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To: [NAME REDACTED]

Good afternoon TBDBITL Alumni,

As the winter and brutal cold rolls on, so does Jon's fight to restore his name, that of the OSUMB and TBDBITL alumni everywhere. If you didn't catch it, almost two weeks ago Jon's hearing was rescheduled to April 10th from March 5th.

It's been just about seven months since Jon's firing became the "solution" to the university's Title IX problems. It goes without saying that Jon and the young men and women of the OSUMB have endured a lot since that fateful day. Thanks to your hard work in writing letters, legislators from around the state of Ohio are still talking about the band situation, the amount of tax dollars being spent to fight Jon, and are asking the questions so many of us still seek to understand.

Nino Vitale (Snare, 1988-91), proud alumnus of the OSUMB and newly-elected State Representative from District 85, recently reached out to a member of the OSU Board of Trustees to implore the board to reconsider the university's current course of action. You can find Nino's letter here:

<http://tbdbitl.com/media/VitaleLetter.pdf>

Nino would like to hear from band members from the 2008 through 2014 bands. If you have anything you'd like to say or would just like to speak privately to Nino, please respond to this email and it will be forwarded to him.

Please continue to write your state representatives and encourage them to act. Please continue to write to the OSU Board of Trustees and remind them that rift that resides within the greater Buckeye community will never be resolved without an open and honest dialogue. As always, please direct previously written and all newly written letters addressed to the OSU Board of Trustees (and send a copy to contact@tbdbitl.com) to the following address:

TBDBITL Alumni Club
PO Box 14769
Columbus OH 43214-0769

Thank you again for all your hard work and effort in helping Jon and the OSUMB.

Our Honor Defend,

Brian J. Golden, President
TBDBITL Alumni Club Board of Governors
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