



WESTERN RESERVE KINDERGARTEN LEARNING ACADEMY MAHONING COUNTY

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

Western Reserve Kindergarten Learning Academy Mahoning County 13850 W. Akron Canfield Road Berlin, Ohio 44401

To the Board of Directors:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Western Reserve Kindergarten Learning Academy, Mahoning County, Ohio (the Academy), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2009, which collectively comprise the Academy's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Academy's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of Western Reserve Kindergarten Learning Academy, Mahoning County, Ohio, as of June 30, 2009, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated July 26, 2010, on our consideration of the Academy's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. While we did not opine on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance, that report describes the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*. You should read it in conjunction with this report in assessing the results of our audit.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires. We have applied certain limited procedures, consisting principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measuring and presenting the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

Mary Taylor

July 26, 2010

Mahoning County, Ohio

Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2009 Unaudited

The discussion and analysis of the Western Reserve Kindergarten Learning Academy's (the "Academy") financial performance provides an overall review of the Academy's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the Academy's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the basic financial statements and the notes to the basic financial statements to enhance their understanding of the Academy's financial performance.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for 2009 are as follows:

In total, net assets were \$21,529 at June 30, 2009.

The Academy had operating revenues of \$178,403 and operating expenses of \$309,948 for fiscal year 2009. The Academy also received \$153,000 in federal and state grants and \$74 in interest income during fiscal year 2009.

Using these Basic Financial Statements

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements and notes to those statements. These statements are organized so the reader can understand the Academy's financial activities. The Statement of Net Assets and Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Assets provide information about the activities of the Academy, including all short-term and long-term financial resources and obligations.

Reporting the Academy Financial Activities

Statement of Net Assets, Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets and the Statement of Cash Flows

These documents look at all financial transactions and ask the question, how did we do financially during 2009? The Statement of Net Assets and Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Assets answer this question. These statements include all assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses using the accrual basis of accounting similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. These bases of accounting takes into account all of the current year's revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid.

These two statements report the Academy's net assets and changes in those assets. This change in net assets is important because it tells the reader that, for the Academy as a whole, the financial position of the Academy has improved or diminished. The causes of this change may be the result of many factors, some financial, some not. These statements can be found on pages 6 and 7 of this report.

The Statement of Cash Flows provides information about how the Academy finances and is meeting the cash flow needs of its operations. The Statement of Cash Flows can be found on page 8 of this report.

The table below provides a summary of the Academy's net assets for fiscal year 2009:

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Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2009 Unaudited

Net Assets	
	2009
Assets	
Current Assets	\$8,928
Capital Assets, Net	32,969
Total Assets	41,897
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	20,368
Net Assets	
Invested in Capital Assets	32,969
Restricted	3,000
Unrestricted (Deficit)	(14,440)
Total Net Assets	\$21,529

Over time, net assets can serve as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. At June 30, 2009, the Academy's net assets totaled \$21,529.

At year-end, capital assets represented 78.7 percent of total assets. The Academy purchased \$36,632 in capital assets during fiscal year 2009 consisting of furniture and equipment. There is no debt related to these capital assets. Capital assets are used to provide services to the students and are not available for future spending.

The table below shows the changes in net assets for fiscal year 2009:

Change in Net Assets

	2009
Operating Revenues	
State Foundation	\$177,500
Tuition and Fees	903
Total Operating Revenues	178,403
Operating Expenses	
Personal Services	53,951
Purchased Services	177,546
Materials and Supplies	74,788
Depreciation	3,663
Total Operating Expenses	309,948
Non-Operating Revenues	
Federal and State Grants	153,000
Interest Income	74
Total Non-Operating Revenues	153,074
Change in Net Assets	21,529
Net Assets Beginning of Year	0
Net Assets End of Year	\$21,529

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Capital Assets

At June 30, 2009, the Academy had \$32,969 invested in furniture and equipment. See Note 4 to the basic financial statements for more detail on capital assets.

Current Financial Related Activities

The Academy relies on the State Foundation Funds as well as State and Federal Sub-Grants to provide the monies necessary to operate the Western Reserve Kindergarten Learning Academy.

In conclusion, the Academy focuses on an innovative approach to meet the needs of young students, who in many instances have little or no exposure to formal education, by utilizing an all day, every day approach to kindergarten that allows for rapid accelerated learning depending on the student's assessed needs. The Academy is a public school that provides an alternative to the traditional educational setting and management will aggressively pursue adequate funding to secure the financial stability of the Academy.

Contacting the Academy's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide our clients and creditors with a general overview of the Academy's finances and to show the Academy's accountability for the money it receives. If you have any questions about this report or need additional financial information contact Carol E. Brobst, Treasurer, Western Reserve Local School District, 13850 Akron-Canfield Road, Berlin Center, Ohio 44401. The Treasurer may also be contacted by phone at 330-547-4100, extension 23203, or by email at wres_ceb@access-k12.org.

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Statement of Net Assets June 30, 2009

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Current Assets:	
Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$8,928
Non-Current Assets:	
Depreciable Capital Assets, Net	32,969
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Total Assets	41,897
Current Liabilities:	
Accounts Payable	20,368
Total Liabilities	20,368
Net Assets	
Invested in Capital Assets	32,969
Restricted for:	
Other Purposes	3,000
Unrestricted (Deficit)	(14,440)
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Total Net Assets	\$21,529

See accompanying notes to the basic financial statements

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Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Assets For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2009

Operating Revenues	
Intergovernmental - State Foundation	\$177,500
Tuition and Fees	903
Total Operating Revenues	178,403
Operating Expenses	
Personal Services	53,951
Purchased Services	177,546
Materials and Supplies	74,788
Depreciation	3,663
Total Operating Expenses	309,948
Operating Loss	(131,545)
Non-Operating Revenues	
Intergovernmental - Federal & State Grants	153,000
Interest	74
Total Non-Operating Revenues	153,074
Change in Net Assets	21,529
Net Assets Beginning of Year	0
Net Assets End of Year	\$21,529

See accompanying notes to the basic financial statements

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Statement of Cash Flows For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2009

Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	
Cash Flows from Operating Activities	
Cash Received from State Foundation	\$177,500
Cash Received from Services Provided	903
Cash Payments for Personal Services	(33,583)
Cash Payments to Suppliers for Goods and Services	(177,546)
Cash Payments for Materials and Supplies	(74,788)
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities	(107,514)
Cash Flows from Non-Capital Financing Activities	
Federal and State Grants	153,000
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities	
Acquisition of Capital Assets	(36,632)
Cash Flows from Investing Activities	
Interest Received	74
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	8,928
Cash and Cash Equivalents Beginning of Year	0
Cash and Cash Equivalents End of Year	\$8,928
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities	
Operating Income (Loss)	(\$131,545)
Adjustments:	
Depreciation	3,663
Changes in Assets and Liabilities:	
Increase in Accounts Payable	20,368
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities	(\$107,514)
See accompanying notes to the basic financial statements	

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Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2009

Note 1 - Description of the Kindergarten Learning Academy

The Western Reserve Kindergarten Learning Academy (the "Academy") is a nonprofit corporation established pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Sections 3314 and 1702. The Academy focuses on an innovative approach to meet the needs of young students, who in many instances have little or no exposure to formal education, by utilizing an all day, every day approach to kindergarten that allows for rapid accelerated learning depending on the student's assessed needs. The Academy is a public school that provides an alternative to the traditional educational setting. The Academy, which is part of the State's education program, is nonsectarian in its programs, admissions policies, employment practices and all other operations. The Academy may acquire facilities as needed and contract for any services necessary for the operation of the Academy.

The Academy is a legally separate, start-up community school, served by a Board of Directors. The three person Board of directors, appointed by the Western Reserve Local School District, consists of one Ellsworth Township Trustee, a School Improvement Consultant from the State Support Team, Region 5, and a licensed social worker who is also a member of the community.

The Western Reserve Local School District sponsored the Academy during fiscal year 2009. Based on the significant services provide by the District to the Academy, the Academy's purpose of service to the students within the District, and the relationship between the Governing Board of the District and the Board of Directors of the Academy, the Academy is a component unit of the District.

The Area Cooperative Computerized Educational Service System (ACCESS), under a purchased services basis with the Academy, provides internet, e-mail and other services to the Academy (Note 7). Personnel providing services to the Academy on behalf of the Western Reserve Local School District are considered employees of the District and the District shall be solely responsible for all payroll functions. The Academy provides services to approximately 52 students.

Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The basic financial statements (BFS) of the Academy have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The Academy also applies Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Statements and Interpretations issued on or before November 30, 1989, provided those pronouncements do not conflict or contradict GASB pronouncements. The Academy does not apply FASB Statements and Interpretations issued after November 30, 1989. The Academy's significant accounting policies are described below.

A. Basis of Presentation

Enterprise accounting is used to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises where the intent is that the costs (expenses) of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges or where it has been decided that periodic determination of revenues earned, expenses incurred, and/or net income is appropriate for capital maintenance, public policy, management control, accountability or other purposes.

Operating revenues are those revenues that are generated directly from the primary activity of the Academy. Operating expenses are necessary costs incurred to provide the service that is the primary activity of the Academy. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating.

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Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2009

B. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

Enterprise fund accounting uses a flow of economic resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, all assets and all liabilities are included on the Statement of Net Assets. The Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Assets presents increases (i.e., revenues) and decreases (i.e., expenses) in total net assets. Basis of accounting refers to when revenues and expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements. Basis of accounting relates to the timing of the measurements made. The accrual basis of accounting is used for reporting purposes. Revenues are recognized when they are earned, and expenses are recognized when they are incurred.

C. Budgetary Process

Unlike other public schools located in the State of Ohio, community schools are not required to follow budgetary provisions set forth in Ohio Revised Code Section 5705, unless specifically provided in the Academy's contract with its Sponsor. The contract between the Academy and its Sponsor requires the Academy to submit a financial plan detailing an estimated Academy budget for each fiscal year of the contract, or five years, whichever is less.

D. Cash

Cash received by the Academy is maintained in a demand deposit account.

E. Capital Assets and Depreciation

Capital assets are capitalized at cost or estimated historical cost and updated for additions and deletions during the year. The Academy maintains a capitalization threshold of \$1,000. The Academy does not have any infrastructure. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend an asset's life are not capitalized.

All capital assets are depreciated using the straight-line method. Equipment is depreciated over ten years.

F. Net Assets

Net assets represent the difference between assets and liabilities. Net assets invested in capital assets consist of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation. Net assets are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments.

The Academy applies restricted resources first when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available.

G. Intergovernmental Revenues

The Academy currently participates in the State Foundation Program and the State Special Education Program. Revenues received from these programs are recognized as operating revenues in the accounting period in which all eligibility requirements have been met. Other grants and entitlements are recognized as non-operating revenues in the accounting period in which all eligibility requirements have been met.

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Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the year when the resources are required to be used or the fiscal year when use is permitted, matching requirements, in which the Academy must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the Academy on a reimbursement basis.

The Ohio Department of Education conducts reviews of enrollment data and full-time equivalency (FTE) calculations made by the Academy. These reviews are conducted to ensure the Academy is reporting accurate enrollment data to the State, upon which State Foundation funding is calculated.

H. Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

I. Tax Exemption Status

The Academy is a non-profit organization that, in the opinion of legal counsel, is exempt from federal income taxes due to the Academy qualifying as an integral part of the Western Reserve Local School District.

Note 3 – Deposits and Investments

At June 30, 2009, the carrying amount of all Academy deposits was \$8,928. Based on the criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, "Deposits and Investment Risk Disclosures", as of June 30, 2009, all of the Academy's bank balance of \$27,263 was covered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, meaning none was exposed to custodial risk, as discussed below.

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of bank failure, the Academy's deposits may not be returned. All deposits are collateralized with eligible securities in amounts equal to at least 105 percent of the carrying value of the deposits. Such collateral, as permitted by the Ohio Revised Code, is held in single financial institution collateral pools at Federal Reserve Banks, or at member banks of the federal reserve system, in the name of the respective depository bank and pledged as a pool of collateral against all of the public deposits it holds or as specific collateral held at the Federal Reserve Bank in the name of the Academy.

Note 4 - Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, was as follows:

	Balance 6/30/08	Additions	Reductions	Balance 6/30/09
Capital assets being depreciated: Furniture, fixtures and equipment	\$0	\$36,632	\$0	\$36,632
Less Accumulated depreciation: Furniture, fixtures and equipment	0	(3,663)	0	(3,663)
Capital assets being depreciated, net	\$0	\$32,969	\$0	\$32,969

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Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2009

Note 5 – Risk Management

The Academy is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to contracted personnel; and natural disasters. For fiscal year 2009, professional liability is provided through the Ohio School Plan, under the Western Reserve Local School District's policy, with a \$4,000,000 annual aggregate/\$1,000,000 single occurrence limit and a \$2,500 deductible.

Note 6 - Purchased Services

For fiscal year ended June 30, 2009, purchased service expenses were as follows:

Professional and Technical Services	\$150,848
Attorney Fees	19,534
Property Services	1,070
Travel Expenses	1,836
Classroom Related Fees	3,362
Other	896
Total	\$177,546

Note 7 – Service Agreement

Area Cooperative Computerized Educational Service System (ACCESS)

The Academy entered into a one-year agreement commencing on July 1, 2008 and ending June 30, 2009, with ACCESS for internet access, electronic mail and the Ohio Uniform School Accounting System (USAS). Separate and apart from this agreement, the Academy agrees to obtain at its own expense, the additional computer and electronic equipment necessary for receipt of these services at the Academy's facilities. Through its Sponsor, the Academy paid ACCESS a monthly service fee during fiscal year 2009.

Note 8 - Contingency - Grants

The Academy received financial assistance from federal and State agencies in the form of grants. The expenditure of funds received under these programs generally requires compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements and are subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability. However, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims will not have a material adverse effect on the overall financial position of the Academy at June 30, 2009.



INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS REQUIRED BY GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Western Reserve Kindergarten Learning Academy Mahoning County 13850 Akron Canfield Road Berlin, Ohio 44401

To the Board of Directors:

We have audited the financial statements of Western Reserve Kindergarten Learning Academy, Mahoning County, (the Academy) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2009, and have issued our report thereon dated July 26, 2010. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Academy's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our audit procedures for expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not to opine on the effectiveness of the Academy's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we have not opined on the effectiveness of the Academy's internal control over financial reporting.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, when performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and timely correct misstatements. A material weakness is a deficiency, or combination of internal control deficiencies resulting in more than a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the Government's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and timely corrected.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be deficiencies, significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider material weaknesses, as defined above.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of reasonably assuring whether the Academy's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we tested its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could directly and materially affect the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and accordingly, we do not express an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters we must report under *Government Auditing Standards*.

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We did note certain matters not requiring inclusion in this report that we reported to the Academy's management in a separate letter dated July 26, 2010.

We intend this report solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management, Board of Directors, and the Academy's sponsor. We intend it for no one other than these specified parties.

Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

Mary Taylor

July 26, 2010



INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES

Western Reserve Kindergarten Learning Academy Mahoning County 13850 W. Akron Canfield Road Berlin, Ohio 44401

To the Board of Directors:

Ohio Rev. Code Section 117.53 states "the auditor of state shall identify whether the school district or community school has adopted an anti-harassment policy in accordance with Section 3313.666 of the Revised Code. This determination shall be recorded in the audit report. The auditor of state shall not prescribe the content or operation of any anti-harassment policy adopted by a school district or community school."

Accordingly, we have performed the procedures enumerated below, which were agreed to by the Board, solely to assist the Board in evaluating whether Western Reserve Kindergarten Learning Academy (the Academy has adopted an anti-harassment policy in accordance with Ohio Rev. Code Section 3313.666. Management is responsible for complying with this requirement. This agreed-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of these procedures is solely the responsibility of the Board. Consequently; we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose.

We noted the Board did not adopt an anti-harassment policy.

We were not engaged to and did not conduct an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on compliance with the anti-harassment policy. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board and Academy's sponsor, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

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July 26, 2010





WESTERN RESERVE KINDERGARTEN LEARNING ACADEMY

MAHONING COUNTY

CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

This is a true and correct copy of the report which is required to be filed in the Office of the Auditor of State pursuant to Section 117.26, Revised Code, and which is filed in Columbus, Ohio.

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

Susan Babbitt

CERTIFIED OCTOBER 5, 2010