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Dear Rockaway Borough School Community:

I hope this letter finds you well as we begin what promises to be an exciting and productive 2024-2025 school year. I am writing to share important news about a significant initiative we are undertaking in the Rockaway Borough School District: the development of a comprehensive Strategic Plan that will guide our district for the next five years.

One of our primary goals for the 2024-2025 school year is to create a Strategic Plan that will serve as a roadmap for academic, operational, and financial decision-making. This plan will be finalized during this school year, and your input as stakeholders is invaluable to ensure it reflects the collective needs and aspirations of our school community. A Strategic Plan will outline our goals, priorities, and actions for the coming years. It helps us focus our efforts, allocate resources effectively, and ensure that we are working towards a shared vision of success for our students.

We initiated this process with a public planning session held at Thomas Jefferson School on Wednesday, June 26, 2024, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. During this meeting, we engaged in meaningful discussions on district goals, identified areas for improvement, and brainstormed ways to enhance the learning experience for all our students. The various contributions of ideas and feedback during this session were crucial and deeply appreciated. **Please stay tuned as we will provide additional opportunities for input as we move forward in the school year.**

The initial planning session helped us to highlight the following five areas of focus, which will be integral to our Strategic Plan:

- Staff Support/Professional Development
- Communication
- Curriculum and Instruction
- Student/Community Engagement
- Facilities

We are excited about the journey ahead and the positive impact this Strategic Plan will have on our district. Your continued involvement and support are crucial as we strive to create an environment where every student can thrive.

Thank you for your dedication to our school community. We look forward to collaborating with you to make the Rockaway Borough School District an exceptional place for learning and growth.

Sincerely,

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