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Dr. Edwin M. Quezada
Superintendent of Schools

DATE: April 16, 2018

TO: Rev. Steve Lopez, President
and Members of the Board of Education

FROM: Dr. Edwin M. Quezada 

RE: Request for Emergency Declaration
Roosevelt HS Fuel Oil Storage Tank Replacement

I have approved the attached Request for Emergency Declaration from Executive Director John Carr. On or about April 3, 2018, the existing 30,000-gallon underground fuel oil storage tank at Roosevelt High School failed its mandatory annual tightness testing. In compliance with Westchester County Department of Health codes, rules and regulations, the existing tank was taken out of service and a temporary above ground tank has been installed in the rear parking lot west side of the school building. By code, a temporary tank must be replaced with a permanent solution within 6 months of the test failure or roughly October 9, 2018.

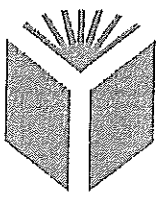
Due to the time restraints and the length of time typically involved in the procurement of construction under GMI. 103, it is required that an Emergency Declaration in the amount of \$400,000 (Capital Funds) be issued in order to comply with WCDOH. Sammel Architecture will be designing the tank replacement and working closely with Con Ed for any possibility of converting this school to gas within the above time constraints. This project is being filed with SED and is eligible for building aid.

Thank you for your cooperation and consideration of this request.

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Att.

C: Dr. Andrea Coddett
Ms. RoseAnne Collins-Judon
Dr. Fenix Arias
Mr. John Carr
Mr. John Liszewski
Mr. Tom Collich
Mr. Lee Pavone
Ms. Jennifer Hubbard
Mr. Paul Carney
Ms. Louise Piltz



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MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 16, 2018

TO: Dr. Edwin Quezada

FROM: John P. Carr

**RE: REQUEST FOR EMERGENCY DECLARATION
ROOSEVELT HIGH SCHOOL FUEL OIL STORAGE TANK REPLACEMENT**

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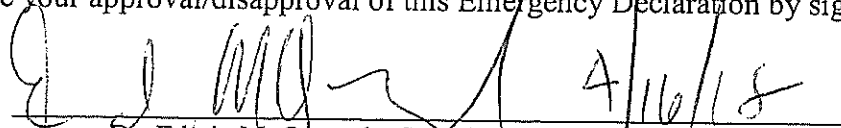
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Due to the time restraints and the length of time typically involved in the procurement of construction under GML 103 it is required that an Emergency Declaration in the amount of \$400,000 (CAPITAL FUNDS) be issued in order to comply with WCDOH. This will include the purchase of the tank, engagement of A/E firm Sammel Architects already engaged in work at this school and the procurement of a general contractor via a condensed bidding process.

Sammel Architecture will be designing the tank replacement and working closely with Con Ed for any possibility of converting this school to gas within the above time constraints. This project is being filed with SED and is eligible for building aid.

Please indicate your approval/disapproval of this Emergency Declaration by signing below:

APPROVED:


Dr. Edwin M. Quezada, Superintendent of Schools

DENIED:

Dr. Edwin M. Quezada, Superintendent of Schools

JPC/jc

cc: J. Liszewski, T. Collich, L. Pavone, L. Piltz, J. Hubbard, P. Carney