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Dear Palisades Park Community,

The Palisades Park School District places a healthy learning environment as its top priority to protect and promote the safety of our students and teachers. As such, I'm writing to inform you of an incident that is being addressed by the Board of Education, and to reassure you that our schools remain safe and healthy. We have determined that an area on the drywall at the **Early Childhood Center** has discoloration due to water damage. Immediately, the area was shut down. I have authorized *Detail Associates LLC* to assess for the potential impact of the surface.

The administration will take several steps to mitigate the situation and ensure compliance with federal and state regulations. The district is in the process of scheduling a thorough remediation of the area and conducting quality assurance tests to ensure the safety and well-being of our staff and students.

As always, we will take whatever steps necessary to ensure students and employees continue to work and learn in a clean and safe environment. Please continue to check the district's website for updates on this issue.