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Dear Stillwater Township School Families,

I would like to begin by extending my heartfelt gratitude to the tremendous staff at Stillwater Township School for ensuring an outstanding start to the 2026–2027 school year. A successful school year is established on the solid foundation of a substantive partnership between home and school. Thank you for the critically important role you play in ensuring a smooth transition back to school from the summer months.

Our school building is the heart of our Stillwater Township community; providing a safe, nurturing environment where our children learn and grow every day. To maintain the integrity and safety of our facilities for years to come, the Board of Education and administration have conducted multiple, thorough engineering and architectural evaluations of the 1988 Wing located in the back of our school building.

The focus of this upcoming referendum will center on critical capital needs, specifically the stabilization, renovation, and necessary repairs for the 1988 building addition. By addressing these structural and facility needs proactively through a referendum, we can leverage state financial aid opportunities to minimize the impact on local taxpayers while protecting our educational investment.

The success of Stillwater Township School has always been powered by the strong support and involvement of our local community. We want to ensure that every parent, staff member, and community resident is fully informed, engaged, and empowered as we approach the coming months. Transparency and open communication are our highest priorities.

We are committed to providing you with clear details, timeline updates, and answers to your questions throughout this process:

- **Dedicated Webpage:** We have launched a [Referendum Information](#) tab on the Stillwater Township School District website, where you can view presentation slides, referendum details, and information related to the project. More information will be provided throughout the fall months.
- **Back to School Night:** Parette Somjen Architects will be available at Back to School Night on Thursday, September 17 to speak with parents/guardians.
- **Public Information & Board Meetings:** We invite you to join us at upcoming Board of Education meetings and public information sessions to learn more. Future presentations include:
 - Stillwater Town Council Presentation on **Tuesday, September 15.**
 - Public Meeting in the Stillwater Twp. School Gymnasium on **Wednesday, October 28.**

Thank you once again for your unwavering support of our students, staff, and school district. Together, we are building a bright future for Stillwater Township.

If you desire to speak further, please feel free to reach out to my office directly.

Sincerely,

Dr. Daniel Papa