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**MEDIA ADVISORY**

**Groundbreaking Ceremony for New Construction and Modernization at Willow Cove Elementary School**

Pittsburg Unified School District (PUSD) is celebrating the commencement of new construction and modernization project during Groundbreaking Ceremony at Willow Cove Elementary School. The project consists of the addition of a multipurpose building, new parking area, site improvements, renovation of building D - to be altered from a library to a parents' meeting/consultation area. Building E will also be converted from a multi-use area to a library. Additionally, a campus-wide fire alarm system will be upgraded.

Architects along with Pittsburg Unified School District employees and School Board will convene for ceremony and celebration. Hard hats and golden shovels will be used for breaking ground on the new project. Dr. Janet Schulze, Superintendent, is scheduled to make the opening and closing statements.

- WHAT:** Groundbreaking ceremony and celebration at Willow Cove Elementary School
- WHERE:** Willow Cove Elementary School, 1880 Hanlon Way, Pittsburg
- WHEN:** Wednesday, June 1, 2016 at 3:00pm
- WHY:** Pittsburg Unified School District is excited to break ground on new construction and modernization project at Willow Cove Elementary School.
- WHO:** PUSD staff, School Board, Architects, and General Contractors involved with project.

**PHOTO OPP:** Photo and video opportunities are available at the Groundbreaking Ceremony and Celebration. Please contact Nicky Mora, District Communications and PR Specialist, if you plan on covering this event at (925) 473-2427 or (831) 578-7180 (cell).

**About Pittsburg Unified School District**

Pittsburg Unified School District (PUSD) is a K-12 district serving the community of Pittsburg, California. Founded in 1933, the school system is committed to providing an excellent opportunity for all students to learn. Comprised of eight elementary schools, three junior high schools, one comprehensive high school, one alternative education high school, an adult school, independent study, alternative learning experiences, and early childhood education services, the school district serves more than 10,500 students. PUSD is located in the San Francisco Bay Area, fifty minutes outside of downtown San Francisco.