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Mr. Geoffery Griffis
Chairman
Board of Zoning Adjustment
441 4th Street
Suite 210
Washington, D.C. 20001

Re: BZA Application No. 16852
St. Patrick's School-4925 MacArthur Boulevard

Dear Mr. Chairman and Members of the Board:

I am a parent of a one current and one future St. Patrick's students (Kindergarten and Second Grade) who lives in Spring Valley and supports the approval of Application No. 16852. We moved last fall to Spring Valley from McLean, Virginia explicitly to be closer to St. Patrick's school. Further, our neighborhood Spring Valley West, has several families that attend St. Patrick's which allow us the opportunity to car pool. As a commercial real estate developer focused on Washington, D.C., I am very sensitive to traffic mitigation and our currently taxed infrastructure. Accordingly, for the above reasons, we move our family in hopes of doing our small part these pressing issues.

Your approval of St. Patrick's application will send a positive message to those of us who believe in supporting our local community schooling and help alleviate our current local traffic issues. Without a middle school solution for us at St. Patrick's, we will be forced to school our children outside DC and in turn add to the congestion. This can truly be a "win win" for all members of the community as well as St. Patrick's.

Thank you for you consideration of this application and your approval.

Sincerely

Cynthia & Woody Bolton

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Exhibit No. 149

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