



The Gunston School

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**Fwd: AIMS sustainability statement**

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Here is the revised version. I made a few minor edits, but I think he did a good job.

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From: **Peter Baily** <[pbaily@aimsmddc.org](mailto:pbaily@aimsmddc.org)>

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Dear John, Jean, and Betty,

I've made a first attempt at condensing John Lewis's very detailed draft Sustainability Statement. I've tried to keep the spirit of the document while making it shorter and less prescriptive, knowing that our AIMS schools find themselves in a variety of different financial, programmatic, planning, and leadership circumstances. It may be that the document I've attached here will need further editing and revising. I've highlighted the major changes in red. I'm thinking that with a shortened document like this, John's original document may become a sort of guide for schools that are looking to begin sustainability programs or to enhance programs that already exist. If John's original document were available as a guide or supplement, it might be that the Sustainability Statement that I've attached here could be made even shorter and more general.

Once you've passed on any suggestions you may have, I will forward this draft to the full AIMS Board. Particular thanks to John for getting us started on this important work.

Peter

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