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It is my pleasure to extend my heartfelt congratulations to the teachers, students, and administrators of Stroudsburg Area School District on being recognized as a Best Community for Music Education (BCME).

A universal language grounded in our common humanity, music has a unique power to bring joy to our lives, transcend differences, and inspire reflection and change across our society. When we invest in rigorous music education programming, our entire community grows stronger and more vibrant.

The designation of Stroudsburg Area School District as a BCME makes clear that you are national leaders in shaping our next generation of musicians. The dedication to fostering excellence in music education that you have demonstrated has made Stroudsburg Area School District a source of pride for the greater Lehigh Valley and for Pennsylvania as a whole.

Again, congratulations on this honor. You have my very best wishes for continued success in the years ahead.