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Mr. Peter Pulsifer
Advisory Neighborhood Commission 2E
3265 S Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20007

Dear Mr. Pulsifer:

At the meeting of ANC 2E on March 5, 2002, I counted 6 "yeas" and one abstention by members voting on a resolution endorsing Rock Creek International School's proposal to add a sixth grade for one year, beginning this fall. Voting "yes," along with you, were Bill Starrels, Justin Wagner, Scott Polk, Mark Ryan, and Len Levine. Tom Birch abstained from voting.

I write to ask you to note this count because experience has taught me the importance of a good administrative record.

Last August at a quarterly meeting with a small group of residents, the administration of Rock Creek International School pledged as a neighbor that it would present to the citizens' association any plans to build a middle school on site. Four weeks later the administration offered to buy the property "to construct our middle school." Just weeks after that, the school wrote to the Office of Property Management requesting permission to put trailers on the grounds to accommodate additional students. A member of the community learned of these initiatives through a request made under the Freedom of Information Act!

Sincerely,

Ann Haas

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cc: Mr. Geoffrey Griffis
Chairman, Board of Zoning Adjustment
441 Fourth Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20001

P. S. I talked with you by telephone several years ago when houses on Q Street were being jolted by Metrobuses. You had some good ideas, based on your initiative in Burleith.

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