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**From:** julie botsford <juliebotsford@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, September 20, 2021 5:20 AM  
**To:** Board of Commissioners <boc@leelanau.gov>  
**Subject:**

Dear Leelanau County Board of Commissioners,

I am deeply concerned and appalled at the unethical move along party lines of the board to shut down the Early Childhood development programs. The vote to essentially defund the program was shameful.

Please reconsider your actions.

Sincerely  
Julie Botsford  
J2 Farm, Cedar

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*Julie*