

From: Chelsea <cpennebaker@mvpcs.org>
Sent: Thursday, January 17, 2019 3:00 PM
To: townadministrator@chilmarkma.gov; Asst Exec Sec
Subject: Request to waive CCC usage fee

Dear Board of Selectman,

I am appealing to you as the music teacher at the MV Public Charter School. We are so happy and grateful to be having our annual Variety Show at the Chilmark Community Center on Wednesday, February 20th. Moving the event from the squeezed main street of the Charter School to the CCC a few years ago has transformed the event for us. The Charter School has no space to accommodate our whole community and their families. We have no stage, no gym, no options other than what the larger community can provide for us. At the CCC, the students are elevated so their families can see them and the space can accommodate all the students and families who want to attend. I just found out that we will need to spend some money on sound equipment and set-up, so I am asking for the fee for the use of the center to be waived so that this event can continue to be affordable for the school. I would attend the meeting on Tuesday evening except that it is my son, Cyrus' birthday! I hope you understand that we will be home making a cake and putting 9 candles on it. Thank you so much for considering my request. Respectfully,
Chelsea Pennebaker