

STATEMENT OF BOYERTOWN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

March 29, 2017

We are grateful to those who attended last night's Board meeting at which a decision was made by a 6-3 vote, after hearing from numerous speakers and meeting in Executive Session, to reject the terms of the plaintiff's Demand Letter. The audience deserves considerable credit for listening intently and respectfully, and the speakers for sharing their opinions with the Board and the community.

Our community demonstrated that we can have disagreements - even sharp disagreements - over a highly controversial subject, but, hopefully, we can also agree that no single issue is so great that it will ever divide us, and distract us from our mission of providing the very best education to every one of our students.

We will continue to provide updates through our website and at future meetings.