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Ms. Alisha DiCorpo
Interim Superintendent of Schools

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Dear NMPS Parents, Guardians, and Staff:

As we see regional issues increase, we are also having difficulty maintaining adequate staffing at the middle school for the remainder of this week. ***Therefore, only Schaghticoke Middle School will move to remote learning for the remainder of this week, November 19th and 20th.*** I will continue to collaborate with our local health department in order to carefully review our data for the schools and town, as well as the available school staffing levels, in order to make an informed decision for next week. We hope to be able to return back/remain in the hybrid learning model on Monday, November 23rd. This will depend largely on the information that I receive over the weekend. In the event that the district or an individual school will have to go remote next Monday and/or Tuesday, I will send a communication out to families over the weekend as early as I possibly can to allow time for families to make arrangements.

We continue to work in partnership with the New Milford Health Department to make informed decisions regarding the type of learning model we can employ. We will continue to closely monitor the health conditions of our students and staff. We will also continue to implement all of the mitigation strategies addressed in our reopening plan. The health and safety of all members of our school community remain our priority.

We want to remind families to continue to conduct daily health screenings for symptoms before sending students to school. Thank you again for all of your efforts as a community and for your support. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Ms. DiCorpo (dicorpoa@newmilfordps.org) or Dr. Longo (longoc@newmilfordps.org).

Sincerely,

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