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Dear Ms. Ziegler:

Thank you for your follow-up correspondence to the Clark County School District (the "District") regarding an alleged religious concern at Mojave High School ("MHS"). Please let me take this opportunity to provide further information.

Steps were taken to review your allegations and the District advised administration on the handling of those types of issues. In particular, the MHS principal was instructed as to the appropriate level of support for religious and non-religious organizations.

At the principal's request, Grace Point Church has removed the video from vimeo.com. Grace Point Church no longer rents space at MHS. MHS continues to rent out space to outside groups, including multiple sports entities and Anchor Hill Church. The Young Life organization no longer accesses the school during instructional time/school days but instead rents out space as an outside group. The District has also recently amended its regulation regarding student clubs and organizations. The amended regulation further clarifies that student-led religious clubs are noncurriculum-related and are not sponsored by the school district.

Thank you for the opportunity to amicably discuss your concerns. I consider this matter closed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Carlos L. McDade".

Carlos L. McDade
General Counsel

c: Pat Skorkowsky, Superintendent
Mike Barton, Chief Student Achievement Officer
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