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**BRUNSWICK CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
MEDINA COUNTY**

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## INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

Brunswick City School District  
Medina County  
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To the Board of Education:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Brunswick City School District, Medina County, Ohio (the District), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2010, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the District'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 the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Brunswick City School District, Medina County, Ohio, as of June 30, 2010, and the respective changes in financial position thereof and the budgetary comparison for the General Fund 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 January 21, 2011, on our consideration of the District'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.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require this presentation to include *Management's Discussion and Analysis*, as listed in the table of contents, to supplement the basic financial statements. Although this information is not part of the basic financial statements, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board considers it essential for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any other assurance.

We conducted our audit to opine on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements taken as a whole. The Federal Awards Receipts and Expenditure Schedule provides additional information required by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*, and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. The Federal Awards Receipts and Expenditures Schedule is management's responsibility, and was derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. This schedule was subject to the auditing procedures we applied to the basic financial statements. We also applied certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling this information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, this information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.



**Dave Yost**  
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January 21, 2011

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The discussion and analysis of the Brunswick City School District's (the "School District") financial performance provides an overall review of the School District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2010. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the School District's performance as a whole; readers should also review the notes to the basic financial statements and financial statements to enhance their understanding of the School District's financial performance.

**Financial Highlights**

Key financial highlights for 2010 are as follows:

- Total assets at the end of fiscal year 2010 increased \$3,554,200 over total assets at the end of fiscal year 2009. This is due to an increase in current assets related to cash, intergovernmental receivable and taxes receivable. Total liabilities at the end of fiscal year 2010 decreased by \$2,015,700 over fiscal year 2009. This decrease is related to long-term liabilities.
- In total, net assets increased \$5,569,900 from fiscal year 2009. This increase was split between unrestricted net assets of governmental activities of \$3,550,714 and in restricted net assets and invested in capital assets net of related debt of \$2,019,186.
- Total revenues were \$78,537,166 for fiscal year 2010. General revenues accounted for \$70,419,672, or 90 percent of all revenues, with tax revenue representing 55 percent of those revenues. Specific program revenues in the form of charges for services and sales, operating and capital grants, contributions, and interest accounted for \$8,117,494 or 10 percent of all revenues.
- The School District had \$72,967,266 in expenses related to governmental activities; only \$8,117,494 of these expenses were offset by program specific charges for services and sales, and operating and capital grants, contributions, and interest. General revenues (primarily taxes supplemented by grants and entitlements) of \$70,419,672 were adequate to provide for these programs.
- The general fund had \$64,545,025 in revenues and other financing sources and \$61,467,771 in expenditures and other financing uses for fiscal year 2010. The general fund's fund balance increased by \$3,077,254 from the prior fiscal year.
- Outstanding debt, excluding capital leases and compensated absences, decreased to \$15,791,894 in 2010 from \$18,105,971 in 2009 due to principal payments on tax anticipation notes and general obligation bonds.

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## **Using this Annual Financial Report**

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements and notes to those statements. The statements are organized so the reader can understand the Brunswick City School District as a whole entire operating entity. The statements then proceed to provide an increasingly detailed look at specific financial activities.

The *Statement of Net Assets and Statement of Activities* provide information about the activities of the whole School District, presenting both an aggregate view of the School District's finances and a longer-term view of those finances. Fund financial statements provide the next level of detail. For governmental funds, these statements tell how services were financed in the short-term as well as what remains for future spending. The fund financial statements also look at the School District's most significant funds with all other non-major funds presented in total in one column. In the case of the Brunswick City School District, the general fund is by far the most significant fund.

## **Reporting the School District as a Whole**

### *Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities*

While this document contains the large number of funds used by the School District to provide programs and activities, the view of the School District as a whole looks at all financial transactions and asks the question, "How did we do financially during fiscal year 2010?" The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities answer this question. These statements include *all non-fiduciary assets and liabilities* using the *accrual basis of accounting* similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. This basis 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 School District's *net assets and changes in those assets*. This change in net assets is important because it tells the reader that, for the School District as a whole, the *financial position* of the School District has improved or diminished. The causes of this change may be the result of many factors, some financial, some not. Non-financial factors include the School District's property tax base, current property tax laws in Ohio which restrict revenue growth, facility conditions, required educational programs, and other factors.

In the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities, Governmental Activities include the School District's programs and services, including instruction, support services (i.e. operation and maintenance of plant and pupil transportation), extracurricular activities, and non-instructional services (i.e. food service operations) and interest and fiscal charges.

## **Reporting the School District's Most Significant Funds**

### *Fund Financial Statements*

The analysis of the School District's major fund begins on page 8. Fund financial reports provide detailed information about the School District's major fund. The School District uses many funds to account for financial transactions. However, these fund financial statements focus on the School District's most significant funds. The School District's only major governmental fund is the general fund.

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**Governmental Funds** - Most of the School District's activities are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at year-end available for spending in future periods. These funds are reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting, which measures cash and all other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the School District's general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance educational programs. The relationship (or differences) between governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities) and governmental funds is reconciled in the financial statements.

**The School District as a Whole**

Recall the Statement of Net Assets provides the perspective of the School District as a whole. Table 1 provides a summary of the School District's net assets for 2010 compared to 2009:

**(Table 1)**  
**Net Assets**  
**Governmental Activities**

	2010	2009
<b>Assets</b>		
Current and Other Assets	\$ 58,754,976	\$ 54,805,810
Capital Assets, Net	18,798,008	19,192,974
<i>Total Assets</i>	77,552,984	73,998,784
<b>Liabilities</b>		
Current and Other Liabilities	41,230,732	41,560,152
Long-Term Liabilities:		
Due Within One Year	1,554,643	2,832,499
Due in More Than One Year	21,152,183	21,560,607
<i>Total Liabilities</i>	63,937,558	65,953,258
<b>Net Assets</b>		
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Debt	3,308,914	2,195,941
Restricted:		
Capital Outlay	2,696,666	2,781,001
Debt Service	1,011,487	736,456
Other Purposes	2,764,244	1,717,205
Set Asides	96,531	428,053
Unrestricted	3,737,584	186,870
<i>Total Net Assets</i>	\$ 13,615,426	\$ 8,045,526

Total assets increased by \$3,554,200, with the majority of this increase related to an increase in cash balances and intergovernmental receivables reported. Cash balances primarily increased as a result of the timing of expenditures as compared to when receipts were reported. Outstanding encumbrances at year end were just over \$3.1 million as compared to fiscal year 2009 of slightly over \$2 million. The primary cause of the increase in intergovernmental receivables was attributed to grants receivable, new to fiscal year 2010, as part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009.

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In fiscal year 2010, the total liabilities decreased by \$2,015,700. This decrease is due mainly to a decrease in long-term liabilities related to debt principal retirement.

Table 2 shows the changes in net assets for fiscal year 2010. Revenue comparisons to fiscal year 2009 show an increase in total revenues of \$376,237 in fiscal year 2010. Program expenses increased by \$4,164,951. This increase was most notably in the areas of instruction, operation and maintenance of plant, pupil transportation and operation of non-instructional services. The primary cause of these increases was related to annual salary and step increases.

**(Table 2)**  
**Governmental Activities**

	2010	2009
<b>Revenues</b>		
<b><i>Program Revenues</i></b>		
Charges for Services and Sales	\$ 2,962,522	\$ 2,985,818
Operating Grants, Contributions and Interest	4,934,539	5,247,931
Capital Grants, Contributions and Interest	220,433	344,411
<b><i>General Revenues</i></b>		
Property Taxes	39,017,344	39,370,959
Grants and Entitlements not Restricted to Specific Programs	31,094,588	29,756,334
Investment Earnings	29,060	180,324
Gain on Sale of Capital Assets	0	34,146
Miscellaneous	278,680	241,006
<b><i>Total Revenues</i></b>	<b>78,537,166</b>	<b>78,160,929</b>
<b><i>Program Expenses</i></b>		
Instruction:		
Regular	31,145,458	29,539,930
Special	7,830,635	7,562,062
Vocational	168,382	144,448
Other	1,755,908	1,600,660
Support Services:		
Pupils	5,664,838	5,055,213
Instructional Staff	3,081,895	3,241,124
Board of Education	732,256	752,590
Administration	4,691,986	4,220,205
Fiscal	576,992	1,355,689
Business	442,661	423,220
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	6,430,953	5,724,509
Pupil Transportation	4,951,195	3,858,167
Central	260,603	265,744
Operation of Non-Instructional Services:		
Food Service Operations	2,164,845	1,971,824
Community Services	445,843	493,944
Extracurricular Activities	1,719,088	1,683,613
Interest and Fiscal Charges	903,728	909,373
<b><i>Total Expenses</i></b>	<b>72,967,266</b>	<b>68,802,315</b>
Increase in Net Assets	<b>\$ 5,569,900</b>	<b>\$ 9,358,614</b>

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**Governmental Activities**

Several revenue sources primarily fund the School District's governmental activities. Property taxes account for the largest portion of general revenues having generated \$39,017,344 in fiscal year 2010, which is a slight decrease from property tax revenue in fiscal year 2009. Program and general revenues from operating and capital grants and entitlements, such as the school foundation program, are also a large source of revenue having generated \$36,249,560 in fiscal year 2010. With the combination of taxes and intergovernmental funding providing coverage for over 100 percent of all expenses in governmental activities, the School District monitors both of these revenue sources closely for fluctuations that would impact its activities.

Instruction comprises 56.1 percent of governmental program expenses. Additional support services, including pupils, instructional staff, board of education, administration, fiscal, central and business operations, comprise 21.2 percent of governmental program expenses. Operation of non-instructional services and extracurricular activities comprise 5.9 percent of total program expenses. Pupil transportation is 6.8 percent of the total and operation and maintenance of plant is 8.8 percent. Interest and fiscal charges, largely attributable to the servicing of outstanding bonds and capital leases account for the remaining 1.2 percent.

The *Statement of Activities* shows the cost of program services and the charges for services and grants offsetting those services. Table 3 shows, for governmental activities, the total cost of services and the net cost of services. That is, it identifies the cost of these services supported by tax revenue and unrestricted State entitlements.

**(Table 3)**  
**Governmental Activities**

	Total Cost of Services 2010	Total Cost of Services 2009	Net Cost of Services 2010	Net Cost of Services 2009
Instruction	\$ 40,900,383	\$ 38,847,100	\$ (38,485,363)	\$ (35,241,381)
Support Services:				
Pupils and Instructional Staff	8,746,733	8,296,337	(6,766,309)	(7,121,396)
Board of Education, Administration, Fiscal, Business and Central	6,704,498	7,017,448	(6,480,415)	(6,725,094)
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	6,430,953	5,724,509	(6,366,656)	(5,724,509)
Pupil Transportation	4,951,195	3,858,167	(4,888,080)	(3,691,360)
Operation and Non-Instructional Services	2,610,688	2,465,768	(268,428)	(211,480)
Extracurricular Activities	1,719,088	1,683,613	(690,793)	(599,562)
Interest and Fiscal Charges	903,728	909,373	(903,728)	(909,373)
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 72,967,266</b>	<b>\$ 68,802,315</b>	<b>\$ (64,849,772)</b>	<b>\$ (60,224,155)</b>

The dependence upon tax revenues for governmental activities is apparent, with over 88 percent of program expenses supported by property taxes and other general revenues.

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**The School District's Funds**

Information regarding the School District's funds starts on page 15. These funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. All governmental funds had total revenues and other financing sources of \$77,872,828 and expenditures and other financing uses of \$74,276,609. The net change in fund balance for the year was an increase of \$3,596,219. The general fund balance increased overall by \$3,077,254. In total, fiscal year 2010 revenue was lower than fiscal year 2009 while expenditures reflected a slight increase for the general fund. Other governmental funds balances increased overall by \$518,965. The School District understands the need for tax revenues as well as the need to monitor and control expenditures to ensure that it will be able to meet its obligations as they become due.

**General Fund Budgeting Highlights**

The School District's budget is prepared according to Ohio law and is based on accounting for certain transactions on a basis of cash receipts, disbursements, and encumbrances. The most significant budgeted fund is the general fund.

Requests for budget changes are made by building and central office administrators and where appropriate are approved by the treasurer and superintendent. Any increase in total fund appropriations is then recommended to the Board of Education for their adoption prior to submission to the Medina County Auditor as required by the Ohio Revised Code.

With regard to the general fund, the final budgeted revenue (including other financing sources) of \$64,760,754 was \$394,861 under original budget estimates of \$65,155,615. Actual revenues were \$1,346,444 less than final budget amounts.

Original appropriations (including other financing uses) of \$66,810,707 were the same as final appropriations and other financing uses. Actual expenditures, including other financing uses, were \$62,918,200, a difference of \$3,892,507, mainly in the areas of instruction and student support services, due to increases related to annual salaries and related costs.

**Capital Assets and Debt Administration**

**Capital Assets**

At the end of fiscal year 2010, the School District had \$18,798,008 invested in land, land improvements, buildings and improvements, furniture and equipment and vehicles. See Note 8 for additional details. Table 4 shows fiscal year 2010 balances compared with 2009.

**(Table 4)**  
**Capital Assets (Net of Accumulated Depreciation)**  
**Governmental Activities**

	2010	2009
Land	\$ 1,405,645	\$ 1,405,645
Land Improvements	784,709	831,121
Buildings and Improvements	11,809,939	12,161,734
Furniture and Equipment	1,537,354	1,669,153
Vehicles	3,260,361	3,125,321
Totals	<u>\$ 18,798,008</u>	<u>\$ 19,192,974</u>

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All capital assets, except land, are reported net of depreciation. The primary source of the decrease in capital assets is annual depreciation exceeding current year purchases.

Senate Bill 345 requires the School District to set aside \$171.96 per pupil of certain general fund revenues in each of two areas, one for the purchase of textbooks and instructional materials and the other for capital improvements. For fiscal year 2010, this amounted to \$1,180,932 for each set aside. The School District had qualifying disbursements or offsets exceeding the requirement for capital improvements. See Note 18 for additional set-aside information.

**Debt**

At June 30, 2010, the School District had \$15,791,894 in net bonds outstanding with \$1,135,082 due within one year. Table 5 summarizes bonds outstanding. A more detailed presentation is included in Note 14.

**(Table 5)**  
**Outstanding Debt at Fiscal Year End**  
**Governmental Activities**

	2010	2009
<b>General Obligation Bonds</b>		
School Improvement - 1999		
Series and Term Bonds	\$ 0	\$ 360,000
Capital Appreciation Bonds	1,060,324	979,077
School Improvement Refunding - 2000	1,550,000	1,950,000
School Improvement - 2000	0	205,000
School Improvement - 2003	501,485	551,846
School Improvement Refunding - 2005	6,124,899	6,244,790
School Improvement Refunding - 2009		
Series and Term Bonds	5,936,267	6,094,139
Capital Appreciation Bonds	618,919	565,119
<i>Total General Obligation Bonds</i>	15,791,894	16,949,971
<b>Notes</b>		
Tax Anticipation Notes - 2004	0	1,156,000
<i>Total Notes</i>	0	1,156,000
<i>Total Outstanding Debt</i>	\$ 15,791,894	\$ 18,105,971

**Current Financial Related Activities**

Brunswick City School District will have another year of financial stability. As the preceding information indicates, the School District heavily depends on its property taxpayers as well as state sources for its revenue sources.

The School District has received increases in voter-approved taxes three times since 1992. In that period of time the School District passed three new five-year emergency levies, nine emergency renewal issues, and one 28-year bond issue. In May 2005 and August 2005 the electors defeated two tax initiatives that could have raised approximately \$3.7 million per year. In November of 2007, there was a 1.45 mill (\$682,000) five year permanent improvement renewal levy passed. In May 2009 the voters renewed an

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Emergency Levy for an extended seven year period that was originally passed at 3.8 mills and is currently collecting at 3.1 mills. This levy received a 65.5% approval rate from the voters.

In May 2007, Medina County residents passed the first-ever Sales Tax Initiative for Permanent Improvements for School Districts. The one-half of one percent (0.5%) sales tax will generate approximately \$9.0 million dollars per year for the school districts in Medina County. Based upon our district's pro-rata share of the student population, Brunswick City Schools will receive approximately \$2.1 million per year. This levy became effective October 1, 2007 and will last until 2037.

In order to keep the promise to our voters, the Board of Education passed a resolution to suspend collection on the Permanent Improvement Levy that was renewed in November 2006. The result of the sales tax levy and the suspension of the PI levy will net the School District approximately \$1.6 million. This sales tax levy may only be used for capital type expenditures. The Board of Education has made a serious commitment to use these funds to upgrade technology district-wide. This includes computer labs in the high school and middle schools, and presentation stations in the elementary buildings. The *Technology Committee* presented a five-year plan to the Board of Education that received unanimous support and approval.

The School District also has an Emergency Tax Levy expiring in December 2011. This five year emergency levy generates approximately \$4.7 million and has been reduced from the initial 4.9 mills to 4.6 mills. The Board of Education has decided to attempt to renew this issue in November 2010. Due to a change in the law, the district opted to renew this emergency for a term that exceeds the initial five-year period, by extending the levy an additional two years. With other changes in the law the district may opt for a conversion levy to transform all emergency levies into permanent type levies, this would also require voter approval.

State law fixes the amount of tax revenue, forcing it to remain constant except for increases in valuation due to new construction in the School District. In addition, legislation passed in recent years has had the effect of further eroding tax revenues by the decrease in assessment rate upon both the inventory component of personal property tax valuation and public utility tangible property. House Bill (HB) 66 has also further eradicated personal (tangible) property tax revenue.

Externally, over fifteen years ago the *DeRolph* (school funding) Case was filed in Perry County, Ohio. The first case was heard in October 1993 and Judge Linton Lewis, Jr. ruled, in July 1994, the Ohio's school-funding system unconstitutional. Following his ruling, the 5<sup>th</sup> District Court of Appeals overturned Judge Lewis's decision after the State appealed the decision ruling that the state legislature should determine the level of funding. Following that ruling, over 82% of the state's public school districts appealed to the Ohio Supreme Court's decision.

In September 2001, the court again said that the system remains unconstitutional but ordered a fix to bring it up to Ohio's "thorough and efficient" standard.

In October 2003, the United States Supreme Court declined to hear the case as submitted by the *Ohio Coalition for Equity and Adequacy of School Funding*, and thus effectively ended the *DeRolph* litigation.

In 2004 Governor Bob Taft formed a 35-member "blue ribbon" commission to recommend changes to the school funding system. Taft's commission has found that Ohio's state share of school funding is below the national average, overall per pupil spending is above the national average, and the overall business tax burden is somewhere in the middle of surrounding states when you include Illinois.

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Governor Ted Strickland has vowed to enhance the availability of funds for primary and secondary education but the legislature has yet to cooperate with his mandate. There is also a grassroots effort to change the funding for education but it has yet had the required signatures for placement on the ballot. Governor Strickland has been in office almost four years and we have yet to see a fix.

A majority of the educators, lawmakers and business leaders supports asking the General Assembly to put a constitutional amendment on the ballot to alter a provision enacted in 1976 and added to the constitution in 1980. This provision is commonly known as House Bill (HB) 920 and it prohibits increases in real property tax revenue without a local vote. Ohio has had a provision similar to HB 920 in state law since 1925. The commission proposal would give all school districts 22 mills, from the current 20 mills, on real property in which the revenue would grow with inflation or increases in property values.

Currently the School District is at the 20-mill floor, like approximately 57% other Ohio school districts. The two additional mills on Residential, Agricultural, and other real property could generate an additional \$2.0 million per year for the School District. However, this action would be contrary to the ten-year old (March 1997) DeRolph decision by placing the burden back on the property owner.

Brunswick City School District has experienced a decrease in State revenue and is not anticipating future growth in State revenue (Basic Aid) based upon the most recent two-year state budget and recent cuts. Through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) the School District received approximately \$1.4 million in Federal dollars to augment the loss of State Revenue in the Foundation (Basic Aid) Program. This infusion of cash is only a two-year program and will expire at the end of fiscal year 2011.

The Federal government has also implemented an *Education Jobs Initiative* that will add approximately \$1.1 million in additional dollars to fund the employment/rehiring of displaced instructional staff. This again is a two year program with a limited lifespan.

The State of Ohio has also required public school districts to offer all day kindergarten (ADK) effective August 2010. Because of the lack of classrooms at our seven elementary buildings the district has undergone a construction project to expand five of those elementary buildings. The \$24 million project also included additions to one middle school and the high school. This construction project was bid in several phases and was funded without an increase in taxes to the voters.

The source of revenue for the \$24 million expansion was the sale of Certificates of Participation (COPs) which will be repaid through the *Medina County Sales Tax Fund*. At the close of last fiscal year (2010) the district had arranged the sale of the COPs. The district was able to sell a combination of Qualified School Construction Bonds (QSCBs), Build America Bonds (BABs), and the remainder Tax Exempt Debt (TEDs).

The School District was limited by the Ohio School Facilities Commission (OSFC) in the amount of QSCBs the district could issue. We sold \$4 million in QSCB, 16% of the total COPs issue at a net interest cost of less than one percent (0.94%). We sold \$15.5 million in BABs, 63% of the total COPs issue at a net interest cost of 4.22%. The remainder, \$5.1 million, was sold as TEDs at a net interest cost of 2.42%. The length of the entire issue is approximately 23 years and an average net debt service payment of less than \$1.6 million per year.

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Phase A of the project includes Applewood Elementary, Crestview Elementary, and Kidder Elementary. Phase B includes Hickory Ridge Elementary, Towslee Elementary, and Visintainer Middle School. The Phase A and B of the construction project should be finished prior to the start of the 2011-2012 school year. Phase C, the remainder of the project which includes the Transportation Department and the Brunswick High School Athletic Complex should start late this fall.

Challenges such as those noted above require management to carefully and prudently plan to provide the resources to meet student needs over the next five years and to increase its dependence upon local tax revenue.

In conclusion, Brunswick City School District has committed itself to providing the best available financial information. In addition, the School District's systems of budgeting and internal controls are well regarded. This commitment and attention to control mechanisms will serve to meet the challenges of the future.

**Contacting the School District's Financial Management**

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, investors, and creditors with a general overview of the School District's finances and to show the School District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have any questions about this report or need additional financial information, please contact Patrick K. East, Treasurer, at the Brunswick City School District, 3643 Center Road, Brunswick, Ohio 44212-0310, or by e-mail at [peast@bcsoh.org](mailto:peast@bcsoh.org).

**Brunswick City School District***Statement of Net Assets**June 30, 2010*

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	<u>Governmental Activities</u>
<b>Assets</b>	
Equity in Pooled Cash and Investments	\$ 16,369,770
Receivables:	
Taxes	37,678,069
Accounts	9,659
Intergovernmental	4,048,740
Prepaid Items	4,179
Inventory Held For Resale	62,094
Materials and Supplies Inventory	316,303
Deferred Charges	266,162
Nondepreciable Capital Assets	1,405,645
Depreciable Capital Assets (Net)	<u>17,392,363</u>
<i>Total Assets</i>	<u>77,552,984</u>
<b>Liabilities</b>	
Accounts Payable	439,238
Accrued Wages and Benefits	6,569,966
Matured Compensated Absences Payable	502,766
Accrued Interest Payable	79,106
Intergovernmental Payable	2,081,939
Accrued Vacation Leave Payable	144,092
Deferred Revenue	31,413,625
Long Term Liabilities:	
Due Within One Year	1,554,643
Due In More Than One Year	<u>21,152,183</u>
<i>Total Liabilities</i>	<u>63,937,558</u>
<b>Net Assets</b>	
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt	3,308,914
Restricted for:	
Capital Outlay	2,696,666
Debt Service	1,011,487
Set Asides	96,531
Other Purposes	2,764,244
Unrestricted	<u>3,737,584</u>
<i>Total Net Assets</i>	<u>\$ 13,615,426</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**Brunswick City School District**  
*Statement of Activities*  
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2010

	Program Revenues				Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Assets
	Expenses	Charges for Services and Sales	Operating Grants, Contributions and Interest	Capital Grants, Contributions and Interest	Governmental Activities
<b>Governmental Activities</b>					
Instruction:					
Regular	\$ 31,145,458	\$ 643,558	\$ 177,827	\$ 220,433	\$ (30,103,640)
Special	7,830,635	78,885	1,253,525	0	(6,498,225)
Vocational	168,382	0	40,792	0	(127,590)
Other	1,755,908	0	0	0	(1,755,908)
Support Services:					
Pupils	5,664,838	0	1,349,050	0	(4,315,788)
Instructional Staff	3,081,895	0	631,374	0	(2,450,521)
Board of Education	732,256	0	0	0	(732,256)
Administration	4,691,986	0	185,768	0	(4,506,218)
Fiscal	576,992	0	0	0	(576,992)
Business	442,661	0	0	0	(442,661)
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	6,430,953	64,297	0	0	(6,366,656)
Pupil Transportation	4,951,195	63,115	0	0	(4,888,080)
Central	260,603	0	38,315	0	(222,288)
Operation of Non-Instructional Services:					
Food Service Operations	2,164,845	1,092,477	851,987	0	(220,381)
Community Services	445,843	0	397,796	0	(48,047)
Extracurricular Activities	1,719,088	1,020,190	8,105	0	(690,793)
Interest and Fiscal Charges	903,728	0	0	0	(903,728)
<i>Total Governmental Activities</i>	<u>\$ 72,967,266</u>	<u>\$ 2,962,522</u>	<u>\$ 4,934,539</u>	<u>\$ 220,433</u>	<u>(64,849,772)</u>
 <b>General Revenues</b>					
Property Taxes Levied for:					
General Purposes					35,919,373
Debt Service					1,828,312
Capital Outlay					1,269,659
Grants and Entitlements not Restricted to Specific Programs					31,094,588
Investment Earnings					29,060
Miscellaneous					278,680
<i>Total General Revenues</i>					<u>70,419,672</u>
<i>Change in Net Assets</i>					5,569,900
<i>Net Assets Beginning of Year</i>					<u>8,045,526</u>
<i>Net Assets End of Year</i>					<u>\$ 13,615,426</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**Brunswick City School District***Balance Sheet  
Governmental Funds  
June 30, 2010*

	<u>General</u>	<u>Other Governmental Funds</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
<b>Assets</b>			
Equity in Pooled Cash and Investments	\$ 13,188,707	\$ 3,084,532	\$ 16,273,239
Restricted Cash and Investments	96,531	0	96,531
Receivables:			
Taxes	34,808,549	2,869,520	37,678,069
Accounts	6,760	2,899	9,659
Intergovernmental	159,601	3,889,139	4,048,740
Prepaid Items	4,179	0	4,179
Inventory Held For Resale	0	62,094	62,094
Materials and Supplies Inventory	316,303	0	316,303
<i>Total Assets</i>	<u>\$ 48,580,630</u>	<u>\$ 9,908,184</u>	<u>\$ 58,488,814</u>
<b>Liabilities and Fund Balances</b>			
<b>Liabilities</b>			
Accounts Payable	\$ 396,520	\$ 42,718	\$ 439,238
Accrued Wages and Benefits	6,192,595	377,371	6,569,966
Matured Compensated Absences Payable	502,766	0	502,766
Intergovernmental Payable	1,541,917	540,022	2,081,939
Deferred Revenue	30,134,697	5,314,303	35,449,000
<i>Total Liabilities</i>	<u>38,768,495</u>	<u>6,274,414</u>	<u>45,042,909</u>
<b>Fund Balances</b>			
Reserved for Encumbrances	1,088,958	2,045,636	3,134,594
Reserved for Property Taxes	4,833,453	463,778	5,297,231
Reserved for Textbook/Instructional Materials	96,531	0	96,531
Unreserved, Undesignated, Reported in:			
General Fund	3,793,193	0	3,793,193
Special Revenue Funds	0	(634,769)	(634,769)
Debt Service Fund	0	693,939	693,939
Capital Projects Funds	0	1,065,186	1,065,186
<i>Total Fund Balances</i>	<u>9,812,135</u>	<u>3,633,770</u>	<u>13,445,905</u>
<i>Total Liabilities and Fund Balances</i>	<u>\$ 48,580,630</u>	<u>\$ 9,908,184</u>	<u>\$ 58,488,814</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**Brunswick City School District**  
*Reconciliation of Total Governmental Fund Balances to*  
*Net Assets of Governmental Activities*  
*June 30, 2010*

<b>Total Governmental Fund Balances</b>		<b>\$ 13,445,905</b>
 <i>Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because:</i>		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds		18,798,008
Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current-period expenditures and therefore are deferred in the funds.		
Delinquent Property Taxes	\$ 967,213	
Local Grant From Sales Tax Levy	1,174,511	
Intergovernmental	1,893,651	4,035,375
In the statement of activities, bond issuance costs are amortized over the term of the bonds, whereas in governmental funds a bond issuance expenditure is reported when bonds are issued.		266,162
In the statement of activities, interest is accrued on outstanding bonds, whereas in the governmental funds, an interest expenditure is not reported until due.		(79,106)
In the statement of activities, bond refunding costs are amortized over the term of the bonds, whereas in governmental funds a bond refunding expenditure is reported when bonds are issued.		704,591
Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds.		
General Obligation Bonds	(13,846,485)	
Capital Appreciation Bonds, With Accretion to Date	(1,679,243)	
Bond Premium	(970,757)	
Capital Leases Payable	(632,612)	
Compensated Absences	(6,282,320)	
Accrued Vacation Leave Payable	(144,092)	(23,555,509)
 <i>Net Assets of Governmental Activities</i>		 <b>\$ 13,615,426</b>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**Brunswick City School District**  
*Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances*  
*Governmental Funds*  
*For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2010*

	General	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
<b>Revenues</b>			
Property Taxes	\$ 35,797,286	\$ 3,083,012	\$ 38,880,298
Intergovernmental	27,703,624	8,041,958	35,745,582
Investment Income	29,060	1,539	30,599
Tuition and Fees	728,355	0	728,355
Extracurricular Activities	150,742	869,070	1,019,812
Rentals	64,297	0	64,297
Charges for Services	0	1,092,856	1,092,856
Contributions and Donations	94	22,256	22,350
Miscellaneous	71,567	207,112	278,679
<i>Total Revenues</i>	<u>64,545,025</u>	<u>13,317,803</u>	<u>77,862,828</u>
<b>Expenditures</b>			
Current:			
Instruction:			
Regular	28,284,164	1,960,211	30,244,375
Special	6,697,045	857,722	7,554,767
Vocational	162,724	522	163,246
Other	1,717,004	38,904	1,755,908
Support Services:			
Pupils	4,407,663	1,157,313	5,564,976
Instructional Staff	2,422,001	554,212	2,976,213
Board of Education	254,610	477,646	732,256
Administration	4,307,716	227,859	4,535,575
Fiscal	494,286	60,513	554,799
Business	346,702	83,167	429,869
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	5,692,335	635,147	6,327,482
Pupil Transportation	3,771,389	777,261	4,548,650
Central	211,331	43,027	254,358
Operation of Non-Instructional Services:			
Food Service Operations	2,630	2,081,482	2,084,112
Community Services	12,152	426,071	438,223
Extracurricular Activities	1,417,482	301,606	1,719,088
Capital Outlay	0	927,731	927,731
Debt Service:			
Principal Retirement	1,156,000	1,507,938	2,663,938
Interest and Fiscal Charges	100,537	690,506	791,043
<i>Total Expenditures</i>	<u>61,457,771</u>	<u>12,808,838</u>	<u>74,266,609</u>
<i>Excess of Revenues Over Expenditures</i>	<u>3,087,254</u>	<u>508,965</u>	<u>3,596,219</u>
<b>Other Financing Sources (Uses)</b>			
Transfers In	0	10,000	10,000
Transfers Out	(10,000)	0	(10,000)
<i>Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)</i>	<u>(10,000)</u>	<u>10,000</u>	<u>0</u>
<i>Net Change in Fund Balance</i>	3,077,254	518,965	3,596,219
<i>Fund Balances Beginning of Year</i>	<u>6,734,881</u>	<u>3,114,805</u>	<u>9,849,686</u>
<i>Fund Balances End of Year</i>	<u>\$ 9,812,135</u>	<u>\$ 3,633,770</u>	<u>\$ 13,445,905</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**Brunswick City School District**  
*Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes  
in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities  
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2010*

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**Net Change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds** \$ 3,596,219

*Amounts reported for governmental activities in the  
statement of activities are different because:*

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which depreciation exceeded capital outlay in the current period.

Capital Asset Additions	\$ 827,604	
Current Year Depreciation	<u>(1,218,614)</u>	(391,010)

Governmental funds only report the disposal of capital assets to the extent proceeds are received from the sale. In the statement of activities, a gain or loss is reported for each disposal.

(3,956)

Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds.

Delinquent Property Taxes	137,046	
Sales Tax	(135,079)	
Grants	<u>672,371</u>	674,338

Repayment of debt principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the statement of net assets.

Bond Principal	1,275,361	
Tax Anticipation Note Principal	1,156,000	
Capital Lease Principal	<u>232,577</u>	2,663,938

In the statement of activities, interest is accrued on outstanding bonds, whereas in governmental funds, an interest expenditure is reported when due.

22,360

Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.

Accrued Vacation Leave Payable	3,430	
Compensated Absences	(860,374)	
Loss on Refunding Amortization	(46,059)	
Capital Appreciation Bond Accretion	(135,047)	
Bond Issuance Costs Amortization	(17,761)	
Bond Premium Amortization	<u>63,822</u>	<u>(991,989)</u>

*Change in Net Assets of Governmental Activities* \$ 5,569,900

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**Brunswick City School District**  
*Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance -  
 Budget (Non-GAAP Basis) and Actual  
 General Fund  
 For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2010*

	Budgeted Amounts			Variance With Final Budget Over (Under)
	Original	Final	Actual	
<b>Revenues</b>				
Property Taxes	\$ 36,444,494	\$ 35,995,600	\$ 34,031,374	\$ (1,964,226)
Intergovernmental	27,039,108	27,091,199	27,703,624	612,425
Investment Income	25,948	25,998	26,586	588
Tuition and Fees	710,231	711,600	727,686	16,086
Extracurricular Activities	146,905	147,188	150,515	3,327
Rentals	70,067	70,202	71,789	1,587
Contributions and Donations	92	92	94	2
Miscellaneous	54,870	54,975	71,423	16,448
<i>Total Revenues</i>	<u>64,491,715</u>	<u>64,096,854</u>	<u>62,783,091</u>	<u>(1,313,763)</u>
<b>Expenditures</b>				
Current:				
Instruction:				
Regular	30,225,468	30,225,468	28,430,451	1,795,017
Special	7,327,469	7,327,469	6,892,308	435,161
Vocational	186,598	186,598	175,516	11,082
Other	2,027,587	2,027,587	1,907,174	120,413
Support Services				
Pupils	4,520,984	4,520,984	4,252,494	268,490
Instructional Staff	2,599,010	2,599,010	2,444,661	154,349
Board of Education	290,719	290,719	273,454	17,265
Administration	4,512,213	4,512,213	4,244,244	267,969
Fiscal	1,226,535	1,226,535	1,153,694	72,841
Business	395,964	395,964	372,449	23,515
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	6,346,266	6,346,266	5,969,377	376,889
Pupil Transportation	4,149,073	4,149,073	3,902,670	246,403
Central	237,074	237,074	222,995	14,079
Operation of Non-Instructional Services				
Food Service Operations	2,796	2,796	2,630	166
Community Services	2,445	2,445	2,300	145
Extracurricular Activities	1,493,969	1,493,969	1,405,246	88,723
Debt Service:				
Principal Retirement	1,156,000	1,156,000	1,156,000	0
Interest and Fiscal Charges	100,537	100,537	100,537	0
<i>Total Expenditures</i>	<u>66,800,707</u>	<u>66,800,707</u>	<u>62,908,200</u>	<u>3,892,507</u>
<i>Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures</i>	<u>(2,308,992)</u>	<u>(2,703,853)</u>	<u>(125,109)</u>	<u>2,578,744</u>
<b>Other Financing Sources (Uses)</b>				
Proceeds from Sale of Assets	34,700	34,700	0	(34,700)
Refund of Prior Year Expenditures	629,200	629,200	631,219	2,019
Transfers Out	(10,000)	(10,000)	(10,000)	0
<i>Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)</i>	<u>653,900</u>	<u>653,900</u>	<u>621,219</u>	<u>(32,681)</u>
<i>Net Change in Fund Balance</i>	<u>(1,655,092)</u>	<u>(2,049,953)</u>	<u>496,110</u>	<u>2,546,063</u>
<i>Fund Balance Beginning of Year</i>	<u>9,889,529</u>	<u>9,889,529</u>	<u>9,889,529</u>	<u>0</u>
<i>Prior Year Encumbrances Appropriated</i>	<u>1,262,929</u>	<u>1,262,929</u>	<u>1,262,929</u>	<u>0</u>
<i>Fund Balance End of Year</i>	<u>\$ 9,497,366</u>	<u>\$ 9,102,505</u>	<u>\$ 11,648,568</u>	<u>\$ 2,546,063</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**Brunswick City School District**  
*Statement of Fiduciary Assets and Liabilities*  
*Agency Funds*  
*June 30, 2010*

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	<u>Agency</u>
<b>Assets</b>	
Equity in Pooled Cash and Investments	\$ 205,901
<b>Liabilities</b>	
Accounts Payable	\$ 896
Due to Students	205,005
<i>Total Liabilities</i>	<u>\$ 205,901</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**Brunswick City School District**  
*Notes to the Basic Financial Statements*  
*For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2010*

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**NOTE 1: DESCRIPTION OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT AND REPORTING ENTITY**

Brunswick City School District (the “School District”) is organized under Article VI, Sections 2 and 3 of the Constitution of the State of Ohio. The School District operates under a locally-elected Board form of government consisting of five-members elected at-large for staggered four year terms. The School District provides educational services as authorized by State statute and federal guidelines.

The School District is located in Medina County and encompasses the entire City of Brunswick. The Board of Education controls the School District’s 11 instructional/support facilities staffed by 316 classified employees and 513 certificated full-time teaching personnel who provide services to 7,602 students and other community members.

***Reporting Entity***

A reporting entity is comprised of the primary government, component units and other organizations that are included to ensure that the financial statements are not misleading. The primary government of the School District consists of all funds, departments, boards and agencies that are not legally separate from the School District. For Brunswick City School District, this includes the following services: general operations, food service, preschool and student related activities of the School District. The following activities are also included within the reporting entity:

*Non-public Schools* – Within the School District boundaries, St. Ambrose and St. Mark’s are operated as non-public schools. Current State legislation provides funding to these schools. These monies are received and disbursed on behalf of the schools by the Treasurer of the School District, as directed by the schools. This activity is reflected in a special revenue fund for financial reporting purposes.

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the School District is financially accountable. The School District is financially accountable for an organization if the School District appoints a voting majority of the organization’s governing board and (1) the School District is able to significantly influence the programs or services performed or provided by the organization; or (2) the School District is legally entitled to or can otherwise access the organization’s resources; the School District is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the responsibility to finance deficits of, or provide financial support to, the organization; or the School District is obligated for the debt of the organization. Component units may also include organizations that are fiscally dependent on the School District in that the School District approves the budget, the issuance of debt, or the levying of taxes. The School District has no component units.

The School District participates in three jointly governed organizations and two public entity risk pools. These organizations are the Medina County Career Center, the Ohio Schools Council Association, the Northeast Ohio Network for Educational Technology (NEOnet), the Ohio School Boards Association Workers’ Compensation Group Rating Program and the Suburban Health Consortium. These organizations are presented in Notes 16 and 17 to the basic financial statements.

**Brunswick City School District**  
*Notes to the Basic Financial Statements*  
*For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2010*

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**NOTE 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The Brunswick City School District applies generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) that were issued prior to November 30, 1989 by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) to its governmental funds provided they not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements. The FASB has codified its standards and the standards issued prior to November 30, 1989 are included in the codification. The more significant of the School District's accounting policies are shown below.

***A. Basis of Presentation***

The School District's basic financial statements consist of government-wide statements, including a statement of net assets and a statement of activities, and fund financial statements which provide a more detailed level of financial information.

***Government-wide Financial Statements*** - The statement of net assets and the statement of activities display information about the School District as a whole. These statements include the financial activities of the primary government, except for fiduciary funds.

The statement of net assets presents the financial condition of the governmental activities of the School District at fiscal year end. The statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each program or function of the School District's governmental activities. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a service, program, or department and, therefore, clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include charges paid by the recipient of the goods or services offered by the program, grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program and interest earned on grants that is required to be used to support a particular program. Revenues which are not classified as program revenues are presented as general revenues of the School District, with certain limited exceptions. The comparison of direct expenses with program revenues identifies the extent to which each governmental function is self-financing or draws from the general revenues of the School District.

***Fund Financial Statements*** - During the year, the School District segregates transactions related to certain School District functions or activities in separate funds in order to aid financial management and to demonstrate legal compliance. Fund financial statements are designed to present financial information of the School District at this more detailed level. The focus of governmental fund financial statements is on major funds. Each major fund is presented in a separate column. Non-major funds are aggregated and presented in a single column. Fiduciary funds are reported by type.

***B. Fund Accounting***

The School District uses funds to maintain its financial records during the year. A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. The funds of the School District are divided into the two categories, governmental and fiduciary.

**Brunswick City School District**  
*Notes to the Basic Financial Statements*  
*For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2010*

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**NOTE 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**Governmental Funds** - Governmental funds are those through which most governmental functions typically are financed. Governmental fund reporting focuses on the sources, uses, and balances of current financial resources. Expendable assets are assigned to the various governmental funds according to the purposes for which they may or must be used. Current liabilities are assigned to the fund from which they will be paid. The difference between governmental fund assets and liabilities is reported as fund balance. The following is the School District's major governmental fund:

**General Fund** - The general fund is the operating fund of the School District and is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

The other governmental funds of the School District account for grants and other resources whose use is restricted to a particular purpose.

**Fiduciary Fund Type** - Fiduciary fund reporting focuses on net assets and changes in net assets. The fiduciary fund category is split into four classifications: pension trust funds, investment trust funds, private purpose trust funds, and agency funds. Trust funds are used to account for assets held by the School District under a trust agreement for individuals, private organizations, or other governments and are, therefore, not available to support the School District's own programs. The School District has no trust funds. The School District's agency funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of results of operations. The School District's two agency funds account for student activities and employee medical savings accounts.

**C. Measurement Focus**

**Government-wide Financial Statements** - The government-wide financial statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus. All assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of the School District are included on the statement of net assets. The statement of activities presents increases (i.e., revenues) and decreases (i.e., expenses) in total net assets.

**Fund Financial Statements** - All governmental funds are accounted for using a flow of current financial resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities generally are included on the balance sheet. The statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances reports on the sources (i.e., revenues and other financing sources) and uses (i.e., expenditures and other financing uses) of current financial resources. This approach differs from the manner in which the governmental activities of the government-wide financial statements are prepared. Governmental fund financial statements, therefore, include a reconciliation with brief explanations to better identify the relationship between the government-wide statements and the statements for governmental funds.

**D. Basis of Accounting**

Basis of accounting determines when transactions are recorded in the financial records and reported on the financial statements. Government-wide financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Governmental funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting. Differences in the accrual and the modified accrual basis of accounting arise in the recognition of revenue, the recording of deferred revenue, and in the presentation of expenses versus expenditures.

**Brunswick City School District**  
*Notes to the Basic Financial Statements*  
*For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2010*

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**NOTE 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**Revenues – Exchange and Non-Exchange Transactions** - Revenue resulting from exchange transactions, in which each party gives and receives essentially equal value, is recorded on the accrual basis when the exchange takes place. On a modified accrual basis, revenue is recorded in the fiscal year in which the resources are measurable and become available. Available means that the resources will be collected within the current fiscal year or are expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current fiscal year. For the School District, available means expected to be received within sixty days of the fiscal year-end.

Non-exchange transactions, in which the School District receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include property taxes, grants, entitlements, and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied (See Note 6). Revenue from grants, entitlements, and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied. Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the fiscal year when the resources are required to be used or the fiscal year when use is first permitted, matching requirements, in which the School District must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the School District on a reimbursement basis. On a modified accrual basis, revenue from non-exchange transactions must also be available before it can be recognized.

Under the modified accrual basis, the following revenue sources are considered to be both measurable and available at fiscal year-end: property taxes available as an advance, interest, tuition, grants, student fees and rentals.

**Deferred Revenue** – Deferred revenue arises when assets are recognized before revenue recognition criteria have been satisfied.

Property taxes for which there is an enforceable legal claim as of June 30, 2010, but which were levied to finance fiscal year 2011 operations, have been recorded as deferred revenue. Grants and entitlements received before the eligibility requirements are met are also recorded as deferred revenue.

On governmental fund financial statements, receivables that will not be collected within the available period have also been reported as deferred revenue.

**Expenses/Expenditures** - On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred.

The measurement focus of governmental fund accounting is on decreases in net financial resources (expenditures) rather than expenses. Expenditures are generally recognized in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred, if measurable. Allocations of cost, such as depreciation and amortization, are not recognized in governmental funds.

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**NOTE 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

***E. Budgetary Data***

All funds, other than agency funds, are legally required to be budgeted and appropriated. The major documents prepared are the tax budget, the appropriation resolution and the certificate of estimated resources, which are prepared on the budgetary basis of accounting. The tax budget demonstrates a need for existing or increased tax rates. The certificate of estimated resources establishes a limit on the amounts that the Board of Education may appropriate. The appropriation resolution is the Board's authorization to spend resources and set annual limits on expenditures plus encumbrances at a level of control selected by the Board. The legal level of control has been established by the Board of Education at the fund level. The Treasurer has been given the authority to allocate appropriations to the function and object level within each fund. The budgetary statement is presented beyond that legal level of control for information purposes only.

The certificate of estimated resources may be amended during the year if projected increases or decreases in revenue are identified by the School District Treasurer. The amounts reported as the original budgeted amounts in the budgetary statement reflects the amounts in the certificate when the original appropriations were adopted. The amounts reported as the final budgeted amounts in the budgetary statement reflects the amounts in the amended certificate that was in effect at the time the final appropriations were passed by the Board of Education.

The appropriation resolution is subject to amendment by the Board throughout the year with the restriction that appropriations may not exceed estimated resources by fund. The amounts reported as the original budgeted amounts reflect the first appropriation for that fund that covered the entire fiscal year, including amounts automatically carried over from prior fiscal years. The amounts reported as the final budgeted amounts represent the final appropriation amounts passed by the Board during the fiscal year.

***F. Cash and Investments***

To improve cash management, all cash received by the School District is pooled. Monies for all funds are maintained in this pool. Individual fund integrity is maintained through School District records. Interest in the pool is presented as "equity in pooled cash and investments" on the basic financial statements.

During fiscal year 2010, investments were limited to a money market mutual fund, government agency securities, repurchase agreements and STAROhio.

Except for non participating investment contracts, investments are reported at fair value, which is based on quoted market prices. Nonparticipating investment contracts such as repurchase agreements are reported at cost.

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**NOTE 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

STAROhio is an investment pool managed by the State Treasurer's Office which allows governments within the State to pool their funds for investment purposes. STAROhio is not registered with the SEC as an investment company but does operate in a manner consistent with Rule 2a7 of the Investment Company Act of 1940. Investments in STAROhio are valued at STAROhio's share price which is the price the investment could be sold for on June 30, 2010.

Following Ohio statutes, the Board of Education has, by resolution, specified the funds to receive an allocation of interest earnings. Interest revenue credited to the general fund during fiscal year 2010 amounted to \$29,060, which includes \$5,720 assigned from other School District funds.

Investments of the cash management pool and investments with an original maturity of three months or less at the time they are purchased by the District are presented on the financial statements as "equity in pooled cash and investments." Investments with an original maturity of more than three months that are not made from the pool are reported as "investments."

***G. Restricted Assets***

Assets are reported as restricted when limitations on their use change the normal understanding of the availability of the asset. Such constraints are either externally imposed by creditors, contributor, grantors, or laws of other governments or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation. Restricted assets include amounts required by State statute to be set aside for the purchase of textbooks. See Note 18 for additional information regarding set-asides.

***H. Inventory***

Inventories are presented at cost on a first-in, first-out basis and are expended/expensed when used.

Inventories consist of donated food, purchased food, and school supplies held for resale, and materials and supplies held for consumption.

***I. Deferred Charges***

On the governmental fund statements, bond issuance costs are recorded as an expenditure when incurred. Bond issuance costs are reported as deferred and amortized over the term of the bonds using the straight-line method on the government-wide statements since the results are not significantly different from the effective interest method.

***J. Capital Assets***

All capital assets of the School District are classified as general capital assets. They generally result from expenditures in the governmental funds. These assets are reported in the governmental activities column of the government-wide statement of net assets but are not reported in the fund financial statements.

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**NOTE 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

Capital assets are capitalized at cost (or estimated historical cost) and updated for additions and retirements during the year. The School District was able to estimate the historical cost for the initial reporting of assets by back-trending (i.e., estimating the current replacement cost of the asset to be capitalized and using an appropriate price-level index to deflate the cost to the acquisition year or estimated acquisition year). Donated capital assets are recorded at their fair market values as of the date received. The School District maintains a capitalization threshold of \$5,000. The School District does not possess any infrastructure. Improvements are capitalized; the costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the assets or materially extend an asset's life are not.

All reported capital assets, except land are depreciated. Improvements are depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related capital assets. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

<b>Description</b>	<b>Estimated Lives</b>
Land Improvements	10-30 Years
Buildings and Improvements	75 Years
Furniture and Equipment	6-12 Years
Vehicles	3-10 Years

***K. Compensated Absences***

Vacation benefits are accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned if the employees' rights to receive compensation are attributable to services already rendered and it is probable that the employer will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or some other means. The School District records a liability for accumulated unused vacation time when earned for all employees with more than one year of service.

Sick leave benefits are accrued as a liability using the termination payment method. An accrual for sick leave is made to the extent that it is probable that benefits will result in termination payments. The liability is an estimate based on the School District's past experience of making termination payments.

On the governmental fund statements, compensated absences are recognized as a liability and expenditure to the extent payments come due each period upon the occurrence of employee resignations and retirements. These amounts are recorded in the account "matured compensated absences payable" in the funds from which the employee will be paid.

***L. Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Obligations***

All payables, accrued liabilities, and long-term obligations are reported in the government-wide financial statements.

In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current financial resources are reported as obligations of the funds. However, compensated absences and claims and judgments that will be paid from governmental funds are reported as a liability in the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are due for payment during the current fiscal year. Bonds, notes and capital lease obligations are recognized as a liability on the governmental fund financial statements when due.

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**NOTE 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

***M. Interfund Activity***

Exchange transactions between funds are reported as revenues in the seller funds and as expenditures in the purchaser funds. Flows of cash or goods from one fund to another without a requirement for repayment are reported as interfund transfers. Interfund transfers are reported as other financing sources/uses in governmental funds. Repayments from funds responsible for particular expenditures to the funds that initially paid for them are not presented on the financial statements.

***N. Net Assets***

Net assets represent the difference between assets and liabilities. Net assets invested in capital assets, net of related debt consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowings used for the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets. Net assets are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through enabling legislation or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors, or laws or regulations of other governments. At June 30, 2010, none of the School District's net assets were restricted by enabling legislation.

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

***O. Fund Balance Reserves***

The School District records reservations for portions of fund equity which are legally segregated for a specific future use or which do not represent available spendable resources and, therefore, are not available for appropriations for expenditures. Undesignated fund balance indicates that portion of fund equity, which is available for appropriation, in future periods. Fund balance reserves have been established for encumbrances, property taxes and textbooks.

The reserve for property taxes represents taxes recognized as revenue under generally accepted accounting principles but not available for appropriations under state statute.

***P. Extraordinary and Special Items***

Extraordinary items are transactions or events that are both unusual in nature and infrequent in occurrence. Special items are transactions or events that are within the control of the Board of Education and that are either unusual in nature or infrequent in occurrence. Neither type of transaction occurred during fiscal year 2010.

***Q. Estimates***

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles 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.

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**NOTE 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

***R. Changes in Accounting Principles***

For the year ended June 30, 2010, the School District has implemented GASB Statement No. 51, “*Accounting and Financial Reporting for Intangible Assets*,” GASB Statement No. 53, “*Accounting and Financial Reporting for Derivative Instruments*,” and GASB Statement No. 58, “*Accounting and Financial Reporting for Chapter 9 Bankruptcies*.”

GASB Statement No. 51 establishes standards of accounting and financial reporting for intangible assets for all state and local governments. Inconsistencies in the accounting and financial reporting for intangible assets, particularly in the areas of recognition, initial measurement, and amortization, have occurred in practice due to the absence of sufficiently specific authoritative guidance that addresses these questions. The objective of this Statement is to establish accounting and financial reporting requirements for intangible assets to reduce these inconsistencies, thereby enhancing the comparability of the accounting and financial reporting of such assets among state and local governments.

GASB Statement No. 53 addresses the recognition, measurement, and disclosure of information regarding derivative instruments entered into by state and local governments.

GASB Statement No. 58 provides accounting and financial reporting guidance for governments that have petitioned for protection from creditors by filing for bankruptcy under Chapter 9 of the United States Bankruptcy Code.

Implementation of these GASB Statements did not affect the presentation of the financial statements of the School District.

**NOTE 3: FUND DEFICITS**

The food service fund had a deficit fund balance of \$153,122 at June 30, 2010. A deficit in this non-major special revenue funds is due to adjustments for accrued liabilities. The general fund is liable for any deficit in this fund and provides transfers when cash is required, rather than when accruals occur.

**NOTE 4: BUDGETARY BASIS OF ACCOUNTING**

While the School District is reporting financial position, results of operations, and changes in fund balance on the basis of generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP), the budgetary basis as provided by law is based upon accounting for certain transactions on a basis of cash receipts, disbursements, and encumbrances. The Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance – Budget (Non-GAAP Basis) and Actual is presented for the general fund on the budgetary basis to provide meaningful comparison of actual results with the budget. The major differences between the budget basis and GAAP basis are that:

1. Revenues are recorded when received in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when susceptible to accrual (GAAP basis).
2. Expenditures are recorded when paid in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when the liability is incurred (GAAP basis).

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**NOTE 4: BUDGETARY BASIS OF ACCOUNTING (Continued)**

3. Encumbrances are treated as expenditures (budget basis) rather than as a reservation of fund balance (GAAP basis).
4. Advances in and advances out are operating transactions (budget) as opposed to balance sheet transactions (GAAP).

The following table summarizes the adjustments necessary to reconcile the GAAP basis statement to the budgetary basis statement for the general fund.

<b>Net Change in Fund Balance</b>	
GAAP Basis	\$ 3,077,254
Net Adjustment for Revenue Accruals	(1,761,934)
Net Adjustment for Expenditure Accruals	666,268
Adjustment for Encumbrances	<u>(1,485,478)</u>
Budget Basis	<u><u>\$ 496,110</u></u>

**NOTE 5: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS**

Monies held by the School District are classified by State statute into three categories.

Active monies are public monies determined to be necessary to meet current demands upon the School District treasury. Active monies must be maintained either as cash in the School District Treasury, in commercial accounts payable or withdraw on demand, including negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) accounts, or in money market deposit accounts.

Interim deposits are deposits of interim monies. Interim monies are those which are not needed for immediate use but which will be needed before the end of the current period of designation of depositories. Interim deposits must be evidenced by time certificates of deposit maturing not more than one year from the date of deposit or by savings or deposit accounts including passbook accounts.

Protection of the School District's deposits is provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), by eligible securities pledged by the financial institution as security for repayment, by surety company bonds deposited with the Treasurer, by the financial institution, or by a single collateral pool established by the financial institution to secure the repayment of all public monies deposited with the institution.

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**NOTE 5: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)**

Interim monies held by the School District can be deposited or invested in the following securities:

1. United States Treasury Notes, Bills, Bonds, or any other obligation or security issued by the United States Treasury or any other obligation guaranteed as to principal or interest by the United States;
2. Bonds, notes, debentures, or any other obligations or securities issued by any federal government agency or instrumentality, including but not limited to, the Federal National Mortgage Association, Federal Home Loan Bank, Federal Farm Credit Bank, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, Government National Mortgage Association, and Student Loan Marketing Association. All federal agency securities shall be direct issuances of federal government agencies or instrumentalities;
3. Written repurchase agreements in the securities listed above, provided that the market value of the securities subject to the repurchase agreement must exceed the principal value of the agreement by at least 2 percent and be marked to market daily, and that the term of the agreement must not exceed 30 days;
4. Bonds and any other obligations of the State of Ohio;
5. No-load money market mutual funds consisting exclusively of obligations described in division (1) or (2) of this section and repurchase agreements secured by such obligations, provided that investments in securities described in this division are made only through eligible institutions; and
6. The State Treasurer's investment pool (STAROhio).
7. Certain bankers acceptances and commercial paper notes for a period not to exceed 180 days from the purchase date in any amount not to exceed 25 percent of the interim monies available for investment at any one time; and
8. Under limited circumstances, corporate debt interests noted in either of the two highest rating classifications by at least two nationally recognized rating agencies.

Inactive deposits are public deposits that the Board of Education has identified as not required for use within the current five year period of designation of depositories. Inactive deposits must either be evidenced by certificates of deposit maturing not later than the end of the current period of designation of depositories, or by savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to, passbook accounts.

Investments in stripped principal or interest obligations, reverse repurchase agreements and derivatives are prohibited. The issuance of taxable notes for the purpose of arbitrage, the use of leverage and short selling are also prohibited. An investment must mature within 5 years from the date of purchase unless matched to a specific obligation or debt of the School District, and must be purchased with the expectation that it will be held to maturity. Investments may only be made through specified dealers and institutions. Payment for investments may be made only upon delivery of the securities representing the investments to the Treasurer or, if the securities are not represented by a certificate, upon receipt of confirmation of transfer from the custodian.

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**NOTE 5: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)**

According to State law, public depositories must give security for all uninsured public funds on deposit. These institutions may either specifically collateralize individual accounts in lieu of amounts insured by FDIC, or may pledge a pool of government securities valued at least 105 percent of the total value of uninsured public monies on deposit at the institution. Repurchase agreements must be secured by the specific government securities upon which the repurchase agreements are based. These securities must be obligations of or guaranteed by the United States and mature or be redeemable within 5 years of the date of the related repurchase agreement. State law does not require security for public deposits and investments to be maintained in the School District's name. During 2010, the School District and public depositories complied with the provisions of these statutes.

***Deposits with Financial Institutions***

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of a bank failure, the School District'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 collateral against all of the public deposits it holds or as specific collateral held at the Federal Reserve Bank in the name of the School District.

At fiscal year-end, the carrying amount of the School District's deposits (including change funds of \$200) was \$10,757,633. Based on the criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, "Deposits and Investment Risk Disclosures," as of June 30, 2010, \$10,439,705 of the School District's bank balance of \$11,171,342 was exposed to custodial risk as discussed above, while \$731,637 was covered by Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. Although the securities were held by the pledging financial institutions' trust department and all statutory requirements for the investment of money had been followed, noncompliance with Federal requirements could potentially subject the School District to a successful claim by the FDIC.

The School District has no deposit policy for custodial risk beyond the requirements of State Statute.

***Investments*** As of June 30, 2010, the School District had the following investments and maturities:

Investment Type	Fair Value	Maturity				
		3 Months or Less	4-6 Months	7-9 Months	10-12 Months	12-60 Months
Repurchase Agreements	\$ 2,734,201	\$ 2,734,201	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Money Market Mutual Fund	37,823	37,823	0	0	0	0
Federal Home Loan Mtg Corp	299,340	299,340	0	0	0	0
Federal National Mortgage Assoc.	449,190	449,190	0	0	0	0
First American Government Mutual Fund	3,657	3,657	0	0	0	0
Federal Home Loan Banks	2,100,776	0	450,423	450,000	450,031	750,322
Federal Farm Credit Banks	149,954	0	0	149,954	0	0
STAROhio	43,097	43,097	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 5,818,038</b>	<b>\$ 3,567,308</b>	<b>\$ 450,423</b>	<b>\$ 599,954</b>	<b>\$ 450,031</b>	<b>\$ 750,322</b>

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**NOTE 5: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)**

**Interest Rate Risk.** The School District has no investment policy that addresses interest rate risk. State statute requires that an investment mature within five years from the date of purchase, unless matched to a specific obligation or debt of the School District, and that an investment must be purchased with the expectation that it will be held to maturity. State statute limits investments in commercial paper to a maximum maturity of 180 days from the date of purchase. Repurchase agreements are limited to 30 days and the market value of the securities must exceed the principal value of the agreement by at least 2 percent and be marked to market daily.

**Custodial Credit Risk** For an investment, custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the School District will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The School District's investment in repurchase agreements is collateralized by underlying securities pledged by the investment's counterparty, not in the name of the School District. Ohio law requires the market value of the securities subject to repurchase agreements must exceed the principal value of the securities subject to a repurchase agreement by 2%. The School District has no investment policy dealing with investment custodial risk beyond the requirement in Ohio law that prohibits payment for investments prior to the delivery of the securities representing such investments to the Treasurer or qualified trustee.

**Credit Risk** The School District's investments in the federal agency securities that underlie the School District's repurchase agreement were rated Aaa by Moody's Investor Services. The money market mutual fund is unrated. The government agency securities have been assigned a Aaa rating by Moody's Investor Services. Standard & Poor's has assigned STAROhio an AAAm rating. Ohio law requires that STAROhio maintain the highest rating provided by at least one nationally recognized standard rating service. The School District has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices.

**Concentration of Credit Risk.** The School District places no limit on the amount that may be invested in any one issuer. The following table includes the percentage total of each investment type held by the School District as of June 30, 2010:

<u>Investment Type</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>	<u>Percent of Total</u>
Repurchase Agreements	\$ 2,734,201	47.00%
Money Market Mutual Fund	37,823	0.65%
Federal Home Loan Mtg Corp	299,340	5.15%
Federal National Mortgage Assoc.	449,190	7.72%
First American Government Mutual Fund	3,657	0.06%
Federal Home Loan Banks	2,100,776	36.10%
Federal Farm Credit Banks	149,954	2.58%
STAROhio	43,097	0.74%
Total	<u>\$ 5,818,038</u>	<u>100.00%</u>

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**NOTE 6: PROPERTY TAXES**

Property taxes are levied and assessed on a calendar year basis while the School District fiscal year runs from July through June. First half tax collections are received by the School District in the second half of the fiscal year. Second half tax distributions occur in the first half of the following fiscal year.

Property taxes include amounts levied against all real, public utility and tangible personal property (used in business) located in the School District. Real property tax revenue received in calendar year 2010 represents collections of calendar year 2009 taxes. Real property taxes received in calendar year 2010 were levied after April 1, 2009, on the assessed value listed as of January 1, 2009, the lien date. Assessed values for real property taxes are established by State law at thirty-five percent of appraised market value. Real property taxes are payable annually or semi-annually. If paid annually, payment is due December 31; if paid semiannually, the first payment is due December 31 with the remainder payable by June 20. Under certain circumstances, State statute permits alternate payment dates to be established.

Public utility property tax revenue received in calendar year 2010 represents collections of calendar year 2009 taxes. Public utility real and tangible personal property taxes received in calendar year 2010 became a lien December 31, 2008, were levied after April 1, 2009 and are collected in 2010 with real property taxes. Public utility real property is assessed at thirty-five percent of true value; public utility tangible personal property currently is assessed at varying percentages of true value.

Tangible personal property tax revenues received in calendar year 2010 (other than public utility property) represent the collection of calendar year 2010 taxes levied against local and inter-exchange telephone companies. Tangible personal property tax on business inventory, manufacturing machinery and equipment, and furniture and fixtures is no longer levied and collected. The October 2008 tangible personal property tax settlement was the last property tax settlement for general personal property taxes. Tangible personal property taxes received from telephone companies in calendar year 2010 were levied after October 1, 2009, on the value as of December 31, 2009. Amounts paid by multi-county taxpayers are due September 20. Single county taxpayers may pay annually or semiannually. If paid annually, payment is due April 30; if paid semiannually, the first payment is due April 30, with the remainder payable by September 20. Tangible personal property taxes paid by April 30 are usually received by the District prior to June 30.

House Bill No. 66 was signed into law on June 30, 2005. House Bill No. 66 phases out the tax on tangible personal property of general businesses, telephone and telecommunications companies, and railroads. The tax on general business and railroad property was eliminated in calendar year 2009, and the tax on telephone and telecommunications property will be eliminated by calendar year 2011. The tax is phased out by reducing the assessment rate on the property each year. The bill replaced the revenue lost by the School District due to the phasing out of the tax. In calendar years 2006-2010, the School District will be fully reimbursed for the lost revenue. In calendar years 2011-2017, the reimbursements will be phased out.

The School District receives property taxes from Medina County. The County Auditor periodically advances to the School District its portion of the taxes collected. Second-half real property tax payments collected by the County by June 30, 2010, are available to finance fiscal year 2010 operations. The amount available to be advanced can vary based on the date the tax bills are sent.

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**NOTE 6: PROPERTY TAXES (Continued)**

Accrued property taxes receivable includes real property, public utility real property and tangible personal property taxes which are measurable as of June 30, 2010 and for which there is an enforceable legal claim. Although total property tax collections for the next fiscal year are measurable, only the amount of real property taxes available as an advance at June 30 was levied to finance current fiscal year operations and is reported as revenue at fiscal year end. The portion of the receivable not levied to finance current fiscal year operations is offset by a credit to deferred revenue.

The amount available as an advance at June 30, 2010 was \$4,833,453 in the general fund, \$273,704 in the bond retirement debt service fund, and \$190,074 in the permanent improvement capital projects fund. The amount available as an advance at June 30, 2009, was \$3,067,541 in the general fund, \$151,658 in the bond retirement debt service fund, and \$105,320 in the permanent improvement capital projects fund.

On the accrual basis, collectible delinquent property taxes have been recorded as a receivable and revenue, while on a modified accrual basis the revenue has been deferred.

The assessed values upon which the fiscal year 2010 taxes were collected are:

	2009 First Half Collections		2010 First Half Collections	
	Amount	Percent	Amount	Percent
Real Estate	\$ 1,053,155,620	98.9%	\$ 1,066,404,860	98.8%
Public Utility Personal	10,734,740	1.0%	11,776,480	1.1%
Tangible Personal Property	1,450,273	0.1%	821,496	0.1%
Total	\$ 1,065,340,633	100.0%	\$ 1,079,002,836	100.0%
Tax rate per \$1,000 of assessed value	\$ 68.92		\$ 68.92	

**NOTE 7: RECEIVABLES**

Receivables at June 30, 2010 consisted of taxes, accounts (rent, student fees and tuition) and intergovernmental grants. All receivables are considered collectible in full due to the ability to foreclose for the nonpayment of taxes, the stable condition of State programs and the guarantee of federal funds. All current fiscal year receivables are expected to be collected within one year.

During 2007, the voters of Medina County passed a one-half percent sales tax to be used for capital improvements at all school districts within Medina County. Collection began in October 2007 for a period of 30 years. Vendor collections of the tax are paid to the State Treasurer by the twenty-third day of the month following collection. Sales tax is distributed to the school districts of Medina County based on what is essentially a per pupil distribution formula. A receivable is recognized at year end for an estimated amount to be received based on calendar year 2010 sales transactions yet to be received as of June 30, 2010.

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**NOTE 8: CAPITAL ASSETS**

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2010, was as follows:

	Balance 07/01/2009	Additions	Reductions	Balance 06/30/2010
<b>Governmental Activities</b>				
<i>Capital Assets, not being depreciated</i>				
Land	\$ 1,405,645	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,405,645
 <i>Capital Assets, being depreciated</i>				
Land Improvements	2,061,559	0	0	2,061,559
Buildings and Improvements	33,776,022	23,436	0	33,799,458
Furniture and Equipment	5,715,924	100,833	(63,086)	5,753,671
Vehicles	5,790,146	703,335	(317,594)	6,175,887
<i>Total Capital Assets, being depreciated</i>	47,343,651	827,604	(380,680)	47,790,575
 <i>Less: Accumulated Depreciation</i>				
Land Improvements	(1,230,438)	(46,412)	0	(1,276,850)
Buildings and Improvements	(21,614,288)	(375,231)	0	(21,989,519)
Furniture and Equipment	(4,046,771)	(228,676)	59,130	(4,216,317)
Vehicles	(2,664,825)	(568,295)	317,594	(2,915,526)
<i>Total Accumulated Depreciation</i>	(29,556,322)	(1,218,614) *	376,724	(30,398,212)
<i>Total Capital Assets being depreciated, net</i>	17,787,329	(391,010)	(3,956)	17,392,363
<b>Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net</b>	\$ 19,192,974	\$ (391,010)	\$ (3,956)	\$ 18,798,008

\* Depreciation expense was charged to governmental functions as follows:

Instruction:	
Regular	\$ 477,454
Special	102,212
Support Services:	
Pupils	42,177
Instructional Staff	50,310
Administration	58,022
Fiscal	11,412
Business	6,847
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	58,689
Pupil Transportation	357,098
Operation of Non-Instructional Services:	
Food Service Operations	53,720
Community Services	673
	673
Total Depreciation Expense	\$ 1,218,614

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**NOTE 9: RISK MANAGEMENT**

***A. Property and Liability***

The School District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets, errors and omissions, injuries to employees and natural disasters. During fiscal year 2010, the School District contracted with several companies for various types of insurance as follows:

<u>Company</u>	<u>Type of Coverage</u>	<u>Coverage</u>
Ohio Casualty Company	Liability	\$ 1,000,000
	Aggregate	2,000,000
Ohio Casualty Company	Fleet Insurance	1,000,000
Ohio Casualty Company	Property/Inland Marine Insurance	114,681,312
		4,645,698
Ohio Casualty Company	Crime - Theft	25,000
	Crime - Employee Dishonesty	50,000
Travelers Insurance Company	Boiler and Machinery	50,000,000
Petroleum Underground Storage Tank Tank Release Compensation Board	Underground Storage Tanks	1,000,000

Settlements have not exceeded coverage in any of the last three fiscal years and there have been no significant reductions in insurance coverage from the last year.

For fiscal year 2010, the School District participated in the Ohio School Boards Association Workers' Compensation Group Rating Program (GRP), an insurance purchasing pool (Note 17). The intent of the GRP is to achieve the benefit of a reduced premium for the School District by virtue of its grouping and representation with other participants in the GRP. The workers' compensation experience of the participating school districts is calculated as one experience and a common premium rate is applied to all school districts in the GRP.

Each participant pays its workers' compensation premium to the State based on the rate for the GRP rather than its individual rate. Total savings are then calculated and each participant's individual performance is compared to the overall savings percentage of the GRP. A participant will then either receive money from or be required to contribute to the "Equity Pooling Fund." This "equity pooling" arrangement insures that each participant shares equally in the overall performance of the GRP. Participation in the GRP is limited to school districts that can meet the GRP's selection criteria. The firm of Sheakley Uniservice, Inc. provides administrative, cost control and actuarial services to the GRP.

***B. Employee Health Benefits***

The School District participates in the Suburban Health Consortium, a shared risk pool (Note 17) to provide employee medical/surgical benefits. Rates are set through an annual calculation process. The School District pays a monthly contribution which is placed in a common fund from which the claim payments are made for all participating districts. The employees share the cost of the monthly premium with the Board.

Claims are paid for all participants regardless of claims flow. Upon termination, all School District claims would be paid without regard to the School District's account balance or the Directors have the right to hold monies for an exiting school district subsequent to the settlement of all expenses and claims.

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**NOTE 10: DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS**

***A. School Employees Retirement System***

Plan Description - The School District contributes to the School Employees Retirement System of Ohio (“SERS”), a cost-sharing multiple employer pension plan. SERS provides retirement and disability benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Authority to establish and amend benefits is provided by Chapter 3309 of the Ohio Revised Code. SERS issues a publicly available, stand-alone financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained by writing to the School Employees Retirement System, 300 East Broad Street, Suite 100, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3746 or by calling toll free (800) 878-5853. It is also posted on SERS’ website at [www.ohsers.org](http://www.ohsers.org) under Employers/Audit Resources.

Funding Policy - Plan members are required to contribute 10 percent of their annual covered salary and the School District is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The current School District rate is 14 percent of annual covered payroll. A portion of the School District’s contribution is used to fund pension obligations with the remainder being used to fund health care benefits; for fiscal year 2010, 12.78 percent of annual covered salary was the portion used to fund pension obligations. The remaining 1.22 percent of the 14 percent employer contribution rate is allocated to the Health Care and Medicare B Funds. The contribution requirements of plan members and employers are established and may be amended by the SERS’ Retirement Board up to a statutory maximum amount of 10 percent for plan members and 14 percent for employers. Chapter 3309 of the Ohio Revised Code provides statutory authority for member and employer contributions. The School District’s required contributions for pension obligations to SERS for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2010, 2009 and 2008 were \$1,317,121, \$818,392 and \$761,136, respectively; 35 percent has been contributed for fiscal year 2010 and 100 percent for the fiscal years 2009 and 2008.

***B. State Teachers Retirement System***

Plan Description - The School District participates in the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (“STRS Ohio”), a cost-sharing, multiple employer public employee retirement plan. STRS Ohio provides retirement and disability benefits to members and death and survivor benefits to beneficiaries. STRS Ohio issues a stand-alone financial report that may be obtained by writing to STRS Ohio, 275 E. Broad St., Columbus, OH 43215-3771, by calling (888) 227-7877, or by visiting the STRS Ohio Web site at [www.strsoh.org](http://www.strsoh.org).

New members have a choice of three retirement plans, a Defined Benefit (DB) Plan, a Defined Contribution (DC) Plan and a Combined Plan. The DB plan offers an annual retirement allowance based on final average salary times a percentage that varies based on years of service, or an allowance based on a member’s lifetime contributions and earned interest matched by STRS Ohio funds divided by an actuarially determined annuity factor. The DC Plan allows members to place all their member contributions and employer contributions equal to 10.5 percent of earned compensation into an investment account. Investment decisions are made by the member. A member is eligible to receive a retirement benefit at age 50 and termination of employment. The member may elect to receive a lifetime monthly annuity or a lump sum withdrawal. The Combined Plan offers features of both the DC Plan and the DB Plan. In the Combined Plan, member contributions are invested by the member, and employer contributions are used to fund the defined benefit payment at a reduced level from the regular DB Plan. The DB portion of the Combined Plan payment is payable to a member on or after age 60; the DC portion of the account may be taken as a lump sum or converted to a lifetime monthly annuity at age 50. Benefits are established by Chapter 3307 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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**NOTE 10: DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS (Continued)**

A DB or Combined Plan member with five or more years credited service who becomes disabled may qualify for a disability benefit. Eligible spouses and dependents of these active members who die before retirement may qualify for survivor benefits. Members in the DC Plan who become disabled are entitled only to their account balance. If a member of the DC Plan dies before retirement benefits begin, the member's designated beneficiary is entitled to receive the member's account balance.

Funding Policy - For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2010, plan members were required to contribute 10 percent of their annual covered salaries. The School District was required to contribute 14 percent; 13 percent was the portion used to fund pension obligations. For fiscal year 2009, the portion used to fund pension obligations was also 13 percent. Contribution rates are established by the State Teachers Retirement Board, upon recommendations of its consulting actuary, not to exceed statutory maximum rates of 10 percent for members and 14 percent for employers. Chapter 3307 of the Ohio Revised Code provides statutory authority for member and employer contributions.

The School District's required contributions for pension obligations to STRS Ohio for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2010, 2009, and 2008 were \$4,102,013 , \$3,836,441 and \$3,715,742, respectively; 83 percent has been contributed for fiscal year 2010 and 100 percent for fiscal years 2009 and 2008. Contributions to the DC and Combined Plans for fiscal year 2010 were \$177,360 made by the School District and \$126,686 made by the plan members.

***C. Social Security System***

Effective July 1, 1991, all employees not otherwise covered by the School Employees Retirement System or the State Teachers Retirement System have an option to choose Social Security or the School Employees Retirement System/State Teachers Retirement System. As of June 30, 2010, one member of the Board of Education has elected Social Security. The Board's liability is 6.2 percent of wages paid.

**NOTE 11: POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS**

***A. School Employees Retirement System***

Plan Description – The School District participates in two cost-sharing multiple employer defined benefit OPEB plans administered by the School Employees Retirement System for non-certificated retirees and their beneficiaries, a Health Care Plan and a Medicare Part B Plan. The Health Care Plan includes hospitalization and physicians' fees through several types of plans including HMO's, PPO's and traditional indemnity plans as well as a prescription drug program. The Medicare Part B Plan reimburses Medicare Part B premiums paid by eligible retirees and beneficiaries up to a statutory limit. Benefit provisions and the obligations to contribute are established by the System based on authority granted by State statute. The financial reports of both Plans are included in the SERS Comprehensive Annual Financial Report which is available by contacting SERS at 300 East Broad St., Suite 100, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3746.

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**NOTE 11: POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (Continued)**

Funding Policy – State statute permits SERS to fund the health care benefits through employer contributions. Each year, after the allocation for statutorily required benefits, the Retirement Board allocates the remainder of the employer contribution of 14 percent of covered payroll to the Health Care Fund. The Health Care Fund was established and is administered in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 401h. For 2010, .46 percent of covered payroll was allocated to health care. In addition, employers pay a surcharge for employees earning less than an actuarially determined amount; for 2010, this amount was \$35,800.

Active employee members do not contribute to the Health Care Plan. Retirees and their beneficiaries are required to pay a health care premium that varies depending on the plan selected, the number of qualified years of service, Medicare eligibility and retirement status.

The School District's contributions for health care for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2010, 2009, and 2008 were \$181,041, \$503,012 and \$472,019, respectively; 35 percent has been contributed for fiscal year 2010 and 100 percent for fiscal years 2009 and 2008.

The Retirement Board, acting with advice of the actuary, allocates a portion of the employer contribution to the Medicare B Fund. For 2010, this actuarially required allocation was 0.76 percent of covered payroll. The School District's contributions for Medicare Part B for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2010, 2009 and 2008 were \$78,326, \$67,524 and \$54,842, respectively; 35 percent has been contributed for fiscal year 2010 and 100 percent for fiscal year 2008.

***B. State Teachers Retirement System***

Plan Description – The School District contributes to the cost sharing multiple employer defined benefit Health Plan administered by the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS Ohio) for eligible retirees who participated in the defined benefit or combined pension plans offered by STRS Ohio. Benefits include hospitalization, physicians' fees, prescription drugs and reimbursement of monthly Medicare Part B premiums. The Plan is included in the report of STRS Ohio which may be obtained by visiting [www.strsoh.org](http://www.strsoh.org) or by calling (888) 227-7877.

Funding Policy – Ohio law authorizes STRS Ohio to offer the Plan and gives the Retirement Board authority over how much, if any, of the health care costs will be absorbed by STRS Ohio. Active employee members do not contribute to the Plan. All benefit recipients pay a monthly premium. Under Ohio law, funding for post-employment health care may be deducted from employer contributions. For 2010, STRS Ohio allocated employer contributions equal to 1 percent of covered payroll to the Health Care Stabilization Fund. The School District's contributions for health care for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2010, 2009, and 2008 were, \$315,539, \$295,111 and \$285,826, respectively; 83 percent has been contributed for fiscal year 2010 and 100 percent for fiscal years 2009 and 2008.

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**NOTE 12: OTHER EMPLOYEE BENEFITS**

**A. *Compensated Absences***

The criteria for determining vacation, personal and sick leave benefits are derived from negotiated agreements and State laws. Employees earn three days of personal leave per year. Classified employees may accumulate up to ten days of personal leave. Classified employees and twelve month administrators earn ten to twenty-five days of vacation per year, depending upon length of service. Administrators and exempt secretaries are able to carryover any unused vacation time at year-end, however, support staff (those employees in the bargaining unit) are unable to carryover unused vacation time. Accumulated unused vacation time is paid to administrators and exempt secretaries upon termination of employment. Teachers do not earn vacation time.

Teachers, administrators and classified employees earn sick leave at the rate of one and one-fourth days per month. Sick leave may be accumulated with no maximum. Upon retirement, payment is made for one-fourth of the first 160 days of total sick leave accumulation, 100 percent of the next twenty-five days and one-fourth of any remaining days. An employee receiving such payment must meet the retirement provisions set by STRS Ohio or SERS.

**B. *Life Insurance***

The School District provides life insurance and accidental death and dismemberment insurance to most employees through various life insurance companies. The employees share the cost of the monthly premium with the Board. The premium varies with employee depending on the terms of the union contract. Dental and prescription insurance is provided by the School District to all employees through Medical Mutual of Ohio.

**NOTE 13: CAPITAL LEASES – LESSEE DISCLOSURE**

In fiscal year 2009, the School District entered into a capital lease for forty-three copiers for use throughout the School District. In prior years, the School District entered into lease agreements for copiers, the installation of artificial turf at the football stadium, a new press box and a phone system. All of the School District's lease obligations meet the criteria of capital leases as they transfer benefits and risks of ownership to the lessee.

Capital assets acquired by lease have been capitalized at a cost of \$3,102,293.

Capital lease payments have been reclassified and reflected as debt service expenditures on the fund financial statements for the governmental funds. These expenditures are reflected as support service expenditures in the general fund and as capital outlay in the permanent improvement capital projects fund on the budgetary basis.

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**NOTE 13: CAPITAL LEASES – LESSEE DISCLOSURE (Continued)**

The following is a schedule of the future long-term minimum lease payments required under the capital lease and the present value of the minimum lease payments as of June 30, 2010.

		<u>Capital Leases</u>
For Fiscal Year Ending June 30,	2011	\$ 266,689
	2012	266,262
	2013	<u>141,002</u>
Total		673,953
Less: Amount Representing Interest		<u>41,341</u>
Present Value of Net Minimum Lease Payments		<u><u>\$ 632,612</u></u>

**NOTE 14: LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS**

The original issue date, interest rate, original issue amount and date of maturity of each of the School District's outstanding long-term obligations follows:

<u>Debt Issue</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Original Issue Amount</u>	<u>Date of Maturity</u>
General Obligation Bonds:			
School Improvement - 1999	4.39%	\$ 9,950,000	December 1, 2023
School Improvement Refunding - 2000	5.00-7.25%	4,500,000	December 1, 2013
School Improvement - 2000	5.28%	7,729,100	December 1, 2026
School Improvement - 2003	4.85%	800,000	December 1, 2017
School Improvement Refunding - 2005	3.35-5.5%	6,075,000	December 1, 2026
School Improvement Refunding - 2009	3.94%	6,535,993	December 1, 2023

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**NOTE 14: LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (Continued)**

Changes in the School District's long-term debt obligations during the year consist of the following:

	<b>Amount Outstanding 7/1/2009</b>	<b>Additions</b>	<b>Deductions</b>	<b>Amount Outstanding 06/30/2010</b>	<b>Due Within One Year</b>
<b>Governmental Activities</b>					
<b>General Obligation Bonds</b>					
School Improvement - 1999					
Series and Term Bonds	\$ 360,000	\$ 0	\$ 360,000	\$ 0	\$ 0
Capital Appreciation Bonds	455,000	0	0	455,000	157,000
Accretion on Capital Appreciation Bonds	524,077	81,247	0	605,324	215,279
School Improvement Refunding - 2000	1,950,000	0	400,000	1,550,000	425,000
School Improvement - 2000	205,000	0	205,000	0	0
School Improvement - 2003	551,846	0	50,361	501,485	52,803
School Improvement Refunding - 2005	6,075,000	0	110,000	5,965,000	215,000
Unamortized Premium	702,718	0	40,935	661,783	0
Refunding Loss	(532,928)	0	31,044	(501,884)	0
School Improvement Refunding - 2009					
Series and Term Bonds	5,980,000	0	150,000	5,830,000	70,000
Capital Appreciation Bonds	554,993	0	0	554,993	0
Accretion on Capital Appreciation Bonds	10,126	53,800	0	63,926	0
Unamortized Premium	331,861	0	22,887	308,974	0
Refunding Loss	(217,722)	0	15,015	(202,707)	0
<i>Total General Obligation Bonds</i>	<u>16,949,971</u>	<u>135,047</u>	<u>1,385,242</u>	<u>15,791,894</u>	<u>1,135,082</u>
<b>Notes</b>					
Tax Anticipation - 2004	1,156,000	0	1,156,000	0	0
Compensated Absences	5,421,946	1,000,865	140,491	6,282,320	177,233
Capital Leases Payable	865,189	0	232,577	632,612	242,328
<i>Total Governmental Activities</i>	<u>\$ 24,393,106</u>	<u>\$ 1,135,912</u>	<u>\$ 2,914,310</u>	<u>\$ 22,706,826</u>	<u>\$ 1,554,643</u>

General obligation bonds will be paid from property taxes. The artificial turf lease and copier leases will be paid from the permanent improvement capital projects fund. Compensated absences will be paid from the general fund and the food service fund.

During fiscal year 1999, the School District issued \$9,950,000 in series and capital appreciation bonds. The series bonds were issued with an interest rate of 4.39 percent and have a final maturity of December 1, 2023. The capital appreciation bonds will mature December 1, 2010 through 2012. These bonds were purchased at a discount at the time of issuance and, at maturity all compounded interest is paid and the bond holder collects the face value. However, since interest is technically earned and compounded semiannually, the value of the bond increases. Therefore, as the value increases, the accretion is booked as principal. The maturity amount of the bonds is \$1,185,005.

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**NOTE 14: LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (Continued)**

On September 16, 2000, the School District issued \$4,500,000 in general obligation bonds with interest rates varying from 5.00 percent to 7.25 percent. Proceeds were used to refund \$4,500,000 of the outstanding 1991 and 1993 school improvement bonds.

In May 2004, the School District passed an emergency levy for the purpose of generating a total of \$5,780,000 over five years to meet necessary emergency operational expenses. The School District then issued tax anticipation notes in advance of the tax revenues to be received by the School District. The tax anticipation notes were recorded in the general fund for operational purposes. The final payment on the notes was made on December 1, 2009. The note was backed by the full faith and credit of the Brunswick City School District.

***2005 School Improvement Advance Refunding General Obligation Bonds***

On September 22, 2005, the School District issued \$6,075,000 of general obligation bonds, which included serial and term bonds in the amount of \$1,550,000 and \$4,525,000, respectively. The bonds refunded \$6,075,000 of outstanding 2000 School Improvement General Obligation Bonds. The bonds were issued for a twenty-one year period with final maturity at December 1, 2026. At the date of refunding, \$6,726,930 (including premium and after underwriting fees, and other issuance costs) was received to pay off old debt. As a result, \$6,075,000 of the 2000 School Improvement Bonds are considered to be defeased and the liability for those bonds has been removed from the financial statements. The balance of the defeased debt at June 30, 2010 was \$6,075,000.

These refunding bonds were issued with a premium of \$859,636, which is reported as an increase to bonds payable. The amounts are being amortized to interest expense over the life of the bonds using the straight-line method. The amortization of the premium for fiscal year 2010 was \$40,935. The issuance costs of \$207,706 are reported as deferred charges and are being amortized over the life of the bonds using the straight-line method. The amortization of the issuance costs for fiscal year 2010 was \$9,890. The refunding resulted in a difference between net carrying amount of the debt and the acquisition price of \$651,930. This difference, reported in the accompanying financial statements as a decrease to bonds payable, is being amortized to interest expense over the life of the bonds using the straight-line method. The amortization of this difference for fiscal year 2010 was \$31,044.

The School District refunded the 2000 General Obligation Bonds to reduce its total debt service payments over the next twenty-one years by \$826,031.

The \$6,075,000 bond issue consists of serial and term bonds. The serial bonds were issued with a varying interest rate of 3.45-3.95 percent.

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**NOTE 14: LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (Continued)**

The bonds which matured on December 1, 2009 were subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption at a price of 100 percent of the principal amount to be redeemed plus accrued interest to the date of redemption on December 1 in the years and in the respective principal amounts:

Redemption Date	Principal Amount Subject to Mandatory
<u>December 1</u>	<u>Redemption</u>
2005	\$ 90,000
2006	5,000
2007	5,000
2009	5,000

The bonds maturing December 1, 2019 are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption at a price of 100 percent of the principal amount to be redeemed plus accrued interest to the date of redemption on December 1 in the years and in the respective principal amounts:

Redemption Date	Principal Amount Subject to Mandatory
<u>December 1</u>	<u>Redemption</u>
2016	\$ 305,000
2017	320,000
2018	335,000

Unless previously redeemed, the remaining principal amount of \$335,000 will mature at stated maturity (December 1, 2019).

The bonds maturing December 1, 2022 are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption at a price of 100 percent of the principal amount to be redeemed plus accrued interest to the date of redemption on December 1 in the years and in the respective principal amounts:

Redemption Date	Principal Amount Subject to Mandatory
<u>December 1</u>	<u>Redemption</u>
2020	\$ 380,000
2021	400,000

Unless previously redeemed, the remaining principal amount of \$425,000 will mature at stated maturity (December 1, 2022).

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**NOTE 14: LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (Continued)**

The bonds maturing December 1, 2026 are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption at a price of 100 percent of the principal amount to be redeemed plus accrued interest to the date of redemption on December 1 in the years and in the respective principal amounts:

Redemption Date	Principal Amount Subject to Mandatory
<u>December 1</u>	<u>Redemption</u>
2023	\$ 445,000
2024	475,000
2025	500,000

Unless previously redeemed, the remaining principal amount of \$525,000 will mature at stated maturity (December 1, 2026).

The bonds are not subject to optional redemption prior to maturity.

***2009 School Improvement Advance Refunding General Obligation Bonds***

On April 20, 2009, the School District issued \$6,534,993 of general obligation bonds, which included serial, term and capital appreciation bonds in the amount of \$5,765,000, \$215,000 and \$554,993, respectively. The bonds refunded \$6,535,000 of outstanding 1999 School Improvement General Obligation Bonds. The bonds were issued for a fifteen year period with final maturity at December 1, 2023. At the date of refunding, \$6,534,993 (including premium and after underwriting fees, and other issuance costs) was received to pay off old debt. As a result, \$6,535,000 of the 1999 School Improvement Bonds are considered to be defeased and the liability for those bonds has been removed from the financial statements. The balance of the defeased debt at June 30, 2010 was \$6,535,000.

These refunding bonds were issued with a premium of \$343,305, which is reported as an increase to bonds payable. The amounts are being amortized to interest expense over the life of the bonds using the straight-line method. The amortization of the premium for fiscal year 2010 was \$22,887. The issuance costs of \$118,068 are reported as deferred charges and are being amortized over the life of the bonds using the straight-line method. The amortization of the issuance costs for fiscal year 2010 was \$7,871. The refunding resulted in a difference between net carrying amount of the debt and the acquisition price of \$225,230. This difference, reported in the accompanying financial statements as a decrease to bonds payable, is being amortized to interest expense over the life of the bonds using the straight-line method. The amortization of this difference for fiscal year 2010 was \$15,015.

The School District refunded the 1999 General Obligation Bonds to reduce its total debt service payments over the next twenty-one years by \$420,299.

The \$6,534,993 bond issue consists of serial, term and capital appreciation bonds. The serial bonds were issued with a varying interest rate of 3.00-4.00 percent.

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**NOTE 14: LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (Continued)**

The bonds maturing December 1, 2012 are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption at a price of 100 percent of the principal amount to be redeemed plus accrued interest to the date of redemption on December 1 in the years and in the respective principal amounts:

Redemption Date	Principal Amount Subject to Mandatory Redemption
<u>December 1</u>	
2010	\$ 70,000
2011	70,000

Unless previously redeemed, the remaining principal amount of \$5,000 will mature at stated maturity (December 1, 2012).

The capital appreciation bonds will mature December 1, 2016. These bonds were purchased at a discount at the time of issuance and at maturity all compounded interest is paid and the bond holder collects the face value. However, since interest is technically earned and compounded semiannually, the value of the bond increases. Therefore, as the value increases, the accretion is booked as principal. The maturity amount of the bonds is \$1,160,000. The fiscal year 2010 accretion amount was \$53,800.

Principal and interest requirements to retire long-term obligations outstanding at June 30, 2010, are as follows:

Fiscal Year Ending June 30,	General Obligation Bonds		Capital Appreciation Bonds		Total	
	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest
2011	\$ 762,803	\$ 662,477	\$ 157,000	\$ 228,005	\$ 919,803	\$ 890,482
2012	815,364	614,510	151,633	243,367	966,997	857,877
2013	863,050	563,066	146,367	258,633	1,009,417	821,699
2014	985,865	514,449	0	0	985,865	514,449
2015	853,817	475,628	0	0	853,817	475,628
2016-2020	3,570,586	1,907,380	554,993	605,007	4,125,579	2,512,387
2021-2025	4,970,000	820,489	0	0	4,970,000	820,489
2026-2027	1,025,000	57,062	0	0	1,025,000	57,062
Total	<u>\$ 13,846,485</u>	<u>\$ 5,615,061</u>	<u>\$ 1,009,993</u>	<u>\$ 1,335,012</u>	<u>\$ 14,856,478</u>	<u>\$ 6,950,073</u>

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**NOTE 15: INTERFUND TRANSFERS**

The General fund transferred \$10,000 to the Athletics fund to provide additional resources for current operations.

**NOTE 16: JOINTLY GOVERNED ORGANIZATIONS**

**A. *The Medina County Career Center***

The Medina County Career Center is a separate body politic and corporate, established by the Ohio Revised Code to provide for the vocational needs of the students. The Board of Education is comprised of representatives appointed by the board of each participating school district. The Board is responsible for approving its own budgets, appointing personnel, and accounting and finance related activities. Brunswick City School District students may attend the vocational school. Each school district's control is limited to its representation on the Board. During fiscal year 2010, no monies were paid by Brunswick City School District to the Career Center. To obtain financial information write to the Medina Career Center, John Street, who serves as Treasurer, at 1101 West Liberty, Medina, Ohio 44256.

**B. *Ohio Schools Council Association***

The Ohio Schools Council Association (Council) is a jointly governed organization among ninety-one school districts. The jointly governed organization was formed to purchase quality products and services at the lowest possible cost to the member districts. Each district supports the Council by paying an annual participation fee. The Council's Board consists of seven superintendents of the participating districts whose term rotates every year. The degree of control exercised by any school district is limited to its representation on the Board. In fiscal year 2009, the School District paid \$1,875 to the Council. Financial information can be obtained by contacting Dr. David A. Cottrell, the Executive Secretary/Treasurer of the Ohio Schools Council at 6133 Rockside Road, Suite 10, Independence, Ohio 44131.

The School District participates in the Council's prepaid natural gas program which was implemented during fiscal year 1999. This program allows school districts to purchase natural gas at reduced rates, if the school districts will commit to participating for a twelve year period. The participants make monthly payments based on estimated usage. Each month these estimated payments are compared to their actual usage and any necessary adjustments are made.

The City of Hamilton, a municipal corporation and political subdivision duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Ohio, issued \$89,450,000 in debt to purchase twelve years of natural gas from CMS Energy Corporation for the participants. The participating school districts are not obligated in any manner for this debt. If a participating school district terminates its agreement, the district is entitled to recover that amount, if any, of its contributions to the operating fund which are not encumbered for its share of program administrative costs.

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**NOTE 16: JOINTLY GOVERNED ORGANIZATIONS (Continued)**

***C. Northeast Ohio Network for Educational Technology (NEOnet)***

The Northeast Ohio Network for Educational Technology (NEOnet) is a jointly governed organization among 27 school districts. The jointly governed organization was formed for the purpose of applying modern technology with the aid of computers and other electronic equipment to administrative and instructional functions among member districts. Each of these schools supports NEOnet based upon a per pupil charge dependent upon the software package utilized. The NEOnet assembly consists of a superintendent or designated representative from each participating school district and a representative from the fiscal agent. NEOnet is governed by a Board of Directors chosen from the general membership of the NEOnet Assembly. The Board of Directors consists of a representative from the fiscal agent, the chairman of each of the operating committees, and at least three at-large Assembly members. During the fiscal year 2010 the School District paid \$119,876 to NEOnet. Financial information can be obtained by contacting the Treasurer at the Educational Service Center of Summit County, who serves as the fiscal agent, at 420 Washington Avenue, Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221.

**NOTE 17: PUBLIC ENTITY RISK POOLS**

***A. Insurance Purchasing Pool***

The School District participates in the Ohio School Boards Association Workers' Compensation Group Rating Program (GRP), an insurance purchasing pool. The GRP's business and affairs are conducted by a three member Board of Directors consisting of the President, the President-Elect and Immediate Past President of the OSBA. The Executive Director of the OSBA, or his designee, serves as coordinator of the program. Each year, the participating school districts pay an enrollment fee to the GRP to cover the costs of administering the program.

***B. Risk Sharing Pool***

The Suburban Health Consortium is a shared health risk pool created pursuant to State statute for the purpose of administering health care benefits. The council is governed by an assembly which consists of one representative from each participating school district (usually the superintendent or designee). The assembly elects officers for one year terms to serve on the Board of Directors. The assembly exercises control over the participating school districts, based on the established premiums for the insurance plans. Each school district reserves the right to terminate the plan in whole or in part at any time for their School District. If it is terminated, no further contributions will be made, but the benefits under the insurance contract shall be paid in accordance with the terms of the contract.

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**NOTE 18: SET ASIDES**

The School District is required by State statute to annually set aside in the general fund an amount based on a statutory formula for the purchase of textbooks and other instructional materials and an equal amount for the acquisition and construction of capital improvements. Amounts not spent by fiscal year end or offset by similarly restricted resources received during the year must be held in cash at fiscal year end and carried forward to be used for the same purposes in future fiscal years.

The following cash basis information describes the changes in the fiscal year end set-aside amounts for textbooks and capital acquisitions. Disclosure of this information is required by the State statute.

	Textbooks and Instructional Materials Reserve	Capital Improvements Reserve
Set-Aside Reserve Balance as of July 1, 2009	\$ 428,053	\$ 0
Current Year Set-Aside Requirement	1,180,932	1,180,932
Qualifying Disbursements	(1,512,454)	(1,573,810)
Totals	\$ 96,531	\$ (392,878)
Set-Aside Balance Carried Forward to Future Fiscal Years	\$ 96,531	\$ 0
Set-Aside Reserve Balance as of June 30, 2010	\$ 96,531	\$ 0

Although the School District had qualifying disbursements during the fiscal year that reduced the set-aside amount to below zero for the capital acquisition set-aside, this amount may not be used to reduce the set-aside requirement of future years. This negative balance is therefore not presented as being carried forward to future years.

**NOTE 19: CONTINGENCIES**

**A. Grants**

The School District received financial assistance from federal and state agencies in the form of grants. The disbursement of funds received under these programs generally require compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements, and is subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of the general fund or other applicable funds. However, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims will not have a material adverse effect on the overall financial position of the School District at June 30, 2010.

**B. Litigation**

The School District is not party to any claims or lawsuits that would, in the School District's opinion, have a material effect of the basic financial statements.

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**FEDERAL AWARDS RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES SCHEDULE  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2010**

<b>Federal Grantor/ Pass Through Grantor/ Program Title</b>	<b>Federal CFDA Number</b>	<b>Receipts</b>	<b>Expenditures</b>
<b><u>U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE</u></b>			
<i>Passed Through the Ohio Department of Education.</i>			
<u>Child Nutrition Cluster:</u>			
School Breakfast Program	10.553	\$111,057	\$111,057
School Lunch Program	10.555	649,670	649,670
Non-cash Assistance	10.555	185,959	184,108
Total Child Nutrition Cluster		946,686	944,835
<b>TOTAL U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE</b>		<b>946,686</b>	<b>944,835</b>
<b><u>U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION</u></b>			
<i>Passed Through the Ohio Department of Education.</i>			
<u>Special Education Cluster:</u>			
Special Education Grants to States	84.027	1,101,159	1,345,367
ARRA - Special Education—Grants to States (Idea, Part B)	84.391	338,791	316,371
Total Special Education -Grants to States		1,439,950	1,661,738
Special Education - Preschool Grants	84.173	26,045	27,179
ARRA - Special Education - Preschool Grants	84.392	15,495	
Total Special Education - Preschool Grants		41,540	27,179
Total Special Education Cluster		1,481,490	1,688,917
<u>Title I, Part A Cluster:</u>			
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	84.010	647,037	672,131
ARRA - Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	84.389	35,833	25,522
Total Title I, Part A Cluster		682,870	697,653
ARRA - State Fiscal Stabilization Fund (SFSF) – Education State Grants (Education Stabilization Fund)	84.394	1,359,771	513,512
ARRA - Education of Homeless Children and Youth	84.387	284	
Javits Gifted and Talented Students Education Grant Program	84.206	1,000	
Improving Teacher Quality State Grants	84.367	219,875	202,218
English Language Acquisition Grants	84.365	10,598	10,835
Education Technology State Grants	84.318	5,513	5,173
State Grants for Innovative Programs	84.298	9,790	11,631
Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities-State Grants	84.186	18,021	17,663
<b>TOTAL U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION</b>		<b>3,789,212</b>	<b>3,147,602</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$4,735,898</b>	<b>\$4,092,437</b>

*The accompanying notes are an integral part of this schedule.*

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**NOTES TO THE FEDERAL AWARDS RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES SCHEDULE  
FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2010**

**NOTE A - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The accompanying Federal Awards Receipts and Expenditures Schedule (the Schedule) reports Brunswick City School District, Medina County, Ohio, (the District's) federal award programs' receipts and disbursements. The schedule has been prepared on the cash basis of accounting.

**NOTE B - CHILD NUTRITION CLUSTER**

The District commingles cash receipts from the U.S. Department of Agriculture with similar State grants. When reporting expenditures on this Schedule, the District assumes it expends federal monies first.

**NOTE C – FOOD DONATION PROGRAM**

The District reports commodities consumed on the Schedule at the fair value. The District allocated donated food commodities to the respective program that benefitted from the use of those donated food commodities.



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

Brunswick City School District  
Medina County  
3643 Center Road  
Brunswick, Ohio 44212

To the Board of Education:

We have audited the financial statements each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Brunswick City School District, Medina County, Ohio, (the District) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2010, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated January 21, 2011. 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 District's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our audit procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of opining on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we have not opined on the effectiveness of the District'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 District'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 District'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*.

We did note certain matters not requiring inclusion in this report that we reported to the District's management in a separate letter dated January 21, 2011.

We intend this report solely for the information and use of management, the audit committee, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and others within the District. We intend it for no one other than these specified parties.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dave Yost". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

**Dave Yost**  
Auditor of State

January 21, 2011



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## INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY OMB CIRCULAR A-133

Brunswick City School District  
Medina County  
3643 Center Road  
Brunswick, Ohio 44212

To the Board of Education:

### Compliance

We have audited the compliance of the Brunswick City School District, Medina County, Ohio, (the District) with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) *Circular A-133, Compliance Supplement* that could directly and materially affect each of the District's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2010. The summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings identifies the District's major federal programs. The District's management is responsible for complying with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to each major federal program. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the District's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits included in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure whether noncompliance occurred with the compliance requirements referred to above that could directly and materially affect a major federal program. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the District's compliance with those requirements and performing other procedures we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on the District's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the Brunswick City School District, Medina County, Ohio complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that could directly and materially affect each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2010.

### Internal Control Over Compliance

The District's management is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered the District's internal control over compliance with requirements that could directly and materially affect a major federal program, to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of opining on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, but not for the purpose of opining on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we have not opined on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over compliance.

*A deficiency in internal control over compliance* exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, when performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or to timely detect and correct, noncompliance with a federal program compliance requirement. *A material weakness in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a federal program compliance requirement will not be prevented, or timely detected and corrected.

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

We noted certain matters involving federal compliance not requiring inclusion in this report, that we reported to the District's management in a separate letter dated January 21, 2011.

We intend this report solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management, the Board of Education and others within the entity, federal awarding agencies, and pass-through entities. It is not intended for anyone other than these specified parties.



**Dave Yost**  
Auditor of State

January 21, 2011

**BRUNSWICK CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
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**SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS  
OMB CIRCULAR A -133 § .505  
JUNE 30, 2010**

**1. SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS**

<b>(d)(1)(i)</b>	<b>Type of Financial Statement Opinion</b>	Unqualified
<b>(d)(1)(ii)</b>	<b>Were there any material control weaknesses reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?</b>	No
<b>(d)(1)(ii)</b>	<b>Were there any significant deficiencies in internal control reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?</b>	No
<b>(d)(1)(iii)</b>	<b>Was there any reported material noncompliance at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?</b>	No
<b>(d)(1)(iv)</b>	<b>Were there any material internal control weaknesses reported for major federal programs?</b>	No
<b>(d)(1)(iv)</b>	<b>Were there any significant deficiencies in internal control reported for major federal programs?</b>	No
<b>(d)(1)(v)</b>	<b>Type of Major Programs' Compliance Opinion</b>	Unqualified
<b>(d)(1)(vi)</b>	<b>Are there any reportable findings under § .510(a)?</b>	No
<b>(d)(1)(vii)</b>	<b>Major Programs (list):</b>	CFDA 84.394 – ARRA State Fiscal Stabilization Fund; CFDA 84.010 and 84.389 – Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies; CFDA 84.027, 84.391, 84.173 and 84.392 – Special Education Cluster.
<b>(d)(1)(viii)</b>	<b>Dollar Threshold: Type A\B Programs</b>	Type A: > \$300,000 Type B: all others
<b>(d)(1)(ix)</b>	<b>Low Risk Auditee?</b>	Yes

**2. FINDINGS RELATED TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS**

None

**3. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS**

None

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**SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS  
JUNE 30, 2010**

Finding Number	Finding Summary	Fully Corrected?	Not Corrected, Partially Corrected; Significantly Different Corrective Action Taken; or Finding No Longer Valid;
2009-001	Ohio Rev. Code Section 5705.39 – Appropriations exceed estimated revenues in the Bond Retirement Fund at June 30, 2009.	Yes	Finding No Longer Valid.

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**BRUNSWICK CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**MEDINA 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.**

*Susan Babbitt*

**CLERK OF THE BUREAU**

**CERTIFIED  
FEBRUARY 22, 2011**