

Superior Court of the Stone Mountain Judicial Circuit

DECATUR, GEORGIA 30030

JUDGE ASHA F. JACKSON

DEKALB COUNTY

October 31, 2013

Re: Letter of Recommendation - BaSix Knowledge Academy

To Whom it May Concern:

Please allow this letter to serve as a letter of recommendation and support on behalf of BaSix Knowledge Academy (BaSix) and David K. Price, Founder and Headmaster.

I am one of ten Superior Court Judges in DeKalb County, Georgia, the third largest county in our state. I have the opportunity to preside over more than 1000 civil, criminal, and domestic cases and frequently encounter young people who have been sidetracked in their studies due to lack of motivation, resources, or familial support to make academic achievement a priority. BaSix Knowledge Academy exists to capture this population of students and to help them realize their academic potential while offering an accredited learning structure that will result in them obtaining a high school diploma.

In building a relationship with BaSix and Headmaster, David Price, I have been most impressed by the commitment to serve a culturally and age diverse population of students in the metro area. Mr. Price has invested his life into the success of BaSix, by ensuring the integrity of the academic offerings, the training of the staff and the development of students. BaSix's students receive high school diplomas rather than a certificate of attendance or a GED and this allows them access to better higher education opportunities. BaSix graduates have graduated from numerous colleges and universities throughout the state and region and are employed at some of America's top corporations.

This past year, BaSix has provided tireless service and commitment to ninth-twelfth grade students who are behind in their core credits. The students pay a very nominal enrollment and tuition fee to attend the school. However, the need for support of this wonderful academy exceeds that which is collected in tuition and fees. Support comes from and is needed from community partners who believe in the mission of the school and the proven outcomes.

It is without hesitation that I write this letter of support on behalf of BaSix and ask that you strongly consider partnering and making a financial commitment to BaSix's continued success. If I can provide any additional information, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Warm Regards,

Asha F. Jackson, Judge

Dekalb County Superior Court