

BOWLING GREEN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007



Mary Taylor, CPA
Auditor of State

Board of Education
Bowling Green City School District
140 South Grove Street
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We have reviewed the *Independent Auditors' Report* of the Bowling Green City School District, Wood County, prepared by Weber O'Brien Ltd., for the audit period July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007. Based upon this review, we have accepted these reports in lieu of the audit required by Section 117.11, Revised Code. The Auditor of State did not audit the accompanying financial statements and, accordingly, we are unable to express, and do not express an opinion on them.

Our review was made in reference to the applicable sections of legislative criteria, as reflected by the Ohio Constitution, and the Revised Code, policies, procedures and guidelines of the Auditor of State, regulations and grant requirements. The Bowling Green City School District is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

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January 4, 2008

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BOWLING GREEN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
WOOD COUNTY

ELECTED OFFICIALS AND ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL
AS OF JUNE 30, 2007

ELECTED OFFICIALS

<u>Board of Education</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Term of Office</u>
Thomas Milbrodt, Ph.D	President	1/1/04 – 12/31/07
Ellen Scholl	Vice President	1/1/06 – 12/31/09
Craig Mertler, Ph. D.	Member	1/1/04 – 12/31/07
Eric Myers, Ph. D.	Member	1/1/06 – 12/31/09
Paul Windisch	Member	1/1/04 – 12/31/07

ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL

<u>Administrative</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Term of Contract</u>
Hugh T. Caumartin, Jr. ¹	Superintendent	8/1/06 – 7/31/09
Rhonda Melchi ²	Treasurer	1/1/06 – 12/31/09

LEGAL COUNSEL

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¹ Surety: Buckeye Union Insurance Company
Bond: \$5,000

² Surety: Buckeye Union Insurance Company
Bond: \$25,000

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WOOD COUNTY

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Education
Bowling Green City School District
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We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Bowling Green City School District ("the District"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2007, 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 and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and the significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that 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, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Bowling Green City School District as of June 30, 2007, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 19, 2007, on our consideration of Bowling Green City School District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is

an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

The management's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 3 through 8 and page 38, are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Bowling Green City School District's basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards on page 39 is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by 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 of Bowling Green City School District. Such additional information, which is the responsibility of the District's management, has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Deborah O'Brien".

December 19, 2007

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Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2007

The Management's Discussion and Analysis is required by GASB Statement No. 34, *Basic Financial Statements – and Management's Discussion and Analysis – for State and Local Governments*. The purpose of this supplementary information is to provide a narrative overview of the accompanying financial statements although readers should also review the basic financial statements and notes to gain a complete understanding of the District's financial performance.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

These basic financial statements include two kinds of statements that present different views of the District:

Government-wide Statements – These financial statements provide both long-term and short-term information about the District's overall financial status.

Fund Financial Statements – These statements focus on individual parts of the District, reporting the District's operations in more detail than the Government-wide financial statements.

The financial statements also include notes that explain some of the information in the financial statements and provide more detailed data.

Government-wide Statements

The Government-wide statements report information about the District as a whole using accounting similar to those used by private-sector companies. The Statement of Net Assets includes all of the District's assets and liabilities. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the Statement of Activities regardless of when cash is received or paid.

The two Government-wide statements report the District's net assets and how they have changed. Net assets (the difference between the District's assets and liabilities) are one way to measure the District's financial health or position.

- Over time, increases or decreases in the District's net assets are an indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating, respectively.
- To assess the overall health of the District one needs to consider additional nonfinancial factors such as property tax base, current property tax laws, and student enrollment growth and facility conditions.

The Government-wide financial statements of the District fall into two categories:

- **Governmental Activities** – Most of the District's programs and services are reported here including instruction, support services, non-instructional and extracurricular activities.
- **Business-type Activities** – The District operates a food service program and provides for the sale of student supplies. These activities are intended to be self-supporting although transfers from the General Fund are made almost annually to supplement student supply sales.

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Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the District's most significant funds rather than the District as a whole. Funds are accounting devices that the District uses to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending for particular purposes.

Governmental Funds – Most of the District's activities are reported in Governmental Funds, which focus on (a) how money flows into and out of those funds and (b) the balances left at year-end for spending in future periods. These funds are reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting. This method 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 District's general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance educational programs. The relationship (or difference) between governmental activities (reported in the Government-wide statements) and governmental funds is reconciled in the financial statements. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007, three funds were considered "major" for reporting purposes due to their level of activity and are reported separately from all other Governmental funds in the fund financial statements. These three funds are the General Fund, Bond Retirement Fund and the Construction Fund.

Proprietary Funds – The District uses enterprise funds to report activities for which fees are charged. These enterprise funds are the same as business-type activities, but provide more detail and additional information such as cash flows.

Fiduciary Funds – The District is the agent, or fiduciary, for various student-managed activity programs and other similar programs listed as agency funds. All of the District's fiduciary activities are reported in a separate Statement of Fiduciary Net Assets. We exclude these activities from the District's other financial statements because the assets cannot be utilized by the District to finance its operations.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT AS A WHOLE

Net Assets – The following table shows a comparative analysis of net assets for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2007 and 2006:

	Governmental Activities			Business-type Activities		
	2007	2006	Increase/ (Decrease)	2007	2006	Increase/ (Decrease)
Current and other assets	\$ 62,338,933	\$ 29,528,899	\$ 32,810,034	\$ 258,959	\$ 287,066	\$ (28,107)
Capital assets, net	8,706,359	8,638,408	67,951	82,439	91,266	(8,827)
Total assets	71,045,292	38,167,307	32,877,985	341,398	378,332	(36,934)
Long-term obligations outstanding	33,631,840	4,930,024	28,701,816	41,805	43,383	(1,578)
Other liabilities	18,071,013	19,131,955	(1,060,942)	84,986	91,192	(6,206)
Total liabilities	51,702,853	24,061,979	27,640,874	126,791	134,575	(7,784)
Net assets						
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	7,197,853	6,779,938	417,915	82,439	91,266	(8,827)
Restricted	32,003,928	1,917,560	30,086,368	-	-	-
Unrestricted	(19,859,342)	5,407,830	(25,267,172)	132,168	152,491	(20,323)
Total net assets	\$ 19,342,439	\$ 14,105,328	\$ 5,237,111	\$ 214,607	\$ 243,757	\$ (29,150)

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Changes in Net Assets - The following table shows the changes in net assets for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007 as compared with 2006:

	Governmental Activities			Business-type Activities		
	2007	2006	Increase/ (Decrease)	2007	2006	Increase/ (Decrease)
Revenues						
Program revenues						
Charges for services	\$ 292,546	\$ 291,463	\$ 1,083	\$ 727,738	\$ 733,719	\$ (5,981)
Operating grants	1,952,395	1,788,012	164,383	422,308	374,374	47,934
General revenues						
Property and income taxes	23,287,447	19,104,471	4,182,976	-	-	-
Unrestricted grants	9,522,013	8,989,631	532,382	-	-	-
Other	2,703,142	1,450,142	1,253,000	9,929	11,422	(1,493)
Total revenues	<u>37,757,543</u>	<u>31,623,719</u>	<u>6,133,824</u>	<u>1,159,975</u>	<u>1,119,515</u>	<u>40,460</u>
Expenses						
Instruction	18,696,234	18,132,620	563,614	-	-	-
Support services	11,190,012	11,456,501	(266,489)	-	-	-
Noninstructional	385,283	370,214	15,069	-	-	-
Extracurricular Activities	932,652	915,829	16,823	-	-	-
Capital Outlay	350,588	423,310	(72,722)	-	-	-
Interest and Fiscal Charges	937,245	101,358	835,887	-	-	-
Other	22,418	9,234	13,184	-	-	-
Food Service	-	-	-	1,144,981	1,073,778	71,203
Uniform School Supplies	-	-	-	50,144	44,796	5,348
Total expenses	<u>32,514,432</u>	<u>31,409,066</u>	<u>1,105,366</u>	<u>1,195,125</u>	<u>1,118,574</u>	<u>76,551</u>
Transfers/Capital Contribution	(6,000)	(2,500)	(3,500)	6,000	2,500	3,500
Change in Net Assets	5,237,111	212,153	5,024,958	(29,150)	3,441	(32,591)
Beginning net assets	14,105,328	13,893,175	212,153	243,757	240,316	3,441
Ending net assets	<u>\$ 19,342,439</u>	<u>\$ 14,105,328</u>	<u>\$ 5,237,111</u>	<u>\$ 214,607</u>	<u>\$ 243,757</u>	<u>\$ (29,150)</u>

Governmental Activities

The unique nature of property taxes in Ohio creates the need to routinely seek voter approval for operating funds. The overall revenue generated by a voted levy does not increase solely as a result of inflation. As an example, a homeowner with a home with an assessed value of \$100,000 and taxed at 1.0 mill would pay \$35 in taxes at the time the levy is voted in. If during the County's reappraisal the home's assessed value was increased to \$200,000 (and this increase is comparable to increases for other property owners in the neighborhood) the effective tax rate would become 0.5 mills and the owner would continue to pay \$35 in property tax. However, the effective total millage cannot be reduced below 20 mills according to state statute. This maintenance of the amount of property taxes generated coupled with the state funding method cause school districts to regularly return to voters in order for revenues to keep pace with expenses. In addition to property taxes, residents of the school district pay .5% (one-half percent) of their income in school district income tax. Since the District must rely heavily on voter approval of operating tax issues, management of District resources is of utmost concern to both the administration and the voting public. The District uses a five-year financial forecast to determine whether current tax levies can sustain operations. The current forecast reflects a need for additional operating resources in fiscal year 2011 based upon the assumptions used in formulating the forecast.

In November, 2006, the District's voters approved a 2.93 mill bond levy for the construction of a new middle school and auditorium. In March, 2007, the District issued bonded debt in the amount of \$27,500,000 for this project. While actual construction of the facility is not expected to begin until the spring of 2008, contracts for design services and construction management services have been entered into and work has begun on the design of the project. This debt issue accounts for the increase in long-term liabilities of the District. Since little of the bond proceeds have been expended as of June 30, 2007, this money was invested, thus accounting for the majority of the increase in the District's assets. The associated levy also results in increased taxes receivable at June 30.

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Property and income taxes made up 61.7% of revenues for governmental activities of the Bowling Green City School District in fiscal year 2007 and 60.4% in fiscal year 2006. Property tax revenues increased in fiscal year 2007 because of the 2.93 mill bond levy passed by the voters effective January 1, 2007 to pay for a general obligation bond issue in connection with construction of a new middle school building and auditorium (discussed in the previous paragraph).

The following table demonstrates the District's reliance upon tax revenues:

Revenue Source	2007		2006	
	Amount	% of Total	Amount	% of Total
General tax revenues	\$ 23,287,447	61.7%	\$ 19,104,471	60.4%
Unrestricted grants	9,522,013	25.2%	8,989,631	28.4%
Program revenues	2,244,941	5.9%	2,079,475	6.6%
Other revenues	2,703,142	7.2%	1,450,142	4.6%
Total Revenue	\$ 37,757,543	100.0%	\$ 31,623,719	100.0%

The District also saw increases in all its other revenues in fiscal year 2007 resulting from additional interest earnings due to both higher interest rates and investment of middle school/auditorium debt proceeds. This debt also leads to additional interest and fiscal charges. Increased payments for tuition to community schools and special education costs resulted in higher instructional expenditures during fiscal year 2007.

Business-type Activities

Business-type activities include food service and uniform school supplies resale. Student lunch purchases decreased slightly during fiscal year 2007, however, there was an increase in the federal free and reduced lunch grant program of \$47,934. With increases in the cost of food, supplies and personnel a net decrease of \$29,150 was realized in the proprietary funds. The net assets balance remains healthy, but management will continue to keep a watch on future operations.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT'S FUNDS

The District's Governmental Funds reported a combined fund balance of \$43,933,778. This is an overall increase of \$33,651,602 from the June 30, 2006 total of \$10,282,176. The schedule below indicates the fund balance and total change in fund balance by fund type as of June 30, 2007 and 2006.

	Fund Balance June 30, 2007	Fund Balance June 30, 2006	Increase (Decrease)
General Fund	\$ 9,803,897	\$ 6,220,058	\$ 3,583,839
Other Governmental	34,129,881	4,062,118	30,067,763
Total	\$ 43,933,778	\$ 10,282,176	\$ 33,651,602

The District's General Fund balance rose largely due to an increase in property tax collected and available at June 30, 2007 while operating costs increased only 1.5%. The increase in Other Governmental funds can be attributed to the middle school/auditorium debt issue proceeds. The \$27,500,000 bond issue, dated March 22, 2007, was preceded by note issues that brought cash into the District that remains largely unspent at June 30, 2007, but will be used to pay construction costs as the middle school/auditorium project progresses over the next two to three years. The bond issue proceeds were used to retire that note debt. The bond issue nearly sextupled the long-term liabilities of the District.

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Budgetary Highlights

A supplementary schedule is included after the Notes to the Financial Statements to present budgetary information for the General Fund of the District.

The Board approved amendments to the General Fund appropriations for transfers to supplement the Business-type Activities funds. Budgeted revenues were affected by lower tax collections than originally estimated.

CAPITAL ASSETS AND LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

At June 30, 2007, the District had net capital assets in the amount of \$8,788,798 invested in land, construction in progress, buildings and improvements, furniture and equipment, and vehicles. Initial stages of the middle school/auditorium project were begun resulting in the addition of construction in progress in fiscal year 2007. Also in fiscal year 2007 some improvements were made to building roofs, and several vehicles and some equipment were purchased. Yet net capital assets only increased \$59,124 because the district's existing assets continue to age, and, accordingly, accumulated depreciation increases. The District owns no infrastructure. The following table presents comparative balances for fiscal years 2007 and 2006:

	Governmental Activities		Business-type Activities		Total	Total	Total
	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	Increase (Decrease)
Land	\$ 289,510	\$ 289,510	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 289,510	\$ 289,510	\$ -
Construction in Progress	170,393	-	-	-	170,393	-	170,393
Buildings & Improvements	15,322,414	15,029,633	-	-	15,322,414	15,029,633	292,781
Furniture & Equipment	3,922,561	3,743,624	340,657	336,496	4,263,218	4,080,120	183,098
Vehicles	1,827,539	1,855,828	-	-	1,827,539	1,855,828	(28,289)
Accumulated depreciation	(12,826,058)	(12,280,187)	(258,218)	(245,230)	(13,084,276)	(12,525,417)	(558,859)
Net Capital Assets	\$ 8,706,359	\$ 8,638,408	\$ 82,439	\$ 91,266	\$ 8,788,798	\$ 8,729,674	\$ 59,124

Long-term Obligations

At June 30, 2007, the District's governmental activities had long-term liabilities totaling \$33,631,840. As mentioned several times previously in this discussion, the District issued general obligation bonds in the amount of \$27,500,000 for the construction of a middle school facility and auditorium. The bonds were sold at a premium and will fully mature in fiscal year 2034. Combined with the previously existing general obligation bonds, total outstanding general obligation bonds amount to \$28,955,000 with \$625,000 due within one year, and unamortized bond premium of \$1,459,034. Other long-term obligations include an outstanding capital lease balance for bus purchases in the amount of \$88,788 and probable payments for compensated absences in the amount of \$3,129,018.

Under current state statutes, the District's debt issues are subject to a legal limitation of 9% of the total assessed value of real and personal property. At June 30, 2007, the District's outstanding debt was within the legal limit.

ECONOMIC FACTORS

School district income tax collections increased approximately 2% for fiscal year 2007, down from 5%

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increases in the previous two fiscal years which seems to indicate a steady local economy. Interest rates peaked around the middle of fiscal year 2007 and started to dip somewhat by the end of the fiscal year. Accordingly, interest earnings are expected to fall during the next year.

State foundation funding has remained flat. This funding is based upon assessed local property values. Because property values in the District have increased, the foundation formula assumes that property taxes also increase thereby reducing the District's need for state funding. However, as discussed in the Financial Analysis section of this narrative, property taxes do not actually grow with increased property values. Prior to 2006, the District had been on the "fiscal year 1998 guarantee" for state foundation funding. This meant the District had been guaranteed to receive the same amount of funding as it did seven years prior even though, based upon property values, state funding should be significantly less than received in fiscal year 1998. With the passage of the budget bill, HB 66, for fiscal years 2006 and 2007, the District went on the Transitional Aid Guarantee, which essentially equates to the "fiscal year 1998 guarantee" for this District because the Transitional Aid Guarantee ensures that the District will receive what it did in fiscal year 2005 – the same that it did in fiscal year 1998. While management is most appreciative that actual state funding is no lower than in 1998, operating costs have steadily risen far beyond those levels. Thus, the District is forced to seek additional taxes from its citizens to compensate for the lack of growth in state funding. The latest operating tax levy was sought in May, 2005, when voters approved a 2.3 replacement levy with a 1.9 mill increase that began collection in January, 2006. The first full year of collection from this tax was realized in fiscal year 2007.

Significant changes were implemented in the tax structure by the Ohio General Assembly beginning in fiscal year 2006. Effective January 1, 2006, HB 66 phases out tangible personal property tax over a four year period. These taxes comprise approximately 10% of the District's revenues. HB 66 provides for "hold harmless" payments to replace these revenues through 2010 at which time these payments are scheduled to be phased out. The "hold harmless" payments will be in declining amounts, however, to reflect the phase-out of the inventory portion of tangible personal property that was already in law prior to the passage of HB 66. The phase out of the tangible personal property tax will also have an effect on the assessed local property values used to calculate the state foundation funding. At this time, it is unknown what, if any, effect this will have on this District's foundation funding due to the District's current guarantee status (discussed in the previous paragraph).

Several court decisions have been issued as a result of the school funding cases filed against the State. The Supreme Court relinquished jurisdiction over the case in late 2002 and directed the Ohio General Assembly to enact a school-funding scheme that is thorough and efficient. It is unknown what effect, if any, this decision will have on future funding the District receives from the State.

The Board of Education and the Administration of the Bowling Green City School District have committed themselves to providing a sound educational program for the citizens of the District while maintaining fiscal integrity. Accordingly, facilities, programs and operational practices are under continual review to determine what, if any, changes can be implemented for improvement.

Contacting the District's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to demonstrate the District's accountability for the money it receives. Inquiries about this report may be directed to Rhonda Melchi, Treasurer, Bowling Green City School District, 140 South Grove Street, Bowling Green, Ohio 43402.

Bowling Green City School District, Wood County
Statement of Net Assets
As of June 30, 2007

	Governmental <u>Activities</u>	Business-Type <u>Activities</u>	<u>Total</u>
Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 7,827,373	\$ 191,002	\$ 8,018,375
Investments	33,626,687	-	33,626,687
Receivables			
Taxes - current	19,893,453	-	19,893,453
Accounts	10,519	-	10,519
Accrued interest	356,458	-	356,458
Intergovernmental	129,970	42,299	172,269
Materials & supplies inventory	96,062	25,483	121,545
Prepaid items	109,427	175	109,602
Deferred bond issuance costs	288,984	-	288,984
Capital assets, net	8,706,359	82,439	8,788,798
Total assets	<u>71,045,292</u>	<u>341,398</u>	<u>71,386,690</u>
Liabilities			
Accounts payable	72,943	345	73,288
Accrued wages and benefits	2,385,433	33,901	2,419,334
Intergovernmental payables	530,944	50,740	581,684
Deferred revenue	14,967,175	-	14,967,175
Accrued interest payable	114,518	-	114,518
Long-term liabilities			
Due within one year	1,078,420	-	1,078,420
Due in more than one year	32,553,420	41,805	32,595,225
Total liabilities	<u>51,702,853</u>	<u>126,791</u>	<u>51,829,644</u>
Net assets			
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	7,197,853	82,439	7,280,292
Restricted for:			
Debt service	2,348,047	-	2,348,047
Capital projects	29,200,838	-	29,200,838
Other purposes	455,043	-	455,043
Unrestricted/undesignated	(19,859,342)	132,168	(19,727,174)
Total net assets	<u>\$ 19,342,439</u>	<u>\$ 214,607</u>	<u>\$ 19,557,046</u>

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

Bowling Green City School District, Wood County
Statement of Activities
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

	Program Revenues			Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Assets		
	Expenses	Charges for Services and Sales	Operating Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total
Governmental activities						
Instruction	\$ 18,696,234	\$ -	\$ 948,665	\$ (17,747,569)	\$ -	\$ (17,747,569)
Support services	11,190,012	-	629,257	(10,560,755)	-	(10,560,755)
Non-instructional	385,283	-	371,121	(14,162)	-	(14,162)
Extracurricular activities	932,652	292,546	-	(640,106)	-	(640,106)
Capital outlay	350,588	-	-	(350,588)	-	(350,588)
Interest and fiscal charges	937,245	-	-	(937,245)	-	(937,245)
Miscellaneous	22,418	-	3,352	(19,066)	-	(19,066)
Total governmental activities	<u>32,514,432</u>	<u>292,546</u>	<u>1,952,395</u>	<u>(30,269,491)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(30,269,491)</u>
Business-type activities						
Food service	1,144,981	684,281	422,308	-	(38,392)	(38,392)
Uniform school supplies	50,144	43,457	-	-	(6,687)	(6,687)
Total business-type activities	<u>1,195,125</u>	<u>727,738</u>	<u>422,308</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(45,079)</u>	<u>(45,079)</u>
Totals	<u>33,709,557</u>	<u>1,020,284</u>	<u>2,374,703</u>	<u>(30,269,491)</u>	<u>(45,079)</u>	<u>(30,314,570)</u>
General Revenues						
Property and income taxes levied for:						
General purposes				21,177,431	-	21,177,431
Debt service				1,577,053	-	1,577,053
Capital outlay				532,963	-	532,963
Grants & entitlements not restricted to specific programs				9,522,013	-	9,522,013
Payment in lieu of taxes				248,402	-	248,402
Investment earnings				1,828,303	8,817	1,837,120
Miscellaneous				626,437	1,112	627,549
Total general revenues				<u>35,512,602</u>	<u>9,929</u>	<u>35,522,531</u>
Transfers - capital contribution				(6,000)	6,000	-
Change in net assets				5,237,111	(29,150)	5,207,961
Net assets beginning of year				14,105,328	243,757	14,349,085
Net assets end of year				<u>\$ 19,342,439</u>	<u>\$ 214,607</u>	<u>\$ 19,557,046</u>

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

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Bowling Green City School District, Wood County
 Balance Sheet
 Governmental Funds
 As of June 30, 2007

	General	Bond Retirement	Construction	Other Governmental Funds
Assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 3,278,679	\$ 1,935,452	\$ 397,785	\$ 2,215,457
Investments:				
With fiscal agents	4,470,726	-	26,923,880	2,232,081
Receivables:				
Taxes	17,374,372	2,042,167	-	476,914
Accounts	10,519	-	-	-
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	129,970
Accrued interest	192,496	-	-	163,962
Interfund receivable	28,161	-	-	-
Materials and supplies inventory	96,062	-	-	-
Prepaid items	107,751	-	-	1,676
Total assets	<u>\$ 25,558,766</u>	<u>\$ 3,977,619</u>	<u>\$ 27,321,665</u>	<u>\$ 5,220,060</u>
Liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$ 30,083	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 42,860
Accrued wages and benefits	2,293,570	-	-	91,863
Compensated absences payable	-	-	-	159,676
Interfund payables	-	-	-	28,161
Intergovernmental payable	495,978	-	-	34,966
Deferred revenue	12,935,238	1,629,572	-	402,365
Total liabilities	<u>15,754,869</u>	<u>1,629,572</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>759,891</u>
Fund balances:				
Reserved for encumbrances	111,306	-	3,059,714	501,953
Reserved for inventory	96,062	-	-	-
Reserved for prepaid items	107,751	-	-	1,676
Reserved for contributions	-	-	-	52,972
Reserved for property tax unavailable for appropriation	3,011,837	412,595	-	93,376
Unreserved, undesignated reported in:				
General fund	6,476,941	-	-	-
Debt service funds	-	1,935,452	-	-
Capital projects funds	-	-	24,261,951	1,400,122
Special revenue funds	-	-	-	2,404,364
Permanent funds	-	-	-	5,706
Total fund balances	<u>9,803,897</u>	<u>2,348,047</u>	<u>27,321,665</u>	<u>4,460,169</u>
Total liabilities and fund balances	<u>\$ 25,558,766</u>	<u>\$ 3,977,619</u>	<u>\$ 27,321,665</u>	<u>\$ 5,220,060</u>

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

*Reconciliation of Total Governmental Fund Balances
to Net Assets of Governmental Activities
As of June 30, 2007*

Total Governmental Funds		
\$ 7,827,373		Total Governmental Fund Balances \$ 43,933,778
33,626,687		<i>Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because</i>
19,893,453		Capital Assets used in governmental activities are not resources and therefore are not reported in the funds 8,706,359
10,519		
129,970		
356,458		
28,161		
96,062		Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds (33,297,698)
109,427		
<u>\$ 62,078,110</u>		<u>(33,297,698)</u>
\$ 72,943		Net Assets of Governmental Funds \$ 19,342,439
2,385,433		
159,676		
28,161		
530,944		
<u>14,967,175</u>		
18,144,332		
3,672,973		
96,062		
109,427		
52,972		
3,517,808		
6,476,941		
1,935,452		
25,662,073		
2,404,364		
5,706		
<u>43,933,778</u>		
<u>\$ 62,078,110</u>		

Bowling Green City School District, Wood County
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -
Governmental Funds
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

	General	Bond Retirement	Construction	Other Governmental Funds
Revenues:				
Taxes	\$ 21,177,431	\$ 1,577,053	\$ -	\$ 532,963
Tuition and fees	510,663	-	-	-
Intergovernmental	9,386,720	95,833	-	1,991,855
Interest	774,392	360,952	1,742	691,217
Extracurricular activities	-	-	-	238,568
Gifts and donations	-	-	-	2,299
Miscellaneous	107,782	-	-	302,380
Total revenues	<u>31,956,988</u>	<u>2,033,838</u>	<u>1,742</u>	<u>3,759,282</u>
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Instruction	17,511,588	-	-	1,151,012
Support services	10,114,515	13,680	-	1,225,075
Non-instructional services	13,142	-	-	380,943
Extracurricular activities	645,927	-	-	285,862
Capital outlay	1,440	-	180,077	122,644
Debt service				
Principal	-	27,790,000	-	-
Interest	-	862,761	-	-
Bond issuance costs	-	294,238	-	-
Total expenditures	<u>28,286,612</u>	<u>28,960,679</u>	<u>180,077</u>	<u>3,165,536</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures	3,670,376	(26,926,841)	(178,335)	593,746
Other financing sources (uses)				
Operating transfers in	-	-	-	86,151
Operating transfers (out)	(92,151)	-	-	-
Proceeds from note issue	-	-	27,500,000	-
Proceeds from bond issue	-	27,500,000	-	-
Premium on bond issuance	-	1,496,394	-	-
Other financing sources	5,693	-	-	-
Other financing (uses)	(79)	-	-	(3,352)
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>(86,537)</u>	<u>28,996,394</u>	<u>27,500,000</u>	<u>82,799</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other financing sources over (under) expenditures and other uses	3,583,839	2,069,553	27,321,665	676,545
Fund balance July 1	6,220,058	278,494	-	3,783,624
Fund balance June 30	<u>\$ 9,803,897</u>	<u>\$ 2,348,047</u>	<u>\$ 27,321,665</u>	<u>\$ 4,460,169</u>

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

*Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and
Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds
to the Statement of Activities
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007*

<p>Total Governmental Funds</p> <hr/> <p>\$ 23,287,447 510,663 11,474,408 1,828,303 238,568 2,299 410,162</p> <hr/> <p>37,751,850</p> <p>18,662,600 11,353,270 394,085 931,789 304,161</p> <p>27,790,000 862,761 294,238</p> <hr/> <p>60,592,904</p> <hr/> <p>(22,841,054)</p> <p>86,151 (92,151)</p> <p>27,500,000 27,500,000 1,496,394 5,693 (3,431)</p> <hr/> <p>56,492,656</p> <hr/> <p>33,651,602</p> <p>10,282,176</p> <hr/> <p>\$ 43,933,778</p> <hr/>	<p>Net change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds \$ 33,651,602</p> <p><i>Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because</i></p> <p>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 capital outlays exceeded depreciation in the current period. 67,951</p> <p>Issuance of long-term debt provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of these funds. However, neither transaction has any effect on net assets. Also governmental funds report the effect of issuance costs, premiums and similar items when debt is issued while these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of net activities. (28,412,156)</p> <p>Some expenses reported in the statement of activities, such as compensated absences payable, do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds. <u>(70,286)</u></p> <p>Change in Net Assets of Governmental Activities <u>\$ 5,237,111</u></p>
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Bowling Green City School District, Wood County
Statement of Net Assets
Proprietary Funds
As of June 30, 2007

	<u>Business-Type Activities - Enterprise Funds</u>
Assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 191,002
Receivables (net of allowances for uncollectibles)	
Intergovernmental - federal	42,299
Materials and supplies inventory	25,483
Prepaid items	175
Total current assets	<u>258,959</u>
Capital assets, net	<u>82,439</u>
Total assets	<u>341,398</u>
Liabilities:	
Accounts payable	345
Accrued wages and benefits	33,901
Intergovernmental payable	50,740
Compensated absences payable	41,805
Total liabilities	<u>126,791</u>
Net assets	
Invested in capital assets	82,439
Unrestricted	132,168
Total net assets	<u>\$ 214,607</u>

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

Bowling Green City School District, Wood County
Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Net Assets
Proprietary Funds
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

	<u>Business-Type Activities- Enterprise Funds</u>
Operating revenues:	
Sales	\$ 727,738
Other operating revenues	1,112
Total operating revenues	<u>728,850</u>
 Operating expenses:	
Salaries and wages	371,102
Fringe benefits	163,964
Purchased services	17,346
Materials and supplies	521,754
Cost of sales	105,483
Depreciation	12,988
Other operating expenses	2,488
Total operating expenses	<u>1,195,125</u>
Operating income (loss)	(466,275)
 Nonoperating revenues (expenses):	
Interest revenue	8,817
Federal and state subsidies	316,825
Federal donated commodities	105,483
Total nonoperating revenues (expenses)	<u>431,125</u>
Change in net assets before transfers	(35,150)
Operating transfers-in	<u>6,000</u>
Change in net assets	(29,150)
Net assets at July 1	<u>243,757</u>
Net assets at June 30	<u><u>\$ 214,607</u></u>

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

Bowling Green City School District, Wood County
Statement of Cash Flows
Proprietary Funds
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

	Business-Type Activities- Enterprise Funds
Cash flows from operating activities:	
Cash received from sales	\$ 727,738
Cash received from other revenues	1,112
Cash payments for employee services	(378,035)
Cash payments for employee benefits	(165,160)
Cash payments for contract services	(17,346)
Cash payments for supplies and materials	(511,389)
Cash payments for other expenses	(2,533)
Net cash (used for) operating activities	(345,613)
Cash flows from noncapital financing activities:	
Federal and state subsidies	314,266
Operating transfers in	6,000
Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities	320,266
Cash flows from investing activities:	
Interest on investments	8,817
Net cash provided by investing activities	8,817
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities:	
Acquisition/Disposition of capital assets	(4,161)
Net cash used for capital and related financing activities	(4,161)
Net (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(20,691)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	211,693
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$ 191,002
Reconciliation of operating income to net cash (used for) operating activities:	
Operating (loss)	\$ (466,275)
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash (used for) operating activities:	
Depreciation	12,988
Other adjustments to non-operating income	105,483
Changes in assets and liabilities:	
Materials and supplies inventory	10,020
Prepayments	(45)
Accounts payable	345
Accrued wages and benefits	(5,513)
Compensated absences payable	(1,578)
Intergovernmental payable	(1,038)
Net cash (used for) operating activities	\$ (345,613)

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

Bowling Green City School District, Wood County
Statement of Net Assets
Fiduciary Funds
As of June 30, 2007

	<u>Agency</u>
Assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 108,094
Total assets	<u>108,094</u>
Liabilities:	
Accounts payable	1,733
Due to students	94,937
Other current liabilities	11,424
Total liabilities	<u>108,094</u>
Net assets	<u>\$ -</u>

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

BOWLING GREEN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
WOOD COUNTY

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

NOTE 1- DESCRIPTION OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Bowling Green City School District (the District) is a body politic and corporate established for the purpose of exercising the rights and privileges conveyed to it by the constitution and laws of the State of Ohio. The District is a city district as defined by Section 3311.02, Ohio Revised Code. The District operates under an elected five member Board of Education and is responsible for provision of public education to residents of the District. The District is located in Wood County in northwest Ohio. Its boundaries include all of the City of Bowling Green and portions of surrounding townships.

Average daily membership (ADM) as of October, 2006 was 3,053.31. The District's average employment was 249 licensed/certificated employees and 125 non-certificated employees. In addition, the District employed substitute employees to cover the duties of absent bus drivers while contracting with an employment service for all other substitute employees and certain paraprofessionals.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the District have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The School District also applies Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Statements and interpretations issued on or before November 30, 1989 to its proprietary activities provided they do not conflict or contradict GASB pronouncements. The District has elected not to apply FASB Standards and Interpretations issued after November 30, 1989. Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) pronouncements are applied after this date. The District's significant accounting policies are described below.

A. The Reporting Entity

The District's reporting entity has been defined in accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 14, The Financial Reporting Entity. The financial statements of the reporting entity include those of the District (the primary government). The District has no component units. The following organizations are described due to their relationship to the District.

Jointly Governed Organization:

Penta County Joint Vocational School District

The vocational school district is a separate body politic and corporate, established by the Ohio Revised Code (ORC) to provide vocational and special education needs of the students. The school accepts non-tuition students from the District as a member school, however, it is considered a separate political subdivision and is not considered to be part of the District. One member of the Bowling Green City Board of Education serves as a member of the Penta County Joint Vocational School District.

The District also participates in two insurance group purchasing pools, described in Note 11.

Non-public Schools

Non-public schools located within the District boundaries include: St. Aloysius and St. Louis Elementary Schools, the Montessori School of Bowling Green, Bowling Green Christian Academy and Plan, Do and Talk Primary. These non-public schools are operated independently of the District. The District receives and disburses auxiliary services money from the State for support of these non-public schools as directed by these non-public schools. The receipt and expenditure of these auxiliary services monies are accounted for by the District and are reflected in a Special

BOWLING GREEN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
WOOD COUNTY

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

A. The Reporting Entity (Continued)

Revenue Fund for financial reporting purposes, but the non-public schools' operations are not reflected in the accompanying financial statements.

B. Fund Accounting

The District uses funds to report its financial position and the results of its operations. A fund is a separate accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid financial management by segregating transactions related to certain school district activities or functions. Funds are classified into three categories: Governmental, Proprietary and Fiduciary. Each category is divided into separate fund types.

GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

Governmental Funds are those through which most governmental functions of the District are financed. The acquisition, use and balances of the District's expendable financial resources and the related liabilities (except those accounted for in Proprietary Funds) are accounted for through Governmental Funds. The measurement focus is upon determination of "financial flow" (sources, uses and balances of financial resources). The following are the District's major Governmental Funds:

General Fund - The General Fund is the general operating fund of the District and is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund. The General Fund balance is available to the District for any purpose provided it is expended or transferred according to the general laws of Ohio.

Bond Retirement Fund - The Bond Retirement Fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for, and the payment of, general long-term debt principal, interest and related costs.

Construction Fund - The Construction Fund is used to account for the revenues and expenditures related to the building and construction of new school facilities.

The other governmental funds of the District account for grants and other resources, and capital projects of the District whose uses are restricted to a particular purpose.

PROPRIETARY FUNDS

Proprietary Funds are accounted for on an "economic resources" measurement focus. This measurement focus provides that all assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of the Proprietary Funds are included on the balance sheet. The proprietary fund operating statements present increases (i.e. revenues) and decreases (i.e. expenses) in net total assets. The following are the District's Proprietary Funds:

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

BOWLING GREEN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
WOOD COUNTY

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

B. Fund Accounting (Continued)

FIDUCIARY FUNDS

Fiduciary fund reporting focuses on net assets and changes in net assets. The District's only Fiduciary Funds are Agency Funds that are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve the measurement of results of operations.

C. Basis of Presentation – Financial Statements

Government-wide Financial Statements

The statement of net assets and the statement of activities display information about the District as a whole. These statements include the financial activities of the primary government, except for Fiduciary Funds. The statements distinguish between those activities of the District that are governmental and those that are considered business-type activities.

The government-wide statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus. This is the same approach used in the preparation of the proprietary fund financial statements but differs from the manner in which Governmental Fund 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.

The government-wide statement of activities presents direct expenses and program revenues for each function or program of the 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 and grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Revenues which are not classified as program revenues are presented as general revenues of the 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 District.

Fund Financial Statements

Fund financial statements report detailed information about the District. The focus of Governmental Fund financial statements is on major funds rather than reporting funds by type. Each major fund is presented in a separate column. Nonmajor funds are aggregated and presented in a single column. Enterprise funds are combined and the totals are presented in a single column on the face of the proprietary fund statements. Fiduciary Funds are reported by fund type.

The accounting and financial reporting treatment applied to a fund is determined by its measurement focus. All Governmental Funds are accounted for using a current financial resources measurement focus. The financial statements for Governmental Funds are a balance sheet, which generally includes only current assets and current liabilities, and a statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances, which reports on the sources (i.e., revenues and other financing sources) and uses (i.e., expenditures and other financing uses) of current financial resources.

BOWLING GREEN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
WOOD COUNTY

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

C. Basis of Presentation - Financial Statements (Continued)

All Proprietary funds are accounted for on a flow of economic resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, all assets and all liabilities associated with the operations of these funds are included on the statement of net assets. The statement of changes in fund net assets presents increases (revenues) and decreases (expenses) in net total assets. The statement of cash flows provides information about how the District finances and meets the cash flow needs of its proprietary activities.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operation. The principal operating revenues of the District's enterprise funds are charges for sales and services. Operating expenses for enterprise funds include the cost of sales and services. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses.

D. Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting represents the methodology utilized in the recognition of revenues and expenditures or expenses reported in the financial statements. The accounting and reporting treatment applied to a fund is determined by its measurement focus.

Government-wide, proprietary and fiduciary fund financial statements measure and report all assets, liabilities, revenues, expenses, gains and losses using the economic resources measurement focus and accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

The modified accrual basis of accounting is followed by the Governmental Funds. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized when they become both measurable and available to finance expenditures of the current period. "Measurable" means the amount of the transaction can be determined while "available" means collectible within the current fiscal year or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current fiscal year. The available period for the District is sixty days after the June 30 year-end.

In applying the susceptible to accrual concept under the modified accrual basis, the following revenue sources are deemed both measurable and available: interest, tuition, student fees, and property and income taxes.

Nonexchange transactions, in which the District receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include property taxes, grants, entitlements and donations. On the modified accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied and the resources are available. Revenue from grants, entitlements and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been met and the resources are available.

The District reports deferred revenues on its balance sheet. Deferred revenues arise when a potential revenue does not meet both the measurable and available criteria for recognition in the current period. In the subsequent period, when both revenue recognition criteria are met, the liability for deferred revenue is removed from the combined balance sheet and revenue is recognized. Property taxes measurable as of June 30, 2007, and delinquent property taxes whose availability is indeterminable and which are intended to finance fiscal year 2007 operations, have been recorded as deferred revenue.

BOWLING GREEN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
WOOD COUNTY

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

D. Basis of Accounting (Continued)

The accrual basis of accounting is utilized for reporting purposes by the government-wide financial statements, Proprietary Funds and the Fiduciary Funds. Under the accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recognized when they are incurred. The fair value of donated commodities used during the year is reported in the operating statement as an expense with a like amount reported as donated commodities revenue.

On the accrual basis of accounting, revenue from nonexchange transactions, such as grants, entitlements and donations, is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been met. The Proprietary Funds receive no revenue from property taxes.

E. Budgets

The District is required by state statute to adopt an annual appropriated cash basis budget for all funds while GASB requires only major Governmental Funds to be reported in the supplementary schedules presenting budgetary information. The specific timetable for fiscal year 2007 is as follows:

1. Pursuant to Section 5705.281, ORC, the Wood County Budget Commission has waived the requirement for school districts to adopt a tax budget. In place of the tax budget, the District must submit an estimate of revenues for the fiscal year commencing the following July 1 for all funds by no later than January 20 of the preceding fiscal year.
2. Prior to April 1, the Board of Education accepts, by formal resolution, the tax rates as determined by the Budget Commission and receives the Commission's Certificate of Estimated Resources which states the projected revenue of each fund. Prior to July 1, the District must prepare a budget in which total contemplated expenditures from any fund during the ensuing year will not exceed the amount stated in the Certificate of Estimated Resources. This budget then serves as a basis for the appropriation measure. On or about July 1, the Certificate is amended to include any unencumbered balances from the preceding year as reported by the District Treasurer. The Certificate may be further amended during the year if projected increases or decreases in revenue are identified by the District Treasurer. The amounts reported in the budgetary statement reflect the amounts set forth in the Amended Official Certificate of Estimated Resources and the final Amended Certificate issued for fiscal year 2007.
3. By July 1, the annual appropriation resolution is legally enacted by the Board of Education. While the District uses an expenditure account coding system consisting of a minimum of fund number, a four digit function, and a three digit object, the Board adopted appropriation is at the fund and first digit of function level of expenditures for the General Fund and at the fund level for all other district funds. These are considered the legal levels of budgetary control. Administrative control is maintained through the establishment of more detailed line-item budgets. (State statute permits a temporary appropriation to be effective until no later than October 1 of each year.) Resolution appropriations by fund must be within the estimated resources as certified by the County Budget Commission and the total of expenditures and encumbrances may not exceed the appropriation totals.
4. Any revisions that alter the total of any fund appropriation or alter first digit function appropriations within the General Fund must be approved by the Board of Education.
5. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year for all funds consistent with the general obligation bond indenture and other statutory provisions. All

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NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

E. Budgets (Continued)

departments/functions and funds completed the year within the amount of their legally authorized cash basis appropriation.

6. Appropriation amounts are as originally adopted, or as amended by the Board of Education through the year by supplemental appropriations which either reallocated or increased the original appropriated amounts. All supplemental appropriations were legally enacted by the Board during fiscal 2007.
7. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at year-end. Encumbered appropriations are carried forward to the succeeding fiscal year and need not be re-appropriated. Expenditures plus encumbrances may not legally exceed budgeted appropriations at the fund, first digit function level for the General fund and the fund level for all other funds.

Encumbrance accounting is utilized with District funds in the normal course of operations, for purchase orders and contract-related expenditures. An encumbrance is a reserve on the available spending authority due to commitment for a future expenditure and does not represent a liability. For Governmental Funds, encumbrances outstanding at year-end appear as a reserve to the fund balance on the balance sheet and as the equivalent of expenditures on a non-GAAP budgetary basis in order to demonstrate legal compliance.

F. Cash and Investments

Cash received by the District is deposited in a central bank account with individual fund balance integrity maintained. Monies for all funds are maintained in this account or temporarily used to purchase short-term cash equivalent investments (maturity date within three months of the date acquired by the District) which are stated at cost. State statutes authorize the District to invest in obligations of the U.S. Treasury, commercial paper and repurchase agreements. Under existing Ohio statutes, all investment earnings are credited to the General Fund except those specified according to Board Resolution. Interest earnings are allocated to these funds based on average monthly cash balances. Interest revenue credited to the General fund during fiscal year 2007 amounted to \$774,392 while interest in the amount of \$1,062,728 was credited to other District funds.

Except for nonparticipating investment contracts, investments are reported at fair value which is based on quoted market prices. Nonparticipating investment contracts such as repurchase agreements and nonnegotiable certificates of deposit are reported at cost. Money market investments are short-term, highly liquid debt instruments including commercial paper, banker's acceptances and U.S. Treasury and agency obligations.

The District has invested funds in the State Treasury Asset Reserve of Ohio (STAR Ohio) during fiscal year 2007. STAR Ohio is an investment pool managed by the State Treasurer's Office which allows governments within the State to pool their funds for investment purposes. STAR Ohio 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 STAR Ohio are valued at STAR Ohio's share price which is the price the investment could be sold for on June 30, 2007.

For purposes of presentation in the basic financial statements, investments of the cash management pool and investments with original maturities of three months or less at the time of purchase by the District are considered to be cash equivalents. Investments with an initial maturity of more than three months are reported as investments.

An analysis of the District's investment account at year end is provided in Note 4.

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NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

G. Inventory

Inventories for all Governmental Funds are valued at cost (first-in/first out method). The purchase method is used to account for inventories. Under the purchase method, inventories are recorded as expenditures when purchased; however, material amounts of inventories at period-end are reported as assets of the respective fund, which are equally offset by a fund balance reserve which indicates they are unavailable for appropriation even though they are a component of reported assets.

Inventories of Proprietary Funds are valued at the lower of cost (first-in/first-out method) or market and expensed when used rather than when purchased.

H. Prepaids

Prepayments for Governmental Funds represent cash disbursements that have occurred and are therefore not current expendable resources. These items are reported as fund assets on the balance sheet using the allocation method, which amortizes their cost over the periods benefiting from the advance payment. At period-end, because prepayment is not available to finance future Governmental Fund expenditures, the fund balance is reserved by an amount equal to the carrying value of the asset.

I. Capital Assets and Depreciation

Property, Plant and Equipment - Governmental Activities

Capital assets are acquired or constructed for governmental activities and are recorded as expenditures in the Governmental Funds and are capitalized at cost (or estimated historical cost for assets not purchased in recent years). These assets are reported in the Government-wide Statement of Net Assets, but they are not reported in the Fund Financial Statements. The District follows the policy of not capitalizing assets with a cost of less than \$1,000 and a useful life of less than five years.

Donated capital assets are recorded at fair market value at the date received. The District does not possess any infrastructure. Estimated historical costs of capital assets were derived, when information supporting historical costs was not obtainable, by an appraisal company who specializes in this area.

Depreciation

All capital assets, except for land, are depreciated. Depreciation has been provided, where appropriate, on a straight-line basis over the following estimated useful lives.

<u>Asset</u>	<u>Life (years)</u>
Buildings and Improvements	20-50
Furniture, Fixtures and Minor Equipment	5-20
Vehicles	5-10

J. Intergovernmental Revenues

In Governmental Funds, entitlements and non-reimbursable grants (to the extent such grants and entitlements relate to the current fiscal year) are recorded as receivables and revenue when measurable and available. Reimbursement

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NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

J. Intergovernmental Revenues (Continued)

type grants are recorded as receivables and revenues when the related expenditures are incurred. Grants for Proprietary Fund operations are recognized as revenue when measurable and earned.

K. Compensated Absences

Compensated absences of the District consist of vacation leave and sick leave to the extent that payment to the employee for these absences is attributable to services already rendered and is not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the District and the employee.

In accordance with the provisions of Statement No. 16 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, Accounting for Compensated Absences, a liability for vacation leave is accrued if a) the employees' rights to payment are attributable to services already rendered; and b) it is probable that the employer will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off *or* other means, such as cash payment at termination or retirement.

A liability for severance is accrued using the vesting method; i.e., the liability is based on the sick leave accumulated at the balance sheet date by those employees who are currently eligible to receive termination (severance) payments, as well as those employees expected to become eligible in the future.

The total liability for vacation and sick leave payments has been calculated using pay rates in effect at the balance sheet date, and reduced to the maximum payment allowed by labor contract and/or statute, plus any applicable additional salary related payments.

For Governmental Funds, that portion of unpaid compensated absences expected to be paid using expendable, available resources is reported as an expenditure in the fund from which the individual earning the leave is paid, and a corresponding liability is reflected in the account "Compensated Absences Payable" on the balance sheet. In the Government-wide statement of net assets, the "Compensated Absences Payable" is recorded in the "Due within one year" liability account with the long-term portion of accumulated absences recorded in the "Due in more than one year" liability account.

L. Long-Term Obligations

For long-term obligations, only that portion expected to be financed from expendable available financial resources is reported as a fund liability of Governmental Funds. In the Government-wide statement of net assets, the current portion of general obligation bonds is recorded in the "Due within one year" liability account with the long-term portion of these general obligation bonds recorded in the "Due in more than one year" liability account.

M. Reservations of Fund Balance

Reserved fund balances indicate that portion of fund balance which is not available for current appropriation or is legally segregated for a specific use. Fund balances are reserved for encumbrances, materials and supplies inventory, contributions, prepaids, and as property taxes unavailable for appropriation. The unreserved portions of fund balances reflected for the Governmental Funds are available for use within the specific purposes of those funds.

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

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NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

N. Interfund Transactions

During the course of normal operations, transactions occur between funds. The most significant include:

1. Routine transfers of resources from one fund to another through which resources are to be expended are recorded as operating transfers.
2. Reimbursements from one fund to another are treated as an expenditure/expense in the reimbursing fund and a reduction of expenditure/expense in the reimbursed fund.
3. Short-term interfund loans are reflected as interfund loans payable/receivable, while long-term interfund loans (greater than one year in length) are recorded as advances to/from other funds.

Interfund operating transfers are eliminated on the Government-wide statements.

O. 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.

P. Unamortized Issuance Costs/Bond Premium

On government-wide financial statements, issuance costs are deferred and amortized over the term of the bonds using the straight line method. Unamortized issuance costs are recorded as a separate line item on the statement of net assets. Bond premiums are deferred and amortized over the term of the bonds using the straight line method, which approximates the effective interest method. Bond premiums are presented as an addition to the face amount of the bonds. On the governmental fund financial statements, issuance costs and bond premiums are recognized in the current period.

NOTE 3 - RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

A. Explanation of Certain Differences between the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet and the Government-Wide Statement of Net Assets

The Governmental Funds balance sheet includes a reconciliation between fund balance – total Governmental Funds and Net Assets of Governmental Funds as reported in the government-wide statement of net assets. The following is a detailed listing of those reconciling items that are net adjustments or a combination of several transactions:

Long-term liabilities not reported in the funds:

Accrued bond interest	\$ (114,518)
Capital lease payable	(88,788)
Bonds payable	(28,955,000)
Less: deferred bond charges (to be amortized over life of debt)	288,984
Plus: issuance premium (to be amortized as interest expense)	(1,459,034)
Compensated absences	(2,969,342)
	<u>\$ (33,297,698)</u>

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NOTE 3 - RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
(Continued)

B. Explanation of Certain Differences between the Governmental Fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances and the Government-wide Statement of Activities

The Governmental Fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances includes a reconciliation between net changes in fund balances – total Governmental Funds and changes in net assets of governmental activities as reported in the government-wide statement of activities. The following is a detailed listing of those reconciling items that are net adjustments or a combination of several transactions:

Amount by which capital outlay exceeds depreciation in the current period:

Capital outlay	\$ 733,364
Depreciation expense	(665,413)
	<u>\$ 67,951</u>

Amounts by which transactions associated with the issuance and repayment of debt decrease fund balances in the current period:

Debt issuance:	
Bond anticipation notes	\$ (27,500,000)
General obligation bonds	(27,500,000)
Premium on debt issues	(1,496,394)
Bond issuance costs	294,238
Principal repayments:	
Bond anticipation notes	27,500,000
General obligation bonds	290,000
	<u>\$ (28,412,156)</u>

The details of expenses that do not require the use of current financial resources:

Compensated absences	\$ (20,484)
Capital lease payment	24,682
Accrued interest	(106,590)
Note premium	10,832
Amortization of bond issuance costs	(5,254)
Amortization of bond premium	26,528
	<u>\$ (70,286)</u>

NOTE 4 - EQUITY IN POOLED CASH AND INVESTMENTS

State statutes require the classification of monies held by the District into three categories:

Active deposits are public deposits necessary to meet current demands on the treasury. Such monies must by law be maintained either as cash in the District treasury, in commercial accounts payable or withdrawable on demand, including negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) accounts, or in money market deposit accounts.

Inactive deposits are public deposits the Board of Education has identified as not required for use within the current five year period of designation or depositories. Inactive deposits must be evidenced by certificates of deposit

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NOTE 4 - EQUITY IN POOLED CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

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.

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

Protection of the 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.

Interim monies are permitted to 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 two percent and be marked to market daily, and that the term of the agreement must not exceed thirty days;
4. Bonds and 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;
6. The State Treasurer's investment pool (STAR Ohio);
7. Certain banker's acceptances and commercial paper notes for a period not to exceed one hundred and eighty days in an amount not to exceed twenty-five percent of the interim monies available for investment at any one time; and
8. Under limited circumstances, corporate debt interests rated in either of the two highest rating classifications by at least two nationally recognized rating agencies.

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. Historically, the District has not purchased these types of investments or issued these types of notes. An investment must mature within five years from the date of purchase unless matched to a specific obligation or debt of the District, and must be purchased with the expectation that it will be held to maturity.

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NOTE 4 - EQUITY IN POOLED CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Cash on Hand At year-end the District had \$654 in undeposited cash on hand which is included on the balance sheet of the District as part of “cash and cash equivalents”.

The following information classifies deposits and investments by categories of risk as defined in GASB Statement No. 40, “Deposit and Investment Risk Disclosures (an amendment of GASB Statement No. 3)”.

Deposits: At June 30, 2007, the carrying amount of the District’s deposits was \$29,073,246 and the bank balance was \$29,950,855. Of the entire bank balance, \$1,457,586 was covered by federal depository insurance while \$28,493,269 was exposed to custodial credit risk as described in GASB Statement No. 40 further discussed below.

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of bank failure, the District’s deposits may not be returned. The District has no investment policy dealing with custodial credit risk beyond the requirement in State statute that requires all deposits are collateralized with eligible securities in amounts equal to at least 105% of the carrying value of the deposits. Such collateral, as permitted by the Ohio Revised Code, is held in single financial institution collateral pools at Federal Reserve Banks, or at member banks of the federal reserve system, in the name of the respective depository bank and pledged as a pool of collateral against all of the public deposits it holds or as specific collateral held at the Federal Reserve Bank in the name of the District.

Investments:

	<u>Maturities</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>
FNMA Discount Notes	11/7/07	\$ 4,820,446
FNMA Discount Notes	2/29/08	2,754,365
FHLMC Discount Notes	12/10/07	2,754,177
STAR Ohio	n/a	2,350,268
Total Investments		\$12,679,256

Interest Rate Risk: As a means of limiting its exposure to fair value losses arising from rising interest rates and in accordance with the Ohio Revised Code, the District’s investment policy limits investment maturities to five years or less. Commercial paper must mature within 180 days.

Credit Risk: The District’s investment policy limits investments to securities specifically authorized by the Ohio Revised Code. As of June 30, 2007, the District’s investments consisted of STAR Ohio, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation (FHLMC) discount notes, and Federal National Mortgage Association (FNMA) discount notes. The District’s investment in STAR Ohio (the State investment pool) was rated AAAM by Standard & Poor’s. STAR Ohio must maintain the highest letter or numerical rating provided by at least one nationally recognized standard service. The District’s investment in FHLMC discount notes was rated A-1+ by Standard & Poor’s and the District’s investments in FNMA discount notes was also rated A-1+ by Standard & Poor’s.

Custodial Credit Risk: For an investment, custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the District will not be able to recover the value of its investment or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The entire balance of the District’s investment in FHLMC DNs and FNMA DNs is uninsured, not registered in the name of the District and held by the counterparty. The District has no investment policy dealing with investment custodial risk beyond the requirement in State statute that prohibits payment for investments prior to the delivery of the securities representing such investments to the treasurer of qualified trustee.

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NOTE 4 - EQUITY IN POOLED CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Concentration of Credit Risk: The District places no limit on the amount that may be invested in any one issuer, although Ohio law sets limits on investments in commercial paper. Of the investments held at June 30, 2007, 60% were FNMA DNs, 22% were FHLMC DNs and 18% were in the State investment pool.

Reconciliation of Cash and Investments to the Statement of Net Assets: The following is a reconciliation between cash and investments as reported in the preceding paragraphs to that reported on in the statements of net assets:

Cash and Investments per footnote:	
Cash on hand	\$ 654
Carrying amount of deposits	29,073,246
Investments	12,679,256
Total	<u>\$41,753,156</u>
Cash and Investments per Statements of Net Assets:	
Government Wide	\$41,645,062
Fiduciary Funds	108,094
	<u>\$41,753,156</u>

NOTE 5 - TAXES

A. Property Tax

Property taxes are levied and assessed on a calendar year basis. Distributions from the second half of the calendar year occur in a new fiscal year and are intended to finance the operations of that year. Property taxes include amounts levied against all real, public utility and tangible (used in business) property located in the District.

Real property taxes and public utility taxes are levied after November 1 on the assessed value listed as of the prior January 1, the lien date. Assessed values are established by State law at 35% of appraised market value.

Public utility property taxes are assessed on tangible personal property, as well as land and improvements. Real property is assessed at 35% of market value and personal property is assessed at 100% of market value except for the personal property of rural electric companies which is assessed at 50% of market and railroads which are assessed at 29%.

Tangible personal property taxes attach as a lien and are levied on January 1 of the current year. Tangible personal property taxes were assessed at 12.5% of true value for equipment and machinery and 12.5% of inventory property for tax year 2007. The General Assembly of the State of Ohio passed the State Biennial Budget Bill (HB 66) that phases-out Tangible Personal Property Tax over a four-year period beginning January 1, 2006 thus reducing the assessed rate each calendar year by 25%. Based upon 2004 personal property values, "hold harmless" payments are to be made by the State to replace this revenue source for school districts through fiscal year 2010 at which time these payments will also be phased out. The "hold harmless" payments through fiscal year 2010 will be in declining amounts to reflect a 2% per year phase-out of the inventory portion of this tax already in law prior to passage of HB 66. The District received "hold harmless" payments in fiscal year 2007 in the amount of \$927,246.

The total assessed value upon which the 2007 taxes were collected was \$625,980,719. Agricultural/Residential, public utility and mineral real estate represented 63% or \$389,302,740 of this total; Commercial & Industrial real estate represented 32% or \$200,905,640; public utility tangible 1% or \$8,749,930; and general tangible property 4% or \$27,022,409. Tax exempt property in the District totaled \$272,324,460. The voted general tax rate for operations

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NOTE 5 - TAXES (Continued)

A. Property Tax (Continued)

at the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007, was \$48.10 per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation; the voted rate for debt service was \$3.48 per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation; and the voted rate for permanent improvements was \$1.20 per \$1,000.00 of assessed valuation.

Real property taxes are payable annually or semi-annually; if paid annually, payment is due January 20; if paid semi-annually, the first payment is due January 20 with the remainder payable by June 20.

The Wood County Treasurer collects property tax on behalf of the District. The Wood County Auditor periodically remits to the District its portion of the taxes collected. These tax "advances" are based on statutory cash flow collection rates. Final "settlements" are made each February and August.

Accrued property taxes receivable represent delinquent taxes outstanding and real property, personal property and public utility taxes which became measurable, in accordance with GASB 33, as of June 30, 2007. Although total property tax collections for the next fiscal year are measurable, they are not (exclusive of advances) intended to finance current year operations. The net receivable (total receivable less amount available intended to finance the current year) is therefore offset by a credit to deferred revenue.

B. School District Income Tax

The District levies an income tax of 0.5% on the gross salaries, wages and other personal service compensation earned by residents of the School District. All the revenue received from income tax is recorded directly into the General Fund.

NOTE 6 - INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS

The composition of interfund balances as of June 30, 2007 is as follows:

<u>Interfund Receivable Fund</u>	<u>Interfund Payable Fund</u>	<u>Amount</u>
General Fund	IDEA – Special Education, Part B	\$ 28,161

The outstanding balance is the result of an interfund loan to cover a difference between funds requested to cover expenditures through year-end based upon an estimate and actual expenditures. These funds will be repaid in the next fiscal year.

Interfund transfers for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007, consisted of the following, as reported on the fund statements:

Transfers from general fund to nonmajor governmental funds	\$ 86,151
Transfers from general fund to proprietary funds	\$ 6,000

Transfers are used to move unrestricted revenues collected in the general fund to finance various programs accounted for in accordance with budgetary authorizations.

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NOTE 7 - RECEIVABLES

Receivables at June 30, 2007, consisted of taxes, accounts (charges for services and fees), accrued interest, and intergovernmental receivables. All receivables are considered collectible in full due to the ability to foreclose for the nonpayment of taxes and the stable condition of State programs.

NOTE 8 - CAPITAL ASSETS

The following is a summary by category of changes in governmental activities capital assets at June 30, 2007:

<i>Historical Cost:</i>				
<u>Asset Category</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>7/1/06</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>6/30/07</u>
<i>Nondepreciable:</i>				
Land	\$ 289,510	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 289,510
Construction in Progress	-	170,393	-	170,393
Total Nondepreciable Assets	<u>289,510</u>	<u>170,393</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>459,903</u>
<i>Depreciable:</i>				
Buildings & Improvements	15,029,633	292,781	-	15,322,414
Furniture/Equipment	3,743,624	185,238	6,301	3,922,561
Vehicles	1,855,828	109,639	137,928	1,827,539
Total Depreciable Assets	<u>20,629,085</u>	<u>587,658</u>	<u>144,229</u>	<u>21,072,514</u>
Total General Fixed Assets	<u>\$ 20,918,595</u>	<u>\$ 758,051</u>	<u>\$ 144,229</u>	<u>\$ 21,532,417</u>
<i>Accumulated Depreciation:</i>				
<u>Asset Category</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>7/1/06</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>6/30/07</u>
Buildings & Improvements	8,736,144	287,620	-	9,023,764
Furniture/Equipment	2,471,835	228,276	5,062	2,695,049
Vehicles	1,072,208	149,517	114,480	1,107,245
Total General Fixed Assets	<u>\$ 12,280,187</u>	<u>\$ 665,413</u>	<u>* \$ 119,542</u>	<u>\$ 12,826,058</u>
<i>Net Capital Assets:</i>	<u>\$ 8,638,408</u>	<u>\$ 92,638</u>	<u>\$ 24,687</u>	<u>\$ 8,706,359</u>

* Depreciation expenses were charged to governmental functions as follow:

Instruction	\$ 54,351
Support Services	321,742
Non-instructional Services	13,980
Extracurricular Activities	2,918
Capital Outlay	<u>272,422</u>
Total Depreciation Expense	<u>\$ 665,413</u>

A summary of the Proprietary Capital Assets at June 30, 2007, follows:

<u>Depreciable:</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>7/1/06</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>Balance at</u> <u>6/30/07</u>
Furniture/Equipment	\$ 336,496	\$ 4,161	\$ -	\$ 340,657
Accumulated Depreciation:	<u>(245,230)</u>	<u>(12,988)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(258,218)</u>
Net Capital Assets:	<u>\$ 91,266</u>	<u>\$ (8,827)</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 82,439</u>

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NOTE 9 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

All current bonds outstanding, issued to provide funds for the acquisition and construction of equipment and facilities, are general obligations of the District for which the full faith and credit of the District is pledged for repayment. The District issued \$27,500,000 in general obligation bonds on March 22, 2007 for construction and improvements of school facilities as the result of a 2.93 mill bond levy approved by voters in November, 2006. Prior to issuing these bonds, bond anticipation notes were sold in the amounts of \$15,000,000 on December 28, 2006 and \$12,500,000 on January 17, 2007. Both of these note issues matured and were paid in full on June 19, 2007.

A. The following is a description of the Bowling Green City School District bonds outstanding as of June 30, 2007:

	Interest Rate	Issue Date	Maturity Date	Bonds Outstanding At 7/1/06	New Issues During 2007	Retired In 2007	Bonds Outstanding At 6/30/07	Due Within 1 Year
1995 Refunding Building Improvements	4.5-5.7%	6/8/1995	12/1/2011	\$1,745,000	\$-0-	\$290,000	\$1,455,000	\$290,000
2007 School Facilities Construction and Improvement	3.5-5.0%	3/22/2007	12/1/2034	\$-0-	\$27,500,000	\$-0-	\$27,500,000	\$335,000

B. The following is a summary of the District's future annual debt service requirements to maturity for general obligation bonds:

Year Ending June 30	Principal on General Obligation	Interest on General Obligation	Total
2008	\$ 625,000	\$ 1,359,832	\$ 1,984,832
2009	725,000	1,328,953	2,053,953
2010	845,000	1,293,420	2,138,420
2011	915,000	1,253,723	2,168,723
2012	340,000	1,223,812	1,563,812
2013-2017	2,255,000	5,885,556	8,140,556
2018-2022	3,575,000	5,271,550	8,846,550
2023-2027	5,475,000	4,154,750	9,629,750
2028-2032	7,955,000	2,535,688	10,490,688
2033-2035	6,245,000	482,625	6,727,625
Total	<u>\$28,955,000</u>	<u>\$ 24,789,909</u>	<u>\$53,744,909</u>

C. The District entered into lease purchase agreements for three busses during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004. All of the leases have been entered into for a period of five years with an interest rate of 4.96% and are considered capital leases. The following is a summary of the District's remaining annual capital lease requirements to maturity as of June 30, 2007:

Year Ending June 30	Principal on Capital Leases	Interest on Capital Leases	Total
2008	\$25,906	\$4,404	\$30,310
2009	<u>62,882</u>	<u>3,119</u>	<u>66,001</u>
Total	<u>\$88,788</u>	<u>\$7,523</u>	<u>\$96,311</u>

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NOTE 9 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (Continued)

D. During the year ended June 30, 2007 the following changes occurred in Governmental Activities long-term liabilities:

<i>Governmental Activities:</i>	Balance at <u>7/1/06</u>	<u>Increase</u>	<u>Decrease</u>	Balance at <u>6/30/07</u>	Due Within <u>1 Year</u>
Compensated Absences:					
Sick leave (severance)	\$2,868,732	\$ 666,521	\$ 621,017	\$ 2,914,236	\$159,675
Vacation	202,822	189,923	177,963	214,782	214,782
Capital Lease Payable	113,470	-	24,682	88,788	25,907
General Obligation Bonds	1,745,000	27,500,000	290,000	28,955,000	625,000
Unamortized Bond Premium	-	1,485,562	26,528	1,459,034	53,056
Total	<u>\$4,930,024</u>	<u>\$29,842,006</u>	<u>\$1,140,190</u>	<u>\$33,631,840</u>	<u>\$1,078,420</u>
 <i>Business-type Activities:</i>					
Compensated Absences:					
Sick leave (severance)	<u>\$ 43,383</u>	<u>\$ 9,588</u>	<u>\$ 11,166</u>	<u>\$ 41,805</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

The District has established a Severance Benefits Fund, as permitted by H.B. 426, to liquidate accumulated sick leave upon retirement of employees while sick leave and vacation benefits enjoyed by active employees are paid by the fund from which the employee is normally paid, in most cases the General Fund. The capital lease is paid with the General Fund while all bond principal and interest are paid through the Bond Retirement Fund.

NOTE 10 - FUND BALANCE DEFICITS

Fund balances at June 30, 2007, included the following individual fund deficits:

<u>Special Revenue</u>	<u>GAAP Basis</u>
IDEA – Special Education, Part B	\$(35,476)

These funds complied with Ohio statute, which does not permit a cash basis deficit at year-end. The GAAP-basis deficit will be funded by anticipated future intergovernmental revenues or other subsidies not recognized and recorded at June 30.

NOTE 11 - RISK MANAGEMENT

The 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. The District maintains comprehensive commercial insurance coverage for real property, building contents, general liability, and vehicles. Vehicle policies include liability coverage for bodily injury and property damage.

Real property and contents have a liability limit of \$80,767,076 with 100% co-insurance.

The District's fleet insurance policy has a liability limit of \$1,000,000 each occurrence.

The District has liability insurance coverage limits of \$4,000,000 each occurrence and \$6,000,000 annual aggregate.

Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded the commercial insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years. There have been no significant reductions in insurance coverage from last year.

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NOTE 11 - RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

Wood County Schools Health Insurance Consortium

The Wood County Schools Health Insurance Consortium (the Consortium) is a public entity shared risk pool consisting of six local school districts, two city or exempted village school districts, one vocational school district, and an educational service center. The Consortium is organized as a Voluntary Employee Benefit Association under Section 501(c)(9) of the Internal Revenue Code and provides medical, dental, and other benefits to the employees of the participating entities. Each participating entity's superintendent is appointed to an Administrative Committee which advises the Trustee, Huntington Bank, concerning aspects of the Consortium.

Each entity decides which plans offered by the Administrative Committee will be extended to its employees. Participation in the Consortium is by written application subject to acceptance by the Administrative Committee and payment of monthly premiums. Financial information may be obtained from Sharon Gillespie, Medical Mutual of Ohio, 3737 Sylvania Avenue, Toledo, Ohio 43623.

OASBO Worker's Compensation Group Rating

The District participates in the Ohio Association of School Business Officials' Worker's Compensation Group Rating Plan, an insurance purchasing pool. This Group Rating Plan allows school districts to group together to potentially achieve a lower premium rate than they may otherwise be able to acquire as individual employers. Each year the participating school districts pay an enrollment fee to the Plan to cover the costs of administering the program.

NOTE 12 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS

A. School Employees Retirement System

The District contributes to the School Employees Retirement System of Ohio (SERS), a cost-sharing multiple employer public employee defined benefit pension plan administered by the School Employees Retirement Board. 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 state statute per Chapter 3309 of the Ohio Revised Code. SERS issues a publicly available, stand-alone financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for SERS. The 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 (614) 222-5853.

Plan members are required to contribute 10% of their annual covered salary and Bowling Green City School District is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The current rate is 14% of annual covered payroll. The contribution requirements of plan members and employers are established and may be amended, up to statutory maximum amounts by the SERS' Retirement Board. The District's contributions to SERS for the 14% employer share for the years ended June 30, 2007, 2006, and 2005 were \$518,424, \$575,328, and \$502,848, respectively. As of June 30, 2007, fifty percent has been contributed for fiscal year 2007 and one hundred percent for fiscal years 2006 and 2005. The unpaid contribution for fiscal year 2007 of \$333,051, which includes a surcharge, is recorded as a liability within the respective funds.

B. State Teachers Retirement System

The District contributes to the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS), a cost-sharing multiple employer public employee retirement system administered by the State Teachers Retirement Board. STRS provides retirement

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YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

NOTE 12 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS (Continued)

B. State Teachers Retirement System (Continued)

and disability benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death, and survivor benefits to members and beneficiaries. Benefits are established by Chapter 3307 of the Ohio Revised Code. STRS issues a publicly available, stand-alone financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for STRS. The report may be obtained by writing to the State Teachers Retirement System, 275 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3371, or by calling (614) 227-4090.

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 member contributions and earned interest matched by STRS Ohio funds times an actuarially determined annuity factor. The DC Plan allows members to place all their member contributions and employer contributions equal to 10.5% 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 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. DC and Combined Plan members will transfer to the Defined Benefit Plan during their fifth year of membership unless they permanently select the DC or Combined Plan. Existing members with less than five years of service credit as of June 30, 2001, were given the option of making a one time irrevocable decision to transfer their account balances from the existing DB Plan into the DC Plan or the Combined Plan. This option expired on December 31, 2001. Benefits are established by Chapter 3307 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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 dies before retirement benefits begin, the member's designated beneficiary is entitled to received the member's account balance.

Plan members are required to contribute 10% of their annual covered salary and the District is required to contribute 14 %. Contribution rates are established by the State Teachers Retirement Board, upon recommendation of its consulting actuary, not to exceed statutory maximum rates of 10 % for members and 14 % for employers. A portion of the District's contribution is used to fund pension obligations with the remainder being used to fund health care benefits; for fiscal year 2006, the latest information available, 13% funded pensions while 1% of covered payroll contributions was allocated to the Health Care Stabilization Fund.

The District's required contributions for pension obligations to STRS for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2007, 2006, and 2005 were \$2,379,052, \$2,509,571, and \$2,141,944, respectively. As of June 30, 2007, eighty-nine percent has been contributed for fiscal year 2007 and one hundred percent for fiscal years 2006 and 2005. The unpaid contributions of \$248,632 for fiscal year 2007 are recorded as a liability within the respective funds.

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, 2007, certain members of the Board of Education have elected Social Security. The Board's liability is 6.2 percent of wages paid.

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YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

NOTE 13 - POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

The District provides comprehensive health care benefits to retired teachers and their dependents through the State Teachers Retirement System (STRS), and to retired non-certified employees and their dependents through the School Employees Retirement System (SERS). Benefits include hospitalization, physicians' fees, prescription drugs, and partial reimbursement of monthly Medicare premiums. Benefit provisions and the obligations to contribute are established by the Systems based on authority granted by State statute. Both systems are funded on a pay-as-you-go basis.

For STRS, most benefit recipients are required to pay a portion of health care costs in the form of a monthly premium. By Ohio law, the cost of coverage paid from STRS funds shall be included in the employer contribution rate, currently 14 percent of covered payroll. The board allocated employer contributions equal to 1.0% of covered payroll to the Health Care Stabilization Fund from which payments for health care benefits were paid for fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. For the District, this amount equaled \$155,430 during the 2007 fiscal year. As of June 30, 2006 (the latest information available), eligible benefit recipients totaled 119,184. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2006 net health care costs paid by STRS were \$282,743,000.

For SERS, coverage is made available to service retirees with ten or more fiscal years of qualifying service credit, disability, and survivor benefit recipients. Effective January 1, 2004, all retirees and beneficiaries are required to pay a portion of their health care premium based upon years of service, Medicare eligibility and retirement status.

After the allocation for basic benefits, the remainder of the employer's 14 percent contribution is allocated to providing health care benefits. At June 30, 2006, the latest information available, the allocation rate was 3.42 percent. In addition, SERS levies a surcharge to fund health care benefits equal to 14 percent of the difference between a minimum pay and the member's pay, pro-rated for partial service credit. For fiscal year 2007, the minimum pay has been established as \$35,800. The surcharge, added to the unallocated portion of the 14 percent employer contribution rate, provides for maintenance of the asset target level for the health care fund. The target level for the health care reserve is 150 percent of projected claims less premium contributions for the next fiscal year. Expenses for health care at June 30, 2006, the latest information available, were \$158,751,207 which is about 221% of next year's projected net healthcare costs. Also at June 30, 2006 SERS' net assets available for payment of health care benefits was \$295.6 million, with 59,492 participants eligible to receive health care benefits. The portion of the District's contributions used to fund postemployment benefits was \$194,704 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007.

NOTE 14 - OTHER EMPLOYEE BENEFITS - DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLANS

The District employees may participate in the Ohio Public Employees Deferred Compensation Plan created in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 457. Participation is on a voluntary payroll deduction basis. The plan permits deferral of compensation until future years. According to the plan, the deferred compensation is not available to employees until termination, retirement, death or unforeseeable emergency.

The plan Agreement states that the District and the Ohio Public Employees Deferred Compensation Board have no liability for losses under the plan with the exception of fraud or wrongful taking.

NOTE 15 - SET-ASIDES

The Ohio Legislature passed H.B. 412 in 1998 which requires school districts to "set aside" money from the General Fund for three purposes: textbooks and materials, capital acquisition, and budget stabilization. Subsequently, Am. Sub. Senate Bill 345, effective April 10, 2001, eliminated the requirement for the budget reserve set-aside. The District's requirements for fiscal year 2007 and the balances to be carried forward at year-end are presented below:

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YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

NOTE 15 - SET-ASIDES (Continued)

	<u>Textbooks & Materials</u>	<u>Capital Acquisition</u>
Set-aside Balance as of July 1, 2006	(\$3,122,652)	\$ -0-
Current Year Set-aside Requirement	457,031	457,031
Current Year Offsets	-0-	527,669
Qualifying Disbursements	879,779	-0-
Total	<u>(3,545,400)</u>	<u>(70,638)</u>
Set-aside Balance Carried Forward to FY 2008	<u>(3,545,400)</u>	<u>-0-</u>

Beginning with fiscal year ended June 30, 2000, expenditures in excess of current year or accumulated set-aside requirements in the Textbooks and Materials Set-aside were permitted to be carried forward to offset future years' textbooks and materials set-aside requirements. Although the District had off-sets and qualifying disbursements during the year that reduced the set-aside amounts below zero for Capital Acquisition purposes, these extra amounts may not be used to reduce the set-aside requirements of future years. Negative amounts are therefore not presented as being carried forward to the next fiscal year for the Capital Acquisition Set-aside.

NOTE 16 - OUTSTANDING CONTRACTUAL COMMITMENTS

At June 30, 2007, the District has outstanding contractual commitments in the amount of \$3,059,714 for design and construction management services in connection with its construction and improvement of school facilities project. Funding for these commitments will come from part of the \$27,500,000 bond issue discussed in Note 9.

NOTE 17 - CONTINGENCIES

A. Grants

The District receives significant financial assistance from numerous federal, state, and local agencies in the form of grants. The disbursement of funds received under these programs generally requires 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 any of the financial statements of the individual fund types included herein or on the overall financial position of the District at June 30, 2007.

B. Litigation

As of the balance sheet date, the District was not involved in any litigation as either defendant or plaintiff.

Bowling Green City School District, Wood County
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance -
Budget to Actual (Budgetary Basis) - General Fund
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

	Original Budget	Revised Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget
Revenues:				
From local sources:				
Taxes	\$ 18,787,284	\$ 18,534,043	\$ 18,689,613	\$ 155,570
Intergovernmental	9,321,324	9,321,324	9,386,720	65,396
Interest	600,000	600,000	660,897	60,897
Tuition and fees	275,500	275,500	510,513	235,013
Miscellaneous	69,500	69,500	107,955	38,455
Total revenues	<u>29,053,608</u>	<u>28,800,367</u>	<u>29,355,698</u>	<u>555,331</u>
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Instruction	18,187,849	18,187,849	17,575,668	612,181
Support services	11,004,595	11,004,595	10,290,143	714,452
Non-instructional services	16,120	16,120	11,628	4,492
Extracurricular activities	688,478	688,478	645,230	43,248
Capital outlay	3,500	3,500	1,440	2,060
Total expenditures	<u>29,900,542</u>	<u>29,900,542</u>	<u>28,524,109</u>	<u>1,376,433</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	(846,934)	(1,100,175)	831,589	1,931,764
Other financing sources (uses):				
Operating transfers (out)	(88,000)	(92,200)	(92,151)	49
Advances in	-	-	24,350	24,350
Advances (out)	-	-	(28,161)	(28,161)
Refund of prior years expenditures	-	-	5,693	5,693
Refund of prior year receipts	-	(100)	(79)	21
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>(88,000)</u>	<u>(92,300)</u>	<u>(90,348)</u>	<u>1,952</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other financing sources over (under) expenditures and other financing uses	(934,934)	(1,192,475)	741,241	1,933,716
Fund balance, July 1	6,885,030	6,885,030	6,885,030	-
Prior year encumbrances appropriated	166,550	166,550	166,550	-
Fund balance, June 30	<u>\$ 6,116,646</u>	<u>\$ 5,859,105</u>	<u>\$ 7,792,821</u>	<u>\$ 1,933,716</u>

Note:

While reporting financial position and changes in financial position/fund balances 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 and disbursements. The adjustments necessary to convert the results of operations for the year on the budget basis to the GAAP basis for the General Fund are as follows:

<u>Net Change in Fund Balances</u>	<u>General Fund</u>
Budget Basis	\$ 741,241
Net adjustment for revenue accruals	2,601,290
Net adjustment for expenditure accruals	114,497
Net adjustment for other financing sources (uses)	3,811
Adjustment for encumbrances	123,000
GAAP Basis	<u>\$ 3,583,839</u>

BOWLING GREEN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
(CASH BASIS)
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

<u>Federal Grantor/Passed Through Grantor/Program Titles</u>	<u>Project Number</u>	<u>CFDA Number</u>	<u>Grant Expenditures</u>	<u>Non-Cash Grant Expenditures</u>
<u>U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION</u>				
Passed through Ohio Department of Education:				
<u>Special Education Cluster</u>				
Special Education - Part B - IDEA	436386B-SF06	84.027	\$ 52,572	
	436386B-SF07	84.027	887,751	
			<u>940,323</u>	
Special Education - Preschool - IDEA	43638PG-S1-07	84.173	26,618	
Total Special Education Cluster			<u>966,941</u>	
Title I - Targeted Assistance	43638C1-S1-06	84.010	73,048	
	43638C1-S1-07	84.010	410,817	
			<u>483,865</u>	
Title V - Innovative Programs	43638C2-S1-06	84.298	654	
	43638C2-S1-07	84.298	5,141	
			<u>5,795</u>	
Hurricane Education Recovery	43638HR-01-06	84.938	3,603	
Title IV - Safe and Drug Free Schools	43638DR-S1-07	84.186	10,606	
Title III - English Language Acquisition	43638T3-SR-07	84.365	2,157	
Title II-D - Education Technology	43638TJ-S1-06	84.318	507	
	43638TJ-S1-07	84.318	2,405	
			<u>2,912</u>	
Title II-A - Improving Teacher Quality	43638TR-S1-03	84.367	50	
	43638TR-S1-06	84.367	422	
	43638TR-S1-07	84.367	81,498	
			<u>81,970</u>	
TOTAL DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION			1,557,849	
<u>U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE</u>				
Passed through Ohio Department of Education:				
<u>Child Nutrition Cluster</u>				
National School Lunch Program	4363804-PU-00	10.555	249,655	
National School Lunch Program - Fruit and Vegetable	43638VG-S1-07	10.555	12,192	
			<u>261,847</u>	
National School Breakfast Program	4363805-PU-00	10.553	41,951	
Food Donation Program		10.550	-	\$ 107,303
TOTAL DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - Child Nutrition Cluster			<u>303,798</u>	<u>107,303</u>
TOTAL RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS			<u>\$ 1,861,647</u>	<u>\$ 107,303</u>

NOTE - FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Nonmonetary assistance, such as food received from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, is reported in the Schedule at the fair market value of the commodities received and consumed. Cash receipts from the U. S. Department of Agriculture are commingled with State grants. It is assumed federal monies are expended first.



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Board of Education
Bowling Green City School District
140 S. Grove Street
Bowling Green, Ohio 43402

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Bowling Green City School District ("the District"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2007, which collectively comprise the Bowling Green City School District's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated December 19, 2007. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

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 auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the District's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the District's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the District's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the District's internal control.

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

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on 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 such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

We noted certain matters that we reported to the management of Bowling Green City School District in a separate letter dated December 19, 2007.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the District's Board of Education, management, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Robert O'Brien".

December 19, 2007



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS
APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER
COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

Board of Education
Bowling Green City School District
140 S. Grove Street
Bowling Green, Ohio 43402

Compliance

We have audited the compliance of Bowling Green City School District ("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 are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2007. The District's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditors' results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of the District's management. 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; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; 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 obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that 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 District complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2007.

Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of the District is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with 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 the requirements that could have a direct and

material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over compliance.

A *control deficiency* in an entity's internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to administer a federal program such that there is more than a remote likelihood that noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

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 that might be 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.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the District's Board of Education, management, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Handwritten signature of Walter O'Brien in cursive script.

December 19, 2007

BOWLING GREEN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
 SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
 YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

SECTION I - SUMMARY OF AUDITORS' RESULTS

Financial Statements

Type of auditors' report issued:		<u>Unqualified</u>
Internal control over financial reporting:		
Material weakness(es) identified?	_____yes	_X_ no
Control deficiency(ies) identified not considered to be material weaknesses?	_____yes	_X_ none reported
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?	_____yes	_X_ no

Federal Awards

Internal Control over major programs:		
Material weakness(es) identified?	_____yes	_X_ no
Control deficiency(ies) identified not considered to be material weaknesses?	_____yes	_X_ none reported

Type of auditors' report issued on compliance for major programs:

Unqualified

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with Circular A-133, Section .510(a)?	_____yes	_X_ no
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Identification of major programs:

<u>CFDA Number(s)</u>	<u>Name of Federal Program or Cluster</u>
Special Education Cluster:	
84.027	Special Education – Part B – IDEA
84.173	Special Education – Preschool - IDEA

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs:	\$300,000
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Auditee qualified as low risk auditee?	_X_ yes	_____no
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SECTION II - FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS

No matters were reported.

SECTION III - FEDERAL AWARD FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

No matters were reported.

BOWLING GREEN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2007

NONE



Mary Taylor, CPA
Auditor of State

BOWLING GREEN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
WOOD 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
JANUARY 17, 2008