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Dear Licton Springs K-8 Families,

I am writing with news to share with you.

Last week, I was offered an assistant principal position at Roosevelt High School and I have decided to accept it. As you can imagine, it has been a very emotional process for me in making this decision, but in the end, I feel that this is the right decision in my professional career.

I want to thank each one of you for all your support, and for entrusting me with your children for the past seven years. I am honored and feel so fortunate to have been given the opportunity to be part of the AS1/Pinehurst/Licton Springs K-8 Community. I have so many wonderful memories of my time at Licton Springs K-8 and I am sad to say goodbye. During my seven years here, I have fostered relationships with many of you and I will cherish the memories and friendships I have made during my time. Licton Springs K-8 has been a very special place for me and I will miss everyone.

The formal search process for hiring a new principal will begin soon. Kim Whitworth, NE Executive Director will be working with the staff, BLT, and the community to find a new principal to lead Licton Springs.

As we wrap up the year, I am hopeful that you continue on the path we have laid together. Together we have worked toward the mission of fostering a school climate of compassion, academic excellence, problem solving, creativity and cultural awareness. It inspires me to see the school, families and the community working together for the social, emotional, physical, and intellectual development of each student. The mission lives with you. Your relentless commitment, drive and compassion for our students will ensure that our mission of excellence continues!

Thank you all for your kindness and support! I have appreciated that support more than you can imagine. In addition, thank you for your continued commitment and dedication to our school, staff, and students.

With appreciation,

Roy Merca