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Financial Deficit

The current financial deficit was caused by the state, when it refused to honor its contract w

The St Louis schools sued the state and won the lawsuit in circuit court. The state appealed t

Politics within the St Louis Schools

Adding to the financial troubles are the political problems that began in 2003, when board con

There was nearly three years of disastrous performance in the St Louis schools. This majority

- There were three different superintendents within just one budget year;
- They closed 16 schools without regard to educational or community considerations, basi
- In the first two years, the learning environment deteriorated to the point of the whol

Before 2003, the students were making steady academic progress over the previous four years. A

The current St Louis schools board majority gained control in April of 2006.

Though overall improvements are expected in the next few years, the St Louis schools legacy fr

Budget Voted Down

The budget for the 2006-2007 school year proposed by the St Louis schools superintendent was s

Williams must trim down his proposed budget or locate new funding sources to support it, as we

Currently, the most urgent need for the St Louis schools is a measurable plan for solving the

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