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July 20, 2012

HRSA Bureau of Primary Health Care (BPHC)
Office of Policy and Program Development
5600 Fishers Lane
Rockville, MD 20857

Dear HRSA BPHC Grant Review Committee:

I am writing on behalf of the Rainier Beach Community Empowerment Coalition in support of the Health Department of Seattle King County's grant application to HRSA for funds to remodel the Rainier Beach High School Health Center. We are very excited about the prospect of a remodeled health center and are very much in support of this application.

The "RB Coalition" works to build community capacity to successfully address critical issues and enhance quality of life in the Rainier Beach neighborhood. We greatly value our school health center as a means of keeping our students healthy and supporting their academic success. We are very proud that our school-based health center was the first in the district, founded in 1987, but it is sorely in need of a facelift and reconfiguration to better support provider and student needs.

We greatly appreciate the health department's commitment to providing health services in our school for the past 25 years and support their ongoing partnership at RBHS as our health provider. Thank you for this opportunity to support this application to HRSA.

Sincerely,


Gregory Davis
Board Chair

Rainier Beach Community Empowerment Coalition.

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July 12, 2012

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Dear HRSA BPHC Grant Review Committee:

I am writing on behalf of the Rainier Beach High School (RBHS) Alumni Association in support of the health department's grant application to HRSA for funds to remodel the Rainier Beach High School Health Center. We are very excited about the prospect of a remodeled health center and are very much in support of this application.

As former RBHS students, we greatly value our health center as a means of keeping our students healthy and supporting their academic success. We are very proud that our school-based health center was the first in the district, founded in 1987, but it is sorely in need of a facelift and reconfiguration to better support provider and student needs. Our students deserve a health center that is modern and attractive and inspires confidence in their medical and mental health care.

We greatly appreciate the health department's commitment to providing health services in our school for the past 25 years and support their ongoing partnership at RBHS as our health provider. Thank you for this opportunity to support this application to HRSA.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Eleanor V. Goodall".

Eleanor V. Goodall
President, Rainier Beach Alumni Association