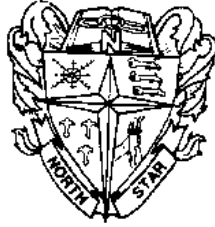


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Dear Parents and Guardians:

Attached to this cover letter is a brochure concerning lead in drinking water. This brochure originally sent home back on December 3, 2013 is a reminder of continued efforts to maintain acceptable levels in our drinking water. On January 31 of this year, we learned of a failure on our part to properly sample within a 6-month period. Although we missed one round of sampling, since the inception of a corrosive control study, we have met the criteria for tests of lead and copper. Our testing samples have proven to be within the state's requirements. In a continued effort to provide safe drinking water and safety to all our students and staff, we will remain on this corrective study for another year. Please see the attached Brochure about lead in drinking water. If you have, any concerns or questions please feel free to contact me at the North Star School District.

Sincerely:  
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Building/Grounds Supervisor