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January 13, 2015

Mayor Joseph Petty
C/o Dr. Helen Friel
Clerk of the School Committee
20 Irving Street
Worcester, MA 01609

Via fax 508.799.3190 and first class mail

Re: North High School – Staff Concerns about Staffing Levels

Dear Mayor Petty:

Staff members at North High School have concerns about the staffing levels at the school. Attached please find petitions, signed by North High School staff members, which express those concerns. Staff at North believes that the numbers of teachers and support staff in their building affect student education and building safety.

While it is acknowledged that Superintendent Boone and the School Committee have worked to address this issue, much more needs to be done. Please consider North High School's students and the number of teachers and support staff necessary to further North's mission during the upcoming School Committee discussions over the budget for FY 2016.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Leonard Zalauskas', written in a cursive style.

Leonard Zalauskas
President



EAW: an affiliate of the Massachusetts Teachers Association and the National Education Association



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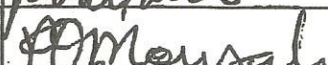





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Brian-Jo Hamul	
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Paul Owusu-Mensah	
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Wilson Chow	Wilson Chow
Joannette Vazquez	Joannette Vazquez
Ellie Lupatka	Ellie Lupatka
Liza Nyamekye	Liza Nyamekye
Scott Bradir	Scott Bradir
Tammy Boyle	Tammy Boyle
Patricia Foley	Patricia Foley
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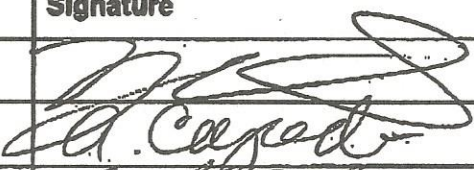
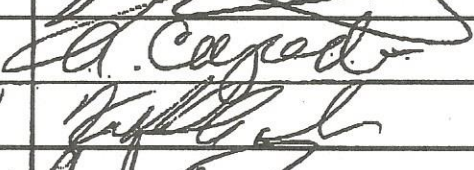

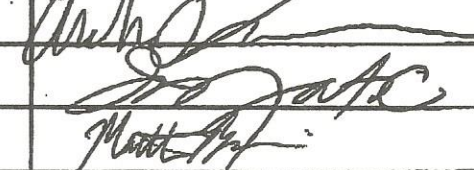
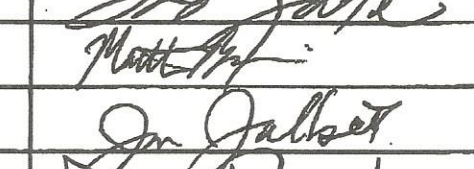
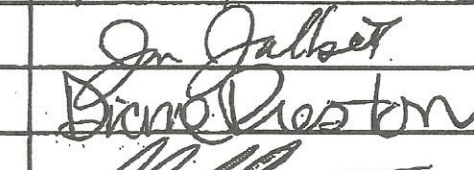

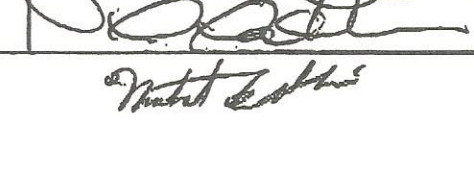


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Juliamy Saravia	<i>Juliamy Saravia</i>
Michael J. Haddad	<i>Michael J. Haddad</i>
Brenda Malboeff	<i>Brenda Malboeff</i>
Suzanne Malloyhale	<i>Suzanne Malloyhale</i>
Carol Chantley	<i>Carol Chantley</i>
Vraig Vinkonen	<i>Vraig Vinkonen</i>
Leanne Mullin	<i>Leanne Mullin</i>
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Gordon Burnett	G. P. Burnett
Daniel Case	D. Case
K. Becker	K. Becker
Michael Lynch	Michael Lynch
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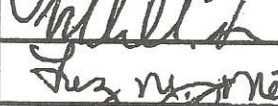

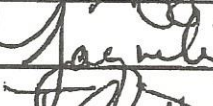

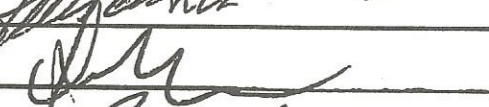
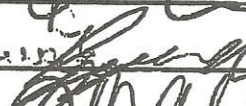
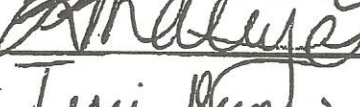



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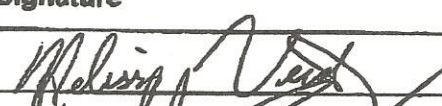
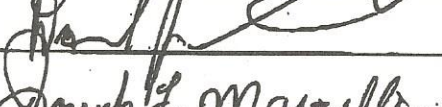
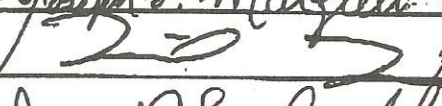
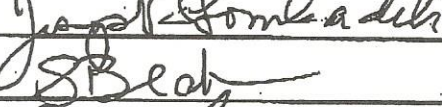
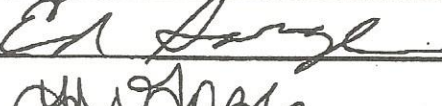
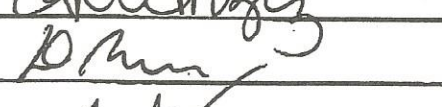





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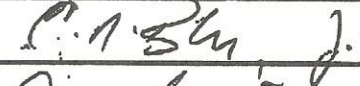

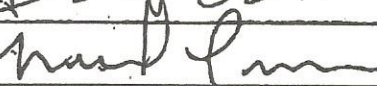


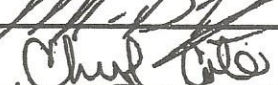

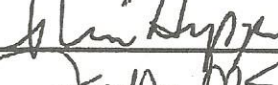
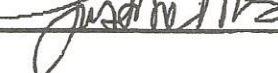

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