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As an engaged parent leader in Pittsburgh Public Schools, I show my support for public education through full-time volunteering, parent-leadership training, as well as advocating through community organizing and local task force participation. In 1965, I was a student with a severe hearing disability without any special education support except for the dedication of a wonderful mother that was passionate about advocating for special education. I will always be thankful to my mother and now I respectfully pay it forward by following in her footsteps supporting public education. Every child deserves an excellent education, especially since our students are the future leaders of America.