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To Whom It May Concern:

It is my honor and pleasure to write this letter of recommendation on behalf of Kareem Moffett as she pursues the vacant seat on the Cincinnati Public Schools' Board of Education. I have known Kareem for over 10 year in multiple capacities (co-worker, parent, and parent leader of Withrow's PTO) and strongly believe she possesses the skills and attributes needed to make an effective school board member.

Kareem has worked in Cincinnati Public Schools on various levels. I have had the pleasure of working with Kareem within the classroom. During this time Kareem served as an Academic Specialist with the "Gear Up" Program. In that capacity she was responsible for helping me provide quality instruction to my middle school students. Kareem displayed extensive content knowledge and genuine enthusiasm for the content and students she was working with. Through her caring and nurturing actions she was easily able to build rapport with the students. Many students looked to her for academic, social, and emotional advice. Kareem is very creative and always looking for a better way to teach a topic. For example, one time our students were having a hard time with rotations on a coordinate grid. Kareem came up with this wonderful rotating graph that allowed the students to use a hands-on approach to visualize the rotations.

Kareem is always looking to be an advocate for parents and their children; helping to bridge the gap between administration, students and their families. She loves to be innovative in her ideas and always strives for excellence. She is constantly researching ways to improve education in an urban environment and enjoys sharing her findings with her peers. Kareem is a team player and often inspires her team to think outside the box.

She is very professional, articulate and expressive in both spoken and written language. Kareem is dependable and hard-working. She is a rare breed, who is an expert at continually refining and advancing an organization. Kareem has the experience, knowledge, and educational background to be an asset to our organization. If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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