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**DEAR MR. MANN,**

This letter is to express my interest in serving as Secretary on the Magnet Schools of America (MSA) Board of Directors. I believe that my experience and commitment to magnet programs throughout my career, as well as my perspective as a magnet student, teacher and district leader, make me an ideal candidate for this position.

My experience with magnet schools began in high school, where I attended a public magnet school in New York City. I went on to become a magnet teacher at Kenwood HS within Baltimore County Public schools, and after teaching for five years, joined Chesapeake HS as a magnet coordinator, where I led the revision of a whole school magnet program over the course of the next decade. My introduction to MSA was during that time, and MSA was instrumental in supporting this effort. Chesapeake staff proudly presented at every national MSA conference from 2006-2014 and was the recipient of a Magnet Schools of Merit award. I currently serve as the supervisor of the district's MSAP project, overseeing the implementation of magnet programs at six schools, grade K-12, where I have been able to transfer my leadership skills to support magnet programs at the district level.

Since 2018, I have had the pleasure of serving on the MSA Board of Directors, previously as a Regional Director, and currently as appointed Secretary and co-chair of the MSA Member Value Project Work Group. Serving as Secretary has afforded me the opportunity to also sit on the MSA Executive Committee (EC), and I believe that my experience at both the school and district levels bring forth a perspective that is very valuable to the EC. I have had an opportunity to perform the duties of Secretary, including the responsibility for formal Board meeting minutes as well as EC meeting notes, and I believe that my skills in this area have shown to be ideal. I would be elated to continue to serve in this capacity.

Thank you in advance for taking the time to review my resume and consider me for running for this position. I look forward to my continued work with MSA.

Sincerely,



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