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Charter/Home Schools

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Four Capitol Mall, Room 105-C
Little Rock, AR 72201

To whom it may concern: This is a letter of intent to establish an Open-Enrollment Public Charter school with several branches to serve the communities of the Delta. The following are the components of the letter.

Name of the eligible entity: The Civil Rights Advocacy Association
501 © (3) -Active None Profit
Employment Identification Number
27-4171591

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Description of Eligible Entity: The Civil Rights Advocacy Association is an organization established to fight for the rights of all individuals regardless of race, color, creed, or religion and to eliminate the ramifications of a life of poverty through the empowerment of the young and old via education, vocational training, entrepreneurial opportunities, many facets of counseling as well as the elimination of substance dependency.

Name of the proposed open-enrollment public charter school
Independent African American Religious Educational System (AAIRES)

Location of proposed open-enrollment public charter school
Lakeview community in the old Lakeview High School Building
14582 Hwy 44 Helena, Arkansas 72342
The school's main campus will be located in the Lakeview community with branches being added in the Helena-West Helena, Marvell, Barton, and Marianna communities every year after the initial start up.

Grade Levels to be served-P-12 with an enrollment cap of 200 students.

One paragraph description of open-enrollment charter school - (AAIRES) will provide students in grades P-12 with an educational foundation which prepares them to enter and complete post-secondary education or enter into the workforce upon high school graduation and compete globally on a universal scale. AAIRES will create an educational environment that is inviting to students and invokes a sense of educational urgency. AAIRES will provide an integrated curriculum which incorporates the latest technology, on and off site field exercises, motivational speakers, exposure to careers, and vocational training. Students will receive an all-inclusive curriculum aligned with Arkansas State mandates in Math, Language Arts, and English that embeds the following components: religion/theology, foreign languages, family dynamics(sociology/psychology), western civilization vs.world history, Black History prior to and after 1877, and career exploration and training across the curriculum. Students will leave AAIRES ready for the world, having a sense of pride, and knowing that they have been culturally and educationally prepared to compete in a vastly changing society.

Thank you for your consideration and acceptance of this letter of intent to open an open-enrollment public charter school.

Sincerely,

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