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PRESS RELEASE

Hinsdale School Renovation Committee

FOR RELEASE: 10/1/2019

Winsted, CT: On September 30, 2019, Melony M. Brady-Shanley, Superintendent of School received a letter from the Department of Administrative Services confirming that the Mary P. Hinsdale Elementary School project will be placed on the priority school list.

The priority list will be sent to the Governor's office by mid-December.

Copy of the Letter: Attached

Hinsdale School Renovation Committee Commentary:

1. Tony Sandonato - Having Mr. Diamantis visit the Hinsdale school, support our building plan, and commit to putting our renovation project on the state's priority list for the Governor's review and approval is great news for this much needed project. Our committee hopes Mr. Diamantis's support will help expedite our building timeline.
2. David Carter - The review of the plan to renovate Hinsdale has been approved and will be sent to the governor's office in a combined package with other schools.

For further inquiries regarding this press release, please contact:

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DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

September 30, 2019

Ms. Melony Brady-Shanley
Superintendent of Schools
Winchester Public Schools
201 Pratt Street
Winsted, CT 06098

Re: Mary P. Hinsdale Elementary School

Dear Ms. Brady-Shanley:

It was my pleasure meeting with you last week to see first-hand the project proposed. It is with great pleasure that I will recommend to the Governor, Commissioner of the Department of Administrative Services, and as the session begins the legislature to support your project which I am placing on the priority list.

Also, based on the size and scope of this proposed project we recommend a General Contractor for the construction and a Construction Administrator for the review of the work and adherence to the state requirements. Please schedule a review meeting with my office as soon as possible. Your plan reviewer will be Barbara Fabiani.

If you have any questions please feel free to call me at (860)713-6467.

Sincerely,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kosta Diamantis".

Kosta Diamantis
Director Construction Management

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