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## PETITION FOR TRANSFER OF TERRITORY

### **To The Superintendent Of Schools Of Contra Costa County:**

Pursuant to Education Code Section 35700 subdivision (a), the undersigned constituting at least 25 percent of the registered electors residing in the territory proposed to be transferred, now within the boundaries of the Mount Diablo Unified School District (MDUSD), Contra Costa County, petition that the boundaries of the Mount Diablo Unified School District be changed to eliminate from it the territory hereinafter described. The undersigned persons petition that the territory be transferred to and included within a new public school district, the Northgate Unified School District (NUSD) of Contra Costa County.

### **The Territory To Be Transferred Is Described As Follows:**

All of the territory within the MDUSD-specified attendance boundaries as of April 24, 2016, of the five MDUSD-administered schools (Foothill Middle, Bancroft Elementary, Valle Verde Elementary, Walnut Acres Elementary and Northgate High School).

The undersigned request the changes in the respective boundaries of the school districts for the following reasons:

1. To create a smaller public school district that will be more accountable to families and voters in our territory as well as more responsive to the needs of our students and the educators who work in our schools.
2. To improve academic achievement, teacher satisfaction and learning environments to realize the full potential of our students and educators.
3. To increase community support for public education in the Northgate area with a school district that is dedicated to building positive, respectful, and productive partnerships that can maximize the district's impact on all of our 21st Century learners.

### **The Chief Petitioner for the purpose of receiving notices is:**

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