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**Subject:** My Artist/Member support for Dance Loft/Heleos development project — ZC Case No. 21-18

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All Members of the Zoning Commission Members of the Zoning Commission,

I'm writing in support of the Z.C. Case No. 21-18 project. My daughter participated in a dance performance targeting elementary school students on April 8, 2022, and my wife and I have the privilege of watching her performance. We were so impressed by how attentive and disciplined those little kids were throughout the whole performance. The Q&A session after the performance was lively and we are sure that it had made a lasting impression on the minds of the young students.

This experience has solidified our belief that offering accessible and affordable performing arts in underprivileged neighborhoods is crucial to maintaining the diversity and inclusion of a neighborhood. It will also help prevent gentrification. As a parent of a daughter who is passionate about dance, I sincerely urge the Zoning Commission to approve the development.

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