

# Superintendent's Report

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**Month:** July 2025

**Administrator:** Dedrick Martin

**Update:**

**Letter to Speaker Hall:**

Attached is a copy of a letter that I've sent to the house speaker Rep. Matt Hall a few weeks ago. In short, the house presented a very concerning budget as it relates to possible funding shortages very late in the budgetary process. As you all know by now, we are still without a state level budget and school districts were forced to adopt a budget for the 2025-2026 school year without clarity on the funding levels that we will receive from the state of Michigan. That coupled with the passage of the "Big Beautiful Bill" at the federal level, districts of all types will feel an impact in the coming years (most of the fiscal impact will not begin until the 26-27 year and beyond).

**Urban Superintendent Conference of America:**

Last week, I was able to attend the Urban Superintendent's conference with both Dr. Slade from KPS and Dr. Thoenes from Comstock. This conference covered items from improving student achievement, staffing, finance, and multiple other topics impacting urban and urban adjacent districts across the country.