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Via Email
June 1, 2015

Ms. Cindy Hogue
Arkansas Department of Education
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Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Ms. Hogue:

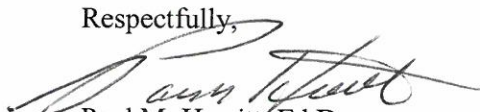
On behalf of the Fayetteville School District, I respectfully submit this letter of intent to apply for a conversion charter school within the school district.

SCHOOL DISTRICT TO APPLY: Fayetteville School District #1
CONTACT PERSON: Mark White, Dean of Students, Fayetteville High School
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994 West Martin Luther King Blvd., Fayetteville, AR 72701
SCHOOL TO CONVERT: The Fayetteville Schools will establish a new LEA for a K-12
Virtual Academy within the school district.
NAME OF PROPOSED CHARTER: **Fayetteville Virtual Academy**
LOCATION OF CHARTER: 300 South Ray Avenue, Fayetteville 72701
(Former Happy Hollow Elementary School, currently FPS
Professional Learning Center)
GRADE LEVELS OF STUDENTS: K-12
PROPOSED ENROLLMENT CAP: 500 students
DESCRIPTION:
Fayetteville Virtual Academy will bring a virtual learning experience for students who demand or require options in their public school education. This new charter academy will:

- Provide a public education option to Northwest Arkansas' homeschool population,
- Reach traditional students with anxiety in the classroom,
- Enable students with unique situations not being served elsewhere to receive a high quality education,
- Provide additional solutions to students with lapsed attendance, 504 designations, or who are homebound, and
- Provide excellent options for accelerated learners or students who wish to graduate early.

Instruction will be offered strictly online or in a blended environment. Fayetteville Virtual Academy will provide an excellent choice in education options, developed and held to the high standards the Fayetteville and Northwest Arkansas communities demand.

Respectfully,



Paul M. Hewitt, Ed.D.
Superintendent