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Ms. Irina Malykina
Brookland Education Campus, Principal
1401 Michigan Ave. NE
Washington, DC 20017

July 24, 2019

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Best regards,

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DC Regional Director
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Ms. Althea Bustillo
Bruce Monroe Elementary, Principal
3560 Warder St. NW
Washington, DC 20010

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Ms. Kemi Baltimore-Husbands
Langdon Education Campus, Principal
1900 Evarts St. NE
Washington, DC 20018

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Ms. Vanessa Drumm
Langley Elementary, Principal
101 T St. NE
Washington, DC 20002

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Mr. Kermit Burks
Noyes Education Campus, Principal

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2725 10th St. NE
Washington, DC 20018

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Ms. O'Kiyyah Lyons-Lucas
Powell Elementary, Principal
1350 Upshur St. NE
Washington, DC 20018

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Ms. Shenora Plenty
Wheatley Education Campus, Principal
1299 Neal St. NE
Washington, DC 20002

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Ms. Emily Hedin
Breakthrough Montessori, Principal
1244 Taylor St. NW
Washington, DC 20011

July 29, 2019

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Ms. Nayamka Long
Creative Minds International PCS, Chief Academic Officer
3700 North Capitol St NW
Washington, DC 20011

July 26, 2019

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Ms. Kay Elaster
Bridges Public Charter School, Principal
100 Gallatin St. NE
Washington DC 20011

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Center City PCS-Brightwood Campus, Principal
6008 Georgia Ave NW
Washington, DC 20011

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DC Bilingual PCS, Principal
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DC Prep PCS- Edgewood, Principal
701 Edgewood Street, NE
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EL Haynes Public Charter School, Principal
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Elsie Whitlow Stokes PCS, Head of School
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Friendship Public Charter School-Woodridge, Principal
2959 Carlton Ave NE
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Barnard Elementary, Principal
430 Decatur St. NW
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Ms. Tiffany Johnson
Whittier Education Campus, Principal
6201 5th St. NW
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Truesdell Education Campus, Principal
800 Ingraham St. NW
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Raymond Education Campus, Principal
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Washington, DC 20010

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Mary McCleod Bethune PCS, Executive Director
1404 Jackson St. NE
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1800 Perry St. NE
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Brightwood Education Campus, Principal
1300 Nicholson St. NW
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Creative Minds International PCS, Chief Academic Officer
3700 North Capitol St NW
Washington, DC 20011

July 26, 2019

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Ms. Kay Elaster
Bridges Public Charter School, Principal
100 Gallatin St. NE
Washington DC 20011

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Dear Kay,

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Ms. Rachel Tommelleo
Center City PCS-Brightwood Campus, Principal
6008 Georgia Ave NW
Washington, DC 20011

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Ms. Alina Thouyaret
DC Bilingual PCS, Principal
33 Riggs Rd. NE
Washington, DC 20011

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Ms. Avise Hayes
DC Prep PCS- Edgewood, Principal
701 Edgewood Street, NE
Washington, DC 20017

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Dear Avise,

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Ms. Brittany Wagner-Friel
EL Haynes Public Charter School, Principal
3600 Georgia Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20010

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Ms. Erika Bryant
Elsie Whitlow Stokes PCS, Head of School
3700 Oakview Terrace NE
Washington, DC 20017

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Dear Erika,

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Ms. Felicia Owo
Friendship Public Charter School-Woodridge, Principal
2959 Carlton Ave NE
Washington, DC 20018

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Emin Cavusoglu
Harmony Public Charter School, Head of School
62 T St NE
Washington, DC 20002

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Carrie Stoltzfus
Food & Friends
Executive Director
219 Riggs Rd. NE
Washington, DC 20011

July 31, 2019

Dear Carrie,

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Jacqueline Oliver
The C.H.I.L.D. Center
202 Riggs Rd. NE
Washington, DC 20011

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Doris E. Phillips
Troka Insurance Inc.
212 Riggs Rd. NE
Washington, DC 20011

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Loren Johnson
Senior Leasing Consultant
Robtco Property Management
206 Riggs Rd. NE
Washington, DC 20011

July 31, 2019

Dear Loren,

We are writing to introduce ourselves and our school, Rocketship Public Charter School, which will soon be located at 5450 3rd St, NE. We are a nonprofit, high-performing public charter school network operating two schools here in DC. Rocketship has grown to serve more than 18,000 students over the past 11 years. Today, we operate schools in the San Francisco Bay Area; Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Nashville, Tennessee; and Washington, DC. We are hoping to open our third elementary school in the Fort Totten neighborhood in Fall 2020 and therefore, we are submitting a charter amendment to be submitted to the DC Public Charter School Board on August 2nd.

Rocketship Rise Academy opened in 2016 in the Woodland Terrace neighborhood of Anacostia, earning Tier 1 status their first year and serving the city's largest proportion of underserved and homeless students of any charter school in DC. Rocketship Legacy Prep opened in 2017 in the Fort Davis neighborhood of Ward 7. Rocketship Legacy Prep scored in the Tier 1 category last year - setting the record score for a charter elementary or middle school in DC. We currently have 1, 283 number of students across both campuses and will eventually have PK3-5th grade, growing a grade a year until we are fully enrolled with grades K-5 in 2020.

At Rocketship, we believe transformational schools are built on three pillars, Personalized Learning, Talent Development, and Parent Power. Our personalized learning model, that continues to yield better and better achievement results. Personalized learning tailors instruction, content, and pace to the individual needs of each student. Our teachers lead the learning process for every single student we serve in both whole group grade-level instruction and differentiated instruction to meet each student's individual level. We use tutors and adaptive online learning programs to augment teacher-led instruction and provide valuable time for students to practice new concepts and develop the mastery they need to advance. We are also committed to building parent power by partnering with parents to tap into their voices and empower them to learn the educational landscape, build and advance the movement for educational options, excellence, and equity for their children and in their community.

Our community engagement approach is designed to build public trust and currency across our DC region by partnering effectively with families, community organizations, faith-based institutions, private sector institutions, and civic leaders as key collaborators and stakeholders in closing the achievement gap. We focus on developing existing relationships and building new partnerships that will help support the work of communicating educational options to families in the communities we serve which is why we would like to work with your school to continue to serve the families in Wards 4 and 5.



Joyanna Smith <josmith@rsed.org>

Request for meeting to discuss new Rocketship school in Ward 5

1 message

Joyanna Smith <josmith@rsed.org>

Tue, Jul 9, 2019 at 2:47 PM

To: kmcduffie@dccouncil.us

Cc: shgrant@dccouncil.us, Tamika Joyner <tjoyner@rsed.org>

Good afternoon Councilmember McDuffie,

My name is Joyanna Smith and I am the DC Regional Director with Rocketship Public Schools. I am also a Ward 5 resident. I met you a few times at Faith and Drew's home.

We are in the planning phases of renovating buildings that are located at 5450 3rd Street, NE in order to site an elementary school in the Fort Totten area. We gave a preliminary presentation to the 5A ANC Commission on June 26th. We do plan to appear before them formally in their September meeting.

We will also file a charter amendment application before the DC Public Charter School Board in early August. As part of this application process, we were hoping to connect with you or a member of your team to discuss our proposal this month. Even though it was part of our plan to connect with your office prior to filing our application, the 5A ANC Commission has also reiterated that they wanted to make sure that your office is aware of our proposal.

Finally, for some context, we are part of a national network of schools that were originally founded in San Jose, California. We currently have two DC schools-one in Ward 7 and one in Ward 8 and it is our mission to offer high quality schools designed to close the achievement gap in our lifetime. I look forward to chatting with you and I can be reached via email or at (202) 491-4328 (my cell). I am also copying another Rocketship team member, Tamika Joyner, so that we can all stay in the loop.

I look forward to connecting soon,

Joyanna

Joyanna S. Smith

DC Regional Director

Rocketship Public Schools

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Khadijah Williams <khwilliams@rsed.org>

[Request] Meeting to discuss community engagement

3 messages

Khadijah Williams <khwilliams@rsed.org>

Wed, Jul 17, 2019 at 7:55 AM

To: "pastoro@michicanparkcc.com" <pastoro@michicanparkcc.com>

Cc: Joyanna Smith <josmith@rsed.org>

Dear Pastor Owens,

My name is Khadijah Williams, and I am the Senior Education Organizer at Rocketship Public Schools. Currently, we have two campuses in Wards 8 and 7, and are applying for an additional campus in Ward 5 in early August. In order to ensure that a potential third campus meets the needs of community members in Michigan Park, I am hoping to speak to parents of elementary aged children, and the community leaders that they know and trust.

As a Ward 5 resident, I would love the opportunity to speak with you about your congregation at your earliest convenience to not only learn more about the the community your church serves in my Ward, but also be able to speak to the particular needs of your congregation. Although Ward 5 has many schools, not all of these schools are an option for all our families, and in particular our most vulnerable families. As an Organizer for parents, I want to make sure that the local community understands that they have a say in not only what their ideal school system should look like, but that Rocketship, if approved, is actively demonstrating that Rocketship is responsive to the needs of the community it will serve.

If you are open to meeting, would you mind sharing some dates and times that would work for you? I am happy to meet when and wherever is most convenient for you. I can be reached by cell at 617.599.7016.

Thank you for your time and consideration!

Best regards,
Khadijah

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To: "pastoro@michiganparkcc.com" <pastoro@michiganparkcc.com>

Cc: Joyanna Smith <josmith@rsed.org>

Wed, Jul 17, 2019 at 7:58 AM

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Khadijah Williams <khwilliams@rsed.org>

[Request] Meeting to discuss Fort Totten community engagement

1 message

Khadijah Williams <khwilliams@rsed.org>

Wed, Jul 17, 2019 at 8:20 AM

To: "mgomez@maryscenter.org" <mgomez@maryscenter.org>

Cc: Joyanna Smith <josmith@rsed.org>

Dear Ms.Gomez,

My name is Khadijah Williams, and I am the Senior Education Organizer at Rocketship Public Schools. Currently, we have two campuses in Wards 8 and 7, and are applying for an additional campus in Ward 5 in early August. In order to ensure that a potential third campus meets the needs of community members in Fort Totten, I am hoping to speak to community leaders who have a reputation for providing high quality education to our community. As a formerly homeless student who worked at the DC Education Ombudsman's Office for four years, I've had the privilege of work both with Mary's Center and Briya staff to assist the families you serve, and I'm excited for the opportunity to learn from you. Rocketship has a rich organizing history in San Jose, where the network was founded, working with a largely immigrant population, and so I hope to expand upon this rich history by exploring potential ways to partner with Mary's Center and Briya.

I would love the opportunity to speak with you about the communities you serve, particularly in Ward 5, at your earliest convenience, to not only learn more about how your community engagement has evolved as Mary's Center has grown and evolve, but also how your organization came to develop an innovative partnership with Briya. As an Organizer for parents, I want to make sure that the local community understands that they have a say in not only what their ideal school system should look like, but that Rocketship, if approved, is actively demonstrating that Rocketship is responsive to the needs of the community it will serve.

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Khadijah Williams <khwilliams@rsed.org>

[Request] Meeting to discuss community engagement in Fort Lincoln /Woodridge area

3 messages

Khadijah Williams <khwilliams@rsed.org>
To: "info@nepc-dc.org" <info@nepc-dc.org>
Cc: Joyanna Smith <josmith@rsed.org>

Wed, Jul 17, 2019 at 9:47 AM

Dear Northeastern Presbyterian Church,

My name is Khadijah Williams, and I am the Senior Education Organizer at Rocketship Public Schools. Currently, we have two campuses in Wards 8 and 7, and are applying for an additional campus in Ward 5 in early August. In order to ensure that a potential third campus meets the needs of community members in Woodridge and Fort Lincoln, I am hoping to speak to parents of elementary aged children, and the community leaders that they know and trust.

As a Ward 5 resident, I would love the opportunity to speak with you about your congregation at your earliest convenience to not only learn more about the the community NE Presbyterian serves in my Ward, but also be able to speak to the particular needs of your congregation. Although Ward 5 has many schools, not all of these schools are an option for all our families, and in particular our most vulnerable families. As an Organizer for parents, I want to make sure that the local community understands that they have a say in not only what their ideal school system should look like, but that Rocketship, if approved, is actively demonstrating that Rocketship is responsive to the needs of the community it will serve.

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Next week, we are cohosting an event on race and school choice, which promises to be an engaging look at the realities of school choice in the city. The Eventbrite can be found here:
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/race-choicethe-state-of-school-choice-access-quality-in-the-district-tickets-65583677545>

Thank you for your time and consideration!

Best regards,
Khadijah

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From: Khadijah Williams <khwilliams@rsed.org>

To: "info@nepc-dc.org" <info@nepc-dc.org>

Cc: Joyanna Smith <josmith@rsed.org>

Bcc:

Date: Wed, 17 Jul 2019 09:47:40 -0400

Subject: [Request] Meeting to discuss community engagement in Fort Lincoln /Woodridge area

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Khadijah Williams <khwilliams@rsed.org>

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1 message

Khadijah Williams <khwilliams@rsed.org>
To: rbrannum@robertbrannum.com
Cc: Joyanna Smith <Jsmith@rsed.org>

Thu, Jul 18, 2019 a

Dear Mr. Brannum,

My name is Khadijah Williams, and I am the Senior Education Organizer at Rocketship Public Schools. Currently, we have two campuses in Wards 8 and 7, and are applying for an additional campus in Ward 5 in early August. In order to ensure that a potential third campus meets the needs of community members in Woodridge Ward 5, I am hoping to speak to long term educational advocates in order to make sure that we are truly doing this work in partnership with the community.

As a Ward 5 resident, I would love the opportunity to speak with you about the education landscape in Ward 5, the ways in which families have been disenfranchised, how to go about applying to build in Ward 5 in a way that honors community concerns.

If you are open to meeting, would you mind sharing some dates and times that would work for you? I am happy to meet when and wherever is most convenient for you. I can be reached by cell at [617.599.7016](tel:617.599.7016).

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Thank you for your time and consideration!

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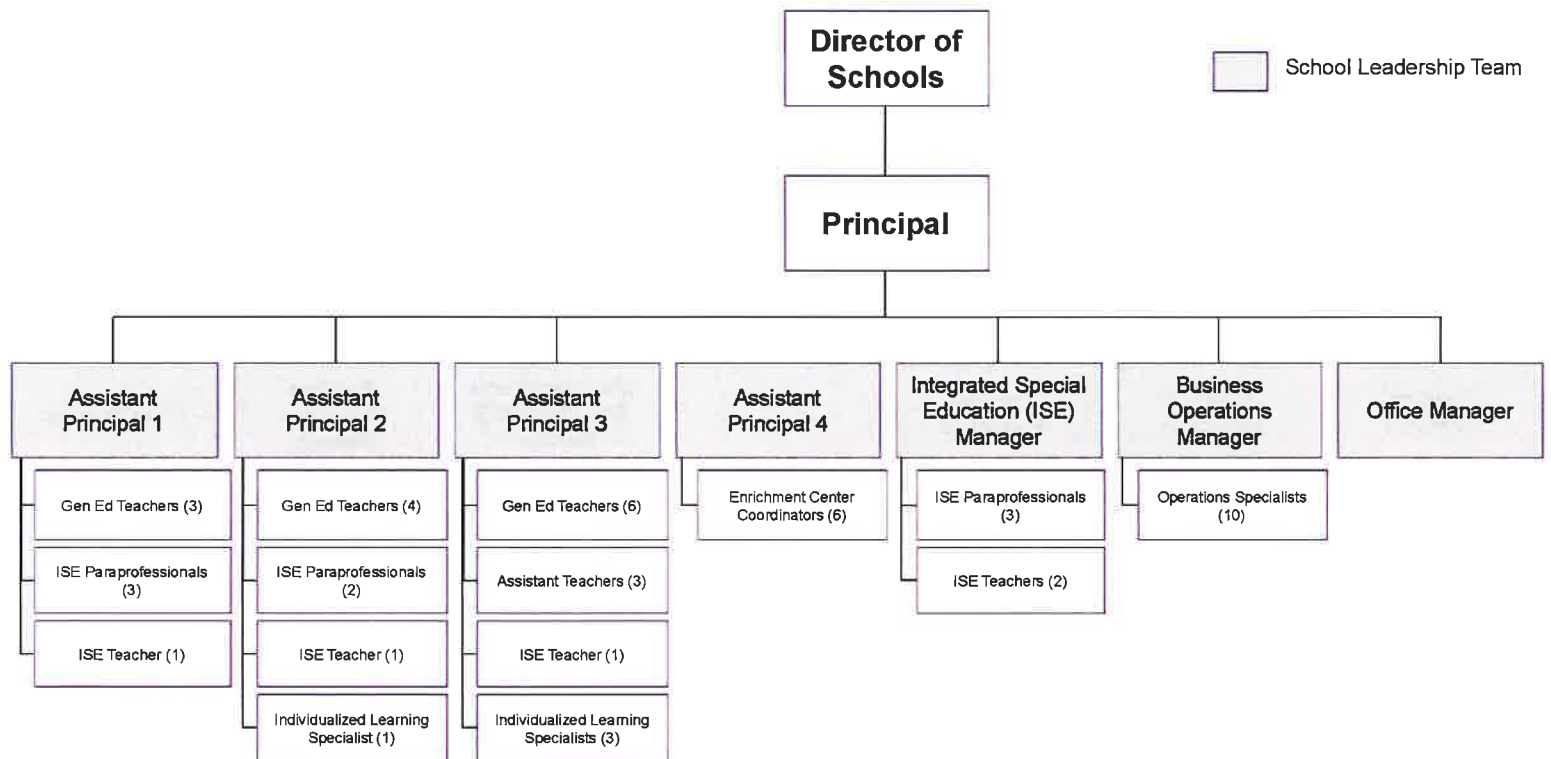
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