BALTIMORE EDUCATION INITIATIVES

CREATING LEADERS. REDUCING POVERTY.

NATIONAL SUPPORT OUTREACH

Current stage: Baltimore Education Initiatives Inc. is a newly established nonprofit organization recognized by the Internal Revenue Service as a **501(c)(3) tax-exempt organization.** BEI is in its foundational development stage, building its Board of Directors and advisory leadership, expanding public awareness, and developing the partnerships needed to move the Initiative toward implementation.

Baltimore Education Initiatives is developing an ambitious 20-year initiative built around twelve consecutive years of comprehensive, high-excellence education - from Grade 1 through Grade 12 - for children from Baltimore families facing poverty or serious disadvantage.

The goal is larger than creating another school. BEI is being developed to interrupt the cycle of generational poverty by combining sustained education with the support children need to overcome barriers, develop leadership and character, and reach opportunities that may otherwise remain out of reach.

BEI has begun outreach to educators, researchers, civic and community leaders, philanthropic organizations, and national leaders whose experience and perspective can help strengthen the Initiative. Professor Pedro Noguera has agreed to serve as an advisor to Baltimore Education Initiatives.

The Initiative is now focused on building its Board of Directors and advisory network, developing local and national partnerships, and strengthening public support. BEI is also engaging Baltimore civic and community organizations to build the foundation required for long-term implementation.

Through this outreach, Baltimore Education Initiatives is seeking thoughtful review, professional guidance, introductions, leadership participation, and collaboration - not simply financial support - to help transform this vision into an operational institution capable of serving Baltimore's children for generations.

Baltimore Education Initiatives has moved from formation into organizational development. With federal 501(c)(3) recognition secured, the immediate priority is building the leadership, partnerships, and public support required to move the Initiative forward.

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