

March 25, 2022 Email:

Greetings Madam Chair and Fellow Councilmembers:

I hope you are very well and enjoying this first week of Spring. (I hear the birds chirping as I type!)

I'm very excited to share that our collective community efforts were successful and we received notification that Angeles Mesa has been removed from the list of schools for co-location by Crete Academy! Woo-hoo!!

On behalf of Principal Williams, myself, and our school community, thank you very deeply for your support and contribution to our advocacy efforts. We were so inspired and heartened by your being so accessible with our requests, and supportive of our campaign overall. You are a true testament to the power of service and collective power to make a difference!

We feel a major wind in our sails, and now have the increasingly-urgent mandate to boost enrollment at our school (along with the ever-present need to shout about the dynamic academic program and our kids' incredible achievement from the rooftops). To that end, we would like to request the opportunity to present at the April 9th General Meeting. We would like to share the update about the charter co-location campaign, extend our heartfelt gratitude, and share additional information about the school's impending plans. Please let me know if that would be possible.

Thank you again for your support and collaboration. While it's regretful how in life sometimes connections aren't made until being in a place of vulnerability or crisis, I'm grateful that our school's connection to PMHCC has been revived. I hope we continue to collaborate in mutually-supportive ways.

All the best,
Ivory Chambeshi
Angeles Mesa Elementary mother and School Site Council Vice Chair