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TO: PARENTS AND VISITORS, OFFICERS OF EMPLOYEE UNIONS, HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS, PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEES

FROM: JAMES A. ESTEP, SUPERINTENDENT



DATE: JULY 1, 2012

Pursuant to Section 763.93(g) (4) of the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act of 1986 and the Asbestos-in-School-Rule, this letter is to inform you of the status of this school's asbestos condition.

An Asbestos Management Plan for the School District was developed and submitted to the Department of Education, which approved the plan for abatement of asbestos. Selected employees of the School District have been trained to manage the District's Asbestos Plan and to deal with friable asbestos when it occurs. Every school building is monitored and reinspected for asbestos every six (6) months and reports are maintained. An Asbestos Management Plan is available and on file in each school building.

The Board of School Directors has taken a strong and active position on the asbestos problem in schools. It has expended hundreds of thousands of dollars for asbestos abatement work throughout the School District.

The School District recognizes the importance of ridding the school of friable asbestos and it is prepared to act decisively if unforeseen problems arise. Be assured that an approved Asbestos Management Plan is in effect to protect our students, staff and visitors from exposure to friable asbestos and the health hazards related thereto.