Dear Cudahy Schools, Staff and Families,

The health of our students, staff, families, communities and most vulnerable is of utmost importance, and we support all efforts to reduce the impact of COVID-19. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention released guidelines for school districts on school closures on March 13, 2020.

Given the fluidity of the situation, we have decided that it is in our community’s best interest to close our campuses to students beginning March 16th. The Cudahy Health Department is recommending the closure to remain in effect until April 10th. It is our intent that classes will resume on April 14, 2020. However, we will continue to work with the Cudahy Health Department, and if we receive clearance to open our doors sooner, we will notify all families.

This District closing will be in effect starting Monday, March 16th and will include all school events, extracurricular activities, school-related trips, community school events, and facility rentals. This includes all Cudahy Community Education & Recreation Department activities: child care; Before and After School Child Care, Spring Break Camp, Lil Learners, as well as sports, aquatics, fitness classes and youth and adult enrichment programs.

Families will receive ongoing communication via our Skyward system. We are asking that all parents/guardians log into Skyward to ensure that we have your up to date contact information. It is our plan to provide alternative educational programming to our students in the interim. Parents/Guardians will receive more information about this on Monday.

We realize that many families rely on the school’s breakfast and lunch program. We will have multiple sites available to pick up packaged meals. We will release details on where and when via Skyward this weekend.

The action to close our schools for an extended period is certainly unprecedented and not taken lightly. We understand that there will be many hardships that our nation will undergo over the next several months. We are poised to do whatever we can to support our students, families, staff and community as we collectively work through this together.

Sincerely,

James P. Heiden, PhD
Superintendent