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By U.S. Mail
Scott Smith, Superintendent
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Teri Howe, Principal
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Re: *Prayers at graduation*

Dear Superintendent Smith and Ms. Howe:

Americans United wrote to you on June 8, 2017 regarding a constitutional violation. We asked you to provide an official response addressing our concerns on or before July 8, 2017. More than two weeks have passed since that deadline, and we still have not heard from you. Please let us know when we can expect a response. If we do not receive a response to our letter within the next fourteen days, we will be forced to consider further action.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ian Smith".

Richard B. Katskee, Legal Director
Eric Rothschild, Senior Litigation Counsel
Ian Smith, Staff Attorney

Encl: June 8, 2017 letter