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Dear Resident:

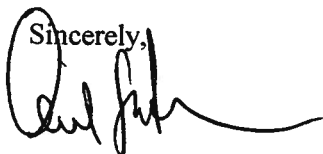
In accordance with New York State Correction Law Article 6-C The Sex Offender Registration Act, local law enforcement agencies will, at their discretion, be notifying school administrators of convicted sex offenders who are living or working in this district. Such information may include the offender's exact address for high-risk level 3 sex offenders or approximate address based upon zip code for moderate risk level 1 and 2 sex offenders, photograph, crime of conviction, mode of operation, type of victim targeted, offense description and the description of any special conditions imposed on the convicted sex offender.

The Suffolk County Police Department has notified our District that a moderate risk level 1 sex offender is residing in the Three Village Central School District in the 11733 zip code area. Please be advised that the exact street address for a level 1 sex offender is not provided to the school district or to the public in accordance with the law.

In order to provide parents/guardians and residents with information concerning this issue, the Board of Education will make the information that has been provided to the district available for review in the principal's office of each building during school hours. A duplication of the notification is also available at the office of the district's Assistant Superintendent for Business Services, located at 100 Suffolk Avenue, Stony Brook, pursuant to the Freedom of Information Law. This information is intended to inform you, not unduly alarm you. Please use this information as an opportunity to review personal safety issues with your family.

We are dedicated to the safety of our children while they are in school. All of our schools have strict sign-in/sign-out procedures for our students and all visitors must obtain a visitor's pass upon entry into the school, which must be worn during their visit. In addition, our school curriculum includes teaching personal safety. Please be aware that a detailed description of the convicted sex offender is automatically given to each staff member and bus driver. The school district will continue to take responsible and appropriate measures to protect our students. It is unfortunate, but necessary, that we all take this opportunity to review safety rules with our children and to be ever vigilant of their computer use, reminding them to avoid circumstances which increase their vulnerability. Please keep this in the proper perspective for your children by reassuring them that we do have a safe community but that they need to be alert and careful.

If you have any questions or concerns, you may contact either the PFML's Resource and Support Center Hotline at (631)689-2672 or visit their website at www.parentsformeganslaw.com, or you may contact the NYS Sex Offender Registry at 1-800-262-3257 or visit their website at www.criminaljustice.state.ny.us/nsor. By contacting the PFML Hotline or by visiting their website, you may also register for their Sex Offender Email Alert Program if you have not already done so. Please also be aware that according to New York State Law, "it is illegal to use this information to commit a crime against the above listed person or to engage in illegal discrimination or harassment against this person."

Sincerely,


Neil Lederer
Interim Superintendent of Schools

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