families at Receiving School(s)

- The district has invested significant resources into improving Father Keith B. Kenny and Oak Ridge in the past three years
- Fewer split classes
- Larger schools receive more support for student interventions
- More resources for staffing flexibility


Sacramento City Unified School District
Student Location from 10/5/2012 CBEDS
Fruit Ridge Elementary (310)
Oak Ridge
Fruit Ridge
Ethel Baker
Mark T
Peter B
Father Keith B. Kenny Elementary School
Oak Ridge Elementary School
Fruit Ridge Elementary School
Mark Twain Elementary School
PS-7 Elementary School
Fruitridge Road
Del Norte Blvd
Mendocino Ave
Mascot Ave
Warwick Ave
Siskiyou Ave
Inyo Ave
Trinity Ct
Enrico Blvd
Solidad Way
Sweetwater Ave
Peony Ave
Roosevelt Ave
Barker Ave
Orinda Way
Summit Way
El Cerrito Way
Yosemite Ave
Giusti Ct
Howard Ave
W Nichols Ave
E Nichols Ave
Plumas Ct
Brent Ct
Wythe Ct
Ethel Way
Bonniemae Way
Lawrende Dr
Sampson Blvd
Clauss Ct
Mc Glashan St
Rail Ct
Rosa Vel Ct
Minot Way
Morena Way
Valletta Way
Cibola Way
Corral Way
Cabrillo Way
Esmerelda St
Argo Way
Nina Way
Young St
Falconer Way
Southwest Ave
Iowa Ave
Odea Dr
Rizzo Ct
St Josephs Dr
Franklin Blvd
Strawberry Lane
Sumac Lane
Temple Ave
Washington Ave
La Solidad Way
Carlos Way
Lissetta Ave
San Francisco Blvd
Brandon Way
Mark Twain Ave
South Sacramento Fwy
Martin Luther King Jr Blvd
11th Ave
12th Ave
13th Ave
14th Ave
15th Ave
16th Ave
17th Ave
18th Ave
19th Ave
20th Ave
21st Ave
22nd Ave
23rd Ave
24th Ave
25th Ave
26th Ave
27th Ave
28th Ave
32nd Ave
33rd Ave
34th Ave
35th Ave
Huss Ave

James Marshall Elementary

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New Home School(s) for Students
A.M. Winn
Sequoia

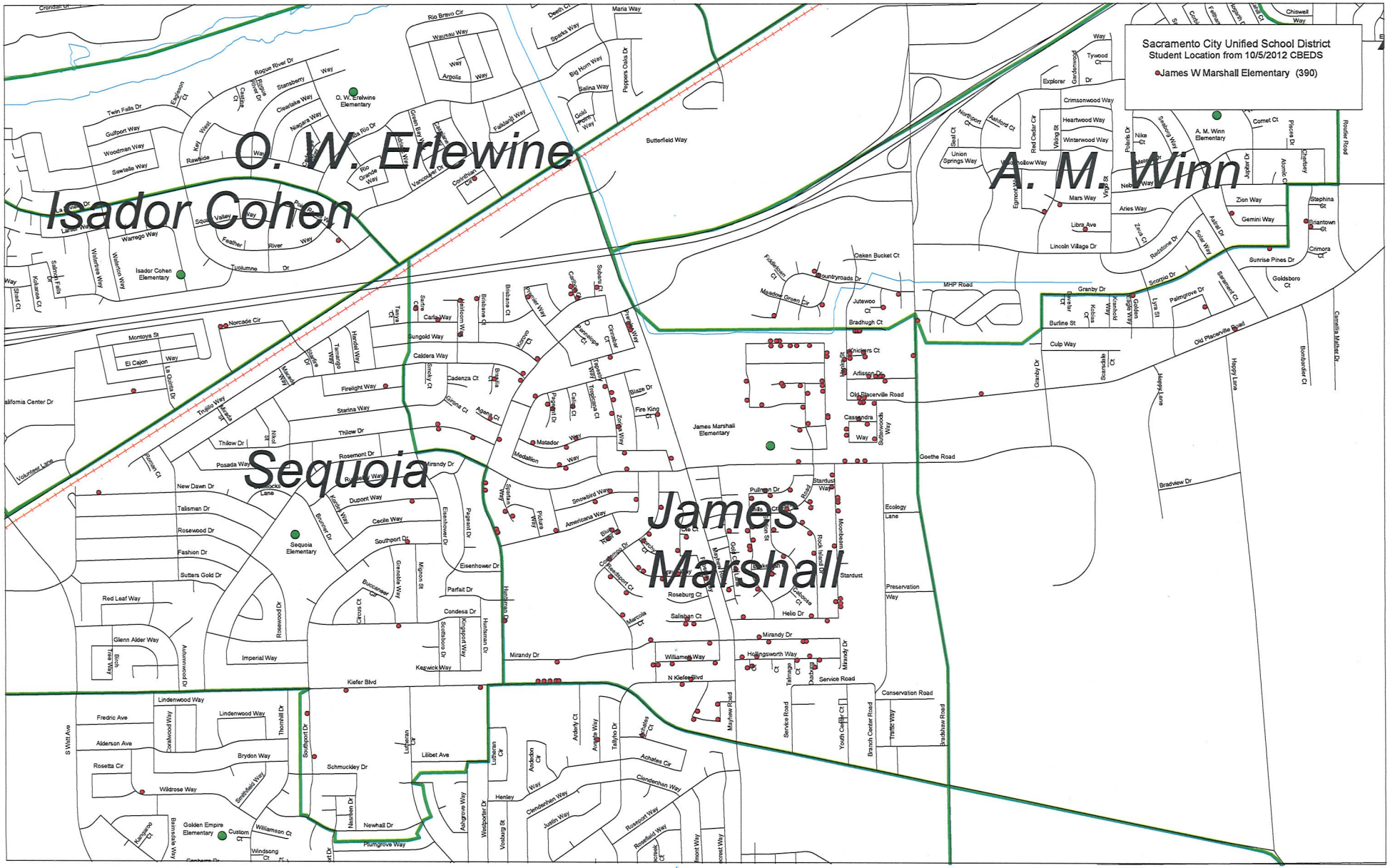
Other Neighboring School(s)
Isador Cohen
O.W. Erlewine
Golden Empire

Rationale/Information Regarding Receiving Schools
Families to the west of Mayhew Road would go to Sequoia; families to the east of Mayhew Road would go to A.M. Winn.

Transportation
Transportation will be added for displaced students who must cross Bradshaw Road to get to A.M. Winn.

Benefits/Supports for Families at Receiving School(s)

- The district has invested resources into the creation of a new Waldorf-Inspired program at A.M. Winn
- Through its Waldorf-Inspired program, A.M. Winn will soon be offering an Early Kinder program for families
- Fewer split classes
- Larger schools receive more support for student interventions
- More resources for staffing flexibility


Sacramento City Unified School District
Student Location from 10/5/2012 CBEDS
James W Marshall Elementary (390)
O. W. Erlewine
Isador Cohen
A. M. Winn
Sequoia
James Marshall
O. W. Erlewine Elementary
Isador Cohen Elementary
A. M. Winn Elementary
Sequoia Elementary
James Marshall Elementary
Golden Empire Elementary
Butterfield Way
MHP Road
Goethe Road
Old Placerville Road
Granby Dr
Culp Way
Burline St
Lincoln Village Dr
Aries Way
Gemini Way
Zion Way
Sunrise Pines Dr
Goldsboro Ct
Crimora Ct
Stephina Ct
Briantown Ct
Scorpio Dr
Palmgrove Dr
Sagamont Ct
Redstone Dr
Solar Way
Astral Dr
Mars Way
Libra Ave
Nebula Way
Virgo St
Jupiter Dr
Comet Ct
Pisces Dr
Roseller Road
Crimsonwood Way
Heartwood Way
Winterwood Way
Explorer Dr
Tywood Ct
Gardenwood Way
Union Springs Way
Northport Ct
Ashford Ct
Red Cedar Cir
Viking St
Nike Ct
Polaris Dr
Sterling Way
Meteor Ct
Chiswell Way
Countryroads Dr
Jutewoo Ct
Bradhugh Ct
Oeken Bucket Ct
Meadow Green Cir
Knickers Ct
Arlisten Dr
Old Placerville Road
Cassandra Way
Silverwoods Way
Granby Dr
Soundside Ct
Happy Lane
Heather Lane
Bonhardier Ct
Camellia Mather Dr
Bradview Dr
Ecology Lane
Preservation Way
Conservation Road
Traffic Way
Branch Center Road
Service Road
Youth Center Ct
Mayhew Road
Stardust Way
Stardust
Pullman Dr
Rock Head Dr
Woodhaven Dr
Roseburg Ct
Salishan Ct
Helio Dr
Mirandy Dr
Williamette Way
Hollingsworth Way
N Kiefer Blvd
Kiefer Blvd
Mirandy Dr
Rio Bravo Cir
Wausau Way
Argolis Way
Maria Way
Sparks Way
Big Horn Way
Salina Way
Peppers Oaks Dr
Rio Bravo Dr
Green Bay Way
Falkirk Way
Rio Grande Way
Vancouver Dr
Corinthian Cir
Twin Falls Dr
Gulfport Way
Woodman Way
Sawalle Way
Edgerton Ct
Rogue River Dr
Stansberry Way
Clearlake Way
Niagara Way
Rawhide Way
Warrego Way
Feather River Way
Tuolumne Dr
Squaw Valley Way
Lariat Way
La Glen Dr
Salmon Falls Dr
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Waterline Way
Walerton Way
Shard Ct
Montoya St
El Cajon Way
La Garita Dr
Norcade Cir
Trillo Way
Wagner Way
Starina Way
Firelight Way
Thillow Dr
Rosemont Dr
Posada Way
Volunteer Lane
Pomlen Ct
New Dawn Dr
Talisman Dr
Rosewood Dr
Fashion Dr
Sutters Gold Dr
Red Leaf Way
Glenn Alder Way
Birch Tree Way
Aluminwood Dr
Imperial Way
Rosewood Dr
Lindenwood Way
Fredric Ave
Alderson Ave
Rosetta Cir
Wildrose Way
Brydon Way
Thornhill Dr
Coralwood Way
S Watt Ave
Southport Dr
Schmuckley Dr
Lilibet Ave
Lutheran Dr
Lutheran Cir
Anderson Cir
Arderly Ct
Angela Way
Tallyho Dr
Achates Ct
Achates Cir
Clendenhen Way
Henley
Ashgrove Way
Westporter Dr
Voxburg St
Rosecrest Way
Rosefield Way
Justin Way
Newhall Dr
Nauben Dr
Plumgrove Way
Williamson Ct
Custom Ct
Windsong Ct
Kensington Ct
Barcelona Way
Spellfield Way
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Circus Ct
Grapevine Way
Mayon St
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Condesa Dr
Southbend Dr
Kingsbridge Way
Keswick Way
Huntington Dr
Mirandy Dr
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Salishan Ct
Helio Dr
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Agana Ct
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Brigalia
Brisbane Ct
Sandra Ct
Carlsbad Cir
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Sorbo Ct
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Heidelcorn Way
Norcap Ct
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Prudence Way
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Tapestry Way
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Sagamont Ct
Redstone Dr
Solar Way
Astral Dr
Mars Way
Libra Ave
Nebula Way
Virgo St
Jupiter Dr
Comet Ct
Pisces Dr
Roseller Road
Crimsonwood Way
Heartwood Way
Winterwood Way
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Gardenwood Way
Union Springs Way
Northport Ct
Ashford Ct
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Silverwoods Way
Granby Dr
Soundside Ct
Happy Lane
Heather Lane
Bonhardier Ct
Camellia Mather Dr
Bradview Dr

Washington Elementary

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New Home School(s) for Students
William Land
Theodore Judah

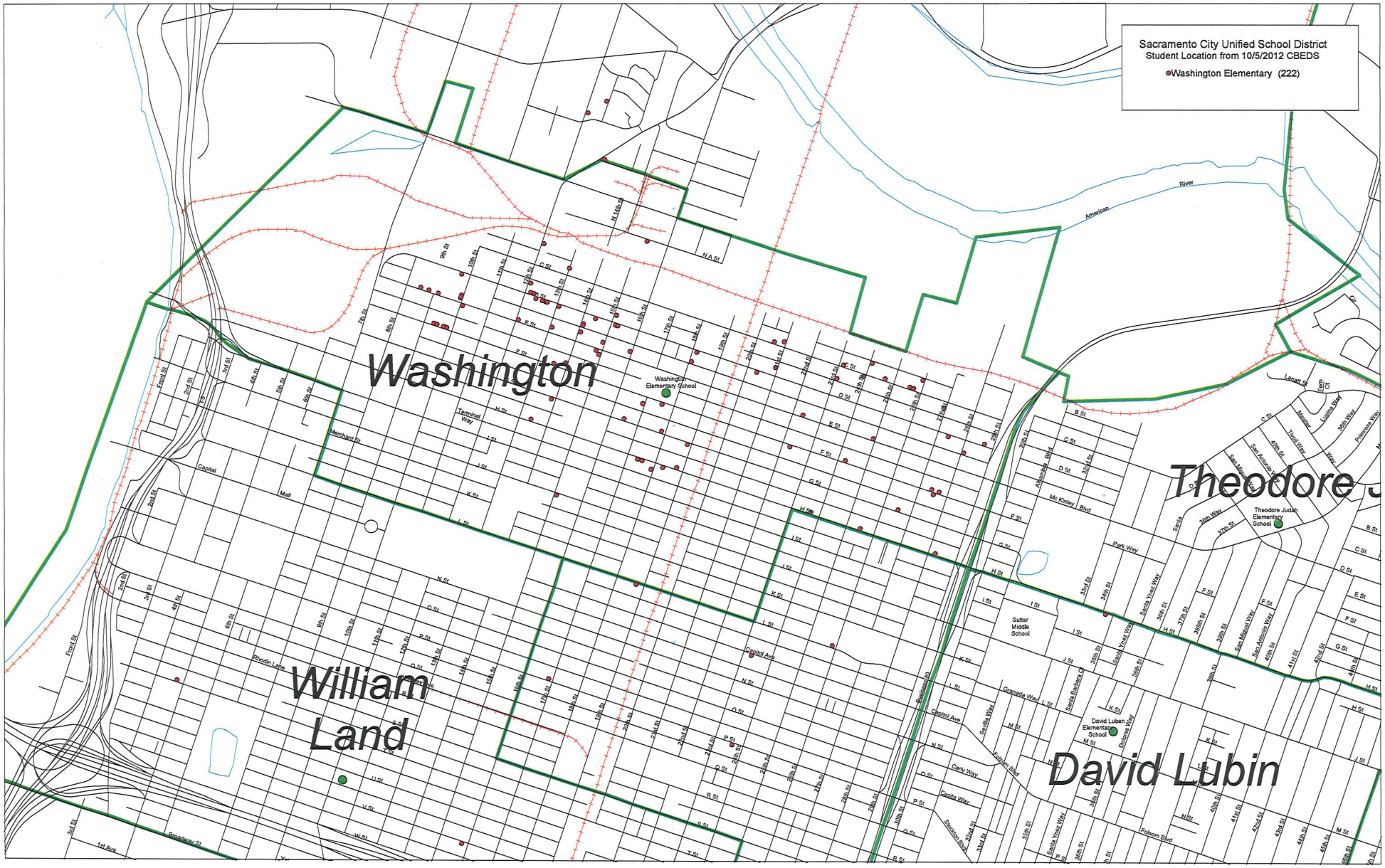
Other Neighboring School(s)
NA

Rationale/Information Regarding Receiving Schools
Families to the west of railroad tracks between 19th Street and 20th Street would go to William Land; families to the east of railroad tracks between 19th Street and 20th Street would go to Theodore Judah.

Transportation
Transportation will be provided for displaced students going to Theodore Judah who live west of Business 80. Transportation will be added for displaced students going to William Land.

Benefits/Supports for Families at Receiving School(s)

- Washington's partnerships with the arts community could continue at William Land and Theodore Judah
- William Land's Mandarin Immersion program provides a unique opportunity for families
- Theodore Judah is among the leaders in our district in green and environmental programs
- Theodore Judah offers an Early Kinder program for families
- Fewer split classes
- Larger schools receive more support for student interventions
- More resources for staffing flexibility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Washington Elementary (222)
Washington
Washington Elementary School
William Land
David Lubin
David Luben Elementary School
Theodore Judah Elementary School
Sutter Middle School
American River
Capitol Ave
Capitol Mall
Terminal Way
Merchant St
Broadway St
Front St
1st Ave
Park Way
Folsom Blvd
Alhambra Blvd
Mc Kinley Blvd
Riverlin Lane
Dolores Way
Santa Ynez Way
San Miguel Way
San Antonio Way
Granada Way
Seville Way
Castle Way
Carey Way
Stockton Blvd

Tahoe Elementary

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New Home School(s) for Students
Father Keith B. Kenny
Mark Twain

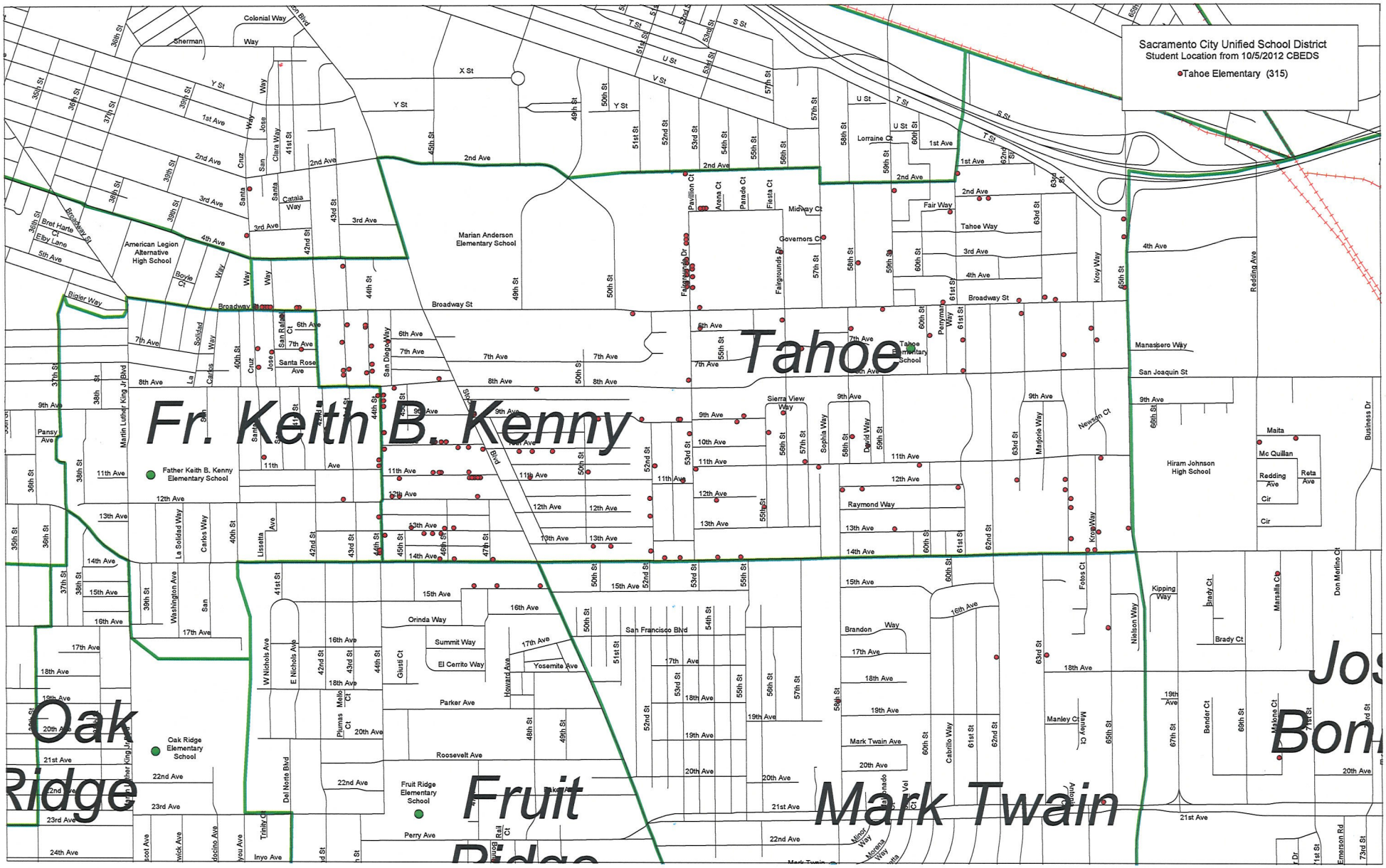
Other Neighboring School(s)
Joseph Bonnheim

Rationale/Information Regarding Receiving Schools
Families to the west of Stockton Boulevard would go to Father Keith B. Kenny; families to the east of Stockton Boulevard would go to Mark Twain. Joseph Bonnheim is also being recommended for closure.

Transportation
Crossing guards will be added at Mark Twain for drop-off and pick-up. District staff will work with the city to add designated loading and unloading zones at Mark Twain.

Benefits/Supports for Families at Receiving School(s)

- Fewer split classes
- Larger schools receive more support for student interventions
- More resources for staffing flexibility


Sacramento City Unified School District
Student Location from 10/5/2012 CBEDS
Tahoe Elementary (315)
Tahoe
Fr. Keith B. Kenny
Oak Ridge
Fruit Ridge
Mark Twain
Father Keith B. Kenny Elementary School
Oak Ridge Elementary School
Fruit Ridge Elementary School
Tahoe Elementary School
Marian Anderson Elementary School
American Legion Alternative High School
Hiram Johnson High School
Broadway St
San Francisco Blvd
Del Norte Blvd
Stockton Blvd
Martin Luther King Jr Blvd

C.P. Huntington Elementary

Students will receive priority in the district's upcoming **Open Enrollment** process.

New Home School(s) for Students
H. W. Harkness

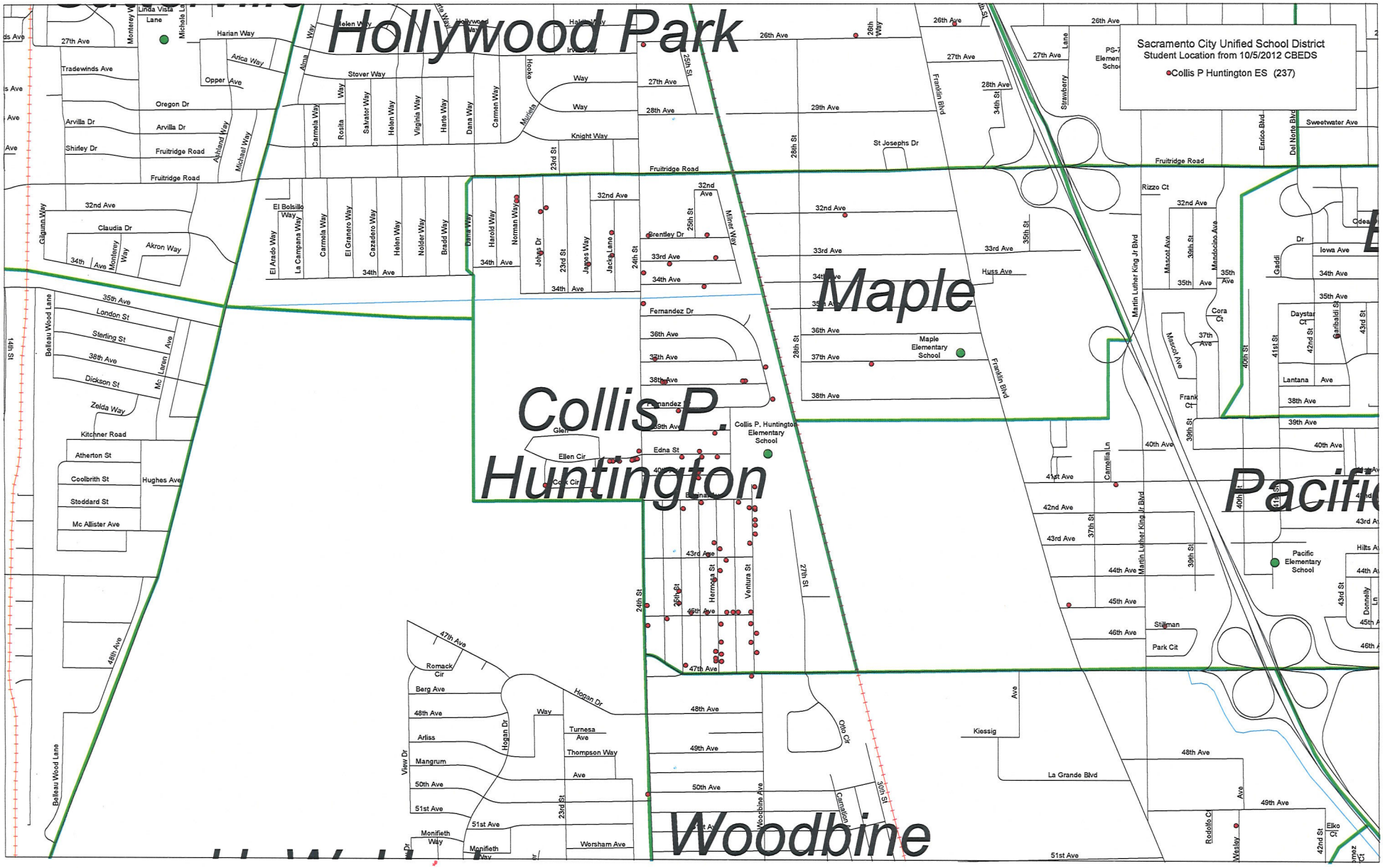
Other Neighboring School(s)
Hollywood Park
Woodbine
Maple

Rationale/Information Regarding Receiving Schools
H. W. Harkness is among the closest schools to C.P. Huntington and, with transportation support, would offer the easiest transition for C.P. Huntington families. Hollywood Park and Woodbine would also be viable options, but it is more efficient to transport students to fewer locations. Maple is also being recommended for closure.

Transportation
Transportation will be added for displaced students going to Harkness.

Benefits/Supports for Families at Receiving School(s)

- H.W. Harkness offers an Early Kinder program for families
- H.W. Harkness is a pilot school for the district's Balanced Literacy initiative
- Fewer split classes
- Larger schools receive more support for student interventions
- More resources for staffing flexibility


Hollywood Park
Maple
Collis P. Huntington
Woodbine
Sacramento City Unified School District
Student Location from 10/5/2012 CBEDS
Collis P Huntington ES (237)
Collis P. Huntington Elementary School
Maple Elementary School
Pacific Elementary School
Pacific
Linda Vista Lane
Harian Way
Arica Way
Tradewinds Ave
Opper Ave
Oregon Dr
Arvilla Dr
Shirley Dr
Fruitridge Road
Ashland Way
Michael Way
Claudia Dr
Akron Way
Monterey Way
Gilgunn Way
Stover Way
Sahator Way
Helen Way
Virginia Way
Harte Way
Dana Way
Carmen Way
Knight Way
El Bolsillo Way
El Arado Way
La Campana Way
Carmela Way
El Granero Way
Cazadero Way
Nolder Way
Bradd Way
Harold Way
Norman Way
John Dr
James Way
Jacks Lane
Brentley Dr
Fernandez Dr
Edna St
Ellen Cir
Glen
Cox Cir
Belleau Wood Lane
London St
Sterling St
Dickson St
Zelda Way
Kitchner Road
Atherton St
Coolbrith St
Stoddard St
Mc Allister Ave
Hughes Ave
Mc Laren Ave
Romack Cir
Berg Ave
Arliss
Mangrum
Hogan Dr
Turnesa Ave
Thompson Way
Worsham Ave
Monifieth Way
View Dr
Hermosa St
Ventura St
Otto Cir
Woodbine Ave
Carnation
Kiessig
La Grande Blvd
Franklin Blvd
St Josephs Dr
Huss Ave
Martin Luther King Jr Blvd
Mascot Ave
Mandocino Ave
Cora Ct
Rizzo Ct
Strawberry
Enrico Blvd
Del Norte Blvd
Sweetwater Ave
Iowa Ave
Daystar Ct
Garibaldi St
Lantana Ave
Frank Ct
Camellia Ln
Stillman
Park Cit
Donnely Ln
Rodolfo Ct
Wesley
Elko Ct
Gaddi Dr

Susan B. Anthony Elementary

Students will receive priority in the district's upcoming **Open Enrollment** process.

New Home School(s) for Students
Edward Kemble
Cesar Chavez

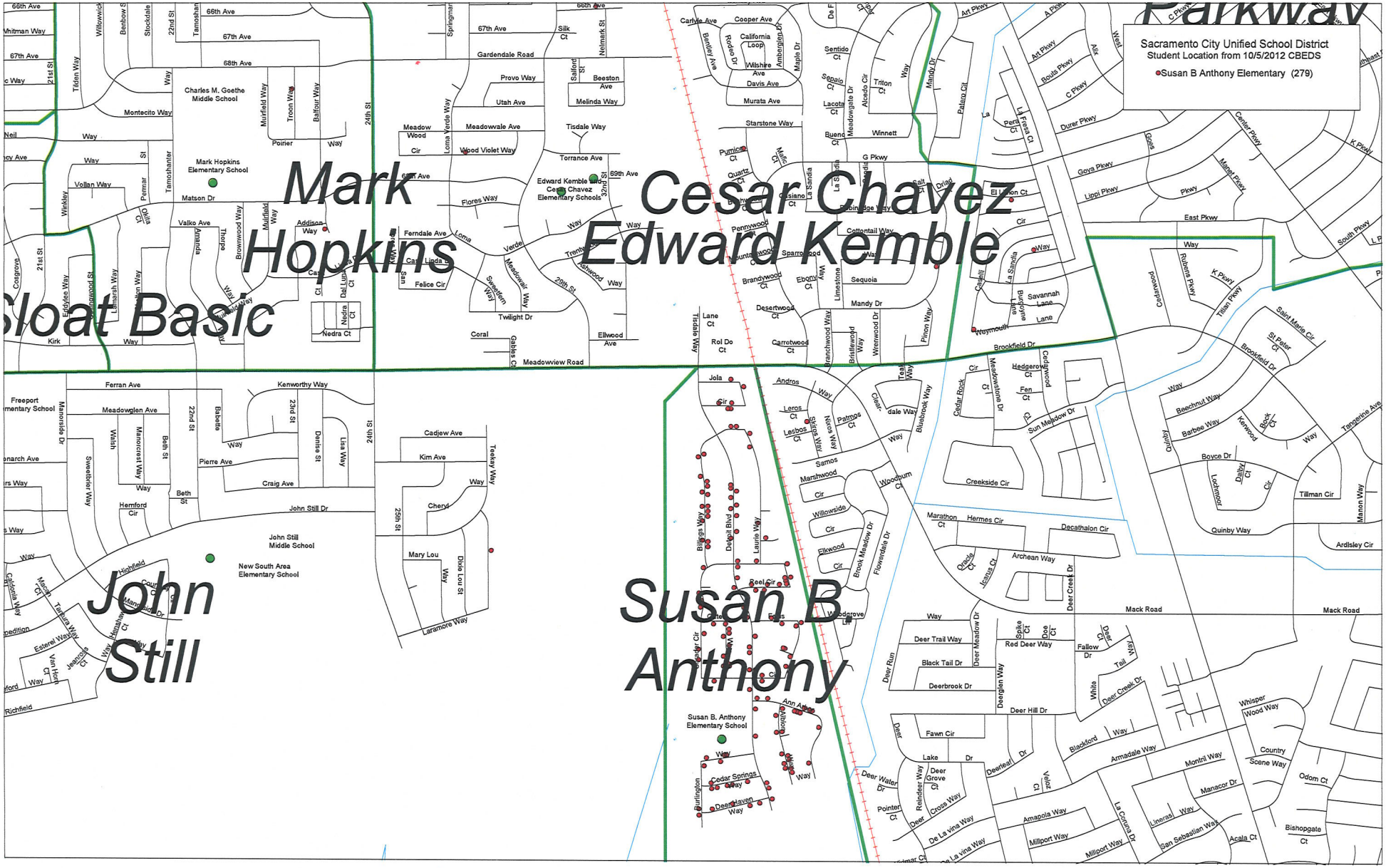
Other Neighboring School(s)
John Still
Mark Hopkins

Rationale/Information Regarding Receiving Schools
Edward Kemble and Cesar Chavez are the closest schools to Susan B. Anthony and, with transportation support, would offer the easiest transition for Susan B. Anthony families. John Still may not have the capacity to receive a significant number of additional students. Mark Hopkins is also being recommended for closure.

Transportation
Transportation will be added for displaced students going to Edward Kemble and Cesar Chavez.

Benefits/Supports for Families at Receiving School(s)

- Susan B. Anthony's Hmong Immersion program could continue at Edward Kemble and Cesar Chavez
- Edward Kemble and Cesar Chavez offer a Spanish Immersion program for families
- Fewer split classes
- Larger schools receive more support for student interventions
- More resources for staffing flexibility


Sacramento City Unified School District
Student Location from 10/5/2012 CBEDS
Susan B Anthony Elementary (279)
Mark Hopkins
Cesar Chavez
Edward Kemble
Sloat Basic
John Still
Susan B Anthony
Mark Hopkins Elementary School
Charles M. Goethe Middle School
Edward Kemble and Cesar Chavez Elementary Schools
John Still Middle School
New South Area Elementary School
Susan B. Anthony Elementary School
Freeport Elementary School
Parkway

Bret Harte Elementary

Students will receive priority in the district's upcoming **Open Enrollment** process.

New Home School(s) for Students
Ethel Phillips
Father Keith B. Kenny
Oak Ridge

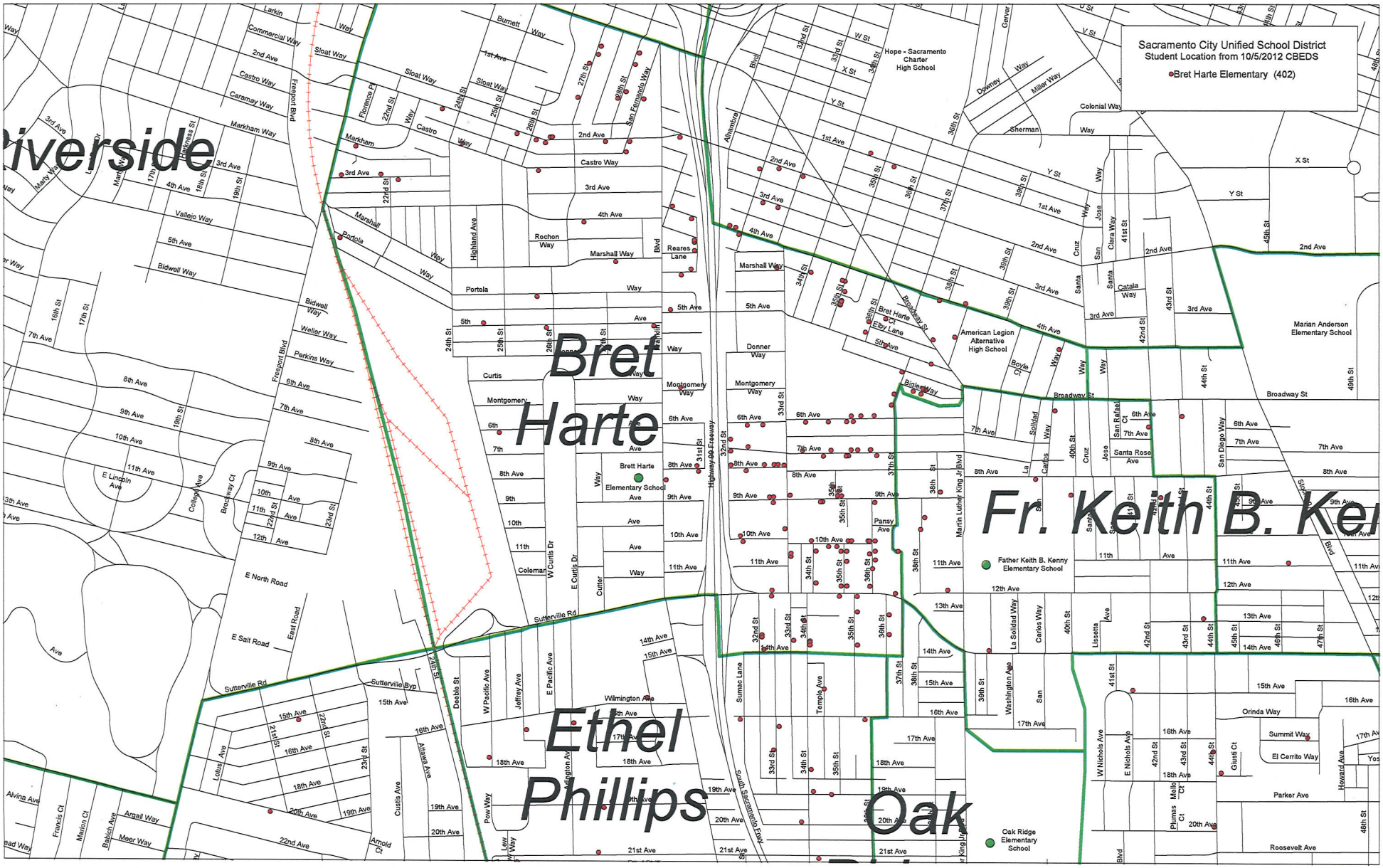
Other Neighboring School(s)
Crocker/Riverside
Hollywood Park

Rationale/Information Regarding Receiving Schools
Families to the west of Highway 99 would go to Ethel Phillips; families to the east of Highway 99 would go to Father Keith B. Kenny. Families south of 12th Avenue will go to Oak Ridge. Ethel Philips' capacity will grow in 2013-14 as they will no longer be QEIA. Crocker/Riverside and Hollywood Park are not being recommended as receiving schools as students would have to cross railroad tracks to get to their new campus.

Transportation
Transportation will be added for displaced students going to Ethel Phillips.

Benefits/Supports for Families at Receiving School(s)

- The district has invested significant resources into improving Father Keith B. Kenny and Oak Ridge in the past three years
- Fewer split classes
- Larger schools receive more support for student interventions
- More resources for staffing flexibility


Sacramento City Unified School District
Student Location from 10/5/2012 CBEDS
Bret Harte Elementary (402)
Bret Harte
Ethel Phillips
Fr. Keith B. Ken
Oak
Brett Harte Elementary School
Father Keith B. Kenny Elementary School
Oak Ridge Elementary School
Hope - Sacramento Charter High School
American Legion Alternative High School
Marian Anderson Elementary School
Freeport Blvd
Broadway
Sutterville Rd
Sutterville Byp
Highway 99 Freeway
South Sacramento Expy
Martin Luther King Jr Blvd

Joseph Bonnheim Elementary

Students will receive priority in the district's upcoming **Open Enrollment** process.

New Home School(s) for Students
Earl Warren

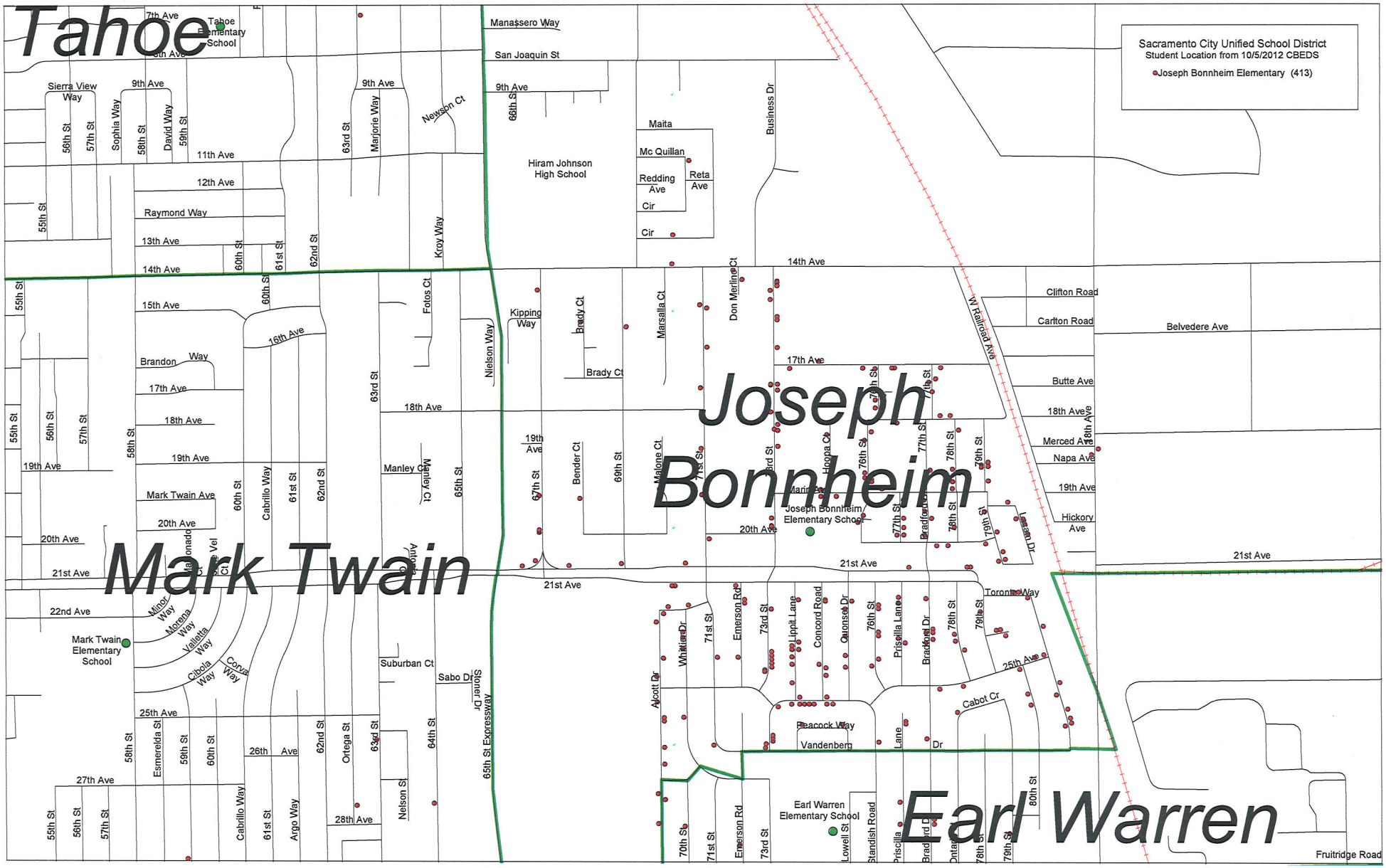
Other Neighboring School(s)
Tahoe
Mark Twain
Peter Burnett

Rationale/Information Regarding Receiving Schools
Earl Warren is within close proximity and would not require the crossing of a major street or railroad track for most families. Portable classrooms may be needed at Earl Warren to accommodate additional students. Mark Twain would require many students to cross 65th Street. Peter Burnett would require students to cross both 65th Street and Fruitridge Road. Tahoe is also recommended for closure.

Transportation
Supplemental transportation not required.

Benefits/Supports for Families at Receiving School(s)

- An additional part-time administrator may be added to accommodate the large size of Earl Warren
- Fewer split classes
- Larger schools receive more support for student interventions
- More resources for staffing flexibility


Tahoe
Mark Twain
Joseph Bonnheim
Earl Warren
Sacramento City Unified School District
Student Location from 10/5/2012 CBEDS
Joseph Bonnheim Elementary (413)
Tahoe Elementary School
Mark Twain Elementary School
Joseph Bonnheim Elementary School
Earl Warren Elementary School
Hiram Johnson High School
Manassero Way
San Joaquin St
9th Ave
11th Ave
12th Ave
13th Ave
14th Ave
15th Ave
16th Ave
17th Ave
18th Ave
19th Ave
20th Ave
21st Ave
22nd Ave
25th Ave
26th Ave
27th Ave
28th Ave
Raymond Way
Brandon Way
Mark Twain Ave
Sierra View Way
Sophia Way
David Way
Marjorie Way
Newson Ct
Kroy Way
Maita
Mc Quillan
Redding Ave
Reta Ave
Cir
Business Dr
Don Merlino Ct
Kipping Way
Brady Ct
Marsalla Ct
Nielson Way
Fotos Ct
Manley Ct
Cabrillo Way
Bender Ct
Hooga Ct
Malone Ct
Jarin Ct
Bradford Dr
Jensen Dr
Clifton Road
Carlton Road
Belvedere Ave
Butte Ave
Merced Ave
Napa Ave
Hickory Ave
W Railroad Ave
Toronto Way
Whitier Dr
Emerson Rd
Lippit Lane
Concord Road
Quonset Dr
Priscilla Lane
Alcott Dr
Peacock Way
Vandenberg Lane
Cabot Cr
Suburban Ct
Sabo Dr
Stoner Dr
65th St Expressway
Esmerelda St
Ortega St
Nelson St
Argo Way
Minor Way
Morena Way
Valletta Way
Cibola Way
Corva Way
Fruitridge Road

Mark Hopkins Elementary

Students will receive priority in the district's upcoming **Open Enrollment** process.

New Home School(s) for Students
John Bidwell
John Sloat

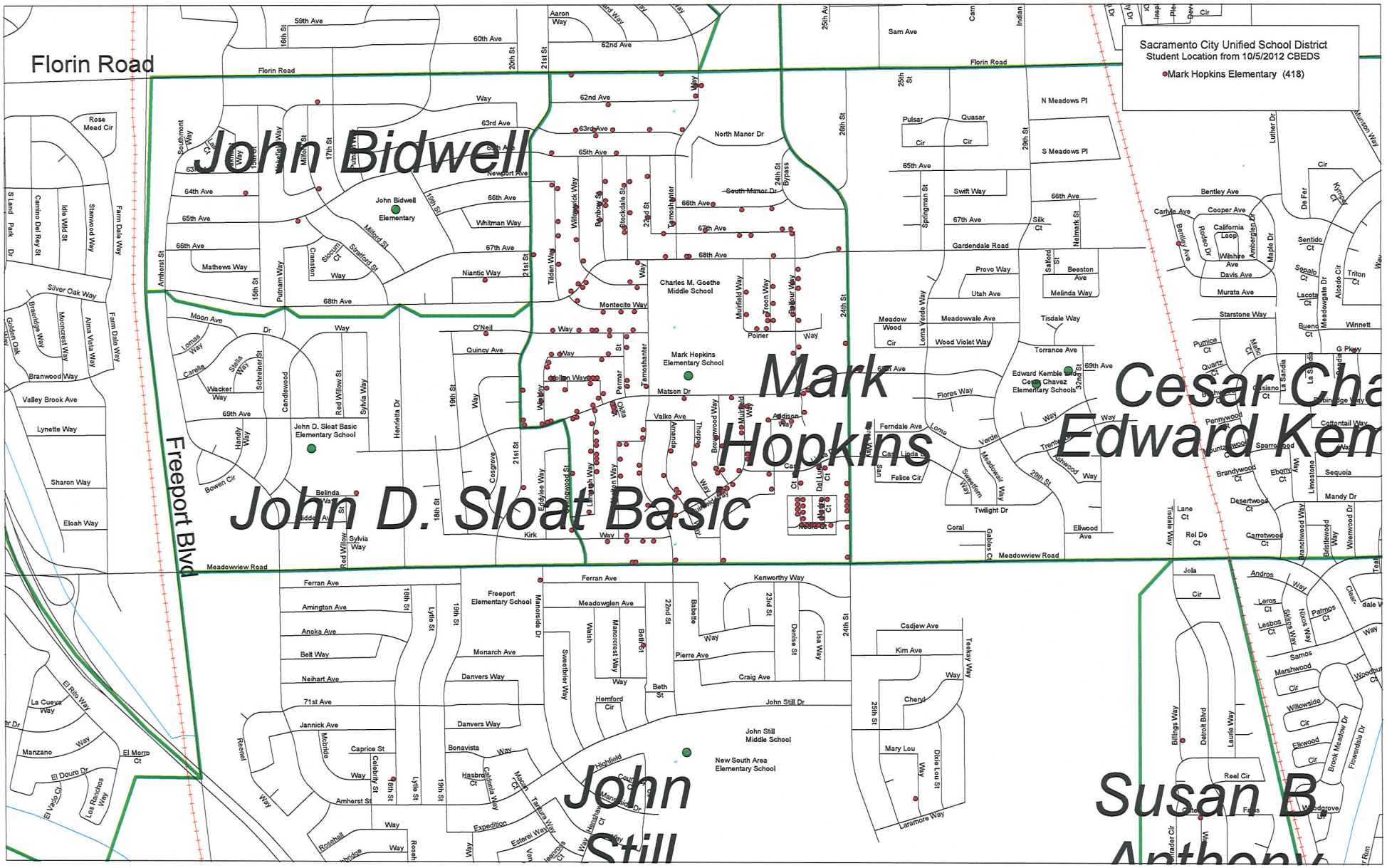
Other Neighboring School(s)
Edward Kemble
Cesar Chavez
John Still
H. W. Harkness

Rationale/Information Regarding Receiving Schools
John Bidwell and John Sloat are both within close proximity and neither requires the crossing of a major street or railroad track. John Still may not have the capacity to receive a significant number of additional students. With the possible closure of Susan B. Anthony, Edward Kemble and Cesar Chavez may not have the capacity to receive a significant number of additional students. Because of its QEIA funding, Edward Kemble's capacity is reduced. H. W. Harkness would require many students to cross Florin Road.

Transportation
In consultation with Sacramento Police Department, walking attendants will be made available if necessary.

Benefits/Supports for Families at Receiving School(s)

- Fewer split classes
- Larger schools receive more support for student interventions
- More resources for staffing flexibility


Sacramento City Unified School District
Student Location from 10/5/2012 CBEDS
Mark Hopkins Elementary (418)
John Bidwell
Mark Hopkins
John D. Sloat Basic
John Still
Florin Road
Freeport Blvd
Meadowview Road
John Bidwell Elementary
Charles M. Goethe Middle School
Mark Hopkins Elementary School
John D. Sloat Basic Elementary School
Freeport Elementary School
John Still Middle School
New South Area Elementary School
Edward Kemble Cesar Chavez Elementary Schools

C.B. Wire Elementary

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New Home School(s) for Students
Ethel Baker
Pacific
Elder Creek

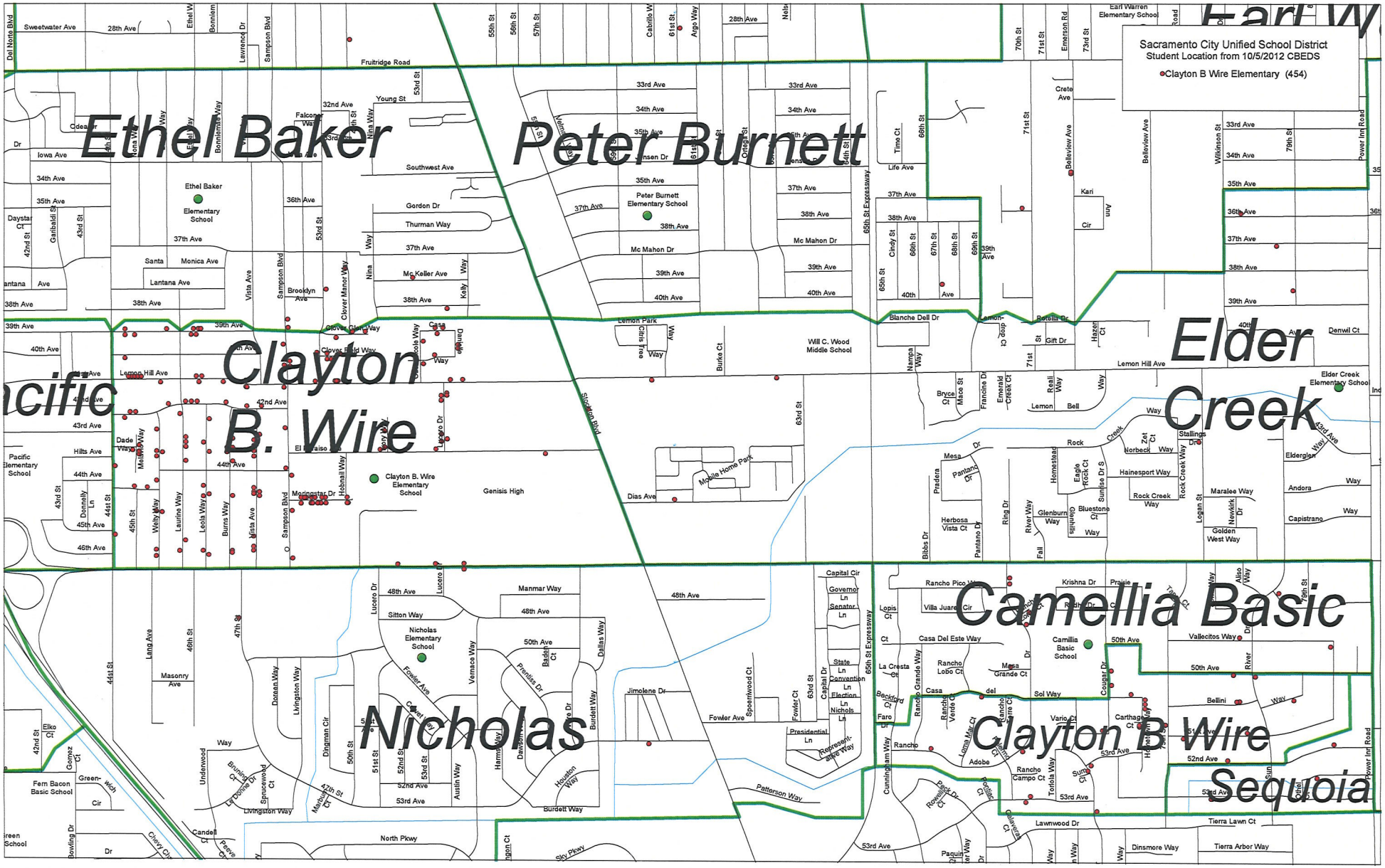
Other Neighboring School(s)
Nicholas

Rationale/Information Regarding Receiving Schools
Students who live within C.B. Wire's contiguous boundary will go to Ethel Baker and Pacific, both of which are within close proximity and neither requires the crossing of a major street or railroad track. C.B. Wire students living within the non-contiguous portion of the boundary will be assigned to Elder Creek. Nicholas would require many students to cross 47th Avenue.

Transportation
Crossing guards will be provided for displaced students who cross Elder Creek Road to attend Elder Creek.

Benefits/Supports for Families at Receiving School(s)

- Fewer split classes
- Larger schools receive more support for student interventions
- More resources for staffing flexibility


Sacramento City Unified School District
Student Location from 10/5/2012 CBEDS
Clayton B Wire Elementary (454)
Ethel Baker
Peter Burnett
Elder Creek
Clayton B. Wire
Nicholas
Camellia Basic
Clayton B. Wire
Sequoia
Ethel Baker Elementary School
Peter Burnett Elementary School
Clayton B. Wire Elementary School
Nicholas Elementary School
Camellia Basic School
Elder Creek Elementary School
Will C. Wood Middle School
Genisis High
Pacific Elementary School
Fern Bacon Basic School
Earl Warren Elementary School
Mobile Home Park
Sweetwater Ave
28th Ave
Fruitridge Road
Iowa Ave
34th Ave
35th Ave
36th Ave
37th Ave
38th Ave
39th Ave
40th Ave
42nd Ave
43rd Ave
44th Ave
45th Ave
46th Ave
Southwest Ave
Gordon Dr
Thurman Way
Mc Keller Ave
Mc Mahon Dr
Lemon Hill Ave
Lemon Park Way
Blanche Dell Dr
Life Ave
Time Ct
Kari Ann Cir
Crete Ave
Denwil Ct
Elderglen Way
Andora Way
Capistrano Way
Maralee Way
Golden West Way
Hainesport Way
Rock Creek Way
Stallings Dr
Norbeck Way
Zet Ct
Eagle Rock Ct
Sunrise Dr S
Homestead
Mesa Dr
Pradera
Pantano Dr
Herbosa Vista Ct
Ring Dr
River Way
Glenburn Way
Bluestone Ct
Gemini Way
Fall
Bibbs Dr
Dade Way
Melba Way
Welby Way
Laurine Way
Leola Way
Burns Way
Vista Ave
Sampson Blvd
Hobnail Way
Morningstar Dr
El Palaiso
Clover Manor Way
Clover Field Way
Clover Glen Way
Casa Dulcinea Way
Lucero Dr
Nina Way
Kelly Way
Brooklyn Ave
Falconer Way
Young St
Santa Monica Ave
Lantana Ave
Daystar Ct
Garibaldi St
42nd St
43rd St
44th St
45th St
53rd St
Hilts Ave
Donnelly Ln
Stockton Blvd
Dias Ave
63rd St
Burke Ct
Nampa Way
Gift Dr
Hazen Ct
Bryce Ct
Moss St
Franche Dr
Emerald Creek Ct
Reali Way
Lemon Bell Way
Cindy St
Belleview Ave
Wilkinson St
Power Inn Road
79th St
Lopis Ct
Villa Juarez Cir
Rancho Pico Way
Krishna Dr
Prairie Way
Alisa Way
Casa Del Este Way
Camillia Basic School
Vallecitos Way
Rancho Lobo Ct
Mesa Grande Ct
Rancho Grande Way
Cougar Dr
Sol Way
Bellini Way
Carthage Ct
Rancho Campo Ct
Totola Way
Sunset Ct
Lawnwood Dr
Tierra Lawn Ct
Tierra Arbor Way
Dinsmore Way
Paquin Way
Roseville Dr
Portola Ct
Cunningham Way
Faro Ct
Rancho Verde Ct
Rancho Serra Ct
Adobe Ct
Vario Ct
Lomo Mar Ct
Capital Cir
Governor Ln
Senator Ln
State Convention Ln
Election Ln
Nichols Ln
Presidential Ln
Representative Way
Capital Dr
Spoerlein Wood Ct
Fowler Ct
Fowler Ave
Jimolene Dr
Petterson Way
Manmar Way
Sitton Way
Dallas Way
Burdett Way
Houston Way
Austin Way
Harris Way
Davenport Way
Prentiss Dr
Vernace Way
Fowler Ave
Carmel Ct
Dingman Cir
Livingston Way
Underwood Way
Spruceswood Ct
La Donna Dr
Brunina Ct
Marbach Ct
Dorean Way
Masonry Ave
Lang Ave
Elko Ct
Gomez Ct
Greenwich Cir
Candell Ct
Paseo Ct
Bowling Dr
North Pkwy
Sky Pkwy
Chevy Chase Dr
Lucero Dr
Bidden Ct
Nelson Dr
Cabrillo Way
Argo Way
Orbetta St
Kenwood Way
Nelson Way
Del Norte Blvd
Ethel Way
Bonniemar Way
Lawrence Dr
Sampson Blvd
55th St
56th St
57th St
61st St
70th St
71st St
Emerson Rd
73rd St

Maple Elementary

Students will receive priority in the district's upcoming **Open Enrollment** process.

New Home School(s) for Students
Ethel Phillips

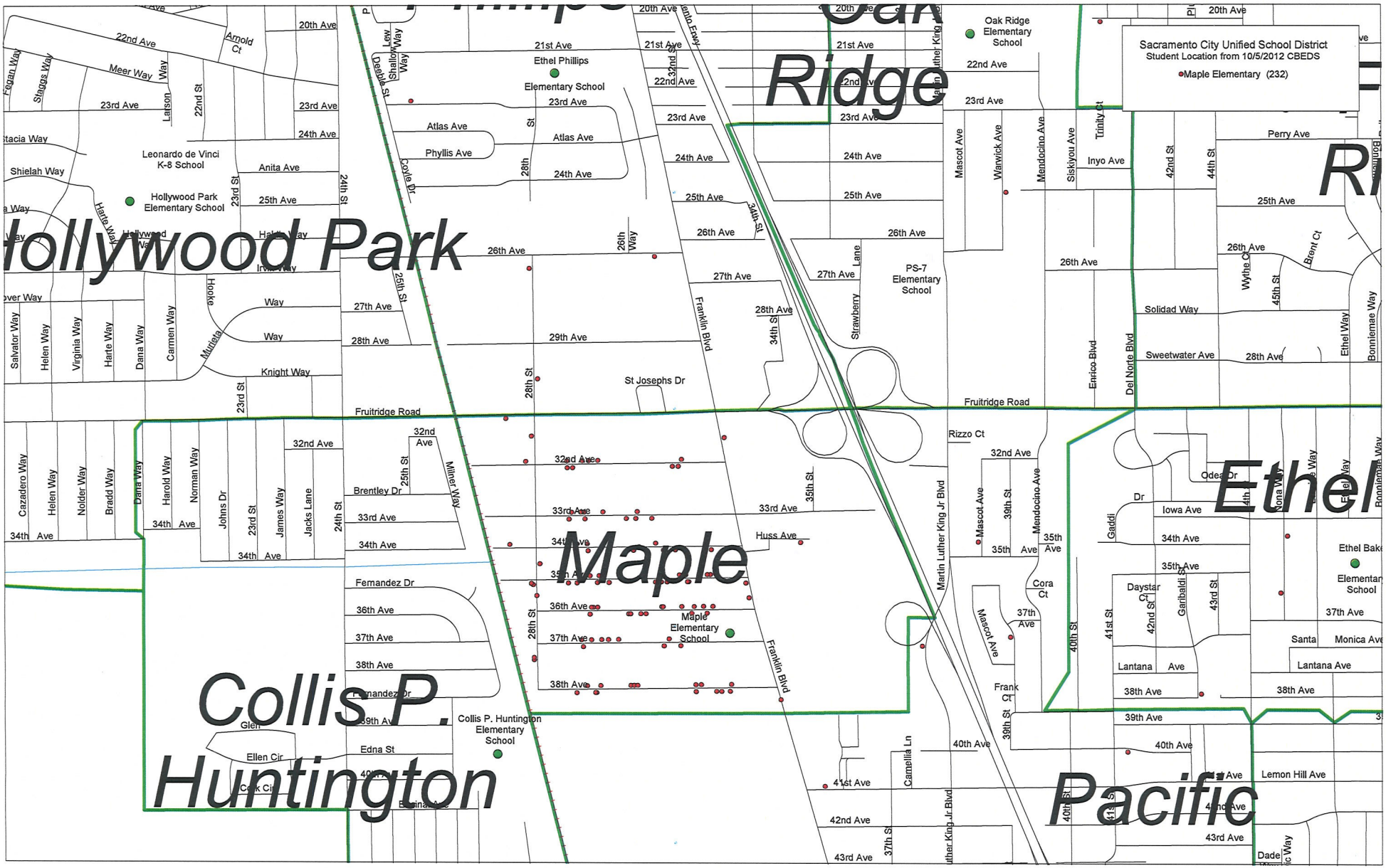
Other Neighboring School(s)
Hollywood Park
Pacific
Ethel Baker
C.P. Huntington

Rationale/Information Regarding Receiving Schools
Ethel Phillips is the closest schools to Maple and, with potential transportation support, would offer the easiest transition for Maple families. Hollywood Park would require many students to cross Fruitridge Road. Pacific and Ethel Baker would require many students to cross Franklin Boulevard and MLK Jr. Boulevard. C.P. Huntington is also recommended for closure and would require students to cross railroad tracks. Ethel Philips' capacity will grow in 2013-14 as they will no longer be QEIA.

Transportation
Transportation will be added for displaced students going to Ethel Phillips.

Benefits/Supports for Families at Receiving School(s)

- Fewer split classes
- Larger schools receive more support for student interventions
- More resources for staffing flexibility


Sacramento City Unified School District
Student Location from 10/5/2012 CBEDS
Maple Elementary (232)
Hollywood Park
Oak Ridge
Ethel
Maple
Collis P. Huntington
Pacific
Leonardo de Vinci K-8 School
Hollywood Park Elementary School
Ethel Phillips Elementary School
Oak Ridge Elementary School
PS-7 Elementary School
Maple Elementary School
Collis P. Huntington Elementary School
Fruitridge Road
Franklin Blvd
Martin Luther King Jr Blvd
St Josephs Dr
Huss Ave
Brentley Dr
Fernandez Dr
Edna St
Ellen Cir
Cook Cir
Glen
Solidad Way
Sweetwater Ave
Rizzo Ct
Cora Ct
Frank Ct
Daystar Ct
Lantana Ave
Santa Monica Ave
Lemon Hill Ave
Iowa Ave
Perry Ave
Inyo Ave
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Helen Way
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Trinity Ct
Strawberry Lane
Enrico Blvd
Del Norte Blvd
Ethel Way
Bonniemae Way
Wythe Ct
Brent Ct
Gaddi Dr
Garibaldi St
Camellia Ln
Odea Dr
Ethel Baker Elementary School

Frequently Asked Questions

Why was my school selected?
Your school is one of the most severely under-enrolled elementary schools in SCUSD. It serves far fewer students than its capacity. The number of children who attend your school has steadily declined over the past 17 years. Schools such as yours with the lowest enrollment capacity percentages are highest on the closure list.

Why were some under-enrolled schools removed from the closure list?
Some schools among the most under-enrolled were removed from the closure list because enrollment at these schools will grow with the closure of more dramatically under-enrolled schools or because the school is a Superintendent's Priority School.

What happens to the teachers and staff at the schools being closed or consolidated?
Teachers will be reassigned to other schools, depending on the seniority of the employee. Staff can also be reassigned, depending on the seniority of the employee and availability.

Will students from closed schools have early access to the Open Enrollment process?
Yes. The Open Enrollment process is an opportunity for each student who resides permanently within the boundaries of the school district to apply for enrollment in participating schools within the district, based on space availability. Parents or guardians will need to complete an application in order for their children to attend the "school of choice" requested. Staff will be available to assist families in this process.

How will students get to their new schools?
Safe biking, walking and driving routes will be made available to parents. Crossing guards, walking attendants and bus routes will be added to accommodate displaced students who face hazards getting to their new schools, such as railroad tracks and high-traffic thoroughfares.

Are these decisions final?
The Board of Education will make a final determination on school closures on February 21.

How can I provide feedback or address concerns?
Community meetings will be held at each school recommended for closure.
The schedule for these meetings will finalized by Friday, January 18.

What happens when a closure becomes final?
Once the Board of Education takes final action, families and the parents of incoming kindergarteners will be notified immediately. Next, staff will create new school boundary areas for all affected neighborhoods. Parents will then be notified of new school assignments and of transportation options. Assistance will be offered in the Open Enrollment process for parents who choose that option. School transition teams will be formed to help parents and staffs during this time of change.

What happens to the schools that are closed?
Following the closure of the schools, the Board will appoint a committee to make comprehensive recommendations regarding the reuse of these facilities. Through this process, the district will work with our communities to ensure that closed sites are maintained, secured and utilized as needed by the surrounding neighborhoods via district programs and/or community partnerships.

Will my child's new school have the same after-school program?
SCUSD partners with a variety of providers for after-school programs, and they vary by the needs of the school. Although a receiving school may not have the exact program as a school that is closing, the district will ensure that families are aware of the resources available to them and how they can access those resources.

Will my child's new school have a preschool program?
SCUSD's Child Development preschool programs are located throughout the district and all are open to parents who reside within the district and meet eligibility requirements. Although a receiving school may not have the exact program as a school that is closing, the district will ensure that families are aware of the resources available to them and how they can access those resources.

What are the benefits for my child of attending a school with a bigger student population?
Schools that operate closer to their capacity levels have fewer split-grade classrooms. They also have more resources to support students, such as more interventions for struggling learners and more opportunities for enrichment programs. Teachers have more peers to collaborate with, which improves instruction. Larger schools have a bigger pool of involved parents to support school activities, such as field trips. With fewer schools, SCUSD will be able to concentrate maintenance and safety personnel, making schools healthier and safer for all students.

How are you addressing campus safety concerns?
With fewer schools, SCUSD will be able to concentrate its resources to improve safety at every campus. In addition, your child's new school will have the same ratio of adults-to-students on campus as your child's present school. That means that a school with more students will have more adults on campus as well.

How was my new receiving school selected?
Receiving schools were selected primarily on geographic proximity. SCUSD also considered capacity at receiving schools and how students will get to a new school, selecting campuses based on the safest routes.

Why are there only elementary schools on the closure list?
SCUSD operates far fewer high schools (13) and middle schools (8) than elementary schools. Because there are fewer secondary campuses, they tend to be located fairly far apart from each other. Closing a middle or high school would require parents to transport their children long distances to school. SCUSD does not provide bus service for 7th through 12th grade students.

Why use school capacity rather than school enrollment as criteria?
Schools that are under-enrolled for their capacity are less efficient and more costly to operate than schools with smaller student populations that are more filled up. All of the square footage of a campus must be maintained – roofing, plumbing, floors, paint, wiring, etc. – and bigger schools have more to maintain. Bigger schools also have higher utility bills.

How is capacity calculated?

Capacity is determined by the number of classrooms and the number of students that could be served in each classroom, based on current class sizes. The capacities of libraries and existing Parent Resource Centers were NOT included in this calculation.

Why were Priority Schools removed from the list?

The district has invested substantial resources into turning around these schools in our highest needs neighborhoods. The district is committed to the continuation of this work.