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Subject Re: NFG Letter

Will also include the Charles River School.

On Tue, Dec 2, 2025 at 10:15 AM Jason Belmonte <jbelmonte@doverma.gov> wrote:

Hello,

I was thinking we could send letters to each principal and to each school nurse. Could you please take a shot at putting those together? I put together a draft to send to the HS principal so you have something you can work off of. Might be good to have your signature at the bottom instead of mine if you are comfortable with that. Let me know what you think. We can send one to the superintendent as well. Thank you.

December 2, 2025

RE: Nicotine Free Generation Policy

Dear Principal Smith,

I am writing to you as a courtesy to let you know that on November 3, 2025, the Dover Board of Health voted to adopt a Nicotine Free Generation policy. This means that anyone born on or after January 1, 2005, can never buy tobacco within the Town of Dover, regardless of when they reach the legal age to purchase these products.

The goal of this policy is to prevent youth from adopting nicotine and tobacco use, as the majority of these addictions start at a young age. We felt it important to share this with you, as you work with these individuals each and every day. We appreciate your support as we move forward with this new initiative.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (508) 785-0032, ext. 232.

Have a wonderful holiday season.

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