



# Smithtown Central School District

26 New York Avenue, Smithtown, New York 11787

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**Mark Secaur, Ed.D.**  
Superintendent of Schools  
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Dear Smithtown School Community,

It has come to my attention that the District's symbol/logo has appeared on campaign materials in support of particular candidates for the upcoming election, without the District's authorization. The School District and the Board of Education must avoid even the appearance of impermissible partisan activity with respect to the conduct of an election. While I have been informed that the candidates did not create the materials in question, they have been directed that they, and anyone acting on their behalf, are to cease and desist from using, displaying, advertising, producing and/or selling any products which display the logo, symbol, device and/or other identification of the District.

Sincerely,

Mark Secaur, Ed.D.  
Superintendent