

**MONTHLY REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE MILWAUKEE BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS
DECEMBER 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 December 2017 included the following:

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

- Visited various schools, including Maple Tree, Hawthorne, and River Trail
- Attended the skills competition at Bradley Tech High 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
 - Ashanti Hamilton, President, Milwaukee Common Council
 - David Bowen, State Representative
 - Joshua Parish, Captain, Milwaukee Fire Department
- Attended various district events, including the Black and Latino Male Achievement Mentor Luncheon
- Attended the Milwaukee Education Partnership's meeting
- Attended various community-based events, including the Milwaukee County Office on African American Affairs Youth Re-engagement Session

EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT OPERATIONS

- Met with district leaders to receive updates on district initiatives:
 - Darienne Driver, Ed.D., Superintendent
 - Jacqueline Mann, Ph.D., Board Clerk/Director, Office of Board Governance
 - Larry Miller, Vice-President, Milwaukee Board of School Directors
- Met with the Panasonic Foundation to discuss partnership with MPS