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Mission Academy  
Catherine Rudolph, Founder  
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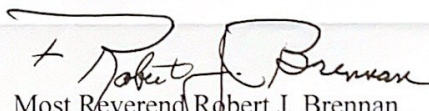
Dear Catherine,

I write to you in response to your request for a letter from me regarding the Catholic identity of the Mission Academy.

As Bishop of Columbus, I am cognizant of my responsibility to be vigilant over the Catholic religious formation and education which is imparted in any school whatsoever within the territory of the Diocese (Cf. C. 804.1). I have reviewed the description of the program of the "Mission Academy" and consulted with experts in Theology and Canon Law, and with the Moderator for Catholic Education in the Diocese of Columbus.

I am able to state that there is nothing contrary to faith and morals in the program of the Mission Academy, and that the project is based on principles of Catholic doctrine. I wish you and the Mission Academy much success, and I pray that the students and teachers of the Mission Academy will grow together in knowledge and practice of our Catholic Faith.

Sincerely yours in Christ,



Most Reverend Robert J. Brennan  
Bishop of Columbus