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Dear Parents:

The Jericho School District is committed to protecting the health and well-being of our students, teachers and staff. In response to the growing concerns regarding lead in drinking water, Jericho proactively retained the services of an environmental consulting firm in February 2016 to perform sampling of water outlets for the presence of lead.

The potable water outlets currently servicing our district and used for drinking and cooking are all within the Federal and State guidelines and regulations and remain in service with no restriction. Any water outlet that is not used for drinking or cooking, but may be used in instructional or service areas (laboratories, boiler rooms, etc.) and exceeds the guideline, has been posted with a sign indicating that the sink is not to be used for drinking.

The school district has also implemented various other controls to ensure our continued compliance with the new state regulations, including plans to retest the water again in year 2020.

Information about the lead testing program, including copies of all laboratory results, can be found on the district's website under "announcements" or by clicking [here](#). If additional information is needed, please contact Michael Hahn at [mhahn@jerichoschools.org](mailto:mhahn@jerichoschools.org).

Sincerely,  
Hank Grishman  
Superintendent