Form 140
(Revised 03/15/02)

Case No. 17368

PARTY STATUS APPLICATION

Notice: See other side of party status form for instructions.

NAME: Last	First	Middle I.
Buster,	Jeanne R., on behalf of Grace Lutheran Church	

ADDRESS: Street	Apt. # (if any)	City	State	Zip Code
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I hereby request to appear and participate as a party. Signature: Jeanne R. Buster Date: 8/3/2005

Will you appear as a(n) [X] Proponent [ ] Opponent Will you appear through legal counsel [ ] Yes [X] No

If yes, please enter the name and address of such legal counsel.

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Please answer all of the following questions referencing why the above person should be granted party status.
(If you require additional space, please attach an additional sheet.)

1). How will the property owned or occupied by such person, or in which the person has an interest be affected by the action requested of the Board?

Grace Lutheran Church will benefit by fulfilling its institutional oblication as an active participant in the life of the community in which it resides, Crestwood.

2). What legal interest does the person have in the property? (i.e. owner, tenant, trustee, or mortgagee)

Grace Lutheran Church is the sole owner of the property.

3). What is the distance between the person's property and the property that is the subject of the appeal or application before the Board? (Preferably no farther than 200ft.) The preschool, Amazing Life Games, the subject of this application, will occupy the church's undercroft Monday through Friday.

4). What are the environmental, economic or social impacts that are likely to affect the person and/or the person's property if the action requested of the Board is approved or denied? The children attending the preschool will benefit from attending a school located within their immediate neighborhood (Crestwood) and in a safe, commercial-free environment.

5). Describe any other relevant matters that demonstrate how the person will likely be affected or aggrieved if the action requested of the Board is approved or denied. A denial of the application will deny preschool children of the neighborhood access to a preschool experience that would be literally within blocks of their home. There are very few schools, in fact there are none, located within the Crestwood community.

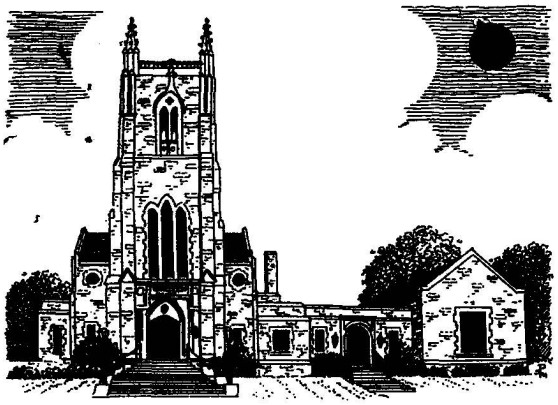
6). Explain how the person's interest will be more significantly, distinctively, or uniquely affected in character or kind by the proposed zoning action than that of other person's in the general public.

Same response as 5). above.

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August 31, 2005

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To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to certify that, as of the date of this letter, Jeanne R. Buster is and remains the duly elected president of the congregation of Grace Lutheran Church, located at 4300 Sixteenth Street, NW, Washington, DC 20011, and, in that capacity, is a legal officer of the congregation and duly authorized to represent the congregation on its behalf.

Respectfully submitted,

Loretta Walker

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Secretary of the Congregation
Grace Lutheran Church