## **Facilities and Construction Update**

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## **Dear Tuckahoe Community:**

We are pleased to announce that ownership of Siwanoy Boulevard between Crawford Street and 47 Siwanoy Boulevard has been transferred to Tuckahoe UFSD. While this portion of Siwanoy Boulevard currently remains open for construction vehicles, the district intends to have it closed before school commences in September. A precise date will be forthcoming. The district will post signage and implement a temporary barricade system while we work with our architects and local police and fire departments to determine the best long-term solution. Please note that emergency vehicles will continue to have access to this portion of the street indefinitely.

Construction on our capital project is moving forward on schedule. The bulk of the steel framing for the second story of William E. Cottle School is now complete. Although the heaviest construction will gradually begin to taper off, work on the interior of the new classrooms will continue well into the winter months. The WEC security vestibule project is slightly behind schedule, but should be fully operational by the early fall. We anticipate that the MS/HS turf athletic field will be completed by mid-August. Please be advised that no one will be allowed on the field until it is officially tested and certified for use.

We want to especially thank the community members who live near our schools for their continued patience and cooperation.

Sincerely,

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Superintendent of Schools Asst. Superintendent for Business