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NO SODAS IN SCHOOL!

COMMUNITY MEMBERS TO TESTIFY BEFORE SCHOOL BOARD ON BEVERAGE POLICY

- WHO:** Parents, medical professionals, teachers, and students have joined together to form the Springfield Coalition for Healthy Beverages.
- WHAT:** The Springfield School District is considering whether to renew its contract with Pepsi to provide vending machine services. Coalition members will be calling on the school district to allow only milk, 100% fruit juice and water in school vending machines.
- WHERE:** School District Headquarters, 2020 Main Street, Springfield
- WHEN:** May 25th at 10 am.
- WHY:** Childhood obesity is a growing epidemic in the Springfield School District. Other districts across Pennsylvania are banning soda and other sugary drinks to replacing them with only nutritious beverages.