February 9,2012

Senator

Jeff McWaters

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Dear Mr. Jeff,

**Bogus Budget Cut**

I took the privileged to express my personal opinion in the draft for the budget cuts. I do not believe that everything presented in the draft is unreasonable, I feel that there are something that cannot be reduce or taken away. As a senior I can see how many of the reductions of the budget can influence the atmosphere for many families.

With the budget cuts in the transportation for sports and Academic programs this will limit our youth to different programs that may interest them. As teenagers, we represent the next generation that will one day influence the country. Programs such as Technology (Landstown) and Global Studies Academy ( Tallwood ), these can program can create a numerous amount candidates that will bring new ideals and invention that can influence the greater good for the future. If the school board does plan to stop all transportation, yes we will saving money, however it will not benefit us in the long run.

Also statistically It has been proven that with "Bad" schools it actually do worst for economy. On the other hand "Good" schools actually promote better economic possibilities.

However with better schools system it will actually help make a better environment to promote better economic stability

Thank you,

Heymond Truong

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