



Charter School Review Committee

October 1, 2015

To: Charter School Review Committee

Re: North Point Lighthouse Academy Charter School

**Martin Matson**  
City Comptroller

**Kevin Ingram**  
Chair

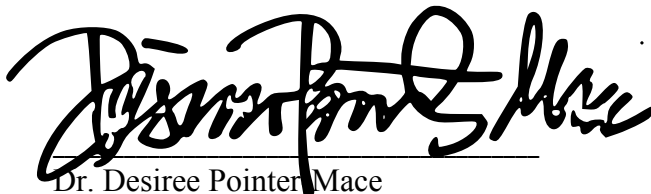
**Gayle Peay**  
**Melanie Krei**  
**Desiree Pointer-Mace**  
**Glenn Steinbrecher**  
Committee Members

My travel commitments made me unable to attend this meeting, but I feel so strongly about this issue that I wanted to make sure to be on the record.

On August 13, 2015, this committee was introduced to the newest school leader for North Point Lighthouse Charter School. At that time, North Point had not met the expectations set forth by this committee. As a result, I conveyed a strong sense of urgency about this.

Details of their annual report show that North Point Lighthouse Charter School has not demonstrated that they have the capacity to meet the expectations set forth by this committee. Further, the loss of yet another school leader so early in the year is of additional concern.

At this point I recommend we place the school on probation and I believe its charter contract should be revoked at the end of the 2015-2016 school year. The children and families of this community deserve a better educational environment than what Lighthouse has been able to provide.



Dr. Desiree Pointer-Mace