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Dear Supervisors:

In order to comply with the Williams Lawsuit Settlement, current law (Section 1240 of California Education Code) requires the County Superintendent, or his/her designee, to report on schools ranked in deciles 1-3 on the 2012 Academic Performance Index (API).

The purpose of the report as specified in California Education Code (EC) Section 1240 is to describe the State of the Schools related to:

1. students having access to "sufficient instructional materials in four core subject areas (English/Language Arts, Mathematics, History-Social Science , Science) and as appropriate, science laboratory equipment, Foreign Languages, and Health";
2. compliance with facilities maintenance to determine the condition of a facility that "poses an emergency or urgent threat to the health or safety of pupils or staff"; and
3. the school providing accurate data for the annual School Accountability Report Card (SARC) related to instructional materials and facilities maintenance.

The law further requires that the County Superintendent annually monitor and review:

1. teacher misassignments in deciles 1-3 schools; and
2. quarterly reports on complaints filed with the school district concerning insufficient instructional materials, teacher vacancies and misassignment, and emergency or urgent facilities issues under the Uniform Complaint Procedure.

In addition, the County Superintendent is required to determine the condition of school facilities.

Basic terms defined:

- "Sufficient instructional materials" means every pupil, including English Language Learners, has a textbook in the four core areas to use in class and to take home each night to complete required homework assignments.
- "Facilities standards" means that each school district who receives State funding for facilities is required to establish a facilities inspection program and to ensure that each of the schools is maintained in good repair.
- "Good repair" is defined as maintaining schools that are clean, safe, and functional.

Findings:

Chart B – County Wide Results – shows accumulated data by district for all of the four districts in the six areas we monitored. (This data is a compilation of all of the Williams Schools in the county.)

Charts C, D, E and F are the results for each district.

In conclusion, the Solano County Office of Education is available to support any actions that need to be taken to address the needs identified in the report.

Sincerely,

Lisette Estrella-Henderson

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Associate Superintendent, Student Programs and Educational Services

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Enclosures: Chart A: Williams Lawsuit Schools – Solano County
Chart B: County Wide Results Summary
Chart C: Dixon USD Results
Chart D: Fairfield – Suisun USD Results
Chart E: Vacaville USD Results
Chart F: Vallejo City USD Results

Williams Lawsuit Schools - Solano County - CHART A
Report to the Solano County Board of Supervisors
2014-2015 Williams Lawsuit Deciles 1-3 Schools

District	School	*Decile	Level
Dixon USD	Anderson (Linford L.) Elementary	1	Elementary
Dixon USD	Gretchen Higgins Elementary	2	Elementary
Fairfield-Suisun USD	Anna Kyle Elementary	3	Elementary
Fairfield-Suisun USD	Cleo Gordon Elementary	3	Elementary
Fairfield-Suisun USD	E. Ruth Sheldon Elementary	3	Elementary
Fairfield-Suisun USD	Fairfield High	3	High
Fairfield-Suisun USD	Fairview Elementary	3	Elementary
Fairfield-Suisun USD	Suisun Elementary	3	Elementary
Vacaville USD	Edwin Markham Elementary	2	Elementary
Vacaville USD	Eugene Padan Elementary	3	Elementary
Vallejo City USD	Beverly Hills Elementary	2	Elementary
Vallejo City USD	Dan Mini Elementary	3	Elementary
Vallejo City USD	Elsa Widenmann Elementary	1	Elementary
Vallejo City USD	Federal Terrace Elementary	2	Elementary
Vallejo City USD	Franklin Middle	1	Middle
Vallejo City USD	Glen Cove Elementary	2	Elementary
Vallejo City USD	Grace Patterson Elementary	1	Elementary
Vallejo City USD	Hogan Middle	3	Middle
Vallejo City USD	Johnston Cooper Elementary	3	Elementary
Vallejo City USD	Lincoln Elementary	3	Elementary
Vallejo City USD	Loma Vista Elementary	1	Elementary
Vallejo City USD	Mare Island Elementary	3	Elementary
Vallejo City USD	Solano Middle	1	Middle
Vallejo City USD	Vallejo High	2	High

*Based on 2012 Academic Performance Index (API)

County Wide Compilation of Results - CHART B
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District	% of schools with sufficient instructional materials	% of schools with facilities in good repair	% of schools with accurate SARC's	* % of schools with 20% or more EL students with appropriately credentialed teachers	% of unanswered complaints in relation to the Uniform Complaint Procedure
Dixon USD	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Fairfield-Suisun USD	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Vacaville USD	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Vallejo City USD	100%	100%	100%	100%	0

* Based on June 2014 Audit

Results by District: Dixon USD - CHART C
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	Sufficient instructional materials	In good repair	Accurate SARC's	* % of classrooms with 20% or more EL students with appropriately credentialed teachers	Unanswered complaints in relation to the Uniform Complaint Procedure
Dixon USD					
Anderson	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Gretchen Higgins	100%	100%	100%	100%	0

* Based on June 2014 Audit

Results by District: Fairfield-Suisun USD - CHART D
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	Sufficient instructional materials	In good repair	Accurate SARC's	* % of classrooms with 20% or more EL students with appropriately credentialed teachers	Unanswered complaints in relation to the Uniform Complaint Procedure
Fairfield-Suisun USD					
Anna Kyle	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Cleo Gordon	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
E. Ruth Sheldon	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Fairfield High	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Fairview	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Suisun	100%	100%	100%	100%	0

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Results by District: Vacaville USD - CHART E
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	Sufficient Instructional Materials	In good repair	Accurate SARC's	* % of classrooms with 20% or more EL students with appropriately credentialed teachers.	Unanswered complaints in relation to the Uniform Complaint Procedure
Vacaville USD					
Markham	Yes	Yes	Yes	100%	0
Padan	Yes	Yes	Yes	100%	0

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Results by District: Vallejo City Unified School District - CHART F
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	Sufficient instructional materials	In good repair	Accurate SARC's	* % of classrooms with 20% or more EL students with appropriately credentialed teachers.	Unanswered complaints in relation to the Uniform Complaint Procedure
Vallejo City USD					
Beverly Hills	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Dan Mini	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Elsa Widenmann	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Federal Terrace	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Franklin Middle	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Glen Cove	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Grace Patterson	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Hogan Middle	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Johnston Cooper	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Lincoln	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Loma Vista	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Mare Island	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Solano Middle	100%	100%	100%	100%	0
Vallejo High	100%	100%	100%	100%	0

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