World’s Best Workforce
SPPS Annual Report

Regular Board of Education Meeting
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Purpose

The purpose of this presentation is to present SPPS’s World’s Best Workforce Annual Report for school year 2015-16 for approval by the School Board.
World’s Best Workforce

• The World’s Best Workforce (WBWF) Plan is required by Minnesota statute, section 120B.11

• The aim of the statute is to ensure every school district is making strides to improve student performance

• Ultimate goal is to ensure Minnesota’s students in the future will become the “world’s best workforce”
WBWF – Five Goals

• The WBWF Plan must address the following five goals:

- All children are ready for school
- All third graders can read at grade level
- All racial and economic achievement gaps are closed
- All students are ready for college and career
- All students graduate from high school
Strong Schools, Strong Communities 2.0

- SPPS is in the second phase of our strategic plan, Strong Schools, Strong Communities 2.0

- Three overarching goals:
  - Racial Equity Transformation
  - Personalized Learning
  - Ready for College and Career
  - Excellent PK-12 Programs with Connected Pathways
  - Systems that Support a Premier Education
VisionCards

- System for monitoring progress towards reaching the goals of SSSC 2.0
- Over 80 performance metrics organized on six VisionCards
- Throughout the year, each card is presented to the Board annually
Three Components

• So how are these three components tied together?

SSSC 2.0 is the **destination**

*Where we want go?*

**Road trip analogy**

WBWF is the **route**

*How will we get there?*

VisionCards are the **odometer**

*How far have we gone? How much farther do we need to go?*
All Students Ready for Kindergarten

• Metric: 70% of PreK students achieve letter recognition target as measured by PALS assessment.

• SY2015-16 result: 70%
All Students in Third Grade Achieving Grade-Level Literacy

• Metric: 45% of 3rd graders are proficient in Reading as measured by the MCA + MTAS

• SY2015-16 result: 37%
Close the Achievement Gaps Among All Groups

• Metric: Reduce gap between highest and lowest performing groups to 30 percentage points or less as measured by the Reading MCA + MTAS assessments for all students

• SY2015-16 results: 45 percentage points
All Students Career- and College-Ready by Graduation

• Metric: Proportionality ratio (student group % of those enrolled or passing classes / % of student group in the district) for Advanced CTE course enrollment and Advanced Course pass rate is 0.55 or greater for all racial groups

• SY2015-16 results:
  – Advanced CTE enrollment - lowest proportionality ratio: 0.92
  – Advanced Courses passing- lowest proportionality ratio: 0.61
All Students Graduate

• Metric: 60% or more students graduate in four years

• SY2015-16 results: 75%
Questions?

Full report can be found at:  
http://accountability.spps.org/spp

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