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Dear Chair Bird, Vice-Chair Fowler-Arthur, Ranking Member Robinson, and members of the House Primary and Secondary Educational Committee, my name is Bethany Ash. As a mother of 4 students ranging from ages 9 to 17, I would ask you to please vote yes on HB339.

I love the NCNP school that all four of my children have attended since kindergarten. The teachers are fantastic and the smaller class sizes have been helpful for my children. My goal is to keep them at the only school that they have ever known. However, it is a financial burden for our family. I would ask you to please allow parents to decide what school is best for their child and allow those funds to follow that child throughout their education.

Thank you for your consideration,

Bethany Ash

