March 17, 2014

Dear Community & Business Leaders,

As I am sure you are aware, the proposed Templeton Elementary School Building project is at a critical phase. At a special town meeting on March 29, 2014 the voters will be asked to approve a \$500,000 debt exclusion which will fund the design phase of the project.

The Massachusetts School Building Authority (MSBA) will fund about 60% of the amount needed, so Templeton will need to raise about two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000). The MSBA needs to see the vote and community support for the project in order for us to move forward.

We are hoping to raise money to offset the \$200,000. This way the community will see and feel that we are all in this together.

I just learned today that we have received generous donations totaling a few thousand dollars and I am asking you to please give what you can today. Any donation both large and small will make a difference by sending the right message at the right time for the right reasons.

I thank you in advance for your thoughtful consideration of this request.

Respectfully,

Ruth S. Miller *C.A.G.S* Superintendent Narragansett Regional School District