

Turning Pointe Autism Foundation

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City of Naperville Ruth Broder 400 S. Eagle Street Naperville, IL 60540

Re: CDBG FY2019 Amendment

Dear Ruth,

Turning Pointe Autism Foundation has adjusted some priorities for our building to address the health of our students and staff. We are submitting a major amendment, for the FY19 grant, to change the scope of work from construction of classroom and program space to updating our rooftop units (RTUs) for better air quality for our building. Last year, Turning Pointe had to replace one RTU unit in a semi-emergency manner due to breakdown. During that work and upon routine maintenance, we anticipated the need to replace the remaining two units within the next few years. After learning about additional features/systems we can install on a new RTU to filter the air in our building to better prevent the spread of illness, the Executive Committee of the Board has decided to prioritize these with greater urgency.

Turning Pointe has been able to start the 2020/2021 school year with block schedules of staff and students in person in the building. Completing this work sooner than previously identified as a capital priority will be beneficial to our entire school community.

We are requesting that you, the City Council and HUD review the attached amendment and consider approving this change in scope of work to help us purchase 2 new Roof Top Units that will replace our old and failing units.

Thank you for your consideration and please reach out if you have any questions.

Gratefully,

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