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March 14, 2014

Montgomery County Planning Board
8787 Georgia Avenue
Silver Spring, MD

Subject: Our Lady of Good Counsel High School Performing Arts Center

Dear Chairwoman Carrier and Planning Board Commissioners:

The Greater Olney Civic Association (GOCA) represents over 35 homeowner and civic associations in the Olney Master Plan area. For over thirty years, GOCA has promoted the civic, cultural, and economic welfare of the Olney community.

At our March 11, 2014 Executive Board meeting, Paul Barker presented Good Counsel's plan for adding a new Performing Arts Center to their existing facility along with seeking several other minor changes to their existing operating plan. The Members of GOCA voted unanimously to support Good Counsel's application. Since moving to the Olney campus, Good Counsel has been a good neighbor and an asset to the Olney community. We appreciate their continued investment in the quality of their educational program and their willingness to make the new facility available for community use.

Sincerely,

John Webster
President

Cc: Dr. Paul Barker, President, Our Lady of Good Counsel High School
Fred Boyd
Rich Weaver