

**DeForest Area School District  
Board of Education Work Session Minutes  
Monday, September 9, 2024 – 6:00 pm.**

1.	<p>Convene</p> <p>A. President Gail Lovick called the September 9, 2024 work session of the DeForest Area School District’s Board of Education to order at 6:00 pm in The Glenn of the District Office, 500 S. Cleveland Avenue, DeForest, WI 53532.</p> <p>Superintendent, Dr. Rebecca Toetz verified that the meeting was properly noticed.</p> <p>Board members present: Jan Berg, Brian Coker, Sue Esser, Jeff Hahn, Linda Leonhart, Gussie Lewis, Gail Lovick, Stephanie Sarr, and Megan Taylor. Also present were administrators Dr. Rebecca Toetz, Kathleen Davis-Phillips, Dyanna Kadrich, Kate Dabetic, Chris Smith, Nate Jaeger, Roz Craney, and Kathy Williams.</p> <p>Stephanie Sarr recited the DeForest Area School District’s Mission, Vision, and Equity Statements.</p>
	<p>B. Approve Agenda</p> <p>On a motion by Sarr, seconded by Lewis, and passed unanimously by voice vote, the agenda was approved.</p>
2.	<p>Board Objective</p> <p>A. The Board will gain further understanding of discrepant and disproportionate data that has led to Department of Public Instruction (DPI) identifications that require monitoring and targeted action planning.</p>
3.	<p>Board Education (OE-10, R-2, R-3, R-4)</p> <p>A. Board education on data and District action planning in regards to disproportionate and discrepant identifications by Department of Public Instruction (DPI) - Dyanna Kadrich, Director of Student Services, and Percy Brown, Head of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion</p> <p><u>Discussion:</u> Dyanna Kadrich, Director of Student Services, and Percy Brown, Head of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion provided education and information on the District’s action plan and strategies to address disproportionate and discrepant identifications by the Department of Public Instruction.</p>
4.	<p>Debrief &amp; Adjourn</p>
	<p>Adjourn</p> <p>The Board of Education adjourned at 7:22 pm on a motion by Sarr, seconded by Coker, and passed unanimously by voice vote.</p>

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