

Mid Valley School District
52 Underwood Rd.
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October 15, 2007

Letter of Appeal
FCC, Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

Dear Sir or Madam:

LETTER OF APPEAL
FORM 471 Passed Filing Window
FUNDING YR. 07/08
APP 1 # 590398
APP 2 # 590418
ENTITY # 125996

For FY 2007, our school district is participating in an Internet consortium through our Intermediate Unit and we were under the impression that the IU also would be handling the submission of our E-rate requests for telecommunications services. This week I discovered that the IU only submitted E-rate requests on behalf of our consortium services and not for our District's own E-rate eligible services.

Although we realize the FY 2007 E-rate application window has closed, we submitted two Form 471's for consideration and are submitting this appeal requesting these Forms be considered for FY 2007.

Within the last year, we have changed cell phone providers twice which made it difficult to track where exactly we were with the E-rate process. Adding to the confusion, the Board of Education decided to post the business manager's position and thus there has been no continuity in the filing of our applications.

We realize the FCC granted several other appeals for applicants in this situation in the March 9, 2007 Academy for Academic Excellence Decision and we respectfully request that this appeal receive the same consideration as those applicants included in that Decision.

Respectfully submitted,

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