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Ms. Sheila Cross Reid
District of Columbia Board of Zoning Adjustment
441 4th Street, NW, Second Floor
Washington, D.C. 20001

Re: Board of Zoning Adjustment Application for The Field School
Foxhall Road, NW (the Former Cafritz Estate) Case # 16559

Dear Commissioner Reid:

The purpose of this letter is to express my strong support for the application of The Field School to establish a private school on the former Cafritz Estate located along Foxhall Road, NW. I believe that the development plan proposed by The Field School will create no objectionable conditions to the surrounding community and will not create any detrimental impact on the immediate neighbors of the site.

It would have been an easy matter for The Field School to relocate to a suburban campus that met all of its physical needs. Instead, the school has chosen to retain its character as an integral part of the District of Columbia. The school and its leaders have spared neither trouble nor expense to accommodate the community, and to keep that community informed and involved the design process. The result – represented by the pending Application – is a tribute to The Field School's committment to the community.

As a resident of the District of Columbia, I appreciate your attention to this letter, and urge you to approve the application.

Very truly yours,

W. C. Rapp

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