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RE: NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES NOMINATION FOR THE
UNIVERSITY HIGHSCHOOL ADMINISTRATION BUILDNG

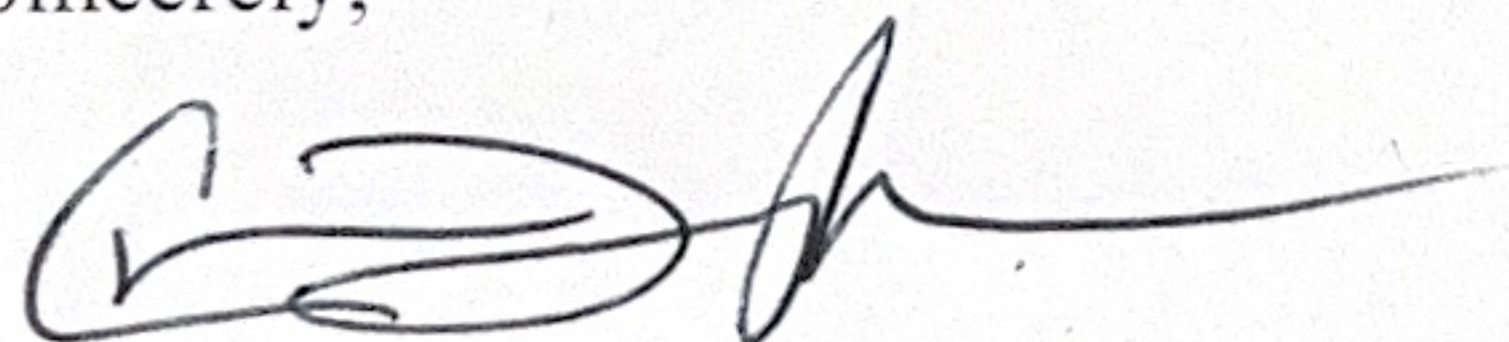
Dear Ms. Polanco,

On behalf of the Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD), I am pleased to offer this letter of support for the nomination of the University High School Administration Building.

LAUSD recognizes over 200 historically significant school campuses identified as eligible or listed on the California Register of Historical Resources, and/or on the National Register of Historic Places. Our historic schools often represent the rich history of their associated communities and the changing development patterns of LAUSD campuses.

University High School's Administration Building is one of the few remaining examples of a masonry school building constructed prior to the Long Beach earthquake of 1933. Its scale, massing, and use of the Romanesque Revival architectural style reflect the school campus development patterns of the early twentieth century. Furthermore, it is significantly associated with the community development of Sawtelle. LAUSD is pleased to support the nomination of the University High School Administration Building under National Register Criterion A and Criterion C.

Sincerely,



Christian Taylor
LAUSD Historic Preservation Specialist