March 26, 2000
Ms. Sheila Cross Reid
District of Columbia Board of Zoning Adjustment
441 4th Street N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20001

Re:Board of Zoning Adjustement for The Field School, Case #16559

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OFFICE OF ZONING
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Dear Commissioner Reid:

As a parent of a graduating senior at The Field School and a resident of the District of Columbia since 1975, I am writing to ask that The Field School's application be approved.

The Field School is an educational institution that has contributed much to the quality of D.C. Its student body has provided thousands of hours of community service and betterment throughout the 25 plus years of the school. The school teaches respect and responsibility for community whether it is global or the student's backyard.

The city and neighbors should welcome with open arms the special kind of students, faculty, and parents that make up The Field School. The school's willingness to reach out to the community through the process is ample evidence of the kind of institution that Field is.

I can understand the community's questions about traffic patterns. But, I believe that the traffic management plan the school has devised will serve the interests of the parents and the resident of the nei ghborhood and not create a problem.

I currently live on the same block as one of D.C.'s largest public middle schools – Hines Jr. High School. We have come to adapt to the influx of students and traffic on our street each day, and certainly benefit from the students and school in many ways. I am sure that the neighbors of Foxhall will find it a positive experience, as well.

Sincerely,
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