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TO: Board of Education

FROM: Dr. McGill, Superintendent

DATE: December 8, 2025
RE: Superintendent Report

BACKGROUND

I provide the Board of Education with a brief report at each regular Board of Education meeting, highlighting District activities and information.

SUMMARY

Strategic Planning Update

We hosted our orientation meeting with the strategic planning team on December 4th. <u>All of the materials are available for anyone to view on our strategic planning website</u>. Our full day Data Retreat meeting is tomorrow on December 9th. The product of this meeting will be a SWOT Analysis, which will be shared out for feedback from parents, community members, staff, and students.

IASA Joint Annual Conference

It was great to attend the joint annual conference this year with many of our board members. There were a variety of great talks and sessions for board members and administrators to attend.

Recognition of Marquitta Camacho-Hernandez!

We are excited to report that Marquitta has completed a rigorous 35-hour support professional program through the Illinois Association of School Business Officials (IASBO) and was recognized on Friday, December 4th at the SupportCon conference. We are very proud of Marquitta and her dedication to continuously improving in her work!

Upcoming GPS Parent Series Events

- Jeff Selingo with Ron Lieber; Dream School: Finding and Getting into the College That's Right for You, Wed Dec, 10 2025 @ Noon and 7pm CST
- Dr. Christopher Willard; Mental Health 101: Supporting Your Teen's Mental Health Journey in High School, College, and Beyond; Tue Dec, 16 2025 @ Noon and 7pm CST
- Ken Ginsburg, MD; Lighthouse Parenting: Guiding Teens to Develop Independence and Coping Skills to Navigate Their Own Journey, Tue Jan, 13 2026 @ Noon and 7pm CST

Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request(s)

We received a FOIA request from CT Mills requesting the following information. "The most current existing records listing all active employees within your school or district. To ensure our records remain accurate, we are requesting the latest version currently on file that includes the following fields: Full Name, Title/Position, Work Email Address, Work Location (School Name or Central Office)." We have responded to this request within the appropriate timeframe.

RECOMMENDATION(S)

None at this time.