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TO: Education/Operations Committee of the Whole

FROM: Josh Viegut, Assistant Superintendent of Operations

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RE: Financial Projection Model Assumptions

Shared in this document are many of the key variables that contribute to the Frontline multi-year projection model. This is done in an effort to create a baseline using information representative of the current state, to which adjustments are subsequently made. The Frontline model primarily uses budget amounts from the 2024-25 WSD budget with percentages cast forward and adjustments made to create this baseline model. The supporting documents summarize these assumptions.

FY2025-26 5Cast Revenue and Expenditure Assumptions

EXPENDITURE ASSUMPTIONS

Salary Assumptions								
Projected % Salary Increases	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30			
x Teachers	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%			
x Teachers - Non-Salary Sched. (e.g. Appx. B)	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%			
x Administrators	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%			
x Clerical	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%			
x Custodial	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%			
x Municipal	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%			
x Food Service	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%	3.00%			
Teachers:	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30			
x Retirement FTE's per Year	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0			
x Retiree Salary or Salary Schedule Placement	\$80,593	\$82,409	\$84,243	\$86,095	\$87,966			
x Attrition FTE's per Year	45.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0			
x Attrition Salary or Salary Schedule Placement	\$54,506	\$55,051	\$55,602	\$56,158	\$56,719			
x New Hire Salary or Salary Schedule Placement	\$53,022	\$53,552	\$54,088	\$54,629	\$55,175			

Benefit Assumptions									
Percent of Payroll Benefits	FY24-25	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30			
x FICA/Medicare	7.65%	7.65%	7.65%	7.65%	7.65%	7.65%			
x WRS - Board	6.80%	6.90%	7.00%	7.10%	7.20%	7.30%			
x Life Ins. Obj 230	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%			
x Disability Ins. Obj 251	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%			
		FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30			
X Health Ins Percent Increase		5.00%	4.00%	4.00%	4.00%	4.00%			
x Dental Ins Percent Increase		0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%			

Non-Salary & Benefit Expenditure Assumptions								
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X	General Fund 10 Assumptions (% change)	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30		
	300 Purchased Services	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	400 Non-Capital Objects	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	500 Capital Objects	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	600 Debt Service	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	900 Other Expenditures	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
X	Utilities Assumptions (Function 2530) (% change)	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30		
_	331 Gas for Heat	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%		
	336 Electricity Other Than Heat	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%		
	337 Water	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%		
	338 Sewerage	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%		
	339 Other Utilities	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%		
x	Transportation Assumptions (Function 2560) (% change)	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30		
	341 Contracted Pupil Transportation	10.00%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%		
	348 Vehicle Fuel	0.00%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%		
x	District Insurance (% change)	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30		
	711 District Liability	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	712 District Property	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	713 Workers Compensation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	730 Unemployment Compensation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	790 Insurance & Judgements	0.0075	0.0070	0.0070	0.0070	0.00%		
х	Fund 27 Assumptions (% change)	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30		
_	300 Purchased Services	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	400 Non-Capital Objects	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	500 Capital Objects	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	600 Debt Service	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	900 Other Expenditures	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
X	Fund 50 Assumptions (% change)	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30		
_	300 Purchased Services	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	400 Non-Capital Objects	2.00%	2.00%	2.00%	2.00%	2.00%		
	500 Capital Objects	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	600 Debt Service	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	900 Other Expenditures	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
x	Fund 80 Assumptions (% change)	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30		
_	300 Purchased Services	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	400 Non-Capital Objects	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	500 Capital Objects	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	600 Debt Service	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
	900 Other Expenditures	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
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Manual Adjustments - Ongoing

Fund	Object	Function	Description	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30
			Open Enrollment Tuition (net expense					
10			increase)	2.00%	2.00%	2.00%	2.00%	2.00%
10			Wisc Parental Choice Program Vouchers	10%	0%	0%	0%	0%

REVENUE ASSUMPTIONS

Equalized Value/General State Aid/Revenue Limit		FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30
x Oct 15 Equalized Valuation (% change)		2.00%	2.00%	2.00%	2.00%	2.00%
x Oct 15 Exempt Computer (% change)		0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
x Per Pupil Revenue Limit Increase		\$325	\$325	\$325	\$325	\$325
x Transfer of Service (\$ amount)		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
x Per Pupil Categorical Aid Amount Increase		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other Revenue Assumptions	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30	
x Investment Income (% change)		-10.00%	-10.00%	-10.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Revenue Limit Exemptions		FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30
x Energy Efficiency, Debt Service (\$ amount)		\$2,102,620	\$2,104,070	\$0	\$0	\$0
x Energy Efficiency, Utility Savings (\$ amount)		\$31,322	\$32,574	\$0	\$0	\$0
Levy Assumptions	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30	
X Fund 80 Levy (\$ amount)		\$792,200	\$792,200	\$792,200	\$792,200	\$792,200
SPED Aid Reimbursement Percent	FY24-25	FY25-26	FY26-27	FY27-28	FY28-29	FY29-30
SPED Aidable Cost Reimbursement % (DPI Req.)	30.00%	33.30%	33.30%	33.30%	33.30%	33.30%