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*Please include these comments in the official record for HB 3427.*

Hi, I'm writing you to add my support for HB 3427. This funding is important for everyone. I'll be the first to admit that I'm not a mathematical master, and I don't have the first idea on how budgets are divvied up – but I do understand impact, trickle down, and loss. Our schools are grossly underfunded, and I hear it from people with kids, I see the stress in the staff I work around, and I can feel the unrest that this all brings about. As a parent with two kids who are in the system I too worry about their opportunities. One of my children is also a special needs student and I worry about her needs, will she continue to receive the help that she needs to succeed, or will she be a victim of the budget?

Politicians are often touting that they stand for education, for supporting schools. I want to see this, I want to believe this, I want to wake up and see this grand body of men and women I have put my faith in to stand tall and give us the help our district needs. Lack of funding impacts everyone, and I mean that - not just those of us who put in a full day of work for the district, but ALL of those who benefit from our work, our dedication. But if budgets are cut due to lack of funding...well that support will go away, money has to come from somewhere and people who need work just as much as students need an education will soon find themselves victims of this short fall as well.

Please stand tall and support us, stand with us and support HB 3427!

Sincerely,

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