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Dear Ms. Jones:

The data reported in the WISEdash public portal for Milwaukee Public Schools for 2016-17 four-year graduation rate and the 2016-17 dropout rate are not accurate and have been updated through data quality updates. Both metrics were impacted by students who completed the 2015-16 school year in MPS (end-of-year ISIS data) but were not enrolled or attending MPS in 2016-17 (WISEdata process). Additional time after the snapshot was needed to correct and validate the final data.

The updated and verified data indicate that Milwaukee Public Schools has:

2016-17 Four-Year Graduation Rate: 62.8%

2016-17 Dropout Rate: 5.0%

Any questions may be directed to:

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Best,

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