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The Most Reverend Archbishop Carlo Maria Vigano  
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Re: Holy Cross Catholic School, No: 3934

Your Excellency:

I am writing on behalf of Manhattan Community Board 4 and at the behest of Eva Leclercq who you have been corresponding with regarding the matter of Holy Cross Catholic School, No.: 3934. At Ms. Leclercq's recommendation, I am enclosing two signed originals of our letter addressed to Zenon Cardinal Grocholewski of the Congregation for Catholic Education at the Vatican. It is our understanding that you can forward one of these letters to Zenon Cardinal Grocholweski in a Papal pouch.

As the pressing and time sensitive nature of the closure and/or merger of Holy Cross with Sacred Heart Elementary School is of utmost concern to the students, faculty and our entire Manhattan community as well, your help in furthering this important discussion at your earliest convenience with the Congregation for Catholic Education is greatly appreciated.

Should you have any questions, concerns or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at your convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

David M. Pincus  
Co-Chair, Quality of Life Committee

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