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Dear Superintendent and Woodbridge Board of Education,

I am writing this letter in support of reopening Beecher Road School for in person learning. I understand the fear and uncertainty that teachers and parents have about COVID19 as an essential hospital employee myself.

Children need to go back to school while our infection rate is low in Connecticut. We need to prepare our schools, our students and staff for a safe return to in person learning. Many daycares have safely reopened recently and some remained open for essential employees during our state shutdowns. The data trends are showing that masks and social distancing reduce the spread of infection. I have faith that Woodbridge Public Schools can come up with a plan to achieve a safe return for students and staff.

That being said, for those teachers who fall in a higher risk category, maybe the solution is for them to become instructors in an online academy for Beecher students whose parents choose a distance learning option. This way teachers in the classroom can focus specifically on those students who are in school.

Thank you,

Michelle Cubanski
Parent of a Beecher Student

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