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Dear Parents,

This is an exciting time for Unit 5. Construction is well underway on two new elementary schools and a new junior high school, the first of which will be ready to open in fall 2010.

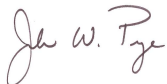
George L. Evans Junior High School will not open until fall 2011. This was the original date for the building to open, but we had hoped to accelerate construction. Unfortunately, the weather did not cooperate, as we endured record-setting rains. To make up for lost time due to weather is cost prohibitive.

Since Evans Junior High School will not open this fall, the district is postponing the redistricting for junior high school students until fall 2011. As a result, all junior high school students will remain in their current buildings for the upcoming school year. Incoming fifth-graders will go to the junior high where their neighborhood currently attends. In fall 2011, all junior high students who have been redistricted will move to their new schools.

Redistricting plans for elementary and high school students will move forward, as planned, and take effect in fall 2010.

If you have any questions about where your child will be attending school next fall, please contact your school office for information.

Sincerely,



John Pye  
Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources