



## Sauk County Directors of Pupil Services

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### LETTER OF ENDORSEMENT FOR TONY EVERS

Sauk County Directors of Pupil Services (SCDPS) is an independent entity representing six school districts in the greater Sauk County, Wisconsin region. The organization's mission statement is to work collaboratively to share and maximize resources available to serve the county's students with disabilities.

**SCDPS strongly endorses Mr. Tony Evers for Wisconsin State Superintendent of Schools.** Our organization judges that Mr. Evers' track record and forward-looking positions across a range of educational services and programs will increase opportunities for school districts to both maintain and enrich the educational climate for students with disabilities.

We believe that Mr. Evers provides resilient leadership that will lead to advancements in the following areas of public education:

- ✓ Program innovation – both to foster and to reward
- ✓ Promoting service learning and community collaboration
- ✓ Supporting districts in serving children with mental health needs
- ✓ Supporting on-line learning opportunities within all school districts
- ✓ Supporting districts in serving the increasing population of medically-involved children
- ✓ Creatively exploring options for teacher compensation and “teacher residency” programs

Mr. Evers presents with an impeccable record of distinct and distinguished public service throughout his entire career. He has positively influenced public education in his roles as high school principal, school district superintendent, Cooperative Educational Service Agency (CESA) administrator and Deputy State Superintendent of Schools. Mr. Evers does not confuse activity with accomplishment.

There are many proficient and dedicated leaders in education. There are also leaders, who, because of their commitment to education and students, must be considered outstanding. Tony Evers is such an individual.

SCDPS encourages others to align their support with Mr. Evers' campaign. Our organization pledges ongoing support and collaboration with Mr. Evers and stands willing and prepared to serve his administration pending his election to State Superintendent of Schools.

On behalf of SCDPS, it has been my privilege to have assembled this letter of endorsement.

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