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Dr. Matthew J. Conway, Jr. Superintendent of Schools

March 26, 2018

Albert and Debra Moran 55 Walnut Street Seymour, CT 06483

RE: Ayden Santana Student Recognition

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Moran,

Principal Olson was approached by Ayden requesting that she buy swings for the playground at Irving School. Mrs. Olson explained to Ayden that she does not make those decisions and encouraged him to write a letter to the Board of Education. Mrs. Olson was very proud of how thoughtfully and quickly Ayden put together a letter to the Board stating his request and the reasons behind it. Ayden asked Mrs. Olson to make sure she would get the letter to the "bosses who decide stuff like this", and she did.

Therefore, the Board of Education and I invite you and Ayden to our next Board meeting scheduled for Tuesday, April 3, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. in the Derby Middle School Cafetorium so he can share his letter with the Board of Education.

Sincerely,

Dr. Matthew J. Conway, Jr. Superintendent of Schools

cc: Jim Gildea, Chairman, Board of Education Jennifer Olson, Principal, Irving School file