



Community Issue For Consideration

October 22, 2022

Dear Clifford Families,

I have recently been informed about an issue that affects our community as a whole as well as our friends at Roosevelt School and nearby Kennedy Middle School. It has been confirmed that the Redwood City City Council has received an application for a firearm retailer at Roosevelt Plaza, located within feet of Roosevelt School.

Due to its location within a residential area and its proximity to neighboring schools, Roosevelt Plaza is a gathering place for children and families. It is home to a pizza shop, ice cream shop, a local library, and close to neighborhood parks.

A group of parents and community members have started a petition to encourage the Redwood City City Council to consider an "urgency ordinance" at their upcoming council meeting this Monday, October 24th. If approved, this "urgency ordinance" would temporarily halt the approval of firearm retailer permits while the council members do their due diligence in evaluating the criteria for this type of retail establishment.

If you are interested in adding your name to the petition, you can learn more about it and do so using [this Google form](#).

Please consider sharing with your local community members.

Sincerely,

Alex Chalmer
PTO President
Clifford School