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### **Ontario-Montclair School District Host Groundbreaking on Two Wellness, Arts & Technology Centers**

The Ontario-Montclair School District (OMSD) announces construction of a Wellness, Arts & Technology Center at De Anza Middle School and Vernon Middle School made possible by the community's generous support of the Measure "K" General Obligation Bond passed in November 2016.

These facilities will support 21<sup>st</sup> century learning through a focus on student wellness, arts and technology supported through a comprehensive gymnasium, performing arts stage, multi-media lab, and vocational learning "maker space." Community engagement will be a focus through after-hours programs and events. Energy efficient equipment and sustainable building materials were used in support of the District's continual efforts to support the environment.

"The construction of these new facilities will ensure OMSD students will have equal access to competitive 21<sup>st</sup> Century learning," stated Board President Elvia M. Rivas, "On behalf of the Board of the Trustees, I want to extend a special thank you to our community for being a partner with us to help make this a reality."

Groundbreaking ceremonies will be as follows:

September 26, 2018 5:00 p.m. Vernon Middle School 9775 Vernon Avenue Montclair, CA 91763	October 3, 2018 5:00 p.m. De Anza Middle School 1450 S. Sultana Avenue Ontario, CA 91761
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