

Silvia Martinez  
Community Affairs Deputy  
LAUSD Board District 5  
333 S. Beaudry Ave, 24th Floor  
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**July 31, 2014**

**RE: Request for Financial Assistance for the Huntington Park  
Elementary School Music Program**

Dear Ms. Martinez:

It was such a pleasure to meet you last Spring at our music program at Huntington Park! I'm also very happy to be assigned to the school for the 2014-2015 academic year. We will keep you posted about our music activities.

This school year, I have been assigned to work with the fourth grade. These students will have had music three years in a row, and it's time to learn to play the recorder! I am writing to ask if Mr. Kayser's office would be in a position to support Huntington Park School by purchasing the recorders. I have done some research, and we can provide recorders and music for all of the fourth grade students for approximately \$475. We do not think it is feasible to keep the recorders for the school (due to hygiene, mostly); therefore, the students would keep them. Mr. Amparan and I would like to give our students and their families this opportunity at no cost to our families.

I am enclosing an estimate for the purchase. If you think it's a possibility, please feel free to call or email me regarding details. I look forward to your reply, and to another great school year.

Sincerely,



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