

CAMDEN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Statement from Camden City School District Superintendent, Katrina McCombs

Camden City School District's legal team along with administrative and athletic staff formally appealed a recent decision to ban the Camden football team from post-season play before the New Jersey State Interscholastic Athletic Association (NJSIAA).

The NJSIAA rejected the District's appeal and left in place its earlier decision to disqualify the Camden football team to participate in the post-season.

"We respect the decision by the NJSIAA, but remain disappointed by the outcome. We want to thank all our football players, coaches, Mayor Carstarphen, Advisory Board Members, parents, and supporters for their unwavering support through this entire process. As we play the remainder of our football season, we are confident that our Panther football team will represent our entire community with respect, integrity and sportsmanship."

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