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Dear Mr. Harriger:

Moving into a post-pandemic world has seen positive reactions as we see businesses reopen, capacities return to their full operating strength and our students return into group settings and learning environments. During this reopening process there has been an increased number of questions regarding executive regulations and mitigation plans that may be in effect.

Effective June 28, 2021, Pennsylvania's Emergency Order requiring masks for unvaccinated or partially vaccinated individuals ended for all ages and for any school activities.

Please note if your organization's executive board, at its discretion, chooses to implement and enforce their own mitigation practices, that will remain solely at your executive board's decision and expense. Their decisions should be communicated effectively to your administration, staff and employees, visitors, its students and their parents or legal guardians.

I want to personally thank you and your organization for efforts and commitment to the Verland's members, students, residents, and their parents/legal guardians through the past 16 months of academia and board business challenges.

If you or any executive board member, faculty, student or parent/legal guardian should need assistance with any state related issue or should require further information pertaining to Dr. Smith's or Governor Wolf's announcement, please contact me on my cell, 412-528-1360 or my district office, 412-262-3780.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Valerie Gaydos". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Valerie S Gaydos

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