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Dear Sirs:

It is the intent of the Texarkana Arkansas School District to make application for a district conversion charter school for its Washington 4-A Academy campus which currently houses a non-punitive alternative learning program for grades seven through twelve.

Required Application Information:

School District: Texarkana
School Name: Washington 4-A Academy
Proposed Name: Washington 4-A Academy
Type of charter: District Conversion
Location: 1900 Marietta, Texarkana, AR 71854
Grade levels: 7-12
Student Enrollment: 150
Contact Person: Terry Taylor (Terry.Taylor@TASD7.net)
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As a district conversion charter school, the Washington 4-A Academy will place an emphasis on the significance that Attendance, Academics, Attitude, and Achievement have in being a successful student. Content-area certified teachers will work with students in small group settings which provide more opportunities for one-to-one instruction. The 4-A Academy will seek waivers to better meet the needs of at-risk students while fully utilizing a campus which includes a gymnasium, library, computer lab, and cafeteria.

Sincerely,

Russell Sapaugh
Superintendent, TASD