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To:	OPI Waivers
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To Whom It May Concern,

I am in full support of the waiver allowing Montana Public Schools to pilot the Smarter Balanced Assessment. I do not support our students taking both the CRT and SBAC. The CRT is no longer aligned with our new Montana Common Standards and I don't think our students can handle taking both assessments. This would take valuable teaching/learning time away from our schools and makes no sense to me.

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