



Dear Red Clay family and friends,

Network Connect's slogan, "We are the Network Connecting Communities," means we aim to build community capacity, connection, and resilience in our service areas. So, with great warmth in our hearts, we write to you today in support of the Red Clay School District. On Wednesday, February 28th, the Red Clay Consolidated School District will hold a referendum.

In our overall community impact and outreach scope at Network Connect, we live, learn, and work through an intricate system daily. More importantly, we know the constant adversities affecting our youth and the need to provide them with holistic opportunities to excel. This is why we spread the word about this referendum and show our support. This referendum will play an essential and prominent role in advancing our youth's future in education by securing the necessary and long-overdue resources and tools to succeed.

We ask that you vote for the referendum because we all must do our part to advocate and educate on behalf of our children. Community members with children attending these schools and individuals who live and work in the Red Clay Community play a vital role in this upcoming vote.

Benjamin Franklin once said, "An investment in knowledge pays the best interest." We encourage you to mark your calendars and make your way to vote on February 28th, 2024. With your support, we are confident that the Red Clay Consolidated School District will continue to impact our community significantly. They will do so by offering a harmonious culture that uplifts our community's most precious investment, youth. Thank you in advance for your dedication to improving our community. Together, we can and will create a better tomorrow for future generations.

Stay Connected,

*Cierra Hall-Hipkins*

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