



Manzanita Charter School

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Mariene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Subject: Request for Waiver
Reference: Manzanita Charter Middle School, Entity # 16079407

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This letter is offered as part of the waiver process in conjunction with filing forms 470 & 471. Manzanita Charter Middle School is a small(154 students) with 82% Hispanic and 73% NSLP, free and reduced lunch student population. Our school site, 2925 Technology Court, Richmond, CA does not have internet capability to operate computers required to provide instruction and perform the standard testing mandated by CCSS. We were informed of the E-Rate in April during our testing attempt and therefore missed the March application window for the 2014-15 school year. We desperately and most appreciatively request a waiver to gain E-Rate support for this critical internet and VOIP communication for the 2014-15 school year.

Sincerely yours,

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