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October 9, 2024

William Zylinski  
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Dear Mr. Zylinski:

Pursuant to the requirements of *N.J.A.C. 6A:30*, the Lacey Township School District (District) has undergone the New Jersey Quality Single Accountability Continuum (NJQSAC) review. The Ocean Executive County Superintendent and team conducted a review of the District's self-assessment on the district performance review (DPR) to verify the District's compliance with the five areas of NJQSAC: Instruction and Program, Fiscal Management, Governance, Operations and Personnel. Based on the review, the school district has been placed on the continuum of NJQSAC with the following placement scores for each area:

NJQSAC Areas	Initial Placement October 2024
Instruction and Program	78%
Fiscal Management	92%
Governance	94%
Operations	97%
Personnel	100%

These placement results will be presented to the State Board of Education at an upcoming meeting. Please be advised that NJQSAC regulations require the District Board of Education to report these placement results at the next regularly scheduled board meeting.

The District did not satisfy at least 80% of the indicators in Instruction and Program, therefore, regulations require the District to create a district improvement plan (DIP) to address all noncompliant areas of the DPR. Attached are instructions for developing the DIP. The deadline for submission of the DIP and accompanying board approval is December 9, 2024.

Pursuant to *N.J.A.C. 6A:30-4.1*, if it is believed that any indicators were scored incorrectly, the District has seven days from the receipt of this letter to submit a written reconsideration request and supporting documentation. Email your request and accompanying documents to [gsac@doe.nj.gov](mailto:gsac@doe.nj.gov).

Sincerely,

A. Robert Gregory  
Executive Director  
Division of Field Support and Services

ARG:LLS: lacey township/interim review  
C: Susan Naples, Executive County Superintendent

**District:** Lacey Township School District

**Submitted by (name and title):** William W. Zylinski, Acting Superintendent

**Board Resolution Date:** November 21, 2024

Step 1: DPR area and Indicator	Step 2: Goal	Step 3: Strategy(ies)
1. The school district's ELA achievement	Increase NJSLA scores to meet or exceed the state average in the category of "meeting or exceeding proficiency."	Small group instruction, student conferencing incorporated in every instructional block; WIN periods with targeted instruction from interventionists and classroom teachers to provide tiered instruction; Common
2. The school district's mathematics	Increase NJSLA scores to meet or exceed the state average in the category of "meeting or exceeding proficiency."	Small group instruction, student conferencing incorporated in every instructional block; WIN periods with targeted instruction from interventionists and classroom teachers to provide tiered instruction; Common
3. The school district's science achievement	Increase NJSLA scores to meet or exceed the state average in the category of "meeting or exceeding proficiency."	Small group instruction, student conferencing incorporated in every instructional block; WIN periods with targeted instruction from interventionists and classroom teachers to provide tiered instruction; Common
4. The school district's ELA academic	Increase NJSLA scores to meet or exceed the state average in the category of "meeting or exceeding proficiency."	Indicator 4 will be met when the district improves ELA achievement under indicator #1
5. The school district's mathematics	Increase NJSLA scores to meet or exceed the state average in the category of "meeting or exceeding proficiency."	Indicator 5 will be met when the district improves ELA achievement under indicator #2

an (DIP)					
Submission Date: November 22, 2024					
Step 4: Person/Position Responsible	Step 5: Timeline	Step 6: Evidence of Completion			
District Curriculum Supervisors, Building Curriculum Supervisors, Principals	2024-2025 school year	Review of data from 2024-2025 NJSLA scores.			
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