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Hi Vin,

I have been in communication with Joann Downey this week regarding the response and guidance from the State to school districts. She is aware and agreed with me that the guidance coming from the Governor's office is significantly lacking. We've been left as Superintendents to make decisions during the unprecedented time on our own. Today there was an untelevised press conference. Reporters shared the contents of that press conference, and he shared that schools will be directed to close Monday. Why would this be shared with reporters and not with the Commissioner and Superintendents before with reporters or at all? We have been abandoned and left to do what we think is best for our communities. This is not the way it is supposed to be. I am hoping you can be our voice when this is over so that it is done better the next time.

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