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I am ill today, and unable to attend the Charter School Review Committee meeting. I did want to affirm my support for the revised pre-proposal rubric and template. I believe it will facilitate community organizations and other prospective chartering groups' ability to set forth their vision for an effective school model, and allow the CSRC to more effectively evaluate whether or not their vision is ready for a full proposal. I also believe the revisions will bring the work of the CSRC in line with national best practices around charter school authorization.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Desiree Pointer Mace'.

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cc: Jarett Fields