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Shahid Abbas
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RE: Vehicle Emissions Reduction Based at School (VERBS) Grant Application
for the City of Sunnyvale

Dear Mr. Abbas,

I am writing to express my strong support for the City of Sunnyvale VERBS Program Grant Application for the Homestead Road/Homestead High School Improvements Project.

We feel this project is incredibly important because the proposed improvements will help Homestead High School in the following areas:

1. Increase the numbers of children who walk and bicycle to school
2. Reduce vehicle congestion at school
3. Contribute to a healthier environment by reducing motorized travel

With the support of the VERBS program Partnership, the City of Sunnyvale, the City of Cupertino, the Homestead High School, and the Fremont Union High School District are looking forward to working together to reduce vehicular trips by making infrastructure improvements which will provide better access to the school and will inspire more children and their families to walk or bike to and from school.

The City of Cupertino is committed to contribute up to 10% of the total project cost, subject to City Council approval. We are very excited and look forward to this partnership and working with the City of Sunnyvale to realize the proposed improvements.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'T. Borden', is located below the 'Sincerely,' text.

Timm Borden
Director of Public Works