

Dear Senate Appropriations Committee,

My name is Kristen Klein, I am not sure in which district I live in but my address is 2420 11th Ave NW, Minot ND 58703. I am a parent who has chosen to enroll my children in Bishop Ryan Catholic School. I support 1532 because it would create financial support for my family and all other who choose to send their children to a private school in North Dakota.

I choose Bishop Ryan Catholic School because of many reasons but recently I lost my daughter at 4 months pregnant and the support and guidance my two boys received at the school was overwhelming. I have a 9- and 11-year-old. This loss hit them hard, and they chose to go to school right after the loss because they knew they could talk to Father Crane and Father Nelson about it and receive the support they needed. In no other school could my kids receive this faith-based guidance on such a loss. I urge you to vote in favor of HB 1532. Thank you for your service to the state of North Dakota and for your time on ND 1532.

Kristen Klein  
Parent at Bishop Ryan Catholic School