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Dear Grady Cluster Family,

Welcome to the start of a new school year!

Last year, we began a series of meetings with the Inman Middle School community to discuss space concerns on the campus. Our focus started with solutions for Inman but evolved into space solutions for the entire Grady Cluster.

We have scheduled another Community Meeting at 6 p.m. on Thursday, September 24, in the Inman auditorium to conclude these discussions.

The District's facilities team is now developing options for addressing the best use of our resources within the cluster. Using feedback from meeting discussions, emails, letters and phone calls, we have insight from you to shape these options. This has allowed the team the best opportunity to match space solutions with the needs of our students and the vision of the Grady Cluster.

Thanks for your commitment and continued support as we work to develop a long-term plan for meeting the needs of the projected growth of our student population.

Please join some of your Board of Education members and me to map a permanent solution for the cluster. I look forward to seeing you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Meria J. Carstarphen', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Meria J. Carstarphen