

**The School Board for the RSUD has made the decision to offer the former Rochester High School Building to the Town of Rochester's Select Board as outlined under the Articles in the Merger Document.**

**During this process we will undertake the necessary steps to prepare the property for a potential sale, avoiding any additional delays.**

**This decision has not come easily. The Board has clearly heard from both communities, and we realize that if this merger is going to succeed this is an important step in realizing our goals.**

**Having made this decision the Board has authorized funds be allocated to further this process.**

**We will also be instructing our attorneys and consultants to proceed with preparing the required documents, under our direction, to move this process forward as outlined above.**

**We appreciate your patience and hope you realize that the Board has heard your voice and is willing to act on your wishes.**