

## WARREN TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL

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To Whom It May Concern:

Warren Township High School has just finished a strategic planning process facilitated by Dr. Joseph Porto and we could not be more pleased with the results and with Dr. Porto's work.

Joe's knowledge of strategic planning in general and his unique approach for reaching a group consensus really energized our process. The usual traps of "working minutia until it hurts" were avoided and the group remained on task. We really bought into Joe's format for achieving greatness and continuous improvement, which helped us focus our energies on results and not the traditional "turf" issues.

Dr. Porto has great energy and passion for education and strategic planning, which helped all of us get excited and stay motivated. He broke down the sacred cows in the beginning and brought that conversation to the surface by addressing the things we would not be doing or discussing. Once we got all the data on paper, the magic of Dr. Porto, developed our thoughts and ideas into a concise and meaningful strategic plan. It will be our guiding light for the next three years.

I highly recommend Dr. Joseph Porto to anyone looking to develop a strategic plan.

Sincerely,

John R. Anderson  
President, Board of Education

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