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COUNCIL MEMBER TURNER TO VISIT TULIP GROVE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
Turner Will Tour School and Read to Students

Prince George's County Council Member Ingrid Turner (D) – District 4, in a continued effort to stress the importance of reading to young children, will visit Tulip Grove Elementary School to read aloud to students on Friday, October 23, 2009, at 8:00 a.m.

Council Member Turner is committed to fostering the love of reading to our children. "I strongly believe that reading to our children is so important, especially at an early age. Reading aloud helps increase the child's vocabulary and reading comprehension skills."

Principal Brian Baudoin is looking forward to the Council Member's visit. "We are really excited about Council Member Turner visiting Tulip Grove Elementary School, where children bloom. We appreciate Council Member Turner's support as we seek funds to upgrade our physical facility."

In addition to reading to the students, Council Member Turner will greet parents and tour Tulip Grove. The tour is in response to an audit that rated the school's physical facility as the 9th worst in Prince George's County. At Large, Board of Education Member Donna Hathaway Beck will join Council Member Turner on the tour.

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