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To the WRVSU Community:

I want to begin by thanking everyone who took the time to complete the feedback form on the first draft of the revised WRVSU Strategic Plan 2025-28. I'm now sharing with you draft #2 and ask that you please share any additional feedback that you have on draft #2 by no later than Monday, November 17th. That feedback will then be compiled to provide a third and hopefully final draft of the WRVSU revised plan that will act as our *Road Map for Success*. You can review the current draft of the plan HERE and utilize THIS feedback form to provide thoughtful feedback on how we can best serve our students and communities over the next three years.

I also wanted to highlight the accomplishments that we celebrated, specific to our academic indicators of success from our previous five-year Strategic Plan here. I want to thank our teachers, staff, administration, board, and community for your dedication and tireless support throughout the past five years. There are many successes to celebrate, specific to overall growth in student achievement. As with any organization of continuous improvement, we are also utilizing this data to make informed decisions specific to instruction, curriculum resources, and programming throughout our ten schools.

It is also my pleasure to announce that the Senate Education Committee will be spending a day within our supervisory union to learn more about our offerings, the rural nature of the ten towns we serve, and to interact directly with our students, faculty/staff, and administrators. In addition, they will be providing two hours for community feedback/comment on all things education, including our thoughts and desires specific to Act 73 and the upcoming final report from the Map Drawing Task Force (report due on December 1st). This event will be held on Wednesday, December 17th, at the White River Valley High School (Royalton Campus), with public comment occurring from roughly 2:30 pm until 4:30 pm. There will also be a virtual option provided to join/participate in public comment. More details will follow, but please mark your calendars and consider joining/participating on the afternoon of Wednesday, December 17th. Our voices are critical in making certain our elected officials understand our successes, the importance of local voice/democracy, and to provide a pathway forward to protecting our rural Vermont schools.

I will also be at the Quin-Town Senior Meal in Hancock tomorrow from 11 am until 1:00 pm. All of my upcoming senior meal stops are available here.

With gratitude for your continued support and dedication to our students,

Jamie Kinnarney, Superintendent of Schools, WRVSU