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Re: 2021-22 First Interim

Dear Ms. Salinas and Mr. Coombs:

Thank you for providing the 2021-22 Lowell Joint School District First Interim Budget and supporting documentation needed to assist us in reviewing the District's financial condition. Based on our comprehensive review and analysis, the 2021-22 First Interim Budget of the Lowell Joint School District is hereby approved.

We would like to thank district staff for the time and energy dedicated for the conversion of systems as the district has shifted counties. Timelines were adjusted for completion of these budget documents; however, throughout the process, we recognize the financial strength, health and stability of the district.

Sincerely,


Al Mjares, Ph.D.
Orange County Superintendent of Schools

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