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Dear members of the Loudoun County Board of Supervisors,

As you consider the current issues facing the community regarding proposed power lines, on behalf of the hundreds of Virginia Academy families who have found our school to be a great alternative and best fit for their children, we ask that the Board of Supervisors take action to protect the County, organizations, and all County residents, who will be negatively affected by these power lines and substations. Virginia Academy has relished the opportunity to support Loudoun County and its efforts to provide quality education to Loudoun County residents for years. The proposed Aspen to Golden transmission lines will hinder our ability to do so moving forward. As we have made attempts to convey to Dominion directly, the proposed 'ungrounded' lines would be a significant encroachment upon the school's field usage for physical education and athletics - a critical component of quality secondary education. Power lines and children's playfields do not go together well! We, therefore, hope that you will take an active role in every legal and administrative process available to the Board of Supervisors to make sure that our students and families' voices opposed to and negatively impacted by this encroachment are heard and that the County's interests are protected.

Please act with resolve to protect the scenic, historical, and environmental assets that make Loudoun a desirable place to live, work, worship, and play.

Respectfully,

Pastor Mike Taylor, M.Ed.  
School Board President