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Dear Summit Elementary Parents and Guardians,

Our progress at Summit Elementary School went slower than anticipated. We will not be able to move back the week of Thanksgiving.

At this time, the process of changing all remaining fixtures in the school is complete. In addition to the fixtures, it was recommended that a number of cutoff valves be replaced. That has also occurred. Gannett Fleming also recommended that the pipes continue to be flushed since they were disturbed by replacing cutoff valves and fixtures. We are in the process of doing that now. We anticipate that water testing for all fixtures will occur on Friday, November 17, 2017.

I have expressed my frustration to Gannett Fleming regarding the turnaround time for us to receive the results of the water lab tests. Gannett Fleming has communicated with the lab and they have committed to a better turnaround time, which should be five days.

I will meet with faculty members again to continue to develop a transition plan. I did receive some feedback and ideas from parents regarding a transition plan. Thank you for sharing your thoughts and ideas!

I apologize that we continue to be in a holding pattern. I hope to have good news to share soon.

Thank you for your continued patience.

Sincerely,

Brian J. White, Jr. Ed.D  
Superintendent  
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