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PARTNERSHIP SURVEY

Attached is a copy of the Partnerships With External Organizations Report for 2001-2002. In previous years, the report was combined to reflect both regular and career technical schools; however, this year, it has been revised. The career and technical schools have been extracted and presented separately, thus providing a more accurate representation of partnerships within the regular schools. There are also a Directory of Detroit Public Schools Partners and a Directory of Career and Technical Schools Partners.

Data from the survey indicate that 227 schools reported 1,256 partnerships; 27 schools submitted nil reports; 46 schools did not respond; and a decrease of 400 in the number of partnerships for 2001-2002 when compared to 2000-01. Data for the next report will be collected in the 2003-04 school year.

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PARTNERSHIPS WITH EXTERNAL ORGANIZATIONS

INTRODUCTION

This report provides the number of schools reporting partnerships, the number of partnerships, and the number of schools who submitted nil reports. This report also includes the names of the partner organizations, the goals, activities, years of service, amount of service, and monetary donations. Following are the objective, a description of the variable, report preparation information, and the presentation of data.

GOAL

Goal 3 Outcome 2 states: Gain additional support from the business and faith-based communities to help raise student achievement. The district target is for every school to have at least one effective partnership that is aligned with District goals and supports student achievement.

DESCRIPTION OF THE VARIABLE

The Office of Research, Evaluation, and Assessment in conjunction with Detroit Public Schools Partnership Office developed a Partnership with External Organization Survey Form. The form requested each of the district's schools to provide the following information: 1) name of partner (organization), 2) address of partner, 3) goals and objectives of the partnership, 4) activities, resources, and services provided by the partner, 5) length of service to the school (consecutive years of the partnership – year in which the partnership began), 6) number of individuals who provided service to the school this year as part of this partnership, 7) hours per week of participation, 8) contact person, name and telephone number, 9) description of the partner (education, business, service, etc., and 10) amount of monetary donations to the school. The survey was sent to every school in December 2001 to the attention of the principal. The instructions requested principals to complete a survey for each partnership within his/her school and return all completed surveys to the Office of Research, Evaluation, and Assessment by January 11, 2002.

REPORT PREPARATION

Queen Brame Loundmon, Office of Research, Evaluation, and Assessment, prepared this report.

PRESENTATION OF THE DATA

This report indicates the number of partnerships with external organizations within the Detroit Public Schools. The 1995-1996 partnership data show that 215 schools reported 1,003 partnerships; 37 schools submitted nil reports and 8 schools did not respond. The 1997-1998 data indicated that 246 schools reported 1,604 partnerships; 11 schools submitted nil reports and 3 schools did not respond. The 1999-2000 data indicated that 223 schools reported 1,656 partnerships; 16 schools submitted nil reports and 28 schools did not respond. The 2001-2002 data indicate that 227 schools reported 1,256 partnerships. Twenty-seven schools submitted nil reports and forty-six schools did not respond.

The 2001-2002 target was for **every school to have at least one effective partnership that is aligned with District goals and supports student achievement.** There was a decrease of 400 in the number of partnerships. The number of schools that submitted nil reports and the number of schools that did not return the completed survey increased. The target, therefore, was not met as indicated in Table 1.

Table 1

Partnerships with External Organizations Survey District Summary

Year	Number of Schools Reporting	Number of Partnerships	Nil	No Response
1995-96	215	1,003	37	8
1997-98	246	1,604	11	3
1999-00	223	1,656	16	28
2001-02	227	1,256	27	46

**NUMBER AND NAMES OF SCHOOLS
WITH NO REPORTS**

1.	African Heritage High School
2.	Barsamian Preparatory Center
3.	Barton Elementary School
4.	Beard (New)
5.	Beard Early Childhood Center
6.	Biddle Primary
7.	Birney Elementary School
8.	Brooks Middle School
9.	Burroughs Middle School
10.	Burton International
11.	Clippert Academy
13.	Crockett CT High School
14.	Detroit City High School
15.	Detroit HS Fine Arts
16.	Dossin Elementary School
17.	Durfee Middle School
18.	East Side Early Childhood
19.	Fine & Performing Arts, East
20.	Fitzerald Elementary School
21.	Ford High School
22.	Foreigh Language
23.	Franklin Adult Ed. Center
24.	Grayling Elementary School
25.	Guest Middle School
26.	Hanneman Elementary School
27.	Harding Elementary School
28.	Harris Adult Education Center
29.	Jamieson Elementary School
30.	Law Elementary School
31.	Longfellow Middle School
32.	Loving Elementary School
33.	MAAT Imhotep
34.	MarkTwain Elementary School
35.	McMichael Middle School
36.	Mumford High School
37.	Munger Middle School
38.	Nolan Middle School
39.	North Side Alternative
40.	Pitcher Elementary School
41.	Post Middle School
42.	Richard Elementary School
43.	Richards Elementary School
44.	Robeson Academy
45.	Stark School of Technology
46.	Van Zile Elementary School