Marilyn Robles 1400 7th St, Umatilla, OR 97882 March 17,2025 Umatilla School Board Chair

Dear members of Umatilla School Board,

My name is Marilyn Robles, I'm 19 years old and I'm part of the Umatilla Community. I am writing to express how thankful I am for the continued investment in school supplies, extracurricular classes and club resources in our schools.

The provision of updated supplies such as textbooks, computers, tvs has made a noticeable difference in the school. It allows teachers to engage students more effectively and encourages creativity and collaboration among peers.

Additionally,the expansion of extracurricular classes, such as art, music, and sports, daycare, speech and performance, wood class, provides students with opportunities to explore their interests and develop new skills outside of the traditional curriculum. They have enhancements that are vital for enriching the educational experience of our students and fostering a love for learning.

I've been 4 years in the district school, as a student, It has totally helped me alot to socialize and learn outside of the normal school classes. This year I will be graduating. For example art class, It has allowed me to express myself and be creative in different types of art.

I truly appreciate the board's commitment to enhancing our schools and supporting our students' growth. I look forward to seeing the continued positive impact of these initiatives in our community.

Sincerely, Marilyn.

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