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Sent: Wednesday, August 26, 2026 8:19 AM
To: Jennifer Rivera (Administration)
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Subject: HCAM Emails- 6520 Old Dawsonville Hwy - Comment

Please see the below public comment.

Thank you,

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From: Felisha Hunter [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, August 25, 2026 8:03 PM

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Subject: Support for The Ark

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Hi Members of the Hall County Board of Commissioners,

On behalf of *Teach One to Lead One*® (T1L1), I'm writing to express our strong support for The Ark and its request for approval to operate as an event facility.

For the past several years, T1L1 has had the privilege of hosting our annual staff conference at The Ark. Our team travels from across the country to gather for this important time, and The Ark has become an integral part of our conference experience.

At T1L1, Excellence and Celebration are an important part of our culture, and The Ark is an extension of that culture for us. The beauty of the property, the attention given to every detail, and the hospitality we receive each year create an environment where our team can gather, learn, celebrate, rest, and return to our work refreshed and renewed. It's one of the reasons we continue choosing The Ark for our annual conference.

When we returned this past February, we were especially impressed by the extensive renovations and improvements throughout the property. Because we've gathered at The Ark for several years, we were able to appreciate the significant investment that's been made. The improvements enhanced both the beauty and functionality of the property and contributed greatly to our conference. It was evident that considerable thought and resources had been invested in creating a space that can serve groups exceptionally well.

We'd also like to recognize Jackie, The Ark's Property Manager. Jackie has consistently been attentive, friendly, accommodating, and responsive. From the preparation before our arrival through the conclusion of our stay, she's available when needs arise and goes above and beyond to make our team feel welcomed. Her hospitality makes a tremendous difference and reflects the standard of excellence we've come to associate with The Ark.

Our most recent conference exceeded what we could have imagined. Our team left The Ark refreshed and renewed, talking about the property, our time together, and the memories we created. It's a conference we believe our staff will remember and talk about for years to come.

Having returned to The Ark year after year, we can speak firsthand about what this property offers. The Ark is much more than a beautiful location. It provides a setting where organizations, families, churches, teams, and community groups can come together, connect, celebrate, learn, and create memories that remain long after they leave.

We believe approving The Ark to operate as an event facility would give many more people and organizations the opportunity to enjoy a place that's been tremendously meaningful to T1L1. We're grateful for the opportunity to offer our support and respectfully ask the Hall County Board of Commissioners to give favorable consideration to this request.

Blessings,

Felisha Hunter



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