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Susan Brower State Demographer Minnesota Planning 658 Cedar Street - 3rd Floor St. Paul, MN 55155

Dear Ms. Brower:

I am writing to request that our school district population for 2019 be set at 33,101.

This update of the school district population is based on housing and population data from the cities of Buffalo, Hanover, Montrose and Corcoran and from the Planning and Zoning Department of Wright County. Our school district population was certified in 2018 for 32,832. Using that as a base number, I have added to that the estimated number of new ISD #877 School District residents in 2018 for the cities of Buffalo, Montrose, Hanover, Corcoran and in the townships of Buffalo, Chatham, Marysville and Rockford.

Attached is the information outlining the changes in population that resulted in the new census number. I used new dwelling figures provided by the cities and county and data from the Minnesota Department of Planning website and estimated using the average household size.

Please review this revised population figure of 33,101 for Community Education Revenue purposes. Please feel free to call or email if you have any questions. Thank you for your attention to this.

Sincerely,

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cc: Board of Education, Scott Thielman, Gary Kawlewski, Carol Reis