



St. Coletta Special Education Public Charter School

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DC Public Charter School Board Members;

St. Coletta Special Education Public Charter school is requesting that the Board, at its discretion, waive application of the subsection of the Special Education Quality Improvement Act of 2014 (DC Code § 38-1802.10(c)) and allow the school to remain a District of Columbia public school for the purposes of Part B of IDEA and section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act. For the following reasons St. Coletta Special Education PCS is requesting this waiver:

- We meet the eligibility of current legislation as 100% of our students have Individual Education Plans.
- We partner with DCPS to find students eligible for special education services ages 3-5.
- DCPS must be a part of all IEP meetings in order for us to maintain a continuum of education.

We appreciate your support in ensuring St. Coletta Special Education PCS can continue to effectively provide educational services to those with disabilities in the District of Columbia.

Respectfully,

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Principal

St. Coletta School

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