



**Greeley-Evans School District 6**

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## **GREELEY-EVANS SCHOOL DISTRICT 6 News Release**

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### ***District 6 Earns Its Way Off 'Watch' Status***

After two years of solid academic progress and the creation of a strong strategic plan, Greeley-Evans School District 6 today was removed from 'academic watch' status by the Colorado Department of Education.

"This is a great day for our district and our community," said Superintendent Renae Dreier. "It has taken a tremendous amount of work by our students, teachers, principals, support staff and administrators, all working together as a team. It is a celebration for our entire community."

CDE placed the district on watch status two years ago because its system-wide academic performance was declining. Since then, District 6 performance on CSAP has improved, with better proficiency scores in 2006 and 2007.

While the district is now off of watch status, Dreier and the Board of Education remain committed to the district's strategic plan and further improvement.

"We have turned our district around and have shown that we're on a good course of improvement, but we know we must continue these efforts. We can't slacken our approach to improvement," said Dreier. "We can be even better, academically and operationally, and our students and community deserve our best effort."

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