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Dear Panther Families,

With the new year and second semester in full swing, I am thrilled to see our students return to the classrooms eager to learn and finish off the year strong. Seeing how far our students and staff have come since we began our school year in August is truly inspiring, and I look forward to seeing how their perseverance and dedication will continue.

Behind our amazing students and faculty there is a driving force that helps our District run smoothly and ensures our schools are kept in good hands. The Redford Union Board of Education is a group of community leaders who are responsible for determining general policies for the care, management and control of our District's public schools.

January in Michigan marks School Board Recognition Month, a time that encourages us all to reflect and appreciate the unwavering support our school board members show toward our District. I'd like to extend my appreciation to the seven local citizens that currently serve on our Board of Education. Please join me in thanking Evelyn Pridemore, Latina Miller, Lorna Dean, Tamara Moores, Jim Bailey, LaKeya Martin and Jeff Osowski. We greatly appreciate their continued contributions to the Panther community.

For those who may be interested in getting involved with our District without joining our Board of Education, we encourage you to contact your child's school and ask how best you can help. From volunteering in our schools to joining parent clubs and serving as mentors, there are plenty of ways to demonstrate your support for our District and community. I also encourage you all to partake in the upcoming perceptions survey coming this March. This anonymous survey will provide families an opportunity to share their honest thoughts regarding our schools and the District.

As we look toward February, we have many exciting developments in store for the District the remainder of this school year, including the introduction of additional CTE courses for our students, and the beginning of construction on Redford Union's new outdoor stadium this spring. I look forward to seeing how our community rallies together and uplifts one another, and how our students continue to feel inspired and driven as the year progresses.

Thank you all for your continued support and contributions to our students, faculty and District.

Stay Panther Strong,

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