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Unified School District 204**

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Tuesday, March 22, 2016

The Honorable Ty Masterson  
Kansas Senator, District 16

The Honorable Steve Fitzgerald  
Kansas Senator, District 5

Dear Senator Masterson and Senator Fitzgerald,

I just returned to my office after attending the hearing on Senate Bill 515 this afternoon. I wanted to personally drop both of you a quick note and express my gratitude and appreciation for your efforts as well as the collective efforts of the Senate Ways and Means Committee members.

Based upon the manner in which Senate Bill 515 was crafted, the portion of the bill I appreciate the most is the fact that it has been structured in such a way that it holds all schools harmless from any potential future reductions in funding.

When compared to the other bills and potential options that have been developed thus far during the current legislative session, Senate Bill 515 is the most advantageous for Kansas school districts.

Thank you again for your efforts.

Sincerely,

*Daniel J. Brungardt*

Superintendent of Schools  
USD 204 Bonner Springs / Edwardsville

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