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Dear Parents and Guardians of the Brentwood Borough School District,

As most of you are aware, a sudden and powerful storm impacted our community last evening. Several classrooms on the third floor of the Middle-High School, as well as one classroom and the electrical room at Moore Elementary were inundated with water. Elroy elementary was not impacted.

As with any unexpected weather event, it is necessary to first evaluate the situation. An electrical engineer evaluated the water infiltration which occurred in the electrical panels and will be making a recommendation to eliminate the likelihood of a reoccurrence. This was the primary reason for the school closure. The number of classrooms that required drying, cleaning, and restoration was the secondary reason for the closure.

Our maintenance and custodial staff dried all surfaces and the process of dehumidification has begun. In addition, surfaces and interiors are being cleaned with a non-toxic, EPA approved antibacterial cleaning solution.

Drying, cleaning, and restoration will continue for several weeks. Health and safety will be regularly monitored during that time by our maintenance and custodial staff. If at any point, there is a concern for the welfare of our students and staff, a third-party vendor will be contacted to evaluate the areas of concern. It is our plan to reopen all schools on Monday, October 8, 2018.

I want to personally thank everyone for the patience and understanding during this process. It is always wonderful to see the Brentwood community working together for the good of the district.

My sincere thanks to the administration and particularly to our maintenance and custodial staff for their dedication. If anyone has any further questions, please do not hesitate to ask.

We look forward to resuming normal district operations.

Sincerely,

Amy M Burch, D.Ed.
Superintendent of the Brentwood Borough School District.