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Dear Parents/Guardian of Middletown School Children:

RE: School Closing/Delayed Opening—2016-2017

This letter is intended to provide all parents/guardians with information regarding emergency school closing or delayed opening procedures due to weather or other conditions.

1. Parents/guardians will also be notified by the district's automated calling system, using the phone number on file regarding an emergency school closing or delayed opening.
2. The township fire sirens are set off at 6:30 a.m., 7:00 a.m. and 7:30 a.m. for the closing of our schools only.
3. The school closing/delayed opening announcement is available as follows:

DISTRICT www.middletownk12.org

WKXW 101.5 FM
www.nj1015.com

FOX 5-TV Channel 5
www.myfoxny.com

ABOVE ALL—DO NOT CALL THE MIDDLETOWN TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT ABOUT SCHOOL CLOSING. THE POLICE SWITCHBOARD, WHEN TIED UP BY THESE CALLS, CANNOT HANDLE THEIR OBLIGATIONS TO RECEIVE AND RESPOND TO POLICE, FIRE AND FIRST AID EMERGENCY CALLS. REMEMBER, UNNECESSARY CALLS PREVENT ACTUAL EMERGENCIES FROM BEING RESOLVED.

Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Mary Ellen Walker

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