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Needham B. Broughton High School An International Baccalaureate World School 723 St. Mary's Street Raleigh, NC 27605 REC'N 20NOV ZOIS VIA SURACE MASL NO MESSAGE Hi John---

The copy of page 19 from the annual arrived yesterday. It clearly shows Mrs W. A. Upchurch to be one of the seven Board Members. I will add this to my files and over time will try to develop more information on her and will send you an update for the archives.

I thank you very much for your help. Robert Phillip "Phil" Upchurch

----- Original Message ------

Subject: Re: RE: History-Needham Broughton From: John Rudder <<u>jrudder@wcpss.net</u>> Date: Thu, November 12, 2015 7:35 am

To: <phil@upchurchstory.com>

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Date: 11/11/2015 12:55PM

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