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Dear Esteemed Legislators,

I write to you today to express my profound support for HB0583.

We are proud Montgomery County residents and have two school age children. Due to health and life circumstances, we have been homeschooling for 5 years now, but fervently wish that we had a virtual school option available to us through our county. We know families who thrived under the virtual academy before it was eliminated. We wish that our family had the opportunity to access such high-quality, virtual education. It would benefit our children and our family overall in innumerable ways.

Our state is such a leader in so many arenas and I sincerely hope that we will be able to demonstrate our commitment to equitable education for all students by passing this legislation.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,  
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