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Dear Linden Parents/Guardians,

It is my humble honor and pleasure to serve as your Superintendent of Schools. I am eager to start this important journey with the Linden community. I have met and spoken with several Linden community members and I am moved by the level of commitment and pride that they all convey for their beloved city.

I look forward to meeting teachers, students, parents, staff members, and all stakeholders. Our collaborative partnership is my number one priority as we continue to move all Linden students towards academic success and civic stewardship. I intend to gain a better understanding of school culture and educational objectives to ensure that they align with the district's vision and goals.

This past school year was unpredictable and unprecedented. As I step in to lead Linden Public Schools, I would be remiss if I did not thank Mrs. Denise Cleary and Mr. Michael Walters for their leadership during the 2019 - 2020 school year. Furthermore, I stand in solidarity with the entire Linden community for your fortitude in dealing with the COVID-19 pandemic.

In the next week, I will be sharing plans for my first 100 days. My agenda during the first three months will include, but is not limited to:

1. Establish a 2020 – 2021 school re-opening committee comprised of all Linden stakeholders
2. Conduct a comprehensive organizational review
3. Meet and greet stakeholders within the Linden community

Lastly, I would like to extend my gratitude and appreciation to the Linden Board of Education. I look forward to a healthy and collaborative relationship with you all, as we work together to improve educational outcomes for all of the students in Linden.

Carpe diem,

Dr. Marnie Hazelton
Superintendent of Schools

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