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Norwood Public Schools  
PTO Chairperson  
c/o Paul Riccardi  
275 Prospect Street  
Norwood, MA 02062

RE: Three Year Asbestos Building Surveys According to the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA).

Dear PTO Chairperson:

Environmental Remediation Services, Inc. was retained to conduct three year asbestos building assessment of the nine Norwood Public Schools occupied buildings. The three-year surveillance surveys were conducted in accordance with the EPA Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) - 40.CFR 763 AHERA 1987.

On August 21-22, 2018 the three year AHERA assessment was conducted at the following Norwood Public Schools:

Callahan School	Prescott School	Junior High North
Junior High South	Balch School	Cleveland School
Willent (Administration Bldg.)	Oldham School	Senior High School

The AHERA Regulation requires that all of the Norwood Public Schools be inspected for asbestos, that management plans and response actions are developed, and that periodic surveillance inspections be conducted every six months to ensure the safety of the building occupants. The Norwood High School building was completely demolished during 2011 and a brand new high school building was built.

The original Management Plans were developed in 1989 by an AHERA accredited and Massachusetts DLS licensed Asbestos Inspector and Management Planner. This most recent three year surveillance assessment was conducted during August, 2018 has been added to the original Management Plan. As you will notice all asbestos containing materials throughout the schools, and all suspect asbestos containing materials, are currently in good condition and do not pose a health risk to building occupants. ERS, Inc. recommends the periodic surveillance of all building materials to ensure that asbestos containing materials do not become damaged. If any building materials become damaged they should be tested for asbestos content immediately and abated, if necessary.

The Management Plans are available for public inspection in the Office of the Principal, as well as with the Manager of Facilities at the Administration Building at 275 Prospect Street in Norwood, MA. If you have any questions regarding the update of the Management Plan please do not hesitate to give me a call at (781) 762-1772.

Sincerely,  
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Enclosure

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