



REPORT TO THE MILWAUKEE BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS: OCTOBER 2022

The Office of Accountability and Efficiency (OAE) was established to enhance transparency, oversight, and accountability to the District's financial operations; to evaluate fiscal performance; and to recommend solutions in furtherance of fiscal stewardship of Milwaukee Public Schools.

During the reporting period, the Office of Accountability and Efficiency completed the analysis of FY22 activities, outputs, and outcomes. A final report on work completed as part of the FY22 Work Plan is attached.

Accountability and Efficiency Services

Between September 17, 2022 and October 14, 2022, Accountability and Efficiency Services fulfilled two requests for information/research, two requests for data analysis, four constituent inquiries, and one special project. Accountability and Efficiency Services also closed five whistleblower reports and satisfied one impartial hearing officer (IHO) assignment requests.

Additionally, Accountability and Efficiency Services team members participated in the Harvard Strategic Data Project Fall Workshop. This workshop provided an opportunity to review topics such as Data Governance, a policy case study regarding Equity in Boston Exam Schools, and Communicating Data for Action and Impact. These workshops help support the capstone project work taking place under the fellowship partnership program.

Accountability and Efficiency Services also continued to support the District's implementation of Administrative Policies 3.09 and 6.35.

Contract Compliance Services (CCS)

During the reporting period, Contract Compliance Services (CCS) staff members focused on the Communities in Need (COIN) and Student Engagement Programs.

Staff members attended a meeting with Mission Aligned Partners (MAPs) to continue the discussion around creating strategic pathways between COIN and MPS high school juniors and seniors. Topics discussed were the implementation of curriculum framework inclusive of the following:

- Self-discovery
- Promotion of critical life skills
- Post-secondary preparation
- Career/workforce readiness training

10 MPS high school students were interviewed for internships in the following industries: culinary arts, healthcare, mechanical engineering, moving services, transportation services, and urban agriculture.

Lastly, CCS successfully placed six students within two industries: culinary arts and urban agriculture.

Contract Compliance Services continued to support the District's implementation of Administrative Policies 3.10 and 3.13