

Report of Milwaukee Board of School Directors President Marva Herndon – January 2025

Hello to everyone,

Effective and Efficient Operations

We are in the final stages in the selection process for a new Superintendent of Milwaukee Public Schools. The entire month of January has been filled with fulfilling that objective. This included long hours of research, interviews, zoom meetings and multiple Special Board Meetings.

Meeting/Event Attendance for this month:

- Attended strategic meeting with our Kane Communications partners. These discussions focus on taking proactive steps to keep the public informed.
- Attended 2 meetings with Tina Owens, Board Clerk
- Attended 2 OBG/OS/OAE standing weekly meeting
- Attended 2 meetings with Superintendent
- Attended 5 Special Board Meeting Superintendent Search
- Attended LRP Meeting
- Attended Regular Board Meeting (including AFP Agenda)

Student, Family, and Community Engagement

- Attended meeting with district parents concerning obtaining additional funding for our school lunch program.
- Attended meeting with WPEN regarding state budget

As the Board of Directors, we have and will continue working diligently to complete the process of selecting the best superintendent to lead Milwaukee Public Schools. It is my hope that you, students, parents, community at-large and staff members participate as well. Please make sure you are a part of this process!

The finalists will be in our city on February 6 and 7, 2025 touring the district. There will be an opportunity for you to meet the finalists at Central Office, on the afternoon of February 6, 2025. Please note the details in the attached **press release**, more details will follow. In addition, your presence will provide the opportunity to share your thoughts as well.

We have worked diligently, giving our best to this process!