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July 30, 2010

Dr. James A. Williams
Superintendent
Buffalo City Schools
712 City Hall
Buffalo, NY 14202-3375

Dear Dr. Williams:

This letter is to inform you that the New York State Board of Regents has received a renewal charter application for a charter school that is located within your school district boundaries. Specific information related to the renewal application is as follows:

Name of School:	Elmwood Village Charter School
Address:	250 Central Avenue, Albany NY 12206
Contact Person:	Ms. Elizabeth Evans
Telephone:	716-881-9799
Grade Levels:	Grades K through 8
Number of Students:	350
Date Chartered:	January 10, 2006
Requested Renewal Period:	January 6, 2011 - June 30, 2015

Please note that pursuant to Education Law section 2857(1), the Buffalo City School District is required to hold a public hearing to solicit comments from the community in connection with the foregoing application. As per 8 NYCRR 119.4 (which became effective on July 31, 2007), this hearing, which is required to be held within the community potentially impacted by the above charter school, must be held within 30 days of your receipt of this letter, and written confirmation that this hearing was held must be sent to the New York State Education Department Charter School Office no later than the business day next following the hearing. Copies of any and all written records or comments generated from this hearing, if any, should also be sent to the Charter School Office within 15 business days after the hearing. Please let my office know when this hearing will be held by forwarding a copy of the hearing notice utilized by the district to the Charter School Office once the same is disseminated.

If you have any questions, please contact Susan Gibbons in the Office of Innovation at (518) 474-1762.

Sincerely:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Sally Bachofer".

Sally Bachofer

- c: Superintendents of public schools within area
- Principals/heads of non-public schools within area