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On Behalf Of: Lewis and Clark Montessori Charter School

Committee: Senate Committee On Education

Measure: SB767

We love Lewis & Clark Montessori Charter School, both of our children have had incredible education experiences at this school.

Currently, the school is being forced to relocate due to lease termination by our sponsoring district, GBSD. It would be ideal for our child's school to remain inside GBSD boundaries but given an extremely limited time frame and lack of existing facilities to accommodate 17 classrooms the choices are limited.

The proposed new facility is located less than 1000 ft from the GBSD boundary, and with such little time to find a new building, this is the best option for the school. Please do not punish the amazing school which serves a very active and committed community. Please support Lewis & Clark Montessori Charter School in its need for immediate relocation.