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Mr. Cahill has been the chairman of the board for the past two years. During his tenure, the board has increased its faculty by 15 percent, and has expanded its facilities by 20 percent. The board has also increased its budget by 30 percent.

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