



# Media Advisory

## From Seattle Public Schools

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### **Renovated Cleveland High School plans dedication ceremony for Tuesday, Sept. 4**

Cleveland High School will host a dedication and ribbon-cutting ceremony on Tuesday, Sept. 4 to celebrate the reopening of the beautifully restored and renovated school. . There will be several keynote speakers, including Superintendent Maria L. Goodloe-Johnson. Originally opened in 1927, Cleveland High School has been undergoing renovations for the past two years.

The \$67 million project was made possible by voters who approved the \$398 million Building Excellence II capital levy in February 2001. The project consisted of a partial demolition and renovation of the historic 1927 building and significant modernization in other areas. The original building is joined by a new classroom wing to the south and a student commons/gymnasium to the north. The project increases student capacity from 783 to 1,000 and provides spaces for small learning communities within the school.

Please join Cleveland staff, students and alumni in the official dedication and opening of the new building. The dedication program is expected last an hour, begins at 9:00 a.m., and (weather permitting) is planned for three locations in the school. There will be a media tour of the school following the dedication.

**What:** Cleveland High School dedication, ribbon-cutting and media tour of building. *Meet David Tucker (cell 206-465-5404) for the media tour.*

**When:** 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, September 4, 2007.

**Where:** Cleveland High School, 5511 15<sup>th</sup> Avenue S.

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