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North Summit School District Board of Education along with Superintendent Murdock and Business Administrator Marci Sargent feel that the North Summit School District's proposal to bond for a new high school and swimming pool is a crucial step toward addressing the growing educational needs of our community. With the current high school facilities reaching its end of life, investing in a new high school is not only a practical solution, but also a necessary move to ensure continued quality of education for our students.

The current high school infrastructure is increasingly inadequate for safety and security, modern educational needs, lacking specialized classrooms and technological resources that are essential for a contemporary education. A new high school would provide the necessary space and resources to support a conducive learning environment.

Older buildings often come with outdated safety features and maintenance issues. A new high school would be designed with modern safety standards, including secure entry points, emergency response systems, and accessibility features. Moreover, contemporary designs would incorporate sustainable building practices, reduce long-term operational costs and minimize environmental impact. This commitment to safety and sustainability reflects the district's responsibility to provide a secure and forward-thinking educational environment.

North Summit is anticipating growth, and investing in a new high school aligns with the district's long-term strategic planning. By proactively addressing the needs of a growing community, the district can prevent future overcrowding and facility strain. A new high school would serve not only current students but also accommodate future generations, ensuring that the district remains equipped to provide quality education as the community evolves.

Investing in a new high school has a broader economic and social benefits for the community. It creates jobs during construction and stimulates local economic activity. Additionally, a well-equipped educational facility fosters a sense of pride and investment in the community, reinforcing the importance of education and collaboration among residents.

In summary, bonding for a new high school and swimming pool is a strategic investment in the future of North Summit School District. It addresses current challenges, supports educational excellence, and prepares the district for future growth. By taking this step, the district is ensuring that it can continue to provide high-quality education, maintain safety standards, and contribute positively to the community's development.

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