

BERKELEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Resolution 17-002 in Support of Measure AA

WHEREAS, stable housing is crucially important to a child's ability to attend school;

WHEREAS, consistent attendance is integral to a child's ability to learn;

WHEREAS, promoting consistent attendance at Berkeley schools is essential to the mission of the Berkeley Unified School District;

WHEREAS, these values apply regardless of whether a child's parents are homeowners or renters;

WHEREAS, owner move-in evictions cause displacement through no fault of the tenant family;

WHEREAS, limiting owner move-in evictions to the summer will protect tenant families from being forced to relocate during the school year;

WHEREAS, to prevent displacements during the school year, the Berkeley Rent Board and a unanimous City Council have placed Measure AA on the ballot for the November 8, 2016 election.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the Berkeley Unified School District endorses Measure AA and urges the voters of Berkeley to vote to enact Measure AA.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 24th day of August, 2016

Judy Appel, Clerk
Board of Education