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Wendy Correll
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Dear Wendy:

I write to congratulate the Ann Arbor Public Schools Educational Foundation (AAPSEF) on the occasion of its "First Annual Celebration of Innovation and Excellence." The AAPSEF serves a vital purpose by providing the ability to raise private funds for use in our public education system. This work enriches the public education experience for both students and educators, allowing for needed additional funding to be put to use in the classroom.

I hope you will use this evening to reflect on all the good works you have accomplished. The AAPSEF provides a paramount service to our community. We need your continued efforts as we all seek to ensure a brighter future in Southeast Michigan by providing a world class public education for our young people. Tonight's ceremony is the beginning of what I know will soon become a wonderful tradition of recognizing the AAPSEF's remarkable efforts. Thank you for all of your fine work and for allowing Deborah and me to be a part of this celebration.

With every good wish,

Sincerely yours,

John D. Dingell
Member of Congress