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Cherry Hill School District Woodcrest Elementary School 400 Cranford Road Cherry Hill, New Jersey 08003

Dear Woodcrest Elementary School Community,

Our school system is committed to protecting student, teacher, and staff health. To protect our community and be in compliance with the Department of Education regulations, the Cherry Hill School District tested our schools' drinking water for lead.

In accordance with the NJ Department of Education regulations, Cherry Hill School District will implement immediate remedial measures for any drinking water outlet with a result greater than the Lead Action Level of 15 μ g/1 (parts per billion [PPB]). This includes turning off the outlet unless it is determined the location must remain on for non-drinking purposes. In these cases, a "DO NOT DRINK—SAFE FOR HANDWASHING ONLY" sign will be posted.

Results of our Testing

Following guidance provided by the EPA, we completed a limited plumbing profile for each of the buildings within the Cherry Hill School District. Through this effort, we identified and tested all drinking water and food preparation outlets. Additional testing was implemented on 12/28/16 to test outlets that were previously unable to be sampled. One (1) additional sample was collected from Woodcrest Elementary School, the one sample tested above the Lead Action Level.

The table below identifies the drinking water outlets that tested above the 15 PPB for lead, the actual lead level, and what temporary remedial action the Cherry Hill School District has taken to reduce the levels of lead at these locations.

Sample Location

First Draw Result in ue/1 (ooh)

Remedial Action

Bubbler fountain in room 6

24.8

Immediately took fixture out of service

For More Information

A copy of the test results is available in our central office for inspection by the public, including students, teachers, other school personnel, and parents, and can be viewed between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. and are also available on our website at www.chclc.org. For more information about water quality in our schools, contact Tom Carter at the Cherry Hill School District, (856) 489-5795 ext. 4202.

For more information on reducing lead exposure around your home and the health effects of lead, visit EPA's Web site at www.cpa.gov/lead, call the National Lead Information Center at 800-424-LEAD, or contact your health care provider.

If you are concerned about lead exposure at this facility or in your home, you may want to ask your health care providers about testing children to determine levels of lead in their blood.

Sincerely,

Joseph N. Meloche, Ed.D.

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