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BUILD A NEW "ATLANTA CITY HIGH SCHOOL," WITH MIXED-USE COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENT FOR LONG-TERM ECONOMIC SUPPORT.

A city without good schools cannot sustain families, lacks livability, and fails the future. A dearth of quality schools assures that a city cannot retain talented families (and a strong residential tax-base) within its borders. Atlanta recently experienced the greatest cheating scandal in the history of education and needs renewal. To this end, the Atlanta City Council must partner with the Atlanta Public Schools. One example of renewed collaboration would be a new, state-of-the-art, campus-style high school, with students from Jackson, Washington, and Grady High Schools. Such an effort would restore faith in a system that has lost the trust of parents and the broader community.