

NAMING OF DISTRICT FACILITIES  
MARK L. FINE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

On October 15, 2007, the School Name Committee considered recommendations of new school names for approval. It has been recommended that an elementary school be named for Mark L. Fine.

Mark L. Fine has spent the last three decades building communities. As a pioneer and leader of master-planned development, he has created places for families and children to live, work, play and learn. Mark has four children, all of whom attend CCSD public schools.

As an educational champion, Mr. Fine worked with Governor Richard Bryan to build an alliance between the business and education communities. He was instrumental in the creation of the CCSD Business Partnership Program (now known as the School-Community Partnership Program) and served as its first chairman. He played a key role in the development of the Focus School Project, matching at-risk schools with businesses to provide additional support to those schools.

Mr. Fine has served as a board member and advisor for the Clark County Public Education Foundation since its inception. When the Foundation was established in 1991, he was the first business leader to come forth and support the Foundation with a donation of \$250,000, which was used to enhance district-wide programs.

While developing the master plans for Green Valley and Summerlin, Mr. Fine worked closely with the Clark County School District to provide sites for schools throughout Green Valley and Summerlin master plans, planning for the community's future exponential growth and its need for schools. He recently committed \$50,000 per year for the next three years as the business partner of the newly rebuilt Kermit R. Booker, Sr. Elementary School.

It is recommended that if a school is to be named to honor Mark L. Fine, that the school be named the Mark L. Fine Elementary School.

Discussion and possible action on approval to name a school the Mark L. Fine Elementary School, is recommended.