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15th District PTA Stand on Possible State Takeover

15th District Parent Teacher Association (PTA) believes that every voice should be heard when we talk about education. We also believe that the strongest voices are the ones who are directly involved in the education process: teachers, administrators, students, and parents. These voices are being threatened with a takeover by the state of Kentucky. When the audit began, it was clear that changes were needed at Jefferson County Public Schools (JCPS), but since that time significant changes have occurred. JCPS has shown it is willing to make changes that will improve our school system. A state takeover would not only hurt the momentum of these changes within the district, but also silence the input of community stakeholders. 15th District PTA supports JCPS and stands united with JCPS against a state takeover.

About PTA

15th District PTA is a volunteer association dedicated to the welfare of children in schools and communities. It operates as part of National PTA, which comprises millions of families, students, teachers, administrators, and business and community leaders devoted to the educational success of children and the promotion of family engagement in schools. PTA flourishes in more than 23,000 school communities nationwide, harnessing the energy and talents of millions of volunteers to be a relevant resource for families and communities and a champion for the education and well-being of every child. PTA is a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit association. Membership in PTA is open to anyone who wants to be involved and make a difference for the education, health, and welfare of children and youth. Visit www.15thDistrictPTA.org, or www.PTA.org for more information.