

February 14, 2020

Ms. Stephen Slaughter Chairperson Advisory Neighborhood Commission 8E Via Email

Dear Commissioner Slaughter,

This letter serves as notification of Friendship Public Charter School's (Friendship) intent to open a new campus at the 908 Wahler Place, SE location. As you may know, Achievement Prep's Board of Trustees voted to close the Middle School at the end of School Year 2019-2020.

This new campus will support Friendship's mission to offer a world-class education to students by continuing to provide high quality middle school seats in Ward 8. For more than 20 years, Friendship has sought to provide the families of Washington, DC a world-class education that develops the whole child. Our schools have always focused on going beyond simply core math and English instruction with offerings in foreign language, the arts, STEM, IB, online learning and career exploration.

Friendship PCS is committed to serving students at our campuses and throughout the District and looks forward to sharing our work in our communities.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me.

Best regards,

Ken Cherry Chief of Staff Friendship Public Charter School

Cc: Ms. Karlene Armstead, Single Member District 8E06