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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Wes-Del Community Schools is pleased to announce the establishment of the Betty J. Clark Foundation, Inc.

The Betty J. Clark Foundation, Inc. is a nonprofit foundation organized to operate for the academic benefit of the Wes-Del Community School Corporation. Betty J. Clark was a long-standing member of the Wes-Del community, and prior to her passing in July of 2018, she established the foundation with funding of over 1 million dollars to be used to enhance the academic programs at Wes-Del Community Schools.

"The Betty J. Clark Foundation will allow for additional opportunities for the students and staff of Wes-Del Community Schools that would not be possible without such an organization," said Kyle Mealy, superintendent of Wes-Del Community Schools.

The board of directors recently held their first meeting. Those board of directors are William H. Lutz, Matthew Gaither, and Kyle Mealy.

"At this time we are working on our plans for the 2019 year. We are organizing our grant applications and potential projects for the fall of 2019. The goal will be to do what is in the best academic interest for the students and staff of Wes-Del, while also ensuring to honor the vision that Betty had for the foundation," said Mealy.

"Wes-Del Community Schools is very fortunate to have this foundation. The opportunities this will provide for our school community will be tremendous."