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Form: 2017-2021 Alignment Adjustment Request
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School Name North Forsyth High School

Principal's name Melita Wise

Superintendent's name Beverly Emory

Current Classification 3A

Current Conference 3A Piedmont Triad 3A

Proposed Classification 2A

Proposed Conference, if different 2A Western Piedmont 2A

Conference Approved? Yes

Request

Please state your request
Please consider this letter a formal request on behalf of North Forsyth High School to be reclassified as a 2A school. North Forsyth is currently classified as a 3A school and is a member of the Piedmont Triad 3A conference.

Criteria
Significant disparity in current size of the school - either a significant increase or decrease in enrollment/ADM (NOTE: Significant is defined as greater than a 10% decline in enrollment in one of the years since 2015)

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Remember: all information that supports, defines and/or explains the request must be submitted with this form. Up to 3 files can be uploaded and attached to this request.

Document 1 Reclassification 18-19.doc

Document 2

Document 3

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October 29, 2018

To Whom It May Concern,

Please consider this letter a formal request on behalf of North Forsyth High School to be reclassified as a 2A school. North Forsyth is currently classified as a 3A school and is a member of the Piedmont Triad 3A conference.

This request is based on significant declines in student enrollment since our last classification. The chart below represents our student enrollment over the past 5 academic years. These numbers represent a trend in decreased enrollment. Based on our current enrollment, we feel North Forsyth would be better placed in a 2A conference with like-sized schools.

	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Enrollment (20-day)	1237	1207	1121	1058	987

We are requesting a shift to the 2A Western Piedmont Athletic Conference. This conference has schools from our district (Carver, Atkins, and Walkertown) as well as schools from neighboring counties. We have communicated with our current Piedmont Triad Conference members, and they are unanimously voted their support of North moving to a 2A conference. We have also communicated with the Western Piedmont Conference members, and six of the seven member schools have verbally communicated their support.

Sincerely,

Melita Wise
Principal

Sean Vestal
Athletic Director