

## **MONTHLY REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE MILWAUKEE BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS NOVEMBER 2017**

In an effort to support the goals identified by MPS as essential to the accomplishment of the MPS Vision and Mission, the President's activities during the month of November 2017 included the following:

### **ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT**

- Visited various schools and sites, including Lapham Peak and Maple Tree School

### **STUDENT, FAMILY, AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

- Discussed improved continuity of services and expanded opportunities for Milwaukee children and families with local leaders, including:
  - Danae Davis, Executive Director, Milwaukee Succeeds
  - Ellen Gilligan, President and CEO, Greater Milwaukee Foundation
  - Laci Coppins Robbins, Executive Director, Milwaukee Teacher Education Center (MTEC)
  - Milwaukee Fire Department
- Attended various district events, including:
  - Fresh Coast Classic Resource Fair
  - Washington High School Culinary Arts Lab Ribbon Cutting
  - Black and Latino Male Achievement Mentor Luncheon
  - Warm Up Winter at Doerfler School
  - NBA Math at Fifty-Third Street School
- Participated on the Charter School Renewal Committee
- Attended various community-based events, including:
  - Be the Change
  - Milwaukee County Office on African American Affairs Social Justice Meeting
  - Third grade water safety at Noyes Pool
- Attended the Milwaukee Public Library Board's meeting
- Attended the Milwaukee Public Library Building Development meeting
- Attended the Milwaukee Education Partnership's meeting
- Attended the City of Milwaukee Black Male Achievement Advisory Council's meeting

### **EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT OPERATIONS**

- Met with district leaders to receive updates on district initiatives:
  - Dr. Jacqueline Mann, Board Clerk/Director, Office of Board Governance
  - Dr. Darienne Driver and Director Larry Miller
- Met with the Panasonic Foundation to discuss partnership with MPS