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Dear City Council,

Our school needs your help. As tenants of the fairground, our children are subject to learning conditions far below the standard of any other school in Petaluma. Despite paying the fairgrounds approximately \$200K/year, the fairgrounds has not provided the most basic facilities repairs or improvements in my 8 years at the school. As a result, our children have to deal with bathrooms that go un-fixed for two months, learn in classrooms that have water damage, and share a learning environment with ill conceived events that put our kids at risk (i.e. bikers, blacksmiths, and dog shows). When our school has asked to do the most basic repairs, the fairgrounds will not permit us to do so. As a result, our buildings and facilities continue to deteriorate, forcing families to leave our school for other school districts.

Our school is at a crossroads, with your support we continue to contribute to the fabric of our community. Our kids deserve a commitment from the city that their education matters. We implore you to partner with our school to ensure our kids have a future in Petaluma.

Thank you for your consideration,

Robert

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Robert Bunce
Live Oak Charter School
Treasurer, Board of Directors