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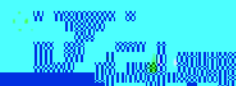
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Chancellor Arne Duncan and
New York State Board of Regents

Albany, New York 12242

Dear Chancellor Duncan and Regents:

The Bay Shore Board of Education has been informed that on September 16th or 17th, 2016, the Board of Regents will be conducting a vote on whether to raise the education rates permanent. The Bay Shore Board of Education respectfully requests that the Board of Regents



It is the Bay Shore Board of Education's firm position that making to implement a

new APPR system will be detrimental to the education of our students. Coupling successful implementation 3102-d with state aid is recipe for disaster. As we have seen in the recent past, in it inevitable that forced, hasty decisions, and concessions will be made, rather than development of a meaningful plan that maintains local