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School Annual Education Report (AER) Cover Letter

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Dear Parents and Community Members:

We are pleased to present you with the Annual Education Report (AER) which provides key information on the 2019-2020 educational progress for the Michener Elementary. The AER addresses the complex reporting information required by federal and state laws. The school's report contains information about student assessment, accountability, and teacher quality. If you have any questions about the AER, please contact Ann Lacasse, Principal for assistance.

The AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the following web site <u>AER Combined Report</u> or you may review a copy in the main office at your child's school.

For the 2019-20 school year, schools were identified using definitions and labels as required in the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). A Targeted Support and Improvement (TSI) school is one that has at least one underperforming student subgroup. An Additional Targeted Support (ATS) school is one that has three or more underperforming student subgroups. A Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI) school is one whose performance is in the lowest 5% of all schools in the state or has a graduation rate at or below 67%. Some schools are not identified with any of these labels. In these cases, no label is given.

Our school was identified as a HAS NOT BEEN GIVEN ONE OF THESE LABELS.

Process for Assigning Pupils to the School

Adrian Public Schools has set physical boundaries to establish the Michener Elementary attendance area. However, the district participates in out–of district School of Choice, so physical boundaries are not the only criteria used to assign students to our building. This same process was used in the prior 2018-19 school year.

School Improvement Status Update

School Improvement Plan 2019-2020

In an effort to continually improve, Michener Elementary staff and parents met regularly to update and monitor our School Improvement Plan. Social and emotional needs of students, as well as academics were a focus of our planning this year. Professional Development for teachers has been focused on meeting the needs of all students at Michener Elementary. Due to the COVID shutdown, planning was cut short.

Specialized Schools Annual Report

2019-2020 Specialized Schools Annual Report

The students of Adrian Public Schools receive special education services through the Lenawee Intermediate School District (LISD). In addition to the specialized schools, students receive diagnostic testing, school psychology, school social work, physical and occupational therapy, career technical education, special needs training and speech pathology services.

The Lenawee Intermediate School District provides educational services to students from birth through age 26 who have severe handicaps. Students with severe physical, mental, emotional or sensory impairments may receive their educational program at a classroom operated by the LISD. Less than ten students from Adrian Public Schools attended LISD classroom programs during the 2019-20 school year.

The LISD operates the Laura Haviland Program for elementary, middle and high school students with severe emotional and behavioral impairments. 11 students from Adrian Public Schools attended Laura Haviland during the 2019-20 school year.

In cooperation with the Lenawee County Probate Court, the LISD operates the juvenile education program housed at the Maurice Spear Campus.

LISD operates special education classrooms in local districts including classrooms for students with physical or other health impairments and hearing impairments in Madison; and classrooms for students with cognitive impairments in Tecumseh and Adrian. 14 students from Adrian Public Schools attended these programs during the 2019-20 school year.

The LISD PREP Academy provides educational programs for teen parents from Lenawee County. During the student's instructional program, childcare support is provided. 11 students from Adrian Public Schools attended the LISD PREP Academy during the 2019-20 school year.

The LISD TECH Center offers career technical education programs for high school juniors and seniors. 140 students from Adrian Public Schools attended the LISD TECH Center or participated in the co-op/work experience program during 2019-20. This equals 39.8 % of the junior and senior population for this school district.

The most recent follow-up of LISD TECH Center students (a 2019 study of 2018 graduates) showed 67.2% were continuing their education. Of those continuing their education, 84.2% were continuing in a field related to their LISD TECH Center program. In addition, 89.2% were working (full-time or part-time) with 3% reporting they were unemployed/seeking employment. Of those working full-time, 59.8% were in a field related to their LISD TECH Center program.

Local districts operate special education classrooms open to students from other districts. There are two MiCI classrooms in the county that other districts can send students to. One is the LISD MiCI HS classroom at BD and the other is the MS and HS MiCI classrooms at Addison. Beyond that districts do individual agreements to allow students to attend a classroom in another district. Adrian Public Schools placed zero students with Adrian Public Schools during the 2019-20 school year.

2018-2019 Specialized Schools Annual Report

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The Lenawee Intermediate School District provides educational services to students from birth through age 26 who have severe handicaps. Students with severe physical, mental, emotional or sensory impairments may receive their educational

program at a classroom operated by the LISD. Zero students from Adrian Public Schools attended LISD classroom programs during the 2018-19 school year.

The LISD operates the Laura Haviland Program for elementary, middle and high school students with severe emotional and behavioral impairments. Less than 19 students from Adrian Public Schools attended Laura Haviland during the 2018-19 school year.

In cooperation with the Lenawee County Probate Court, the LISD operates the juvenile education program housed at the Maurice Spear Campus.

LISD operates special education classrooms in local districts including classrooms for students with physical or other health impairments and hearing impairments in Madison; and classrooms for students with cognitive impairments in Tecumseh and Adrian. 12 students from Adrian Public Schools attended these programs during the 2018-19 school year.

The LISD PREP Academy provides educational programs for teen parents from Lenawee County. During the student's instructional program, childcare support is provided. Less than 10 students from Adrian Public Schools attended the LISD PREP Academy during the 2018-19 school year.

The LISD TECH Center offers career technical education programs for high school juniors and seniors. 140 students from Adrian Public Schools attended the LISD TECH Center or participated in the co-op/work experience program during 2018-19. This equals 31.6% of the junior and senior population for this school district.

The most recent follow-up of LISD TECH Center students (a 2018 study of 2017 graduates) showed 69.4% were continuing their education. Of those continuing their education, 76.6% were continuing in a field related to their LISD TECH Center program. In addition, 92.8% were working (full-time or part-time) with 6.1% reporting they were unemployed/seeking employment. Of those working full-time, 69.4% were in a field related to their LISD TECH Center program.

Core Curriculum

Michener Elementary teachers follow the designated curriculum that has been approved by the Adrian Public Schools Board of Education. Our core curriculum follows the Michigan Curriculum Framework and is aligned with the Common Core Standards for the state. Michener teachers have received and will continue to be trained in the Common Core Standards with full implementation of the Common

Core State Standards underway this school year in Math, Reading and Science. A copy of the core curriculum is available for your review in the Michener Elementary School Office and/or at https://theadrianmaples-public.rubiconatlas.org.

Student Achievement

Students did not take the state assessment in the Spring of 2020 due to COVID-19. The most recent state assessment is located below.

District wide and building wide unit math assessments are administered to all Michener students at the end of each math unit during the school year. All kindergarten-fourth grade students also take the NWEA-Maps assessment in the fall, winter and spring to monitor academic progress in reading and math. Each spring, third and fourth grade students take the statewide assessment, M-Step.

| 2018-2019 | Michener | ISD | State |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| ELA (3) | 19.10% | 46.60% | 45.1 |
| Math (3) | 40.40% | 44.90% | 46.7 |
| | | | |
| ELA (4) | 32.60% | 45% | 45.8 |
| MATH (4) | 34.90% | 39% | 41.8 |
| Science (4) | No Scores Reported | No Scores Reported | No Scores Reported |
| ELA (5) | 25% | 43.50% | 46.2 |
| MATH (5) | 11.10% | 27.10% | 34.8 |
| Social Studies (5) | 0% | 12.60% | 17.4 |
| 2017-18 | | | |
| ELA (3) | 46.7 | 48.4 | 44.4 |
| Math (3) | 55.6 | 48.4 | 45.7 |
| ELA (4) | 17.9 | 45.5 | 45 |
| MATH (4) | 17.9 | 45.5 | 45 |
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| ELA (5) | 23.5 | 45 | 46.5 |
| MATH (5) | 9.8 | 26.8 | 34.5 |
| Social Studies (5) | 7.8 | 13 | n/a |

Parental Involvement at Parent Teacher Conferences

Michener Elementary strives to involve parents to establish positive, two-way communication to improve student achievement. Below is the data of the percentages of parents who attended conferences.

| | <u>Fall</u> | <u>Spring</u> |
|---------|-------------|---------------|
| 2010-11 | 95% | 98% |
| 2011-12 | 98% | 98% |
| 2012-13 | 99% | 96% |
| 2013-14 | 97% | *56% |
| 2014-15 | 98% | 97% |
| 2015-16 | 96% | 97% |
| 2016-17 | 96% | 97% |
| 2017-18 | 96% | 97% |
| 2018-19 | 96% | 96% |
| 2019-20 | 96% | N/A |
| 2020-21 | 97% | 90% |

Closing/Points of Pride

Michener Elementary is proud to boast a staff of dedicated, highly qualified teachers and paraprofessionals serving approximately 300 students and their families. Michener offers many unique programs to help our students grow.

- Literacy and math instruction are a strong focus for all of our staff. Students are supported with high quality materials that are researched based to grow children as readers and mathematicians. Teachers continually engage in professional development to improve their skills.
- Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports are fully implemented to support behavior that allows students to learn in a safe caring environment.
 These supports include daily Morning Meetings in the classroom to build strong, positive relationships among students and teachers.
- The Theater Arts Program continues with support from Michigan State
 University and generous financial support from Disney. Students produce a play once a year that is showcased in the early Spring.
- Students have the opportunity to participate in many enrichment activities during the school day and after school including honors choir, basketball, yoga, fitness club, Student Council, Girl Scouts and Run Club to name a few.
- When appropriate, students who with special needs are supported with Peer to Peer supports to encourage full inclusion and age appropriate social interactions.
- Education continued during the COVID shutdown via direct instruction in Google classrooms and workbook materials provided by the district.

We are having a great year and look forward to completing the rest of the 2020-2021 school year.

Sincerely,

Ann Lacasse

Mrs. Ann Lacasse, Principal