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Your Letter

Type Your Letter : The Oct. 24th Hermosa Beach School Board candidate Q&A illustrates several examples as to how misinformation spread along in this community.

Some quotes from the candidates are: "I commend the current board for examining all our options that address increased enrollment in Hermosa's schools" and "...North School is a viable solution to our space issues, the situation has been studied pretty extensively...". First, how do any of the candidates know for sure what was discussed in the FPAC meetings? The meetings weren't video-taped, and none of the candidates or current School Board members attended any of the meetings. The minutes from the meetings are a joke. How can any of the candidates or School Board members come to the conclusion that our facilities options were extensively studied when they have no idea as to what issues and questions came up in those meetings? Then there was this statement; "Even the public who fought the last attempt to rebuild North School in 2006...". WHAT? We fought an attempt to rebuild North School? The 2006 Measure 'A' bond did not specify that bond monies would be used to rebuild North School. There were, however, two and a half pages of things the money could be used for. In fact we were told by district administration in 2006 that enrollment at HBCSD was not increasing. We were also told by the district's architects that rebuilding North School was cost prohibitive and the Facilities Master Plan recommended against it.

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