



The Mount Vernon Council of Citizens Associations, Inc.

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Dr. Reid and Members of the FCPS School Board:

The Mount Vernon Council of Civic Associations (MVCCA) is aware that you received a recent letter from the Fairfax County Federation of Citizens Associations expressing opposition to the effort to establish Advanced Academic Program (AAP) centers in all middle schools. MVCCA does not share the Federation's viewpoint and we are writing to express our support for the plan for expanding AAP centers that Dr. Reid and her staff are developing.

MVCCA fully supports the development of a plan to establish a full-time AAP center in every middle school. We recognize that establishing AAP centers in all middle schools will provide equitable access to advanced academic programs for all students by eliminating the need for students to be bused out of their communities to access such programs.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Judy Harbeck.

Judy Harbeck
Co-Chair MVCCA

Handwritten signature of Teresa S. Taylor.

Teresa Taylor
MVCCA Education Committee Chair