



Westview High School

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District Goal for 2010-15: All students will show continuous progress toward their personal learning goals, developed in collaboration with teachers and parents, and will be prepared for post-secondary education and career success.

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To: Tom Welter
Executive Director OSAA

From: Jon Franco
Principal Westview High School

Re: Grade Deficiency Waiver Request for Ku'ulei Wong

Westview High School is requesting a grade deficiency waiver for Ku'ulei Wong. Ku'ulei got very sick last spring, and ultimately missed a lot of school. The doctors took quite awhile to diagnose what was wrong with her which initially caused the delay. In addition, during this time she also broke her arm. She ultimately fell into a deep depression, and as you can see from her letter she was having suicidal thoughts. She has been able to bounce back and is on the road to recovery, however, she is now faced with the fallout from all of this and is trying to return to her high level of academics.

Ku'ulei Wong, her parents, and I sincerely believe that participating in the volleyball program will help her transition back to school. Being part of the volleyball team will also help her to not have the feelings of isolation that she experienced last year. For this reason we are submitting this request for a Grade Deficiency Waiver Request for Ku'ulei Wong

Thank you for consideration of this request.

Jon Franco
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