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Michael Murphy Mayor of Merced 678 W. 18<sup>th</sup> St. Merced, CA 95340

Dear Mr. Murphy,

On behalf of the Merced City School District Board of Education I would like to invite the Merced City Council to hold a joint City Council/School Board meeting to discuss items of mutual interest. So as not to infringe on your regularly scheduled council meetings and our regularly scheduled board meetings, we would like to consider meeting on a day other than Monday or Tuesday. Our hope is to also schedule this meeting either in late July or early August so that this meeting can take place before the start of the 2018-2019 school year.

Please feel free to contact Debbie Bottjer, Dr. Parga Duran's Administrative Assistant, to look at possible dates in July or August 2018. Ms. Bottjer can be reached at (209) 385-6640 or by email at <a href="mailto:dbottjer@mcsd.k12.ca.us">dbottjer@mcsd.k12.ca.us</a>.

I would also be delighted to speak with you personally about the Board of Education's vision for this joint session.

The District looks forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Adam Cox

Board President

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