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Emergency Alert System Test & TCO Extension

Dear Members of the Blind Brook Community,

I wanted to share a quick update with you on two items.

FEMA, in coordination with the Federal Communications Commission (FCC), will conduct a nationwide test of the Emergency Alert System (EAS) and Wireless Emergency Alerts (WEA) at approximately 2:20 p.m. ET on Wednesday, Oct. 4th. You may receive an alert on your cell phone at this time. Please note that it is only a test.

We are working out the last few details to get the permanent Certificate of Occupancy for the Bruno M. Ponterio Ridge Street School. The New York State Education Department has extended our Temporary Certificate of Occupancy while this gets resolved. I hope to have news on getting the Certificate of Occupancy in the next week or so.

Sincerely,

Dr. Colin M. Byrne
Superintendent of Schools