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Dear SPCSA Staff and Board Members,

I am writing in support of approving the new Doral K–12 Lab School. I believe this would be a wonderful addition to our community.

Both of my children attended Doral Academy of Northern Nevada's K–8 campus from the time it opened through eighth grade. Doral provided them with an education that focused on the whole child, developed strong character, and prepared them to become successful members of the community. My son is now in college and my daughter is a junior in high school. I would have loved the opportunity for them to continue their education through high school at Doral.

I am so grateful for what Doral provided my children that I began working at the school and have continued working there even after they graduated. I have seen firsthand the positive impact Doral has on students and families, and I am proud to continue giving back to the community.

A K–12 lab school in partnership with UNR would provide tremendous opportunities for students while allowing educational research to be put into practice in a real school setting. It could also encourage more students to remain local and attend UNR, strengthening our community.

I strongly encourage you to approve the Doral K–12 Lab School and give more students the opportunity to benefit from the education and opportunities that Doral provides.

Thanks for your time and consideration,

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