

February 14, 2025

## **Charter Authorization Committee**

Dear Members of the Charter Authorization Committee,

I am writing to officially inform you of our decision to rescind the River Valley Virtual Academy (RVVA) Conversion Charter, along with all associated waivers. RVVA has been a valuable resource for many of our families, and during the COVID-19 pandemic, it played a crucial role in helping hundreds of families keep their students engaged in education. We would like to express our gratitude to both this Board and the Department of Education for the support you have provided throughout the years.

Although we are discontinuing the RVVA Charter, Van Buren School District will continue to offer an online learning option for students in grades 6-12. We will implement a Digital Program utilizing approved curricula, and we plan to apply for all necessary 1240 waivers to ensure that we continue providing the most effective online education for our students.

Thank you once again for your partnership and support.

Sincerely,

Harold Jeffcoat

Superintendent, Van Buren School District

