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Dear Washington Township School Community,

It is with heavy heart I write this letter to the families of Washington Township and announce my resignation as the principal of Port Colden School. I have accepted a position at the New Jersey Department of Education as an Educational Specialist. I will continue in my position as Port Colden Principal / Director of Special Services until May 21, 2021.

It has been a pleasure to serve as the principal at Port Colden School and the Director of Special Services for the district. I hope you know how much I have enjoyed these last six years. For me, this school has been a remarkable place as we have implemented so many initiatives to prepare our students for the transition to Brass Castle School. Together, we emphasized the importance of sharing, supporting each other, looking for positive learning opportunities, and collaborating with the whole school community to embrace new educational initiatives. This is an exceptional district that will continue to exemplify the very best in education. Staff members have always put our talented hard-working students first, and the parents are supportive, friendly, and caring. I feel very fortunate to have been part of the Washington Township Community and I will always cherish the time spent at Port Colden School.

Thank you again for your ongoing support and cooperation. I will miss the exceptional people I have met over the past six years and will always treasure the many fond memories of students, family members, and staff. I would like to thank you for the opportunity to serve you, your children and this outstanding school community and hope you know I am especially proud of our students. I look forward to hearing great things about their accomplishments as they continue their education at Port Colden School and beyond.

Sincerely,

Michael Neu Port Colden School Principal