Construction in Progress

Thanks to Measure O funding, in the spring of 2020 construction began at five schools that we are highlighting. School improvements that began in 2018 and ‘19, which are complete or near completion, are featured on the inside pages. For more information about all projects, please visit riversideunified.org.

Magnolia Elementary

Jackson Elementary

Poly High Quad

Sunshine Early Childhood Center

Adams Elementary

Measure O Ballot: “To repair and upgrade Riverside schools, including deteriorating roofs, plumbing and electrical systems, improve student safety, security, and seismic safety, upgrade classrooms, science labs, career-training facilities, computer systems and instructional technology to support student achievement in math, science, engineering and skilled trades, and construct, acquire, repair, classrooms, sites, facilities and equipment...”

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Putting Bond Funds to Excellent Use: Improvements and New Schools

Making needed improvements to existing schools through modernization, technology upgrades, renovation and classroom replacement is key to successfully utilizing Measure O funds. The bulk of our schools were constructed nearly 50 years ago with some of the oldest more than 100 years old. Measure O includes five bond issuances - the first in 2017 and the second in late 2019; future bond issuances are expected about every two to three years. As Measure O was approved in 2016, improvements at 46 schools were categorized into Groups A through H and an Expanded School Projects group to plan for phased implementation. With the first and second bonds, 17 schools, plus three new neighborhood schools, are now in planning phases. Their status is:

### Existing Schools
- **Ten Schools in Construction or Complete:** Highgrove, Harrison, Jefferson, Madison, Magnolia, Jackson and Adams elementary schools; Sierra Middle School; Poly High School Quad; and Sunshine Early Childhood Center (Please note all of these schools are highlighted to the right and on the back.)
- **Seven Schools in Planning or Design:** Alcott, Monroe, Fremont and Longfellow elementary schools; University Heights Middle School; and Arlington and John W. North high schools

### New Neighborhood Schools
- **Three Schools in Planning or Design:** Casa Blanca and Spring Mt. Ranch and Eastside

#### Projects Wrapping Up Construction

- **Jefferson Elementary**
  - Built in 1948, Jefferson Elementary’s Measure O improvements will be complete this fall. Enhancements include a one-story kinder building and modernization of existing buildings. The investment here was $16.5 million.

- **Harrison Elementary**
  - The improvements to this 1964-built school include a new classroom building, new parking lot and drop-off area; completion of improvements is expected this fall. The investment here was $12.3 million.

- **Madison Elementary**
  - Originally built in 1952, the improvements to this school are anticipated to be finalized in spring 2021, including a new classroom building, new kinder play area and new parking lot. The investment here was $18.8 million.

- **Sierra Middle**
  - This school, built in 1957, includes classroom upgrades, ADA improvements, fire alarm upgrades, HVAC and parking lot expansion. The investment here was $8.5 million.

Get More Information/Para Más Información

For a full list of all schools with planned projects using Measure O and state funding, please visit our Measure O webpage at riversideunified.org.

Para obtener la lista completa de todas las escuelas con los proyectos planificados que utilizan la Medida O y los fondos estatales, visite nuestra página web sobre la Medida O en riversideunified.org.

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