# **SAMPLE** Cleveland Taxpayer Letter/Script – see other side for list of Ohio legislators to contact

Dear	

I am a taxpayer in the Cleveland Metropolitan School District and pay for a bond issue that helps build and renovate schools for our children.

Our students, who live in one of the nation's poorest cities, need modern schools if they are to get a 21<sup>st</sup> Century education, compete in a global economy and have hope for the future.

I have been disappointed to learn that the Ohio Facilities Construction Commission (OFCC), which pays two-thirds of the cost of new buildings, has virtually eliminated allowances for Cleveland's higher construction expenses. This arbitrary shift goes against years of past practice and jeopardizes projects that are based on OFCC commitments.

I am asking you, as my elected representative, to contact the OFCC and demand it reverse this unfair decision. Please tell the commission to honor its commitment to Cleveland's children

Sincerely,

# **Ohio Legislators**

# **Detroit Shoreway/Cudell/Edgewater Neighborhoods**

RE: Marion C. Seltzer and Joseph M. Gallagher

Ohio House Representative: NICKIE ANTONIO rep13@ohiohouse.gov | 614.466.5921

Ohio Senator: MICHAEL SKINDELL skindell@ohiosenate.gov | 614.466.5123

# **Central Neighborhood**

RE: Marion-Sterling and Dike School of the Arts

Ohio House Representative: STEPHANIE HOWSE

rep11@ohiohouse.gov | 614.466.1414

Ohio Senator: SANDRA WILLIAMS

williams@ohiosenate.gov | 614.466.4857

#### **Ohio City/Tremont Neighborhoods**

RE: Tremont Montessori

Ohio House Representative: BILL PATMON rep10@ohiohouse.gov | 614.466.7954

Ohio Senator: SANDRA WILLIAMS

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#### **Fairfax Neighborhood**

RE: Bolton

Ohio House Representative: STEPHANIE HOWSE

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Ohio Senator: SANDRA WILLIAMS

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#### **Clark/Fulton Neighborhoods**

RE: Clark and Lincoln-West Global Studies / Lincoln-West Science & Health

Ohio House Representative: BILL PATMON (Lincoln-West)

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Ohio House Representative: NICKIE ANTONIO (Clark)

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Ohio Senator: SANDRA WILLIAMS (Lincoln-West) williams@ohiosenate.gov | 614.466.4857

Ohio Senator: MICHAEL SKINDELL (Clark) skindell@ohiosenate.gov | 614.466.5123

## Kamm's/Bellaire-Puritas Neighborhoods

RE: Valley View Boys' Leadership Academy and Douglas MacArthur Girls' Leadership Academy

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Ohio Senator: MICHAEL SKINDELL

skindell@ohiosenate.gov | 614.466.5123

## **Glenville Neighborhood**

RE: Iowa-Maple and Michael R. White

Ohio House Representative: BILL PATMON rep10@ohiohouse.gov | 614.466.7954

Ohio Senator: SANDRA WILLIAMS

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#### **Hough Neighborhood**

RE: Case

Ohio House Representative: BILL PATMON rep10@ohiohouse.gov | 614.466.7954

Ohio Senator: SANDRA WILLIAMS williams@ohiosenate.gov | 614.466.4857

#### **Brooklyn Centre Neighborhood**

RE: Denison

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