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Dear SPCSA Staff and Board Members,

My name is Danielle Escobar, and I am a Kindergarten teacher at Doral Academy of Northern Nevada. My journey at Doral began as a Kindergarten instructional aide, where our principal encouraged me to return to school and pursue my dream of becoming a teacher. I am incredibly grateful for the support and encouragement I received, as Doral has not only shaped my career but also had a meaningful impact on my life.

My connection to Doral is also deeply personal. I fostered two girls who attended Doral, and I had the privilege of watching them thrive in an environment that supported both their academic and social-emotional growth. The Social Emotional Learning and the 8 Habits gave them tools they carried far beyond the classroom. Even after returning to their biological family, those lessons stayed with them and continued to shape how they approached school and life. Seeing that impact firsthand showed me how important it is for children to have a school community that supports the whole child.

The opportunity to expand Doral by opening a high school means so much to me because I have seen what this school can do for students. I believe families should have the opportunity for their children to continue growing within a school community that shares their values, supports their development, and prepares them for the future. Expanding to a new K-12 campus would create more opportunities for families while allowing Doral to continue making a positive difference in the lives of students.

I respectfully ask the SPCSA Board to approve the amendment as submitted. I believe this expansion is an important opportunity for Doral, our families, and the students we serve.

Thank you for taking the time to consider this request and for your continued commitment to Nevada's students.

Sincerely,
Danielle Escobar
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