

School of the Future Construction Task Force
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PLEASE VOLUNTEER

The SOF Construction Task Force needs parents to volunteer and help during the construction period. We are creating committees within the Task Force and would encourage you to participate as your skills and availability allow. The committees and their functions follow. Please sign up if you want to help!

1. Coordination. This will liaison among the various committees, the PA, the Principal, and the developer (especially if we have concerns or complaints). It would be ideal if one or more volunteers had significant amounts of time to devote to this key activity.

2. Publicity. Reaches out to the larger public about the plight of SOF in particular and the absence of NYC/DOE safeguards for any school facing adjacent development.

3. Communications. Handles internal communications with the parents and school community.

4. Advocacy. Reaches out to elected officials and the DOE for support in dealing with Toll Brothers.

5. Construction Professionals. Parents with professional expertise can help with engineering/construction issues (such as reviewing the developer's plans and watching the construction site), noise monitoring, and air quality/environmental monitoring.

6. Legal. The construction is "as of right," but legal issues will undoubtedly arise and attorneys available to give advice and help with any negotiations will be of great benefit.

7. Neighborhood. Liaisons with nearby buildings (owners, tenants' associations) with respect to the construction.

8. Legislative. Develops and lobbies for legislation to create safety measures for schools faced with construction.

Yes, I want to volunteer on the following committee(s): _____

I have the following background _____

My contact information is: NAME _____

Address _____

Email _____ Phone _____

