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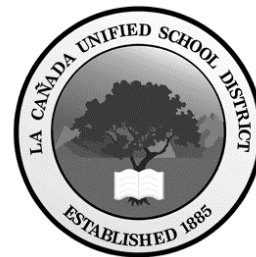
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May 28, 2019

The Honorable Anthony Portantino
State Capitol Building, Room 3086
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: SB 729 (Portantino)

La Canada Unified School District Position: Support

Dear Senator Portantino:

The La Canada Unified School District has taken a support position on your bill SB 729 that would appropriate \$1,000,000 from the General Fund for allocations to school districts and charter schools based on the proportional share that each receives of total money appropriated pursuant to LCFF for 2019-2020 fiscal year.

The La Canada Unified School District has a long history of advocacy on funding. It is important to increase funding for basic education in California K-12 public schools to no less than the national average.

We believe this bill will help to strengthen the state's commitment to the funding system under LCFF.

On behalf of the La Canada Unified School District, I want to thank you for your efforts in authoring a bill to increase our funding necessary for quality public education for California children.

Sincerely,

Brent Kuszyk
LCUSD Governing Board President