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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: June 5, 2018 **CONTACT:** Jahmal Corner Valerie Martinez (206) 579-4432

Paramount High School to Celebrate Nearly 1,000 Graduates

WHAT:Paramount High School will celebrate the graduations of nearly 1,000 seniors
during an evening ceremony that will feature speeches by valedictorian Fernanda
Corona and salutatorian Armando Alexis Torres.

Graduates from the Class of 2018 will embark on higher education ventures across the U.S., including California's UC and Cal State University systems, private and community colleges. The commencement ceremony will be at Paramount High School's 6,000-seat stadium, where the school's band will perform for an audience of families, friends and educators.

- WHEN: 6 p.m. Thursday, June 7
- WHERE: Paramount High School Senior Campus 14429 Downey Ave. Paramount
- **DETAILS:** Corona is the recipient of a \$40,000 Edison International Scholarship, which will go toward the cost of attendance at Duke University.

Torres, who will attend Stanford this fall, is one of just 300 students to win the 2018 Gates Scholarship, which covers all unmet costs of college attendance.

INQUIRIES: Contact Jahmal Corner for more information at (206) 579-4432.

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