



Maria Norman is the new Fort Wayne Community Schools Board of Trustees president.

Norman an Advocate for Public Education as FWCS Board President

With all the graduations, retirement dinners, end-of-the-year concerts, and faculty appreciation celebrations, this is easily the busiest season of Maria Norman's year.

And that's all before including her full-time job as a student support services business analyst for Purdue Fort Wayne. Norman's "part-time" passion/hobby/calling is serving as the new Fort Wayne Community Schools Board of School Trustees president. Norman first joined the board in 2017 and was selected by her peers as president in January.

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Shuttle Program Looking for More Drivers

Organizers of the Purdue Fort Wayne student shuttle service are putting out help wanted signs to prepare for a major wave of students returning in August.

Nicknamed "Purduber" by a student when it started in January as a pilot program, the service transports students to Walb Student Union from various student housing locations. It was an immediate success and earned university approval to continue during the fall and spring semesters of the next academic year.

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CSSAC Excellence Nominations Accepted through July 14

The Purdue Fort Wayne Excellence Award honors administrative and service support staff members for excellence in service to the university community. All fully benefited members of the PFW campus who have completed one year of service are eligible for nomination.

Previous recipients are not eligible in the three years following their award, but are eligible thereafter. Staff members may nominate themselves or be nominated by another university employee.

Learn more about the Excellence Award and download nomination forms on the [Campus Support Staff Advisory Committee website](#). Nominations must be submitted no later than 5 p.m. on July 14.

In a Snap

Seen and noted around campus. Monitor our university social feeds for more great moments of Mastodon life.

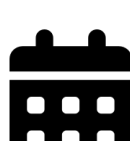


Samantha Theisen, sustainability coordinator for the Environmental Resources Center, and Eric Manor, director of well-being and recreation, greeted cyclists with snacks, drinks, and conversation early Friday morning as part of National Bike to Work Day.

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