# PERRYSBURG EXEMPTED VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT

WOOD COUNTY, OHIO

**SINGLE AUDIT** 

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023





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We have reviewed the *Independent Auditor's Report* of Perrysburg Exempted Village School District, Wood County, prepared by Julian & Grube, Inc., for the audit period July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023. 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. Perrysburg Exempted Village School District is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

Keith Faber Auditor of State Columbus, Ohio

February 12, 2024



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#### **Independent Auditor's Report**

Perrysburg Exempted Village School District Wood County 140 East Indiana Avenue Perrysburg, OH 43551

To the Members of the Board of Education:

#### **Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements**

#### **Opinions**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District, Wood County, Ohio, as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District, as of June 30, 2023, and the respective changes in financial position, and, where applicable, cash flows thereof and the budgetary comparison for the General Fund for the fiscal year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Basis for Opinions**

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the "Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements" section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

### Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

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### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards*, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

#### Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, and schedules of net pension and other postemployment benefit assets and liabilities and pension and other postemployment benefit contributions, listed in the table of contents be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

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#### Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of federal awards is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 26, 2023 on our consideration of the Perrysburg Exempted Village 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 solely 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 effectiveness of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Julian & Grube, Inc. December 26, 2023

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### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

The management's discussion and analysis of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's (the "District") financial performance provides an overall review of the District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the District's financial performance as a whole; notes to the basic financial statements and basic financial statements to enhance their understanding of the District's financial performance.

### **Financial Highlights**

Key financial highlights for 2023 are as follows:

- The District's net position of governmental activities increased \$3,921,712 which represents a 31.36% increase from 2022's net position.
- General revenues accounted for \$76,789,097 in revenue or 86.89% of all revenues. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services and sales, operating and capital grants and contributions accounted for \$11,587,702 or 13.11% of total revenues of \$88,376,799.
- The District had \$84,455,087 in expenses related to governmental activities; only \$11,587,702 of these expenses was offset by program specific charges for services, grants or contributions. General revenues supporting governmental activities (primarily taxes and unrestricted grants and entitlements) of \$76,789,097 were adequate to provide for these programs.
- The District's major governmental fund is the general fund. The general fund had \$74,359,077 in revenues and \$68,689,814 in expenditures. During fiscal 2023, the general fund's fund balance increased \$5,669,263 from a balance of \$14,689,442 to \$20,358,705.

### **Using the Basic Financial Statements**

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

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

### Reporting the District as a Whole

### Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities

While this document contains the large number of funds used by the District to provide programs and activities, the view of the District as a whole looks at all financial transactions and asks the question, "How did we do financially during 2023?" The statement of net position and statement of activities answer this question. These statements include all assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, revenues and expenses using the accrual basis of accounting similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. The accrual basis of accounting will take into account all of the current year's revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid.

These two statements report the District's net position and changes in that position. This change in net position is important because it tells the reader that, for the District as a whole, the financial position of the District has improved or diminished. The causes of this change may be the result of many factors, some financial, some not. Non-financial factors include the District's property tax base, current property tax laws in Ohio restricting revenue growth, facility conditions, required educational programs and other factors.

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

In the statement of net position and statement of activities, the governmental activities include the District's programs and services, including instruction, support services, operation and maintenance, pupil transportation, extracurricular activities, operation of non-instructional services, and food service operations.

### Reporting the District's Most Significant Funds

#### Fund Financial Statements

Fund financial reports provide detailed information about the District's major funds. The District uses many funds to account for a multitude of financial transactions. However, these fund financial statements focus on the District's most significant funds. The District's major fund is the general fund.

#### Governmental Funds

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

#### **Proprietary Funds**

The District maintains only one type of proprietary fund. The internal service fund is an accounting device used to accumulate and allocate costs internally among the District's various functions. The District has an internal service fund to account for a self-insurance program which provides medical and dental benefits to employees.

#### Notes to the Financial Statements

The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements.

### Required Supplementary Information

In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information concerning the District's net pension liability and net OPEB liability/asset.

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### The District as a Whole

The statement of net position provides the perspective of the District as a whole. The table below provides a summary of the District's net position for June 30, 2023 and June 30, 2022.

#### **Net Position**

	Governmental Activities 2023	Governmental Activities 2022
<u>Assets</u>		
Current and other assets	\$ 103,673,891	\$ 90,835,774
Capital assets, net	67,367,344	70,590,705
Total assets	171,041,235	161,426,479
Deferred outflows of resources		
Unamortized deferred charges on debt refunding	943,541	1,032,488
Pensions	18,512,539	18,059,665
OPEB	2,215,742	2,226,155
Total deferred outflows of resources	21,671,822	21,318,308
<u>Liabilities</u>		
Current liabilities	10,259,109	10,065,603
Long-term liabilities:		
Due within one year	3,584,166	3,619,061
Due in more than one year:		
Net pension liability	69,455,841	39,954,706
Net OPEB liability	3,331,294	4,139,487
Other amounts	52,950,570	51,868,410
Total liabilities	139,580,980	109,647,267
Deferred inflows of resources		
Property taxes levied for next fiscal year	45,782,660	43,811,203
Payment in lieu of taxes levied for next fiscal year	315,376	362,524
Pensions	6,052,057	32,663,325
OPEB	9,566,428	8,766,624
Total deferred inflows of resources	61,716,521	85,603,676
Net position		
Net investment in capital assets	20,358,522	20,740,771
Restricted	8,251,330	7,548,768
Unrestricted (deficit)	(37,194,296)	(40,795,695)
Total net position	\$ (8,584,444)	\$ (12,506,156)

The net pension liability is reported pursuant to Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement 68, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions—an Amendment of GASB Statement 27." The net other postemployment benefits (OPEB) liability/asset is reported pursuant to GASB Statement 75, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions." For reasons discussed below, many end users of this financial statement will gain a clearer understanding of the District's actual financial condition by adding deferred inflows related to pension and OPEB, the net pension liability, and the net OPEB liability to the reported net position and subtracting deferred outflows related to pension and OPEB and the net OPEB asset.

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

GASB standards are national and apply to all government financial reports prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Prior accounting for pensions (GASB 27) and postemployment benefits (GASB 45) focused on a funding approach. This approach limited pension and OPEB costs to contributions annually required by law, which may or may not be sufficient to fully fund each plan's *net pension liability* or *net OPEB liability*. GASB 68 and GASB 75 take an earnings approach to pension and OPEB accounting; however, the nature of Ohio's statewide pension/OPEB plans and state law governing those systems requires additional explanation in order to properly understand the information presented in these statements.

GASB 68 and GASB 75 require the net pension liability and the net OPEB liability to equal the District's proportionate share of each plan's collective:

- 1. Present value of estimated future pension/OPEB benefits attributable to active and inactive employees' past service.
- 2. Minus plan assets available to pay these benefits.

GASB notes that pension and OPEB obligations, whether funded or unfunded, are part of the "employment exchange" – that is, the employee is trading his or her labor in exchange for wages, benefits, and the promise of a future pension and other postemployment benefits. GASB noted that the unfunded portion of this promise is a present obligation of the government, part of a bargained-for benefit to the employee, and should accordingly be reported by the government as a liability since they received the benefit of the exchange. However, the District is not responsible for certain key factors affecting the balance of these liabilities. In Ohio, the employee shares the obligation of funding pension benefits with the employer. Both employer and employee contribution rates are capped by State statute. A change in these caps requires action of both Houses of the General Assembly and approval of the Governor. Benefit provisions are also determined by State statute. The Ohio Revised Code permits, but does not require, the retirement systems to provide healthcare to eligible benefit recipients. The retirement systems may allocate a portion of the employer contributions to provide for these OPEB benefits.

The employee enters the employment exchange with the knowledge that the employer's promise is limited not by contract but by law. The employer enters the exchange also knowing that there is a specific, legal limit to its contribution to the retirement system. In Ohio, there is no legal means to enforce the unfunded liability of the pension/OPEB plan *as against the public employer*. State law operates to mitigate/lessen the moral obligation of the public employer to the employee, because all parties enter the employment exchange with notice as to the law. The retirement system is responsible for the administration of the pension and OPEB plans.

Most long-term liabilities have set repayment schedules or, in the case of compensated absences (i.e. sick and vacation leave), are satisfied through paid time-off or termination payments. There is no repayment schedule for the net pension liability or the net OPEB liability. As explained above, changes in benefits, contribution rates, and return on investments affect the balance of these liabilities but are outside the control of the local government. In the event that contributions, investment returns, and other changes are insufficient to keep up with required payments, State statute does not assign/identify the responsible party for the unfunded portion. Due to the unique nature of how the net pension liability and the net OPEB liability are satisfied, these liabilities are separately identified within the long-term liability section of the statement of net position.

In accordance with GASB 68 and GASB 75, the District's statements prepared on an accrual basis of accounting include an annual pension expense and an annual OPEB expense for their proportionate share of each plan's *change* in net pension liability and net OPEB liability/asset, respectively, not accounted for as deferred inflows/outflows.

Analysis of Net Position

Over time, net position can serve as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. At June 30, 2023, the District's liabilities and deferred inflows of resources exceeded assets and deferred outflows of resources by \$8,584,444. Of this total, \$8,251,330 is restricted in use.

Total assets include a net OPEB asset reported by STRS.

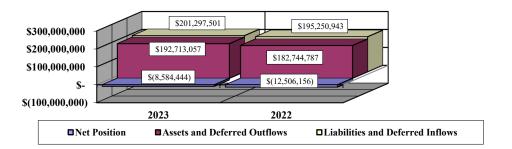
### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

At year-end, capital assets represented 39.39% of total assets. Capital assets include land, land improvements, buildings and improvements, furniture and equipment and vehicles. The District's net investment in capital assets at June 30, 2023, was \$20,358,522. These capital assets are used to provide services to the students and are not available for future spending. Although the District's investment in capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources to repay the debt must be provided from other sources, since capital assets may not be used to liquidate these liabilities.

The net pension liability increased \$29,501,135 and deferred inflows of resources related to pension decreased \$26,611,268. These changes were the result of changes at the pension system level for the State Teachers Retirement System (STRS) and the School Employees Retirement System (SERS). Primarily, net investment income on investments at both pension systems were negative for the fiscal year 2022 measurement date that are used for the fiscal year 2023 reporting. This caused a large decrease in their respective fiduciary net positions which was a drastic change from the previous fiscal year's large positive investment returns.

A portion of the District's net position, \$8,251,330, represents resources that are subject to external restriction on how they may be used. The remaining balance of unrestricted net position was a deficit of \$37,194,296.

The graph below illustrates the District's governmental activities assets plus deferred outflows of resources, liabilities plus deferred inflows of resources and net position at June 30, 2023 and 2022.



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### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

The table below shows the changes in net position for governmental activities between 2023 and 2022.

### **Change in Net Position**

	Governmental Activities 2023	Governmental Activities 2022
Revenues		
Program revenues:		
Charges for services and sales	\$ 4,574,528	\$ 2,890,551
Operating grants and contributions	6,848,174	7,417,358
Capital grants and contributions	165,000	237,080
General revenues:	50,922,675	47,924,347
Property taxes Income taxes	9,703,097	9,713,382
Grants and entitlements	14,198,793	14,292,996
Payments in lieu of taxes	652,803	616,884
Investment earnings	1,235,931	50,088
Miscellaneous	75,798	180,905
Total revenues	88,376,799	83,323,591
Expenses		
Program expenses:		
Instruction:		
Regular	37,446,749	32,127,912
Special	11,545,616	9,799,953
Vocational	205,836	84,441
Other	185,769	196,859
Support services:		
Pupil	6,869,103	5,242,472
Instructional staff	1,303,675	1,128,025
Board of education	54,558	95,316
Administration	6,754,201	5,168,256
Fiscal	1,455,269	1,535,035
Business	241,792	193,638
Operations and maintenance	6,991,261	6,139,159
Pupil transportation	2,913,203	2,542,669
Central	2,068,296	1,436,002
Operations of non-instructional services		
Food service operations	2,116,933	2,074,380
Other non-instructional services	316,746	304,989
Extracurricular activities	2,313,355	1,677,671
Interest and fiscal charges	1,672,725	1,772,451
Total expenses	84,455,087	71,519,228
Change in net position	3,921,712	11,804,363
Net position at beginning of year	(12,506,156)	(24,310,519)
Net position at end of year	<u>\$ (8,584,444)</u>	\$ (12,506,156)

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### **Governmental Activities**

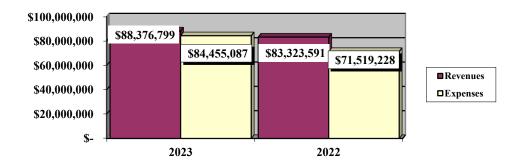
Net position of the District's governmental activities increased \$3,921,712. Total governmental expenses of \$84,455,087 were offset by program revenues of \$11,587,702 and general revenues of \$76,789,097. Program revenues supported 13.72% of the total governmental expenses.

The primary sources of revenue for governmental activities are derived from property taxes, school district income taxes, grants and entitlements and payments in lieu of taxes. These four sources of revenue total \$75,477,368 and represent 85.40% of total governmental revenue. Real estate property is reappraised every six years.

Overall, expenses of the governmental activities increased \$12,935,859. This increase is primarily the result of an increase in pension expense. Pension expense increased approximately \$7,694,950. This increase was the result of an increase in expenses incurred at the pension system level for the State Teachers Retirement System (STRS) and the School Employees Retirement System (SERS) due to a decrease in net investment income on investments compared to previous years. Expenses also increased due to customary wage and benefit increases and due to the District's increasing enrollment resulting in the need for more staff.

The graph below presents the District's governmental activities revenue and expenses for fiscal years 2023 and 2022.

### **Governmental Activities - Revenues and Expenses**



The statement of activities shows the cost of program services and the charges for services and grants offsetting those services. The following table shows, for governmental activities, the total cost of services and the net cost of services for 2023 compared to 2022. That is, it identifies the cost of these services supported by tax revenue and unrestricted State grants and entitlements.

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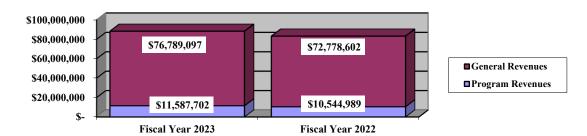
### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

	Governmental Activities					
	Total Cost of	Net Cost of	Total Cost of	Net Cost of		
	Services	Services	Services	Services		
	2023	2023	2022	2022		
Program expenses:						
Instruction:						
Regular	\$ 37,446,749	\$ 34,282,447	\$ 32,127,912	\$ 30,344,711		
Special	11,545,616	8,449,688	9,799,953	6,828,899		
Vocational	205,836	117,749	84,441	(11,754)		
Other	185,769	185,769	196,859	196,859		
Support services:						
Pupil	6,869,103	6,112,023	5,242,472	4,710,687		
Instructional staff	1,303,675	1,118,627	1,128,025	1,034,570		
Board of Education	54,558	54,558	95,316	95,316		
Administration	6,754,201	6,735,699	5,168,256	5,150,927		
Fiscal	1,455,269	1,429,844	1,535,035	1,535,035		
Business	241,792	241,792	193,638	193,638		
Operations and maintenance	6,991,261	6,925,034	6,139,159	6,094,540		
Pupil transportation	2,913,203	2,722,843	2,542,669	2,529,775		
Central	2,068,296	1,948,997	1,436,002	1,308,862		
Operation of non-instructional services:						
Food service operations	2,116,933	(157,858)	2,074,380	(1,105,285)		
Other non-instructional services	316,746	(20,462)	304,989	(31,300)		
Extracurricular activities	2,313,355	1,047,910	1,677,671	326,308		
Interest and fiscal charges	1,672,725	1,672,725	1,772,451	1,772,451		
Total expenses	\$ 84,455,087	\$ 72,867,385	\$ 71,519,228	\$ 60,974,239		

The dependence upon tax and other general revenues for governmental activities is apparent as 87.14% of instruction activities, which total \$49,383,970, are supported through taxes and other general revenues. For all governmental activities, general revenue support is 86.28%.

The graph below presents the District's general and program revenues for fiscal years 2023 and 2022.

### **Governmental Activities - General and Program Revenues**



### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### The District's Funds

The District's governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$31,756,586, which is greater than last year's total of \$23,821,038. The schedule below indicates the fund balance and the total change in fund balance as of June 30, 2023 and 2022.

	Fund Balance June 30, 2023	Fund Balance June 30, 2022	Change		
General Other governmental	\$ 20,358,705 11,397,881	\$ 14,689,442 9,131,596	\$	5,669,263 2,266,285	
Total	\$ 31,756,586	\$ 23,821,038	\$	7,935,548	

#### General Fund

The District's general fund balance increased \$5,669,263. The schedule below provides detail on the revenues and expenditures of the general fund for fiscal years 2023 and 2022.

	2023 Amount	2022 Amount	Percentage Change
Revenues			
Taxes	\$ 55,115,985	\$ 51,954,597	6.08 %
Tuition and fees	1,569,818	1,415,388	10.91 %
Earnings on investments	1,219,652	43,428	2,708.45 %
Intergovernmental	15,562,314	15,611,499	(0.32) %
Other revenues	891,308	938,610	(5.04) %
Total	\$ 74,359,077	\$ 69,963,522	6.28 %
	2023	2022	Percentage
	Amount	Amount	Change
<b>Expenditures</b>			
Instruction	\$ 42,311,083	\$ 40,639,629	4.11 %
Support services	24,354,140	22,479,627	8.34 %
Operation of non-instructional services	6,157	5,934	3.76 %
Extracurricular activities	1,325,897	1,143,387	15.96 %
Facilities acquisition and construction	17,369	430,723	(95.97) %
Debt service	675,168	675,169	(0.00) %
Total	\$ 68,689,814	\$ 65,374,469	5.07 %

Revenues of the general fund increased approximately \$4.4 million compared to fiscal year 2022. This is due to the increase in taxes revenue. The increase in property taxes is due to the District's increased assessed valuation. Income tax revenue also remained strong. Earnings on investments increased due to higher interest rates on the District's investments.

Expenditures in the general fund increased approximately \$3.3 million from fiscal year 2022. This increase is a result of salary and benefit increases, inflationary increases in the prices of goods and services, and higher enrollment leading to the need for more staff.

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### General Fund Budgeting Highlights

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

For fiscal year 2023, the original budgeted revenues and other financing sources were \$71,308,414. Final budgeted revenues and other financing sources were increased \$3,249,000 from the original budget. This was due to an increase in estimated income tax and investment earnings revenues. Actual revenues and other financing sources for fiscal year 2023 were \$73,217,257. Actual revenues and other financing sources were \$1,340,157 less than final budgeted revenues.

General fund original appropriations (appropriated expenditures plus other financing uses) of \$72,989,855 were increased to \$73,871,511 in the final budget. The actual budget basis expenditures and other financing uses for fiscal year 2023 totaled \$68,870,266, which was \$5,001,245 less than the final budget appropriations.

### **Debt Administration and Capital Assets**

#### **Debt Administration**

At June 30, 2023, the District had \$42,409,665 in general obligation bonds, \$1,710,133 in energy conservation notes and \$4,213,379 in financed purchase obligations. Of this total, \$3,116,024 is due within one year and \$45,217,153 is due in greater than one year.

The following table summarizes the bonds, notes and financed purchase obligations outstanding at June 30, 2023 and 2022.

### Outstanding Debt, at Year End

	Governmental Activities 2023	Governmental Activities 2022
General obligation bonds	\$ 42,409,665	\$ 44,674,807
Energy conservation note	1,710,133	1,991,620
Financed purchase obligations	4,213,379	866,869
Total	\$ 48,333,177	\$ 47,533,296

At June 30, 2023, the District's overall legal debt margin was \$61,469,295 with an unvoted debt margin of \$1,125,266.

See Note 10 to the basic financial statements for further detail on the District's long-term obligations.

#### Capital Assets

At the end of fiscal 2023, the District had \$67,367,344 invested in land, land improvements, buildings and improvements, furniture and equipment, and vehicles. The following table shows fiscal 2023 balances compared to 2022:

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

### Capital Assets at June 30 (Net of Depreciation)

	Government	tal Activities
	2023	2022
Land	\$ 4,370,152	\$ 4,370,152
Construction in progress	-	282,179
Land improvements	1,512,945	1,689,821
Building and improvements	56,863,204	60,097,775
Furniture and equipment	2,542,556	2,268,920
Vehicles	2,078,487	1,881,858
Total	\$ 67,367,344	\$ 70,590,705

Total additions to capital assets for 2023 were \$2,698,675. Total disposals (net of accumulated depreciation) were \$332,903. Depreciation recorded for the fiscal year totaled \$5,589,133.

The overall decrease in capital assets of \$3,223,361 is due to current year depreciation expense and disposals (net of accumulated depreciation) exceeding additions.

See Note 9 to the basic financial statements for further details on the District's capital assets.

#### **Economic Conditions and Outlook**

The District continues to experience the positive effects of a strong real estate market and the negative impact of a tight labor market. We continue to see signs of continuous economic growth throughout the District. Commercial and residential development continues. As a District that traditionally prospers from the effects of residential and commercial real estate growth and a continuous increased income tax stream has seen these resources continue to grow but at the same time, create economic challenges for the District.

The District is comprised of approximately 41 square miles in the north central portion of Wood County (the "County"), and is bordered on the north by the Maumee River. Residential construction has resulted in significant growth in the population of the District during the past several years, and this growth is expected to continue into the foreseeable future. The City of Perrysburg (the "City") is an attractive municipality and is proud of its heritage. Although some residential development is occurring within the City boundaries, the majority of the current development is primarily in the southwest quadrant of the District, within Perrysburg and Middleton Townships. Development is primarily residential, although some retail and light manufacturing construction has occurred. The District is located in a reasonably good agricultural area, although agriculture is no longer a major contributor to the City or to the District. The City and the greater Toledo metropolitan area provide residents with many retail, commercial and light industrial advantages associated with small cities. Residents have the availability of a variety of shopping, entertainment and dining venues, as well as a steady mix of employment options. The District continues to play a vital role as a center of the community, and a sense of pride is evident within the District and throughout the community. The availability of new housing and transportation routes make the area attractive to families moving to this Northwest Ohio area. Those moving into the area have the advantages of the larger city conveniences and services while retaining the positives associated with the smaller, community-oriented environment. There has been a small decline in some of the major manufacturing and distribution companies in the nearby Toledo metropolitan area, but several opportunities still exist.

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

The District operates four K-5 elementary school buildings, one 5-6 intermediate school, one 7-8 middle school, and one 9-12 high school. The District continues to maintain the Commodore Building that is located in the central portion of the City, and that currently houses the central administration. Original construction dates for these school buildings range from 1894 to 2001, and most of the buildings have had one or more major additions. In general, the buildings have been well maintained; yet, changes in program requirements and the inflexibility of several of the buildings present limitations for the delivery of the instructional programs. The Commodore Building continues to be renovated for administrative offices. The building is home to not only the District's administrative personnel but is host to a number of professional development programs for education personnel across Northwest Ohio. The District community is changing. A different set of expectations for the schools comes with these changes. As new residents arrive and local conditions are altered, different work requirements and family expectations follow. The changing nature of agribusiness, manufacturing and service industries with new applications from technology creates the need for different skills for managers and workers. As residents are exposed to these changes in their home, business and work, they develop expectations for the schools that are different from those that have influenced the District in the past. Preparation to work in the information society is quite different from that required in the agriculture or industrial societies of the past. New and compelling research findings about both curriculum and A-1 instruction are finding their way into classrooms. All of these changes have potential for impact on teachers and teaching, as well as on school facilities and instructional materials.

The District is an independent political subdivision of the State of Ohio and operates subject to the provisions of the Ohio Constitution and various sections of the Revised Code. Under such laws, there is no authority for the District to have a charter or adopt local laws. The District is neither a part of, nor under the control of, the City. The territory of the District is considerably larger than the territory of the City.

Historically, real estate values throughout the District, have increased at an average rate of almost two (1.77%) percent over the past ten years, in a non-triennial update or reappraisal year. The District has seen steady increases in the overall valuation since the 2011 reappraisal. Agricultural values have been adjusted on several occasions throughout the State to reflect more accurate CAUV (Current Agricultural Land Use Values) values. Voters renewed the incremental levy, originally approved by the community in 2004, in November of 2016. Currently the levy is collecting 12 mills. A fixed sum, incremental levy for new money, was passed in November 2019 and currently collects about \$12 million per year. The District's income tax collection continues to be a valuable resource. The District is at the 20 mil floor and therefore expects to see additional revenue in future years as property valuations continue to rise.

The District continues to implement very aggressive measures to balance the budget and provide some financial stability. As the District moves forward into fiscal year 2024, the staff and administration continue to look at future growth throughout the community and the challenges that overcrowding presents. Reliance on the State of Ohio for financial support continues to be a huge question. Perrysburg residents have been very supportive of the District. The local community has replaced a large portion of the funding that state has taken away over the past several years with the approval of the incremental levy in 2016. With community support, the new levy in November 2019 will continue to make Perrysburg a destination district.

The District's expenditure levels continue to be reviewed and closely monitored. The administration has managed to control the growth of expenditures. A more structured budgeting process has been developed and implemented. Board committees continue to be utilized in terms of the approval and implementation of various District programs and the costs associated with those programs. Retirements and the replacement of a more experienced work force with a new staff has also kept expenditure levels at higher that anticipate levels. We will continue make containing cost a primary focus as we move into future years.

Instructional programs and curriculum adoptions have and will continue to be a primary focus of the District's administrative team. The District added an assistant director of teaching and learning to assist in some of the initiatives that have begun. The District implemented a one-to-one technology initiative in 2013-14 where students received laptop computers that are utilized in the instructional delivery and practice. Curriculum adoptions were placed on hold for several years due to financial restraints but schedules have been adopted to revisit and update courses of study. As the District continues to move forward with these curriculum updates and new technology initiatives, financial planning has become an integral part of this process. Costs for services for students with special needs continue to rise. This is such an uncontrollable cost. Court placed students with disabilities have a drastic impact on District finances. The District reviews these services on an annual basis to review their effectiveness for services and costs.

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

The District continues to grow in all aspects of economic development. Housing continues to rise and the District's enrollment continues to escalate at an explosive rate. Portable classrooms were purchased and installed at two elementary buildings in the District in the summer of 2013 at a cost of approximately \$550,000 to address the overcrowding issue. The District built an intermediate building which was completed in 2018. Voters approved the \$38,900,000 bond issue in November 2014. This removed the fifth grade from the elementary building and the sixth grade from the current junior high and allowed some additional growth to occur for a short time. But with the explosive growth, the buildings and future needs are a concern. New subdivisions are platted and building continues throughout the District. Several apartment complexes have added students to already maximum building capacities.

Several tax abatements were negotiated over the last year with new companies and existing companies expanding operations throughout the District. It is evident that the economy has had its effect on the ability for companies to build and expand like they have in the past but the activity is beginning to accelerate once again.

We are extremely pleased with the direction the district has taken instructionally and we continue to provide an outstanding education for the students in Perrysburg.

### **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 show the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact Mr. Randolph Drewyor, Treasurer, at Perrysburg Exempted Village School District, 140 E. Indiana Ave., Perrysburg, Ohio 43551.

### STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2023

	Governmental Activities
Assets: Equity in pooled cash and investments	\$ 37,148,274
Receivables:	* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
Property taxes	54,172,576
Income taxes	4,338,563
Payment in lieu of taxes	405,376
Accounts Accrued interest	8,120 22,939
Intergovernmental	885,269
Prepayments	50,858
Materials and supplies inventory	5,529
Inventory held for resale	6,153
Net OPEB asset	6,630,234
Capital assets:	4 270 152
Nondepreciable capital assets	4,370,152
Depreciable capital assets, net Capital assets, net	62,997,192 67,367,344
Total assets	171,041,235
Deferred outflows of resources: Unamortized deferred charges on debt refunding	943,541
Pension	18,512,539
OPEB	2,215,742
Total deferred outflows of resources	21,671,822
Liabilities:	
Accounts payable	155,434
Accrued wages and benefits	7,232,440
Intergovernmental payable	307,798
Pension and postemployment benefits payable	1,243,203
Accrued interest payable	142,280
Unearned revenue	326,554
Claims payable	851,400
Long-term liabilities: Due within one year	3,584,166
Due in more than one year:	3,301,100
Net pension liability	69,455,841
Net OPEB liability	3,331,294
Other amounts due in more than one year	52,950,570
Total liabilities	139,580,980
Deferred inflows of resources:	
Property taxes levied for the next fiscal year	45,782,660
Payment in lieu of taxes levied for the next fiscal year	315,376
Pension	6,052,057
OPEB Total deferred inflows of resources	9,566,428
	61,716,521
Net position: Net investment in capital assets	20,358,522
Restricted for:	
Capital projects	1,800,387
OPEB plans	1,689,954
Debt service	1,997,997
Scholarships State funded programs	217,059 36,855
State funded programs Federally funded programs	11,864
Food service operations	1,509,175
Extracurricular activities	868,648
Other purposes	119,391
Unrestricted (deficit)	(37,194,296)
Total net position (deficit)	\$ (8,584,444)

### STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

Net (Expense)

				Prog	ram Revenues			R	Revenue and Changes in Net Position
		<u> </u>	harges for		rating Grants	Caj	pital Grants		overnmental
	Expenses		ices and Sales		Contributions	_	Contributions		Activities
Governmental activities:									
Instruction:									
Regular	\$ 37,446,749	\$	1,319,542	\$	1,844,760	\$	-	\$	(34,282,447)
Special	11,545,616		304,840		2,791,088		-		(8,449,688)
Vocational	205,836		-		88,087		-		(117,749)
Other	185,769		-		-		-		(185,769)
Support services:									
Pupil	6,869,103		45,579		711,501		-		(6,112,023)
Instructional staff	1,303,675		320		184,728		-		(1,118,627)
Board of education	54,558		-		-		-		(54,558)
Administration	6,754,201		-		18,502		-		(6,735,699)
Fiscal	1,455,269		-		25,425		-		(1,429,844)
Business	241,792		-		-		-		(241,792)
Operations and maintenance	6,991,261		61,684		4,543		-		(6,925,034)
Pupil transportation	2,913,203		-		55,360		135,000		(2,722,843)
Central	2,068,296		106,699		12,600		-		(1,948,997)
Operation of non-instructional services:									
Food service operations	2,116,933		1,517,630		757,161		-		157,858
Other non-instructional services	316,746		-		337,208		-		20,462
Extracurricular activities	2,313,355		1,218,234		17,211		30,000		(1,047,910)
Interest and fiscal charges	 1,672,725						<u> </u>		(1,672,725)
Totals	\$ 84,455,087	\$	4,574,528	\$	6,848,174	\$	165,000		(72,867,385)
				Prop	eral revenues: perty taxes levie	d for:			
					eneral purposes				45,365,118
					ebt service				3,474,017
					pital outlay				2,083,540
				,	ments in lieu of				652,803
					me taxes levied	i for:			0.502.005
					neral purposes				9,703,097
					nts and entitlem		t restricted		14 100 702
					specific program				14,198,793
					stment earning	S			1,235,931
					cellaneous				75,798
				1 Ota	ıl general reven	ues			/6,/89,09/
				Cha	nge in net posit	ion			3,921,712
					position (defic	it) at			(12,506,156)
				Net	position (defic	it) at eı	nd of year	\$	(8,584,444)

### BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2023

	General		Nonmajor overnmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds		
Assets:			 			
Equity in pooled cash						
and investments	\$	17,430,571	\$ 10,821,992	\$	28,252,563	
Receivables:						
Property taxes		48,561,279	5,611,297		54,172,576	
Income taxes		4,338,563	-		4,338,563	
Payment in lieu of taxes		-	405,376		405,376	
Accounts		8,120	-		8,120	
Accrued interest		22,939	-		22,939	
Intergovernmental		269,129	616,140		885,269	
Prepayments		50,858	-		50,858	
Materials and supplies inventory		-	5,529		5,529	
Inventory held for resale		-	6,153		6,153	
Due from other funds		197,666	-		197,666	
Restricted assets:						
Equity in pooled cash						
and cash equivalents		1,270	 -		1,270	
Total assets	\$	70,880,395	\$ 17,466,487	\$	88,346,882	
Liabilities:						
Accounts payable	\$	113,147	\$ 39,001	\$	152,148	
Accrued wages and benefits		6,782,383	450,057		7,232,440	
Compensated absences payable		16,945	-		16,945	
Intergovernmental payable		302,110	5,688		307,798	
Pension and postemployment benefits payable		1,134,094	109,109		1,243,203	
Due to other funds		· · ·	197,666		197,666	
Unearned revenue		326,554	-		326,554	
Total liabilities		8,675,233	801,521		9,476,754	
Deferred inflows of resources:						
Property taxes levied for the next fiscal year		41,077,129	4,705,531		45,782,660	
Payment in lieu of taxes levied for the next fiscal year			315,376		315,376	
Delinquent property tax revenue not available		131,128	15,897		147,025	
Income tax revenue not available		615,261	13,077		615,261	
Intergovernmental revenue not available		013,201	215,281		215,281	
Accrued interest not available		22,939	213,201		22,939	
Delinquent payment in lieu of taxes not available			15,000		15,000	
Total deferred inflows of resources		41,846,457	5,267,085		47,113,542	
Fund balances:						
		50.050	5,529		56 207	
Nonspendable		50,858			56,387	
Restricted Committed		1,270	9,838,533 1,767,736		9,839,803	
		607,187	1,/0/,/30		2,374,923	
Assigned		1,448,311	(212.017)		1,448,311	
Unassigned (deficit)		18,251,079	(213,917)	-	18,037,162	
Total fund balances		20,358,705	 11,397,881		31,756,586	
Total liabilities, deferred inflows and fund balances	\$	70,880,395	\$ 17,466,487	\$	88,346,882	

## RECONCILIATION OF TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCES TO NET POSITION OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES ${\tt JUNE~30,2023}$

Total governmental fund balances		\$ 31,756,586
Amounts reported for governmental activities on the statement of net position are different because:		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds.		67,367,344
Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current- period expenditures and therefore are deferred inflows in the funds. Property taxes receivable Income taxes receivable Payment in lieu of taxes receivable Accrued interest receivable Intergovernmental receivable Total	\$ 147,025 615,261 15,000 22,939 215,281	1,015,506
An internal service fund is used by management to charge the costs of insurance to individual funds. The assets and liabilities of the internal service fund are included in governmental activities on the statement of net position.		8,039,755
Unamortized premiums on bonds issued are not recognized in the funds.		(2,744,487)
Unamortized amounts on refundings are not recognized in the funds.		943,541
Accrued interest payable is not due and payable in the current period and therefore is not reported in the funds.		(142,280)
The net pension/OPEB assets & liabilities are not due and payable in the current period; therefore, the assets, liabilities and related deferred inflows/outflows are not reported in governmental funds.  Deferred outflows - pension Deferred inflows - pension Net pension liability Deferred outflows - OPEB Deferred inflows - OPEB Net OPEB asset Net OPEB liability Total	18,512,539 (6,052,057) (69,455,841) 2,215,742 (9,566,428) 6,630,234 (3,331,294)	(61,047,105)
Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds.  General obligation bonds  Financed purchase obligations	(42,409,665) (4,213,379)	
Compensated absences Energy conservation note Total	(5,440,127) (1,710,133)	 (53,773,304)
Net position of governmental activities		\$ (8,584,444)

## STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,2023

	General		Nonmajor Governmental Funds		Total Governmental Funds		
Revenues:							
Property taxes	\$	45,369,648	\$	5,559,984	\$	50,929,632	
Income taxes		9,746,337		-		9,746,337	
Intergovernmental		15,562,314		5,345,017		20,907,331	
Investment earnings		1,219,652		42,091		1,261,743	
Tuition and fees		1,569,818		16,609		1,586,427	
Extracurricular		270,383		845,255		1,115,638	
Rental income		55,501		-		55,501	
Charges for services		156,048		1,527,249		1,683,297	
Contributions and donations		1,450		52,977		54,427	
Payment in lieu of taxes		217,238		435,565		652,803	
Miscellaneous		190,688	18,775			209,463	
Total revenues		74,359,077		13,843,522		88,202,599	
Total Tevenues		74,339,077		13,043,322		86,202,399	
Expenditures: Current: Instruction:							
Regular		32,432,963		2,131,764		34,564,727	
Special		9,428,737		1,512,281		10,941,018	
Vocational				1,312,261			
		288,193		-		288,193	
Other		161,190		-		161,190	
Support services:		5 702 425		212.024		(10(250	
Pupil		5,792,435		313,824		6,106,259	
Instructional staff		1,170,001		197,614		1,367,615	
Board of education		140,913		-		140,913	
Administration		5,838,861		47,481		5,886,342	
Fiscal		1,511,399		91,120		1,602,519	
Business		197,912		81,515		279,427	
Operations and maintenance		5,707,722		45,430		5,753,152	
Pupil transportation		2,656,765		497,208		3,153,973	
Central		1,338,132		624,847		1,962,979	
Operation of non-instructional services:							
Food service operations		-		2,031,138		2,031,138	
Other non-instructional services		6,157		391,620		397,777	
Extracurricular activities		1,325,897		825,971		2,151,868	
Facilities acquisition and construction		17,369		2,287,587		2,304,956	
Debt service:							
Principal retirement		594,902		2,538,995		3,133,897	
Interest and fiscal charges		80,266		1,525,022		1,605,288	
Issuance costs				65,000		65,000	
Accreted interest on capital appreciation bonds		_		138,080		138,080	
Total expenditures		68,689,814		15,346,497		84,036,311	
Total experiences		00,007,014		13,340,477		04,030,311	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over							
(under) expenditures		5,669,263		(1,502,975)		4,166,288	
(under) expenditures		2,007,203		(1,502,575)		1,100,200	
Other financing sources (uses):							
Sale of assets		_		17,260		17,260	
Financed purchase agreement		_		3,752,000		3,752,000	
Transfers in		_		64,878		64,878	
Transfers (out)		-					
				(64,878)		(64,878)	
Total other financing sources (uses)				3,769,260		3,769,260	
Net change in fund balances		5,669,263		2,266,285		7,935,548	
Fund balances at beginning of year		14,689,442		9,131,596		23,821,038	
Fund balances at end of year	\$	20,358,705	\$	11,397,881	\$	31,756,586	
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# RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds	\$	7,935,548
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the		
statement of activities are different because:		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures.		
However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those		
assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as		
depreciation expense.		
Capital asset additions	\$ 2,698,675	
Current year depreciation	(5,589,133)	
Total		(2,890,458)
The net effect of various miscellaneous transactions involving		
capital assets (i.e., sales, disposals, trade-ins, and donations) is to		
decrease net position.		(332,903)
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide		
current financial resources are not reported as revenues in		
the funds.		
Property taxes	(6,957)	
Income taxes	(43,240)	
Earnings on investments	16,279	
Intergovernmental	 208,118	
Total		174,200
Repayment of bond, financed purchase and note principal is an expenditure in the		
governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities		
on the statement of net position.		
Principal	3,133,897	
Payment of accreted interest on capital appreciation bonds	 138,080	
Total		3,271,977
Issuance of financed purchase agreements are recorded as other financing		
sources in the funds; however, in the statement of activities, they are		
not reported as other financing sources as they increase liabilities		
on the statement of net position.		(3,752,000)
		Continued

# RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES (CONTINUED) FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

In the statement of activities, interest is accrued on outstanding bonds, whereas in governmental funds, an interest expenditure is reported when due. The following items resulted in additional interest being reported in the statement of activities:  Decrease in accrued interest payable  Accreted interest on capital appreciation bonds  Amortization of bond premiums  Amortization of deferred charges  Total	\$ 18,728 (319,858) 387,640 (88,947)	\$ (2,437)
Contractually required contributions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds; however, the statement of net position reports these amounts as deferred outflows.		
Pension	6,065,509	
OPEB	202,115	
Total		6,267,624
Except for amounts reported as deferred inflows/outflows, changes in the net pension/OPEB liability/asset are reported as pension/OPEB expense in the statement of activities.  Pension OPEB Total	(8,502,502) 1,136,851	(7,365,651)
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities, such as compensated absences, do not require the use of current		
financial resources and therefore are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.		(666,640)
An internal service fund used by management to charge the costs of insurance to individual funds is not reported in the district-wide statement of activities. Governmental fund expenditures and the related internal service fund revenues are eliminated. The net revenue (expense) of the internal		1 202 452
service fund is allocated among the governmental activities.	<del>-</del>	1,282,452
Change in net position of governmental activities	<del>-</del>	\$ 3,921,712

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) GENERAL FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

	Budgeted Amounts				Variance with Final Budget Positive			
	Or	iginal		Final		Actual	(	Negative)
Revenues:	¢ 4	5 002 025	ď	45 002 025	¢	44 401 405	Ф	(522, 420)
Property taxes		5,003,825	\$	45,003,825	\$	44,481,405	\$	(522,420)
Income taxes		9,418,795		11,918,795		10,018,344		(1,900,451)
Intergovernmental	1	6,106,318		16,092,468		15,575,179		(517,289)
Investment earnings		33,500		533,500		1,217,053		683,553
Tuition and fees Extracurricular		183,000		383,000		1,255,268		872,268
Rental income		104,500		104,500		102,473 55,151		(2,027)
Charges for services		32,400		32,400 80,000				22,751
Č		241 205				81,898		1,898
Payment in lieu of taxes		241,385		241,385		217,238		(24,147)
Miscellaneous		184,391		167,241		74,439		(92,802)
Total revenues	/	1,308,114		74,557,114	-	73,078,448		(1,478,666)
Expenditures:								
Current:								
Instruction:								
Regular	3	5,881,352		35,042,188		32,306,524		2,735,664
Special	1	0,119,692		10,417,273		9,875,543		541,730
Vocational		88,150		297,665		288,716		8,949
Other		54,456		54,456		20,792		33,664
Support services:								
Pupil		5,708,556		5,641,302		5,676,409		(35,107)
Instructional staff		1,217,578		1,252,421		1,163,623		88,798
Board of education		166,259		181,835		163,396		18,439
Administration		5,900,820		5,980,602		5,816,391		164,211
Fiscal		1,761,745		1,788,554		1,527,852		260,702
Business		203,304		208,132		200,591		7,541
Operations and maintenance		5,859,544		6,424,470		5,894,448		530,022
Pupil transportation		2,501,774		3,011,584		2,660,823		350,761
Central		1,446,951		1,456,360		1,262,115		194,245
Operation of non-instructional services:								
Other non-instructional services		5,834		5,834		6,157		(323)
Extracurricular activities		1,063,672		1,084,672		1,014,349		70,323
Facilities acquisition and construction		35,000		48,995		17,369		31,626
Debt service:								
Principal		594,902		594,902		594,902		-
Interest and fiscal charges		80,266		80,266		80,266		-
Total expenditures	7	2,689,855		73,571,511		68,570,266		5,001,245
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over								
(under) expenditures	(	1,381,741)		985,603		4.508.182		3,522,579
(under) expenditures		1,501,711)		703,003		1,300,102		3,322,377
Other financing sources (uses):								
Refund of prior year's expenditures		300		300		138,809		138,509
Transfers (out)		(300,000)		(300,000)		(300,000)		-
Total other financing sources (uses)		(299,700)		(299,700)		(161,191)		138,509
Net change in fund balance	(	1,681,441)		685,903		4,346,991		3,661,088
Fund balance at beginning of year	1	0,434,758		10,434,758		10,434,758		
Prior year encumbrances appropriated	1	699,744		699,744		699,744		- -
Fund balance at end of year	\$	9,453,061	\$	11,820,405	\$	15,481,493	\$	3,661,088
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### STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUND JUNE 30, 2023

A	Governmental Activities - Internal Service Fund		
\$	8,894,441		
	3,286		
	851,400		
	854,686		
	8,039,755		
\$	8,039,755		
	Se		

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

	A	Governmental Activities - Internal Service Fund		
Operating revenues:				
Charges for services	\$	11,126,059		
Operating expenses: Purchased services Claims Total operating expenses		1,746,329 8,097,278 9,843,607		
Change in net position		1,282,452		
Net position at beginning of year		6,757,303		
Net position at end of year	\$	8,039,755		

### STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

	Governmental Activities - Internal Service Fund	
Cash flows from operating activities:		·
Cash received from charges for services	\$	11,126,059
Cash payments for purchased services		(1,743,043)
Cash payments for claims		(8,018,178)
Net cash provided by		
operating activities		1,364,838
Cash and investments at beginning of year		7,529,603
Cash and investments at end of year	\$	8,894,441
Reconciliation of operating income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Operating income	\$	1,282,452
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
Accounts payable		3,286
Claims payable		79,100
Net cash provided by		
operating activities	\$	1,364,838

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### NOTE 1 - DESCRIPTION OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Perrysburg Exempted Village School District (the "District") is located in Wood County in northwest Ohio.

The District is organized under Sections 2 and 3, Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Ohio. Under such laws, there is no authority for a school district to have a charter or adopt local laws. The legislative power of the District is vested in the Board of Education, consisting of five members elected at large for staggered four-year terms.

It currently operates 4 elementary schools, 1 intermediate school, 1 junior high school, and 1 comprehensive high school. The District employs 33 administrators, 278 non-certified and 405 certified full-time and part-time employees to provide services to approximately 5,505 students and various community groups.

#### NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The basic financial statements of the District have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The District's significant accounting policies are described below.

#### A. Reporting Entity

The reporting entity has been defined in accordance with GASB Statement No. 14, "<u>The Financial Reporting Entity</u>" as amended by GASB Statement No. 39, "<u>Determining Whether Certain Organizations Are Component Units</u>" and GASB Statement No. 61, "<u>The Financial Reporting Entity</u>: <u>Omnibus an Amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 34</u>". The reporting entity is composed of the primary government and component units. The primary government consists of all funds, departments, boards and agencies that are not legally separate from the District. For the District, this includes general operations, food service, and student related activities of the District.

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the District is financially accountable. The District is financially accountable for an organization if the District appoints a voting majority of the organization's Governing Board and (1) the District is able to significantly influence the programs or services performed or provided by the organization; or (2) the District is legally entitled to or can otherwise access the organization's resources; or (3) the District is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the responsibility to finance the deficits of, or provide financial support to, the organization; or (4) the District is obligated for the debt of the organization. Component units may also include organizations that are fiscally dependent on the District in that the District approves the budget, the issuance of debt or the levying of taxes. Certain organizations are also included as component units if the nature and significance of the relationship between the primary government and the organization is such that exclusion by the primary government would render the primary government's financial statements incomplete or misleading. Based upon the application of these criteria, the District has no component units. The basic financial statements of the reporting entity include only those of the District (the primary government).

#### JOINTLY GOVERNED ORGANIZATIONS

### Northwest Ohio Computer Association

The District is a participant in the Northwest Ohio Computer Association (NWOCA). NWOCA is a program of the Northern Buckeye Education Council. The organization was formed for the purpose of applying modern technology with the aid of computers and other electronic equipment to administrative and instructional functions among member educational entities. NWOCA is governed by the Northern Buckeye Education Council as described below. Financial information can be obtained from Tammy Butler, who serves as Treasurer, at 209 Nolan Parkway, P.O. Box 407, Archbold, Ohio 43502.

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

### NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

#### Northern Buckeye Education Council

The Northern Buckeye Education Council (NBEC) was established in 1979 to foster cooperation among school districts located in Defiance, Fulton, Henry, Lucas, Williams, and Wood counties. NBEC is organized under Ohio laws as a regional council of governments pursuant to a written agreement entered into by its member entities and bylaws adopted by the representatives of the member educational entities. NBEC is governed by an elected Board consisting of two representatives from each of the counties in which the member educational entities are located. The Board is elected from an Assembly consisting of a representative from each participating educational entity. To obtain financial information write to the Northern Buckeye Education Council, Tammy Butler, who serves as Treasurer, at 209 Nolan Parkway, PO Box 407, Archbold, Ohio 43502.

#### Penta Career Center

The Penta Career Center (the "Center") 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 Center 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. Financial information can be obtained from the Penta County Career Center, Michael Harrigan, who serves as Treasurer, at 9301 Buck Road, Perrysburg, Ohio 43551.

### B. Fund Accounting

The District uses funds to maintain its financial records during the year. A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. There are three categories of funds: governmental, proprietary and fiduciary. The District has no fiduciary funds.

### GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

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

The following is the District's major governmental fund:

<u>General fund</u> - The general fund is used to account for and report all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund. The general fund balance is available for any purpose provided it is expended or transferred according to the general laws of Ohio.

Other governmental funds of the District are used to account for (a) financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditures for capital outlays including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets, (b) the accumulation of resources and payment of general obligation bond principal and interest, and (c) specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to an expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects.

#### PROPRIETARY FUND

Proprietary funds are used to account for the District's ongoing activities which are similar to those often found in the private sector. The District has no enterprise funds. The following is a description of the District's internal service fund:

<u>Internal service fund</u> - The internal service fund is used to account for the financing of goods or services provided by one department or agency to other departments or agencies of the District, or to other governments, on a cost-reimbursement basis. The only internal service fund of the District accounts for a self-insurance program, which provides dental, vision, medical/surgical and life insurance benefits to employees.

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

#### C. Basis of Presentation and Measurement Focus

<u>Government-Wide Financial Statements</u> - The statement of net position 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. Internal service fund operating activity is eliminated to avoid overstatement of revenues and expenses.

The government-wide statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each function or program of the governmental activities of the District. 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 amounts paid by the recipient of 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 not classified as program revenues are presented as general revenues of the District.

The government-wide financial statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus. All assets, deferred outflows, liabilities and deferred inflows associated with the operation of the District are included on the statement of net position.

<u>Fund Financial Statements</u> - 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, and all nonmajor funds are aggregated into one column. The internal service fund is presented in a single column on the face of the proprietary fund statements.

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

Like the government-wide statements, the internal service fund is accounted for on a flow of economic resources measurement focus. All assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of this fund are included on the statement of fund net position. The statement of changes in fund net position presents increases (i.e., revenues) and decreases (i.e., 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 activity.

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 revenue of the District's internal service fund is charges for services. Operating expenses for internal service funds include claims and administrative expenses. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses.

### D. Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting determines when transactions are recorded in the financial records and reported on the financial statements. Government-wide financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Governmental funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting. Proprietary funds also use the accrual basis of accounting.

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

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

Nonexchange transactions, in which the District receives value without directly giving equal value in return, includes property taxes, income taxes, grants, entitlements and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied (See Note 6). Revenue from income taxes is recognized in the fiscal year in which the underlying exchange transaction occurred (See Note 7).

Revenue from grants, entitlements and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied. Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the year when the resources are required to be used or the fiscal year when use is first permitted, matching requirements, in which the District must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the District on a reimbursement basis. On a modified accrual basis, revenue from nonexchange transactions must also be available before it can be recognized.

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

<u>Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources</u> - In addition to assets, the government-wide statement of net position will report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. Deferred outflows of resources represent a consumption of net assets that applies to a future period and will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. See Notes 13 and 14 for deferred outflows of resources related to net pension liability and net OPEB liability/asset, respectively. In addition, deferred outflows of resources include a deferred charge on debt refunding. A deferred charge on refunding results from the difference in the carrying value of refunded debt and its reacquisition price. This amount is deferred and amortized over the shorter of the life of the refunded or refunding debt.

In addition to liabilities, both the government-wide statement of net position and the governmental fund financial statements report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. Deferred inflows of resources represent an acquisition of net assets that applies to a future period and will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. Deferred inflows of resources include property taxes, payments in lieu of taxes and unavailable revenue. Property taxes and payments in lieu of taxes represent amounts for which there is an enforceable legal claim as of June 30, 2023, but which were levied to finance fiscal year 2024 operations. These amounts have been recorded as a deferred inflow of resources on both the government-wide statement of net position and the governmental fund financial statements. Unavailable revenue is reported only on the governmental funds balance sheet, and represents receivables which will not be collected within the available period. Unavailable revenue includes, but is not limited to, delinquent property taxes, income taxes and intergovernmental grants. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period the amounts become available.

See Notes 13 and 14 for deferred inflows of resources related to net pension liability and net OPEB liability/asset, respectively. These deferred inflows of resources are only reported on the government-wide statement of net position.

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

<u>Expenses/Expenditures</u> - On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred. The entitlement value of donated commodities used during the year is reported in the statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances as an expenditure with a like amount reported as intergovernmental revenue.

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

### E. Budgets

The budgetary process is prescribed by provisions of the Ohio Revised Code and entails the preparation of budgetary documents within an established timetable. The major documents prepared are the tax budget, the certificate of estimated resources, and the appropriation resolution, all of which are prepared on the budgetary basis of accounting. The certificate of estimated resources and the appropriations resolution are subject to amendment throughout the year with the legal restriction that appropriations cannot exceed estimated resources, as certified. All funds are legally required to be budgeted and appropriated. The legal level of budgetary control is at the fund level for all funds. Although the legal level of budgetary control was established at the fund level of expenditures, the District has elected to present budgetary statement comparisons at the fund and function level of expenditures. Any budgetary modifications at these levels may only be made by resolution of the Board of Education.

### Tax Budget:

Prior to January 15, the Superintendent and Treasurer submit to the Board of Education a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing the following July 1. The budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing for all funds. Public hearings are publicized and conducted to obtain taxpayers' comments. The purpose of this budget document is to reflect the need for existing (or increased) tax rates. By no later than January 20, the Board-adopted budget is filed with the Wood County Budget Commission for rate determination. The Wood County Budget Commission waived the tax budget filing requirement for fiscal year 2023.

## **Estimated Resources:**

By 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 revise its budget so that total contemplated expenditures from any fund during the ensuing year will not exceed the amount stated in the certificate of estimated resources. The revised budget then serves as the basis for the appropriation measure. On or about July 1, the certificate is amended to include any unencumbered cash balances from the preceding year. 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 statements reflect the amounts in the original and final amended certificate of estimated resources issued during the fiscal year.

### Appropriations:

Upon receipt from the County Auditor of an amended certificate of estimated resources based on final assessed values and tax rates or a certificate saying no new certificate is necessary, the annual appropriation resolution is enacted by the Board of Education. Prior to the passage of the annual appropriation measure, the Board may pass a temporary appropriation measure to meet the ordinary expenses of the District. The appropriation resolution, by fund, must be within the estimated resources as certified by the County Budget Commission and the total of expenditures may not exceed the appropriation totals at the fund level which is the legal level of control. Any revisions that alter appropriations at the fund level must be approved by the Board of Education.

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

The Board may pass supplemental fund appropriations so long as the total appropriations by fund do not exceed the amounts set forth in the most recent certificate of estimated resources. During the year, all supplemental appropriations were legally enacted.

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

### F. Cash and Investments

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

During fiscal year 2023, investments were limited to federal agency securities, commercial paper, U.S. Treasury notes, a U.S. Government money market and the State Treasury Asset Reserve of Ohio (STAR Ohio). Investments are reported at fair value, which is based on quoted market prices.

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 has adopted Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB), Statement No. 79, "Certain External Investment Pools and Pool Participants." The District measures their investment in STAR Ohio at the net asset value (NAV) per share provided by STAR Ohio. The NAV per share is calculated on an amortized cost basis that provides an NAV per share that approximates fair value.

There were no limitations or restrictions on any participant withdrawals due to redemption notice periods, liquidity fees, or redemption gates. However, 24-hour notice in advance of all deposits and withdrawals exceeding \$100 million is encouraged. STAR Ohio reserves the right to limit the transaction to \$250 million, requiring the excess amount to be transacted the following business day(s), but only to the \$250 million limit. All accounts of the participant will be combined for these purposes.

Under existing Ohio statutes all investment earnings are assigned to the general fund unless statutorily required to be credited to a specific fund or the Board of Education has, by resolution, specified the funds to receive an allocation of interest earnings. Interest revenue credited to the general fund during fiscal year 2023 amounted to \$1,219,652, which includes \$679,520 assigned from other District funds.

For presentation on the basic financial statements, investments of the cash management pool and investments with original maturities of three months or less at the time they are purchased by the District are considered to be cash equivalents.

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

### G. Inventory

On government-wide and fund financial statements, purchased inventories are presented at the lower of cost or market and donated commodities are presented at their entitlement value. Inventories are recorded on a first-in, first-out basis and are expensed when used. Inventories are accounted for using the consumption method.

Inventory consists of expendable supplies held for consumption, donated food and purchased food.

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

### H. Prepaids

Certain payments to vendors reflect the costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items in both government-wide and fund financial statements. These items are reported as assets on the financial statements using the consumption method. A current asset for the prepaid amounts is recorded at the time of the purchase and the expenditure/expense is reported in the year in which services are consumed.

## I. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant and equipment, are reported in the government-wide financial statements. During fiscal year 2023, the District increased its capitalization threshold from \$2,500 to \$5,000 for its capital assets. In addition, a capital asset must have an estimated useful life greater than one year. All capital assets are capitalized at cost or estimated historical cost where no historical records exist. Donated capital assets are recorded at their acquisition values as of the date received. The District does not possess any infrastructure. Improvements are capitalized; the costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend an asset's life are not capitalized.

When capital assets are purchased, they are capitalized and depreciated in the government-wide statements and the proprietary fund statements. Capital assets are reported as expenditures of the current period in the governmental fund financial statements.

All reported capital assets except land and construction in progress are depreciated. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

	Governmental
	Activities
<u>Description</u>	Estimated Lives
I 1 :	20
Land improvements	20 years
Buildings and improvements	20 - 50 years
Furniture and equipment	5 - 20 years
Vehicles	8 - 10 years

## J. Interfund Balances

On fund financial statements, receivables and payables resulting from cash deficits among the governmental activities are classified as amounts "due to/from other funds". These amounts are eliminated in the governmental activities column on the statement of net position.

### **K.** Compensated Absences

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

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

In accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement No. 16, "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. An accrual for earned sick leave is made to the extent that it is probable that the benefits will result in termination (severance) payments. A liability for sick leave 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.

For purposes of establishing a liability for sick leave on employees expected to become eligible to retire in the future, all employees age fifty or greater with at least ten years of service or any employee with fifteen years of service were considered expected to become eligible to retire in accordance with GASB Statement No. 16.

The total liability for vacation and sick leave payments has been calculated using pay rates in effect at June 30, 2023 and reduced to the maximum payment allowed by labor contract and/or statute, plus any additional salary related payments.

The entire compensated absence liability is reported on the government-wide financial statements.

For governmental fund financial statements, the current portion of unpaid compensated absences is the amount expected to be paid using expendable available resources. These amounts are recorded in the account "compensated absences payable" in the fund from which the employees who have accumulated unpaid leave are paid. The noncurrent portion of the liability is not reported.

## L. Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Obligations

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

In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, is paid in a timely manner and, in full from current financial resources is reported as obligations of the funds. However, claims and judgments and compensated absences that will be paid from governmental funds are reported as a liability in the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are due for payment during the current year. Net pension/OPEB liability should be recognized in the governmental funds to the extent that benefit payments are due and payable and the pension/OPEB plan's fiduciary net position is not sufficient for payment of those benefits. Bonds, financed purchase agreements and notes are recognized as a liability on the fund financial statements when due.

## M. Fund Balance

Fund balance is divided into five classifications based primarily on the extent to which the District is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources in the governmental funds. The classifications are as follows:

<u>Nonspendable</u> - The nonspendable fund balance classification includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are not in spendable form or legally required to be maintained intact. The "not in spendable form" criterion includes items that are not expected to be converted to cash.

<u>Restricted</u> - Fund balance is reported as restricted when constraints are placed on the use of resources that are either externally imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments, or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

<u>Committed</u> - The committed fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes imposed by a formal action (resolution) of the District Board of Education (the highest level of decision making authority). Those committed amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the District Board of Education removes or changes the specified use by taking the same type of action (resolution) it employed to previously commit those amounts. Committed fund balance also incorporates contractual obligations to the extent that existing resources in the fund have been specifically committed for use in satisfying those contractual requirements.

<u>Assigned</u> - Amounts in the assigned fund balance classification are intended to be used by the District for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted nor committed. In governmental funds other than the general fund, assigned fund balance represents the remaining amount that is not restricted or committed. In the general fund, assigned amounts represent intended uses established by policies of the District Board of Education, which includes giving the Treasurer the authority to constrain monies for intended purposes.

<u>Unassigned</u> - Unassigned fund balance is the residual classification for the general fund and includes all spendable amounts not contained in the other classifications. In other governmental funds, the unassigned classification is only used to report a deficit fund balance resulting from overspending for specific purposes for which amounts had been restricted, committed, or assigned.

The District applies restricted resources first when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which restricted and unrestricted (committed, assigned, and unassigned) fund balance is available. Similarly, within unrestricted fund balance, committed amounts are reduced first followed by assigned, and then unassigned amounts when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used.

### N. Restricted Assets

Assets are reported as restricted assets when limitations on their use change the normal understanding of the availability of the asset. Such constraints are either imposed by creditors, contributors, grantors, or laws of other governments or imposed by enabling legislation. Restricted assets include amounts for school bus purchases. See Note 17 for details.

### O. Net Position

Net position represents the difference between assets and deferred outflows and liabilities and deferred inflows. The net position component "net investment in capital assets," consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowing used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources that are attributable to the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets or related debt also should be included in this component of net position. Net position is reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on its use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the District or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments. The amount restricted for other purposes represents amounts restricted for education foundation and other grants.

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

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

### P. Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America 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.

### O. Parochial School

The St. Rose School, a parochial school located within the District boundaries operated through the Toledo Catholic Archdiocese. Current State legislation provides funding to this parochial school, which is received and disbursed on behalf of the parochial school by the Treasurer of the District, as directed by the parochial school. The administration of the State monies by the District is reflected in a special revenue fund for financial reporting purposes.

### R. Unamortized Bond Premium and Deferred Charges on Refunding

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. A reconciliation between the bonds face value and the amount reported on the statement of net position is presented in Note 10.

For advance refundings resulting in the defeasance of debt, the difference between the reacquisition price and the net carrying amount of the old debt is deferred and amortized as a component of interest expense. This accounting gain or loss is amortized over the remaining life of the old debt or the life of the new debt, whichever is shorter and is presented as a deferred outflow or inflow of resources on the statement of net position.

### S. Extraordinary and Special Items

Extraordinary items are transactions or events that are both unusual in nature and infrequent in occurrence. Special items are transactions or events that are within the control of the Board of Education and that are either unusual in nature or infrequent in occurrence. Neither type of transaction occurred during fiscal year 2023.

## T. Interfund Activity

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

Interfund activities between governmental funds are eliminated in the statement of activities.

### **U.** Pensions/Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB)

For purposes of measuring the net pension/OPEB liability, net OPEB asset, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related pensions/OPEB, and pension/OPEB expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the pension/OPEB plans and additions to/deductions from their fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the pension/OPEB plan. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. The pension/OPEB plans report investments at fair value.

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

### V. Fair Value

The District categorizes its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs; Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs.

### NOTE 3 - ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE

### A. Change in Accounting Principles

For fiscal year 2023, the District has implemented GASB Statement No. 91, "<u>Conduit Debt Obligations</u>", GASB Statement No. 94, "<u>Public-Private and Public-Public Partnerships and Availability Payment Arrangements</u>", GASB Statement No. 96, "<u>Subscription Based Information Technology Arrangements</u>", certain questions and answers of GASB Implementation Guide 2021-1 and certain paragraphs of GASB Statement No. 99, "<u>Omnibus 2022</u>".

GASB Statement No. 91 provides a single method of reporting conduit debt obligations by issuers and eliminate diversity in practice associated with (1) commitments extended by issuers, (2) arrangements associated with conduit debt obligations, and (3) related note disclosures. This Statement achieves those objectives by clarifying the existing definition of a conduit debt obligation; establishing that a conduit debt obligation is not a liability of the issuer; establishing standards for accounting and financial reporting of additional commitments and voluntary commitments extended by issuers and arrangements associated with conduit debt obligations; and improving required note disclosures. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 91 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the District.

GASB Statement No. 94 is to improve financial reporting by addressing issues related to public-private and public partnership arrangements (PPPs). As used in this Statement, a PPP is an arrangement in which a government (the transferor) contracts with an operator (a governmental or nongovernmental entity) to provide public services by conveying control of the right to operate or use a nonfinancial asset, such as infrastructure or other capital asset (the underlying PPP asset), for a period of time in an exchange or exchange-like transaction. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 94 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the District.

GASB Statement No. 96 provides guidance on the accounting and financial reporting for subscription-based information technology arrangements (SBITAs) for government end users (governments). This Statement (1) defines a SBITA; (2) establishes that a SBITA results in a right-to-use subscription asset—an intangible asset—and a corresponding subscription liability; (3) provides the capitalization criteria for outlays other than subscription payments, including implementation costs of a SBITA; and (4) requires note disclosures regarding a SBITA. To the extent relevant, the standards for SBITAs are based on the standards established in Statement No. 87, Leases, as amended. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 96 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the District.

GASB Implementation Guide 2021-1 provides clarification on issues related to previously established GASB guidance. The implementation of GASB Implementation Guide 2021-1 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the District.

GASB Statement No. 99 to enhance comparability in accounting and financial reporting and to improve the consistency of authoritative literature by addressing (1) practice issues that have been identified during implementation and application of certain GASB Statements and (2) accounting and financial reporting for financial guarantees. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 99 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the District.

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 3 - ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE - (Continued)

### **B.** Deficit Fund Balances

Fund balances at June 30, 2023 included the following individual fund deficits:

Nonmajor funds	<b>Deficit</b>
Student wellness and success	\$ 2,045
ESSER	99,798
Title VI-B	109,385
IDEA handicapped preschool	2,689

The general fund is liable for any deficit in these funds and provides transfers when cash is required, not when accruals occur. The deficit fund balances resulted from adjustments for accrued liabilities.

### **NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS**

State statutes classify monies held by the District into three categories.

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

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 deposits must be evidenced by time certificates of deposit maturing not more than one year from the date of deposit or by savings or deposit accounts including passbook accounts.

Interim monies may 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 and 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, and Government National Mortgage 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 fair 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, and with certain limitations including a requirement for maturity within ten years from the date of settlement, bonds and other obligations of political subdivisions of the State of Ohio, if training requirements have been met;
- 5. Time certificates of deposit or savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to, passbook accounts;

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

### NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - (Continued)

- 6. No-load money market mutual funds consisting exclusively of obligations described in items (1) and (2) above and repurchase agreements secured by such obligations, provided that investments in securities described in this division are made only through eligible institutions;
- 7. The State Treasurer's investment pool, the State Treasury Asset Reserve of Ohio (STAR Ohio); and,
- 8. Certain banker's acceptances (for a period not to exceed one hundred eighty days) and commercial paper notes (for a period not to exceed two hundred seventy days) in an amount not to exceed 40 percent of the interim monies available for investment at any one time if training requirements have been met.

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, or by the financial institutions participation in the Ohio Pooled Collateral System (OPCS), a collateral pool of eligible securities deposited with a qualified trustee and pledged to the Treasurer of State to secure the repayment of all public monies deposited in the financial institution.

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. Except as noted above, 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. Investments may only be made through specified dealers and institutions. Payment for investments may be made only upon delivery of the securities representing the investments to the Treasurer or, if the securities are not represented by a certificate, upon receipt of confirmation of transfer from the custodian.

## A. Cash on Hand

At fiscal year end, the District had \$20,435 in undeposited cash on hand which is included on the financial statements of the District as part of "equity in pooled cash and investments".

### **B.** Deposits with Financial Institutions

At June 30, 2023, the carrying amount of all District deposits was \$5,941,730. Based on the criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, "<u>Deposits and Investment Risk Disclosures</u>", as of June 30, 2023, \$1,994,165 of the District's bank balance of \$6,369,839 was exposed to custodial risk as discussed below, while \$4,375,674 was covered by the FDIC.

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of bank failure, the District will not be able to recover deposits or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The District has no deposit policy for custodial credit risk beyond the requirements of State statute. Ohio law requires that deposits either be insured or protected by (1) eligible securities pledged to the District's and deposited with a qualified trustee by the financial institution as security for repayment whose fair value at all times shall be at least 105 percent of the deposits being secured, or (2) participation in the Ohio Pooled Collateral System (OPCS), a collateral pool of eligible securities deposited with a qualified trustee and pledged to the Treasurer of State to secure the repayment of all public monies deposited in the financial institution. OPCS requires the total fair value of the securities pledged to be 102 percent of the deposits being secured or a rate set by the Treasurer of State. For fiscal year 2023, the District's financial institutions were approved for a reduced collateral rate of 50 percent through the OPCS. Although all statutory requirements for the deposit of money had been followed, noncompliance with Federal requirements could potentially subject the District to a successful claim by the FDIC.

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

### NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - (Continued)

#### C. Investments

			Investment maturities								
Measurement/	N	<b>l</b> easurement	6	months or		7 to 12		13 to 18	19 to 24	Gı	reater than
<u>Investment type</u>		value		less		months		months	months	2	4 months
Fair value:											
U.S. Treasury notes	\$	985,218	\$	-	\$	437,403	\$	-	\$ 211,913	\$	335,902
Commercial paper		2,781,384		1,680,123		1,101,261		-	-		-
U.S. Government											
money market		346,170		346,170		-		-	-		-
FHLB		1,906,069		-		639,501		499,602	766,966		-
FFCB		99,199		-		-		-	-		99,199
Net asset value per share:											
STAR Ohio		25,068,069	_	25,068,069		-		-	 -		
	\$	31,186,109	\$	27,094,362	\$	2,178,165	\$	499,602	\$ 978,879	\$	435,101

The weighted average maturity of investments is 0.18 years.

The District's investments in U.S. Government money market mutual funds are valued using quoted market prices in active markets (Level 1 inputs). The District's investments in federal agency securities, commercial paper and U.S. Treasury notes are valued using quoted prices in markets that are not considered to be active, dealer quotations or alternative pricing sources for similar assets or liabilities for which all significant inputs are observable, either directly or indirectly (Level 2 inputs).

Interest Rate Risk: Interest rate risk arises as potential purchasers of debt securities will not agree to pay face value for those securities if interest rates subsequently increase. As a means of limiting its exposure to fair value losses arising from rising interest rates and according to State law, the District's investment policy limits investment portfolio maturities to five years or less.

Credit Risk: STAR Ohio and the U.S. Government money market carry ratings of AAAm by Standard & Poor's. Ohio law requires that STAR Ohio maintain the highest rating provided by at least one nationally recognized standard service rating. The District's investments in commercial paper were rated P-1 by Moody's Investor Services and A-1 or A-1+ by Standard & Poor's. The District's investments in federal agency securities and U.S. Treasury notes were rated Aaa by Moody's Investor Services and AA+ by Standard and Poor's. The District's investment policy does not specifically address credit risk beyond requiring the District to only invest in securities authorized by State statute.

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 investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The District's commercial paper, U.S. Treasury notes and federal agency securities are exposed to custodial credit risk in that they are uninsured, unregistered, and held by the counterparty's trust department or agent, but not in the District's name. The District has no investment policy dealing with investment custodial risk beyond the requirements of State statute.

# NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## **NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - (Continued)**

Concentration of Credit Risk: The District places no limit on the amount that may be invested in any one issuer. The following table includes the percentage of each investment type held by the District at June 30, 2023:

Measurement/	M	easurement	
<u>Investment type</u>		value	% of Total
Fair value:			
U.S. Treasury notes	\$	985,218	3.16
Commercial paper		2,781,384	8.92
U.S. Government			
money market		346,170	1.11
FHLB		1,906,069	6.11
FFCB		99,199	0.32
Net asset value per share:			
STAR Ohio		25,068,069	80.38
	\$	31,186,109	100.00

### D. Reconciliation of Cash and Investments to the Statement of Net Position

The following is a reconciliation of cash and investments as reported in the note above to cash and cash equivalents as reported on the statement of net position as of June 30, 2023:

Cash and investments per note	
Carrying amount of deposits	\$ 5,941,730
Investments	31,186,109
Cash on hand	20,435
Total	\$ 37,148,274

Cash and cash equivalents per statement of net position

Governmental activities \$ 37,148,274

## **NOTE 5 - INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS**

**A.** Interfund balances at June 30, 2023, as reported on the fund statements, consist of the following amounts due to and due from other funds:

Due to	Due from	 Amount
General fund	Nonmajor governmental funds	\$ 197,666

The purpose of the amount due to/from other funds is to cover negative cash balances in the nonmajor governmental funds. The interfund balance will be repaid once the anticipated revenues are received and is expected to be repaid within one year.

Interfund balances between governmental funds are eliminated on the statement of net position.

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## **NOTE 5 - INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS - (Continued)**

**B.** Interfund transfers for the year ended June 30, 2023, consisted of the following, as reported on the fund financial statements:

<u>Transfers from nonmajor governmental funds to:</u>
Nonmajor governmental funds

September 1

Amount

September 2

Amount

September 3

Amount

Nonmajor governmental funds

September 3

Amount

September 3

Amount

Nonmajor governmental funds

Transfers are used to move revenues from the fund that statute or budget required to collect them to the fund that statute or budget requires to expend them and to use unrestricted revenues collected in the general fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations.

The transfers reported in fiscal year 2023 were made from the education foundation fund (a nonmajor governmental fund) to the following nonmajor governmental funds: student managed activities fund, district managed activities fund, and the permanent improvement fund. The transfers were made to move donations made to the education foundation to the funds that will expend the donations.

All transfers made in fiscal year 2023 were in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Sections 5705.14, 5705.15 and 5705.16. Transfers between governmental funds are eliminated for reporting on the government-wide financial statements.

### **NOTE 6 - PROPERTY TAXES**

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

Property taxes include amounts levied against all real property and public utility property. Real property tax revenues received in calendar year 2023 represent the collection of calendar year 2022 taxes. Real property taxes received in calendar year 2023 were levied after April 1, 2022, on the assessed values as of January 1, 2022, the lien date. Assessed values for real property taxes are established by State statute at 35 percent of appraised fair value. Real property taxes are payable annually or semiannually. If paid annually, payment is due December 31; if paid semiannually, the first payment is due December 31, with the remainder payable by June 20. Under certain circumstances, State statute permits alternate payment dates to be established. Public utility property tax revenues received in calendar year 2023 represent the collection of calendar year 2022 taxes. Public utility real and personal property taxes received in calendar year 2023 became a lien on December 31, 2021, were levied after April 1, 2022, and are collected with real property taxes. Public utility real property is assessed at 35 percent of true value; public utility tangible personal property is currently assessed at varying percentages of true value.

The District receives property taxes from Wood County. The County Auditor periodically advances to the District its portion of the taxes collected. Second-half real property tax payments collected by the County by June 30, 2023, are available to finance fiscal year 2023 operations. The amount available as an advance at June 30, 2023 was \$7,353,022 in the general fund, \$566,515 in the debt service fund, a nonmajor governmental fund, and \$323,354 in the permanent improvement fund, a nonmajor governmental fund. This amount is recorded as revenue. The amount available for advance at June 30, 2022 was \$6,464,779 in the general fund, \$585,891 in the debt service fund, a nonmajor governmental fund, and \$293,934 in the permanent improvement fund, a nonmajor governmental fund. The amount of second-half real property taxes available for advance at fiscal year-end can vary based on the date the tax bills are sent.

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## **NOTE 6 - PROPERTY TAXES - (Continued)**

Accrued property taxes receivable includes real property, public utility property and delinquent tangible personal property taxes which are measurable as of June 30, 2023 and for which there is an enforceable legal claim. Although total property tax collections for the next fiscal year are measurable, only the amount of real property taxes available as an advance at June 30 was levied to finance current fiscal year operations and is reported as revenue at fiscal year-end. The portion of the receivable not levied to finance current fiscal year operations is offset by a credit to deferred inflows.

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

The assessed values upon which the fiscal year 2023 taxes were collected are:

		2022 Second Half Collections			2023 First Half Collection	-	
	_	Amount	<u>Percent</u>	_	Amount	<u>Percent</u>	
Agricultural/residential and other real estate Public utility personal	\$	1,060,746,010 40,694,030	96.31 3.69	\$	1,083,602,930 41,663,350	96.30 3.70	
Total	\$	1,101,440,040	100.00	\$	1,125,266,280	100.00	
Tax rate per \$1,000 of assessed valuation	\$	77.27		\$	77.71		

### **NOTE 7 - INCOME TAXES**

In 1991, the voters of the District passed a .5% school income tax on wages earned by residents of the District. Taxpayers are required to file an annual return. The State makes quarterly distributions to the District after withholding amounts for administrative fees and estimated refunds. Income tax revenue is credited to the general fund and totaled \$9,746,337 on the governmental fund financial statements during fiscal year 2023.

### **NOTE 8 - RECEIVABLES**

Receivables at June 30, 2023 consisted of property taxes, school district income taxes, accrued interest, payments in lieu of taxes, accounts (billings for user charged services and student fees) and intergovernmental grants and entitlements. All receivables are considered collectible in full due to the ability to foreclose for the nonpayment of taxes, the stable condition of state programs and the current year guarantee of federal funds. A summary of the principal items of receivables reported on the statement of net position follows:

### **Governmental activities:**

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Property taxes	\$ 54,172,576
School district income tax	4,338,563
Payments in lieu of taxes	405,376
Intergovernmental	885,269
Accrued interest	22,939
Accounts	8,120
Total	\$ 59,832,843

Receivables have been disaggregated on the face of the financial statements. All receivables are expected to be collected in the subsequent year.

# NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## **NOTE 9 - CAPITAL ASSETS**

Capital asset activity for fiscal year 2023 is as follows:

	Balance	A 11%	D. I. di	Balance
Governmental activities:	June 30, 2022	Additions	Deductions	June 30, 2023
Capital assets, not being depreciated: Land	\$ 4.370.152	\$ -	¢	\$ 4.370,152
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Construction in progress	282,179	04,000	(346,185)	
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	4,652,331	64,006	(346,185)	4,370,152
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Land improvements	8,734,381	-	(74,243)	8,660,138
Buildings and improvements	121,000,027	1,218,306	(165,487)	122,052,846
Furniture and equipment	10,148,741	1,189,630	(1,665,113)	9,673,258
Vehicles	4,446,774	572,918	(290,050)	4,729,642
Total capital assets, being depreciated	144,329,923	2,980,854	(2,194,893)	145,115,884
Less: accumulated depreciation:				
Land improvements	(7,044,560)	(174,223)	71,590	(7,147,193)
Buildings and improvements	(60,902,252)	(4,421,944)	134,554	(65,189,642)
Furniture and equipment	(7,879,821)	(638,784)	1,387,903	(7,130,702)
Vehicles	(2,564,916)	(354,182)	267,943	(2,651,155)
Total accumulated depreciation	(78,391,549)	(5,589,133)	1,861,990	(82,118,692)
Depreciable capital assets, net	65,938,374	(2,608,279)	(332,903)	62,997,192
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$ 70,590,705	\$ (2,544,273)	\$ (679,088)	\$ 67,367,344

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# NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## **NOTE 9 - CAPITAL ASSETS - (Continued)**

Depreciation expense was charged to governmental functions as follows:

<u>Instruction</u> :		
Regular	\$	2,630,129
Special		495,412
Vocational		2,298
Other		19,837
Support services:		
Pupil		431,779
Instructional staff		87,051
Board of education		1,646
Administration		388,475
Fiscal		54,111
Business		14,119
Operations and maintenance		666,125
Pupil transportation		469,351
Central		100,207
Operation of non-instructional services:		
Food service operations		107,016
Other non-instructional services		724
Extracurricular activities	_	120,853
Total depreciation expense	\$	5,589,133

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## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

### **NOTE 10 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS**

**A.** The changes in the District's long-term obligations during the year consist of the following:

	Balance Outstanding June 30, 2022	Additions	Reductions	Balance Outstanding June 30, 2023	Amounts Due in One Year
Governmental activities:					
General obligation bonds:					
2015 school improvement bonds	\$ 20,585,000	\$ -	\$ (360,000)	\$ 20,225,000	\$ 265,000
2016 refunding bonds	8,590,000	-	(1,820,000)	6,770,000	2,125,000
2022 refunding bonds:					
Current interest bonds	14,930,000	-	-	14,930,000	-
Capital appreciation bonds	504,627	-	(266,920)	237,707	102,197
Accreted interest	65,180	319,858	(138,080)	246,958	106,173
Total 2022 refunding bonds	15,499,807	319,858	(405,000)	15,414,665	208,370
Total general obligation					
bonds payable	44,674,807	319,858	(2,585,000)	42,409,665	2,598,370
Other long-term obligations:					
Financed purchase agreements	866,869	3,752,000	(405,490)	4,213,379	227,516
Energy conservation note	1,991,620	-	(281,487)	1,710,133	290,138
Net pension liability	39,954,706	29,501,135	-	69,455,841	-
Net OPEB liability	4,139,487	-	(808,193)	3,331,294	-
Compensated absences	4,822,048	1,003,930	(368,906)	5,457,072	468,142
Total other long-term obligations	51,774,730	34,257,065	(1,864,076)	84,167,719	985,796
Total long-term obligations					
governmental activities	\$ 96,449,537	\$ 34,576,923	<u>\$ (4,449,076)</u>	126,577,384	\$ 3,584,166
Unamortized premium on bonds				2,744,487	
Total on statement of net position				\$ 129,321,871	

<u>Series 2015 general obligation bonds</u>: On March 25, 2015, the District issued \$38,900,000 of general obligation bonds for the purpose of constructing, removating, remodeling, adding to, furnishing, equipping and otherwise improving District buildings and facilities and acquiring, improving and equipping real estate and interests for District purposes. The issue is made up of serial and term bonds, bears interest rates ranging from 2.00-5.00% and matures on December 1, 2043.

On March 17, 2022, the District issued \$15,434,627 (series 2022 refunding bonds) to advance refund a portion of the bonds. This refunded debt is considered defeased (in-substance) and accordingly, has been removed from the statement of net position.

<u>Series 2016 refunding general obligation bonds</u>: - On September 6, 2016, the District issued 2016 refunding general obligation bonds to currently refund the District's 2006 and 2007 advance refunding general obligation bonds. The issuance proceeds of \$16,929,574 were used to purchase securities which were placed in an irrevocable trust to provide resources for all future debt service payments on the refunded debt. This refunded debt is considered defeased (in-substance) and, accordingly, has been removed from the statement of net position.

The issue is comprised of current interest refunding bonds, par value \$14,690,000. The interest rate on the current interest refunding bonds ranges from 1.5 - 5.0% with interest payments due on June 1 and December 1 of each year until final maturity at December 1, 2025.

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

### **NOTE 10 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS - (Continued)**

The reacquisition price exceeded the net carrying amount of the old debt by \$304,344. This amount is being netted against the new debt and amortized over the remaining life of the refunded debt.

<u>Series 2022 refunding bonds</u> - On March 17, 2022, the District issued general obligation bonds (series 2022 refunding bonds) to advance refund a portion of the series 2015 current interest general obligation bonds. The issuance proceeds of \$17,136,048 were used to purchase securities which were placed in an irrevocable trust to provide resources for all future debt service payments on the refunded debt. This refunded debt is considered defeased (in-substance) and accordingly, has been removed from the statement of net position. The principal balance outstanding of the defeased bonds was \$15,445,000 at June 30, 2023.

The refunding issue is comprised of both current interest bonds, par value \$14,930,000, and capital appreciation bonds, par value \$504,627. The interest rate on the current interest bonds ranges from 2.25-3.35%. The capital appreciation bonds mature on December 1 of the years 2022-2027 (approximate initial offering yield to maturity range 1.30% - 2.60%) at a redemption price equal to 100% of the principal, plus accrued interest to the redemption date. The accreted value at maturity for the capital appreciation bonds is \$2,405,000. A total of \$246,958 in accreted interest on the capital appreciation bonds has been included on the statement of net position at June 30, 2023.

The reacquisition price exceeded the net carrying amount of the old debt by \$936,420. This amount is being netted against the new debt and amortized over the remaining life of the refunded debt.

Interest payments on the current interest bonds are due December 1 and June 1 each year. The final maturity stated on the issue is December 1, 2038.

All general obligation bonds are paid from the debt service fund, a nonmajor governmental fund.

<u>Energy conservation note</u>: On September 19, 2013, the District issued \$4,069,476 in energy conservation notes for energy improvements to all existing buildings. The notes were issued for a fifteen-year period, with final maturity in fiscal year 2029. The notes bear an interest rate of 3.0499% and are retired through the general fund.

<u>Financed purchase agreements</u>: The District entered into two financed purchase agreements for school buses and one to finance energy saving improvements.

<u>Fiscal year 2018 agreement</u>: On July 15, 2017, the District entered into a financing agreement with De Lage Landen Public Finance LLC for \$1,060,807 to purchase twelve school buses. The agreement bears an interest rate of 2.83% with final maturity on July 15, 2022. Principal and interest paid for fiscal year 2023 was \$184,150 and \$5,211, respectively. Each year, half of the payment is paid from the general fund and half from the permanent improvement fund, a nonmajor governmental fund.

<u>Fiscal year 2020 agreement</u>: On December 20, 2019, the District entered into a financing agreement with Huntington Public Capital Corporation for \$1,107,540 to purchase twelve school buses. The agreement bears an interest rate of 2.79% with final maturity on December 12, 2024. Principal and interest paid for fiscal year 2023 was \$221,340 and \$19,048, respectively. The payment is paid from the general fund.

<u>Fiscal year 2023 agreement</u>: On June 21, 2019, the District entered into a financing agreement with TD Equipment Finance, Inc. for \$3,752,000 to finance energy saving improvements. The agreement bears an interest rate of 3.67% with final maturity on December 1, 2033. No principal and interest was paid for fiscal year 2023. The first payment is due on June 1, 2024. The payments will be paid from the general fund, commodore fund (a nonmajor governmental fund) and permanent improvement fund (nonmajor governmental fund). At fiscal year-end, \$2,878,343 of the proceeds of this agreement were unspent.

# NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## **NOTE 10 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS - (Continued)**

These agreements are considered direct borrowings with terms negotiated between the District and the financing companies and are not offered for public sale. In the event of default, the financing companies may (1) declare the full amount of the then unpaid loan to be immediately due and payable and/or require the District to pay any fines, penalties, interest or late charges associated with the default or (2) take possession of the buses without demand or notice.

<u>Compensated absences</u>: Compensated absences will be paid from the fund from which the employees' salaries are paid. Compensated absences will be paid from the general fund and the food service fund, a nonmajor governmental fund.

Net pension liability: A discussion of the District's net pension liability is located in Note 13.

Net OPEB liability: A discussion of the District's net OPEB liability is located in Note 14.

**B.** Principal and interest requirements to retire the long-term obligations outstanding at June 30, 2023, are as follows:

Fiscal	2015 Scl	hool Improveme	ent Bonds	2016 Refunding Bonds				
Year Ended	Principal	Interest	Total	Principal	Interest	Total		
2024	\$ 265,000	\$ 737,106	\$ 1,002,106	\$ 2,125,000 \$	261,875	\$ 2,386,875		
2025	295,000	730,106	1,025,106	2,295,000	151,375	2,446,375		
2026	355,000	719,319	1,074,319	2,350,000	47,000	2,397,000		
2027	1,255,000	687,719	1,942,719	-	-	-		
2028	-	663,219	663,219	-	-	-		
2029 - 2033	1,645,000	3,288,335	4,933,335	-	-	-		
2034 - 2038	3,520,000	2,546,750	6,066,750	-	-	-		
2039 - 2043	10,115,000	1,685,906	11,800,906	-	-	-		
2044	2,805,000	52,593	2,857,593	<u> </u>	_			
Total	\$ 20,255,000	\$ 11,111,053	\$ 31,366,053	\$ 6,770,000 \$	460,250	\$ 7,230,250		

2022	Refund	ling I	3onds
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Fiscal	Cui	Current Interest Bonds Capital Appreciation Bo				
Year Ended	Principal	Interest	Total	Principal	Interest	Total
2024	\$ -	\$ 417,448	\$ 417,448	\$ 102,197	\$ 177,803	\$ 280,000
2025	-	417,447	417,447	56,599	223,401	280,000
2026	-	417,448	417,448	31,343	248,657	280,000
2027	-	417,447	417,447	17,357	262,643	280,000
2028	700,000	409,573	1,109,573	30,211	849,789	880,000
2029 - 2033	6,925,000	1,519,998	8,444,998	-	-	-
2034 - 2038	6,860,000	812,735	7,672,735	-	-	-
2039	445,000	7,453	452,453			<u>-</u>
Total	\$ 14,930,000	\$ 4,419,549	\$ 19,349,549	\$ 237,707	\$ 1,762,293	\$ 2,000,000

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## **NOTE 10 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS - (Continued)**

Direct Borrowings												
Fiscal		Finance	d Pu	ırchase Agr	een	nents		Ener	gy C	onservation	No	ote
Year Ended	<u>I</u>	Principal		Interest	_	Total	_	Principal_		Interest_	_	Total
2024	\$	227,516	\$	142,921	\$	370,437	\$	290,138	\$	49,962	\$	340,100
2025		496,863		139,397		636,260		299,054		41,046		340,100
2026		334,000		121,917		455,917		308,245		31,855		340,100
2027		347,000		109,421		456,421		317,718		22,382		340,100
2028		359,000		96,466		455,466		327,482		12,618		340,100
2029 - 2033		2,003,000		270,938		2,273,938		167,496		2,554		170,050
2034		446,000		8,184	_	454,184		_		<u>-</u>		-
Total	\$	4,213,379	\$	889,244	\$	5,102,623	\$	1,710,133	\$	160,417	\$	1,870,550

## C. Legal Debt Margin

The Ohio Revised Code provides that voted net general obligation debt of the District shall never exceed 9% of the total assessed valuation of the District. The code further provides that unvoted indebtedness shall not exceed 1/10 of 1% of the property valuation of the District. The code additionally states that unvoted indebtedness related to energy conservation debt shall not exceed 9/10 of 1% of the property valuation of the District. The assessed valuation used in determining the District's legal debt margin has been modified by House Bill 530 which became effective March 30, 2006. In accordance with House Bill 530, the assessed valuation used in the District's legal debt margin calculation excluded tangible personal property used in business, telephone or telegraph property, interexchange telecommunications company property, and personal property owned or leased by a railroad company and used in railroad operations. The effects of these debt limitations at June 30, 2023, are a voted debt margin of \$61,469,295 (including available funds of \$2,358,037) and an unvoted debt margin of \$1,125,266.

### **NOTE 11 - COMPENSATED ABSENCES**

The criteria for determining vacation and sick leave components are derived from negotiated agreements and State laws. Classified employees, with one or more years of service, earn ten to twenty days of vacation per fiscal year, depending upon length of service. Accumulated, unused vacation time is paid to classified employees and administrators upon termination of employment. Teachers do not earn vacation time.

All employees are entitled to a sick leave credit equal to one and one-quarter days for each month of service. Sick leave will either be absorbed by time off due to illness or injury or, within certain limitations, be paid to the employee upon retirement. The amount paid to an employee upon retirement varies by classification. Certified and non-certified staff entitled to receive four days per year for each of the last ten years of District service. In addition, if the teacher completes their last six years of service with the maximum accumulated sick leave balance, they will receive an additional six days of severance.

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

### **NOTE 12 - RISK MANAGEMENT**

### A. Comprehensive

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets, errors and omissions; and natural disasters for which the District maintains comprehensive insurance with private carriers for real property, building contents, vehicles and general liability insurance. Vehicle policies include liability coverage for bodily injury and property damage. Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the past three years. There has been no significant change in coverage from last year.

## B. Workers' Compensation Rating Program

The District participates in the Bureau of Worker's Compensation retrospective rating program. The District hired David Kaderavek of Kaderavek LP, LLC of Perrysburg, Ohio to serve as the administrator of District's program.

## C. Employee Group Life, Medical/Surgical, Dental and Vision Insurance

The District has established an internal service "self-insurance" fund, in conjunction with a formalized risk management program, in an effort to minimize risk exposure and control claims and premium costs.

This self-insurance fund was established for the purpose of accumulating balances sufficient to self-insure basic medical coverage and permit excess umbrella coverage for claims over a pre-determined level. Board and employee premium contributions are determined by negotiated agreement. Amounts are paid into this fund from the general fund and certain nonmajor governmental funds. Claims payments are made on an as-incurred basis, thus no "reserve" remains with the insurance carrier.

Expenses for claims are recorded as other expenses when it is probable that an asset has been impaired or a liability has been incurred and the amount of loss can be reasonably estimated. Liabilities include an amount for claims that have been incurred but not reported. Because actual claims liabilities depend on such complex factors as inflation, changes in legal doctrines, and damage awards, the process used in computing claims liability does not necessarily result in an exact amount.

Claims liabilities are re-evaluated periodically to take into consideration recently settled claims, the frequency of claims, and other economic and social factors.

Liabilities for incurred losses to be settled by fixed or reasonably determinable payments over a long period of time are reported at their present value using expected future investment assumptions as determined by the third party administrator. These liabilities are reported at their present value of \$851,400 at June 30, 2023 and are based on the requirements of GASB Statement No. 10, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Risk Financing and Related Insurance Issues", as amended by GASB Statement No. 30, "Risk Financing Omnibus", which requires that a liability for unpaid claims costs, including estimates of costs relating to incurred, but not reported claims, be accrued at the estimated ultimate cost of settling claims.

Changes in claims activity for the 2023 and 2022 fiscal years are as follows:

Fiscal Year	Beginning Balance	Current <u>Year Claims</u>	Claims Payments	Ending Balance
2023	\$ 772,300	\$ 8,097,278	\$ (8,018,178)	\$ 851,400
2022	709,000	8,816,057	(8,752,757)	772,300

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

### **NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS**

The Statewide retirement systems provide both pension benefits and other postemployment benefits (OPEB).

### Net Pension Liability/Net OPEB Liability/Asset

The net pension liability and the net OPEB liability/asset reported on the statement of net position represents a liability or asset to employees for pensions and OPEB, respectively.

Pensions and OPEB are a component of exchange transactions—between an employer and its employees—of salaries and benefits for employee services. Pensions/OPEB are provided to an employee—on a deferred-payment basis—as part of the total compensation package offered by an employer for employee services each financial period. The obligation to sacrifice resources for pensions is a present obligation because it was created as a result of employment exchanges that already have occurred.

The net pension/OPEB liability (asset) represent the District's proportionate share of each pension/OPEB plan's collective actuarial present value of projected benefit payments attributable to past periods of service, net of each pension/OPEB plan's fiduciary net position. The net pension/OPEB liability (asset) calculation is dependent on critical long-term variables, including estimated average life expectancies, earnings on investments, cost of living adjustments and others. While these estimates use the best information available, unknowable future events require adjusting these estimates annually.

The Ohio Revised Code limits the District's obligation for this liability to annually required payments. The District cannot control benefit terms or the manner in which pensions/OPEB are financed; however, the District does receive the benefit of employees' services in exchange for compensation including pension and OPEB.

GASB 68/75 assumes the liability is solely the obligation of the employer, because (1) they benefit from employee services; and (2) State statute requires funding to come from these employers. All pension contributions to date have come solely from these employers (which also includes pension costs paid in the form of withholdings from employees). The retirement systems may allocate a portion of the employer contributions to provide for these OPEB benefits. In addition, health care plan enrollees pay a portion of the health care costs in the form of a monthly premium. State statute requires the retirement systems to amortize unfunded pension liabilities within 30 years. If the pension amortization period exceeds 30 years, each retirement system's board must propose corrective action to the State legislature. Any resulting legislative change to benefits or funding could significantly affect the net pension/OPEB liability (asset). Resulting adjustments to the net pension/OPEB liability (asset) would be effective when the changes are legally enforceable. The Ohio Revised Code permits, but does not require, the retirement systems to provide healthcare to eligible benefit recipients.

The remainder of this note includes the required pension disclosures. See Note 14 for the required OPEB disclosures.

The proportionate share of each plan's unfunded benefits is presented as a long-term *net pension/OPEB liability (asset)* on the accrual basis of accounting. Any liability for the contractually required pension contribution outstanding at the end of the year is included in pension and postemployment benefits payable on both the accrual and modified accrual bases of accounting.

### Plan Description - School Employees Retirement System (SERS)

Plan Description - The District's non-teaching employees participate in SERS, a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by SERS. SERS provides retirement, disability and survivor benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Authority to establish and amend benefits is provided by Ohio Revised Code Chapter 3309. SERS issues a publicly available, stand-alone financial report that includes financial statements, required supplementary information and detailed information about SERS' fiduciary net position. That report can be obtained by visiting the SERS website at <a href="https://www.ohsers.org">www.ohsers.org</a> under Employers/Audit Resources.

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

### NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

Age and service requirements for retirement are as follows:

	Eligible to Retire on or before	Eligible to Retire after
	August 1, 2017 *	August 1, 2017
Full benefits	Any age with 30 years of service credit	Age 67 with 10 years of service credit; or Age 57 with 30 years of service credit
Actuarially reduced benefits	Age 60 with 5 years of service credit; or Age 55 with 25 years of service credit	Age 62 with 10 years of service credit; or Age 60 with 25 years of service credit

<sup>\*</sup> Members with 25 years of service credit as of August 1, 2017 will be included in this plan.

Annual retirement benefits are calculated based on final average salary multiplied by a percentage that varies based on years of service; 2.2% for the first thirty years of service and 2.5% for years of service credit over 30. Final average salary is the average of the highest three years of salary.

An individual whose benefit effective date is before April 1, 2018, is eligible for a cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) on the first anniversary date of the benefit. Beginning April 1, 2018, new benefit recipients must wait until the fourth anniversary of their benefit for COLA eligibility. The COLA is added each year to the base benefit amount on the anniversary date of the benefit. A three-year COLA suspension was in effect for all benefit recipients for the years 2018, 2019, and 2020. Upon resumption of the COLA, it will be indexed to the percentage increase in the CPI-W, not to exceed 2.5% and with a floor of 0%. In 2022, the Board of Trustees approved a 2.5% cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) for eligible retirees and beneficiaries in 2023.

Funding Policy - Plan members are required to contribute 10.00% of their annual covered salary and the District is required to contribute 14.00% of annual covered payroll. The contribution requirements of plan members and employers are established and may be amended by the SERS' Retirement Board up to statutory maximum amounts of 10.00% for plan members and 14.00% for employers. The Retirement Board, acting with the advice of the actuary, allocates the employer contribution rate among four of the System's funds (Pension Trust Fund, Death Benefit Fund, Medicare B Fund, and Health Care Fund). For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, the allocation to pension, death benefits, and Medicare B was 14.00%. For fiscal year 2023, the Retirement Board did not allocate any employer contribution to the Health Care Fund.

The District's contractually required contribution to SERS was \$1,293,069 for fiscal year 2023. Of this amount, \$166,945 is reported as pension and postemployment benefits payable.

## Plan Description - State Teachers Retirement System (STRS)

Plan Description - Licensed teachers participate in STRS, a cost-sharing multiple-employer public employee retirement system administered by STRS. STRS provides retirement and disability benefits to members and death and survivor benefits to beneficiaries. STRS issues a stand-alone financial report that includes financial statements, required supplementary information and detailed information about STRS' fiduciary net position. That report can be obtained by writing to STRS, 275 E. Broad St., Columbus, OH 43215-3771, by calling (888) 227-7877, or by visiting the STRS website at <a href="https://www.strsoh.org">www.strsoh.org</a>.

New members have a choice of three retirement plans: a Defined Benefit (DB) Plan, a Defined Contribution (DC) Plan and a Combined (CO) Plan. Benefits are established by Ohio Revised Code Chapter 3307.

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

The DB plan offers an annual retirement allowance based on final average salary multiplied by a percentage that varies based on years of service. Effective August 1, 2015, the calculation is 2.20% of final average salary for the five highest years of earnings multiplied by all years of service. Eligibility changes will be phased in until August 1, 2023, when retirement eligibility for unreduced benefits will be five years of service credit and age 65, or 35 years of service credit and at least age 60.

Eligibility changes for DB Plan members who retire with actuarially reduced benefits will be phased in until August 1, 2023 when retirement eligibility will be five years of qualifying service credit and age 60, or 30 years of service credit regardless of age.

The DC Plan allows members to place all of their member contributions and 9.53% of the 14% employer contributions into an investment account. The member determines how to allocate the member and employer money among various investment choices offered by STRS Ohio. The remaining 4.47% of the 14% employer rate is allocated to the defined benefit unfunded liability. A member is eligible to receive a retirement benefit at age 50 and termination of employment. The member may elect to receive a lifetime monthly annuity or a lump sum withdrawal.

The Combined Plan offers features of both the DB Plan and the DC Plan. In the Combined Plan, 12% of the 14% member rate goes to the DC Plan and the remaining 2% is applied to the DB Plan. Member contributions to the DC Plan are allocated among investment choices by the member, and contributions to the DB Plan from the employer and the member are used to fund the defined benefit payment at a reduced level from the regular DB Plan. The defined benefit portion of the Combined Plan payment is payable to a member on or after age 60 with five years of service. The defined contribution portion of the account may be taken as a lump sum payment or converted to a lifetime monthly annuity after termination of employment at age 50 and after termination of employment.

New members who choose the DC Plan or Combined Plan will have another opportunity to reselect a permanent plan during their fifth year of membership. Members may remain in the same plan or transfer to another STRS plan. The optional annuitization of a member's defined contribution account or the defined contribution portion of a member's Combined Plan account to a lifetime benefit results in STRS bearing the risk of investment gain or loss on the account. STRS has therefore included all three plan options as one defined benefit plan for GASB 68 reporting purposes.

A DB or Combined Plan member with five or more years of credited service, who is determined to be disabled, may qualify for a disability benefit. New members, on or after July 1, 2013, must have at least ten years of qualifying service credit to apply for disability benefits. Members in the DC Plan who become disabled are entitled only to their account balance. Eligible survivors of members who die before service retirement may qualify for monthly benefits. If a member of the DC Plan dies before retirement benefits begin, the member's designated beneficiary is entitled to receive the member's account balance.

Funding Policy - Employer and member contribution rates are established by the State Teachers Retirement Board and limited by Chapter 3307 of the Ohio Revised Code. The fiscal year 2023 employer and employee contribution rate of 14% was equal to the statutory maximum rates. For fiscal year 2023, the full employer contribution was allocated to pension.

The District's contractually required contribution to STRS was \$4,772,440 for fiscal year 2023. Of this amount, \$834,196 is reported as pension and postemployment benefits payable.

# NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

# Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2022, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the District's share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all participating entities.

Following is information related to the proportionate share and pension expense:

		SERS		STRS	Total
Proportion of the net pension					
liability prior measurement date	0	.213556100%	0	.250863119%	
Proportion of the net pension					
liability current measurement date	0	.231724600%	0	.256059600%	
Change in proportionate share	0	.018168500%	0	.005196481%	
Proportionate share of the net					
pension liability	\$	12,533,469	\$	56,922,372	\$ 69,455,841
Pension expense	\$	606,037	\$	7,896,465	\$ 8,502,502

At June 30, 2023, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	SERS		STRS		 Total
Deferred outflows of resources		_		_	
Differences between expected and					
actual experience	\$	507,616	\$	728,680	\$ 1,236,296
Net difference between projected and					
actual earnings on pension plan investments		-		1,980,772	1,980,772
Changes of assumptions		123,669		6,811,897	6,935,566
Difference between employer contributions					
and proportionate share of contributions/					
change in proportionate share		656,606		1,637,790	2,294,396
Contributions subsequent to the					
measurement date		1,293,069		4,772,440	 6,065,509
Total deferred outflows of resources	\$	2,580,960	\$	15,931,579	\$ 18,512,539

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

	SERS		STRS		 Total
Deferred inflows of resources					
Differences between expected and					
actual experience	\$	82,280	\$	217,747	\$ 300,027
Net difference between projected and					
actual earnings on pension plan investments		437,360		-	437,360
Changes of assumptions		-		5,127,400	5,127,400
Difference between employer contributions					
and proportionate share of contributions/					
change in proportionate share		187,270			 187,270
Total deferred inflows of resources	\$	706,910	\$	5,345,147	\$ 6,052,057

\$6,065,509 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pension resulting from District contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024.

Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pension will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

	 SERS		STRS		Total
Fiscal Year Ending June 30:					
2024	\$ 197,858	\$	824,377	\$	1,022,235
2025	281,077		324,806		605,883
2026	(624,778)		(1,108,043)		(1,732,821)
2027	 726,824		5,772,852		6,499,676
Total	\$ 580,981	\$	5,813,992	\$	6,394,973

## Actuarial Assumptions - SERS

SERS' total pension liability was determined by their actuaries in accordance with GASB Statement No. 67, as part of their annual actuarial valuation for each defined benefit retirement plan. Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts (e.g., salaries, credited service) and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future (e.g., mortality, disabilities, retirements, employment termination). Actuarially determined amounts are subject to continual review and potential modifications, as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the substantive plan (the plan as understood by the employers and plan members) and include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing benefit costs between the employers and plan members to that point. The projection of benefits for financial reporting purposes does not explicitly incorporate the potential effects of legal or contractual funding limitations.

Actuarial calculations reflect a long-term perspective. For a newly hired employee, actuarial calculations will take into account the employee's entire career with the employer and also take into consideration the benefits, if any, paid to the employee after termination of employment until the death of the employee and any applicable contingent annuitant. In many cases actuarial calculations reflect several decades of service with the employer and the payment of benefits after termination.

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

Key methods and assumptions used in calculating the total pension liability in the latest actuarial valuation, prepared as of June 30, 2022, are presented below:

Wage inflation:

Current measurement date 2.40% Prior measurement date 2.40%

Future salary increases, including inflation:

Current measurement date 3.25% to 13.58% Prior measurement date 3.25% to 13.58%

COLA or ad hoc COLA:

Current measurement date 2.00% Prior measurement date 2.00%

Investment rate of return:

Current measurement date 7.00% net of system expenses
Prior measurement date 7.00% net of system expenses

Discount rate:

Current measurement date 7.00% Prior measurement date 7.00%

Actuarial cost method Entry age normal (level percent of payroll)

In 2022, mortality rates were based on the PUB-2010 General Employee Amount Weight Below Median Healthy Retiree mortality table projected to 2017 with ages set forward 1 year and adjusted 94.20% for males and set forward 2 years and adjusted 81.35% for females. Mortality among disabled members were based upon the PUB-2010 General Disabled Retiree mortality table projected to 2017 with ages set forward 5 years and adjusted 103.3% for males and set forward 3 years and adjusted 106.8% for females. Future improvement in mortality rates is reflected by applying the MP-2020 projection scale generationally.

In the prior measurement date, mortality rates were based on the PUB-2010 General Employee Amount Weight Below Median Healthy Retiree mortality table projected to 2017 with ages set forward 1 year and adjusted 94.20% for males and set forward 2 years and adjusted 81.35% for females. Mortality among disabled members were based upon the PUB-2010 General Disabled Retiree mortality table projected to 2017 with ages set forward 5 years and adjusted 103.3% for males and set forward 3 years and adjusted 106.8% for females. Future improvement in mortality rates is reflected by applying the MP-2020 projection scale generationally.

The most recent experience study was completed for the five-year period ended June 30, 2020.

The long-term return expectation for the Pension Plan Investments has been determined using a building-block approach and assumes a time horizon, as defined in SERS' *Statement of Investment Policy*. A forecasted rate of inflation serves as the baseline for the return expectation. Various real return premiums over the baseline inflation rate have been established for each asset class. The long-term expected nominal rate of return has been determined by calculating a weighted average of the expected real return premiums for each asset class, adding the projected inflation rate, and adding the expected return from rebalancing uncorrelated asset classes.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

The target allocation and best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

	Target	Long-Term Expected
Asset Class	Allocation	Real Rate of Return
Cash	2.00 %	(0.45) %
US Equity	24.75	5.37
Non-US Equity Developed	13.50	6.22
Non-US Equity Emerging	6.75	8.22
Fixed Income/Global Bonds	19.00	1.20
Private Equity	11.00	10.05
Real Estate/Real Assets	16.00	4.87
Multi-Asset Strategy	4.00	3.39
Private Debt/Private Credit	3.00	5.38
Total	100.00 %	

**Discount Rate** - The total pension liability was calculated using the discount rate of 7.00%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed the contributions from employers and from the members would be computed based on contribution requirements as stipulated by State statute. Projected inflows from investment earnings were calculated using the long-term assumed investment rate of return (7.00%). Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefits to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate - Net pension liability is sensitive to changes in the discount rate, and to illustrate the potential impact the following table presents the net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 7.00%, as well as what each plan's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower (6.00%), or one percentage point higher (8.00%) than the current rate.

		Current						
	19	6 Decrease	Dis	scount Rate	19	6 Increase		
District's proportionate share								
of the net pension liability	\$	18,448,668	\$	12,533,469	\$	7,549,994		

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NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

### Actuarial Assumptions - STRS

Key methods and assumptions used in the latest actuarial valuation, reflecting experience study results used in the June 30, 2022, actuarial valuation are presented below:

	June 30, 2022	June 30, 2021
Inflation	2.50%	2.50%
Projected salary increases	Varies by service from 2.50% to 8.50%	12.50% at age 20 to
		2.50% at age 65
Investment rate of return	7.00%, net of investment expenses, including inflation	7.00%, net of investment expenses, including inflation
Discount rate of return	7.00%	7.00%
Payroll increases	3.00%	3.00%
Cost-of-living adjustments (COLA)	0.00%	0.00%

For the June 30, 2022 actuarial valuation, post-retirement mortality rates are based on the Pub-2010 Teachers Healthy Annuitant Mortality Table, adjusted 110% for males, projected forward generationally using mortality improvement scale MP-2020. Pre-retirement mortality rates are based on Pub-2010 Teachers Employee Table adjusted 95% for females, projected forward generationally using mortality improvement scale MP-2020. Post-retirement disabled mortality rates are based on Pub-2010 Teachers Disable Annuitant Table projected forward generationally using mortality improvement scale MP-2020.

For the prior measurement date, post-retirement mortality rates are based on the RP-2014 Annuitant Mortality Tables with 50% of rates through age 69, 70% of rates between ages 70 and 79, 90% of rates between ages 80 and 84, and 100% of rates thereafter, projected forward generationally using mortality improvement scale MP-2016. Pre-retirement mortality rates are based on RP-2014 Employee Mortality Tables, projected forward generationally using mortality improvement scale MP-2016. Post-retirement disabled mortality rates are based on the RP-2014 Disabled Mortality Tables with 90% of rates for males and 100% of rates for females, projected forward generationally using mortality improvement scale MP-2016.

Actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2022 valuation are based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2021. An actuarial experience study is done on a quinquennial basis.

STRS Ohio's investment consultant develops an estimate range for the investment return assumption based on the target allocation adopted by the Retirement Board. The target allocation and long-term expected rate of return for each major asset class are summarized as follows:

Asset Class	Target Allocation*	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return **
Domestic Equity	26.00 %	6.60 %
International Equity	22.00	6.80
Alternatives	19.00	7.38
Fixed Income	22.00	1.75
Real Estate	10.00	5.75
Liquidity Reserves	1.00	1.00
Total	100.00 %	

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

### NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

- \* Target allocation percentage is effective as of July 1, 2022. Target weights were phased in over a 3-month period concluding on October 1, 2022.
- \*\*10-Year annualized geometric nominal returns, which include the real rate of return and inflation of 2.25% and is net of investment expenses. Over a 30-year period, STRS Ohio's investment consultant indicates that the above target allocations should generate a return above the actuarial rate of return, without net value added by management.

**Discount Rate** - The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00% as of June 30, 2022. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumes that member and employer contributions will be made at the statutory contribution rates in accordance with the rates described previously. For this purpose, only employer contributions that are intended to fund benefits of current plan members and their beneficiaries are included. Based on those assumptions, STRS Ohio's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments to current plan members as of June 30, 2022. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.00% was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability as of June 30, 2022.

Sensitivity of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate - The following table represents the net pension liability as of June 30, 2022, calculated using the current period discount rate assumption of 7.00%, as well as what the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower (6.00%) or one percentage point higher (8.00%) than the current assumption:

		Current					
	19	1% Decrease Discount Rate			1% Increase		
District's proportionate share							
of the net pension liability	\$	85,988,981	\$	56,922,372	\$	32,341,019	

**Changes Between Measurement Date and Reporting Date** - STRS approved a one-time 1.00% cost-of-living adjustment to eligible benefit recipients effective July 1, 2023. It is unknown what effect this change will have on the net pension liability.

### NOTE 14 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS

## Net OPEB Liability/Asset

See Note 13 for a description of the net OPEB liability (asset).

## Plan Description - School Employees Retirement System (SERS)

Health Care Plan Description - The District contributes to the SERS Health Care Fund, administered by SERS for noncertificated retirees and their beneficiaries. For GASB 75 purposes, this plan is considered a cost-sharing other postemployment benefit (OPEB) plan. SERS' Health Care Plan provides healthcare benefits to eligible individuals receiving retirement, disability, and survivor benefits, and to their eligible dependents. Members who retire after June 1, 1986, need 10 years of service credit, exclusive of most types of purchased credit, to qualify to participate in SERS' health care coverage. In addition to age and service retirees, disability benefit recipients and beneficiaries who are receiving monthly benefits due to the death of a member or retiree, are eligible for SERS' health care coverage. Most retirees and dependents choosing SERS' health care coverage are over the age of 65 and therefore enrolled in a fully insured Medicare Advantage plan; however, SERS maintains a traditional, self-insured preferred provider organization for its non-Medicare retiree population. For both groups, SERS offers a self-insured prescription drug program. Health care is a benefit that is permitted, not mandated, by statute. The financial report of the Plan is included in the SERS Annual Comprehensive Financial Report which can be obtained on SERS' website at <a href="https://www.ohsers.org">www.ohsers.org</a> under Employers/Audit Resources.

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

### NOTE 14 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS - (Continued)

Access to health care for retirees and beneficiaries is permitted in accordance with Section 3309 of the Ohio Revised Code. The Health Care Fund was established and is administered in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 105(e). SERS' Retirement Board reserves the right to change or discontinue any health plan or program. Active employee members do not contribute to the Health Care Plan. The SERS Retirement Board established the rules for the premiums paid by the retirees for health care coverage for themselves and their dependents or for their surviving beneficiaries. Premiums vary depending on the plan selected, qualified years of service, Medicare eligibility, and retirement status.

Funding Policy - State statute permits SERS to fund the health care benefits through employer contributions. Each year, after the allocation for statutorily required pensions and benefits, the Retirement Board may allocate the remainder of the employer contribution of 14% of covered payroll to the Health Care Fund in accordance with the funding policy. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, SERS did not allocate any employer contributions to post-employment health care. An additional health care surcharge on employers is collected for employees earning less than an actuarially determined minimum compensation amount, pro-rated if less than a full year of service credit was earned. For fiscal year 2023, this amount was \$25,000. Statutes provide that no employer shall pay a health care surcharge greater than 2% of that employer's SERS-covered payroll; nor may SERS collect in aggregate more than 1.5% of the total statewide SERS-covered payroll for the health care surcharge. For fiscal year 2023, the District's surcharge obligation was \$202,115.

The surcharge added to the allocated portion of the 14% employer contribution rate is the total amount assigned to the Health Care Fund. The District's contractually required contribution to SERS was \$202,115 for fiscal year 2023. Of this amount, \$202,115 is reported as pension and postemployment benefits payable.

### Plan Description - State Teachers Retirement System (STRS)

Plan Description - The State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS) administers a cost-sharing Health Plan administered for eligible retirees who participated in the defined benefit or combined pension plans offered by STRS. Ohio law authorizes STRS to offer this plan. Benefits include hospitalization, physicians' fees, prescription drugs and partial reimbursement of monthly Medicare Part B premiums. The Medicare Part B monthly reimbursement elimination date was postponed indefinitely. The Plan is included in the report of STRS which can be obtained by visiting <a href="https://www.strsoh.org">www.strsoh.org</a> or by calling (888) 227-7877.

Funding Policy - Ohio Revised Code Chapter 3307 authorizes STRS to offer the Plan and gives the Retirement Board discretionary authority over how much, if any, of the health care costs will be absorbed by STRS. Active employee members do not contribute to the Health Care Plan. Nearly all health care plan enrollees, for the most recent year, pay a portion of the health care costs in the form of a monthly premium. Under Ohio law, funding for post-employment health care may be deducted from employer contributions, currently 14% of covered payroll. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, STRS did not allocate any employer contributions to post-employment health care.

# OPEB Liabilities/Assets, OPEB Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB

The net OPEB liability/asset was measured as of June 30, 2022, and the total OPEB liability/asset used to calculate the net OPEB liability/asset was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The District's proportion of the net OPEB liability/asset was based on the District's share of contributions to the respective retirement systems relative to the contributions of all participating entities.

# NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 14 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS - (Continued)

Following is information related to the proportionate share and OPEB expense:

	SERS		STRS		Total	
Proportion of the net OPEB						
liability/asset prior measurement date	0.	218721700%	0	.250863119%		
Proportion of the net OPEB						
liability/asset current measurement date	0.	237269900%	0	.256059600%		
Change in proportionate share	0.	018548200%	0	.005196481%		
Proportionate share of the net						
OPEB liability	\$	3,331,294	\$	-	\$	3,331,294
Proportionate share of the net						
OPEB asset	\$	-	\$	6,630,234	\$	6,630,234
OPEB expense	\$	(98,151)	\$	(1,038,700)	\$	(1,136,851)

At June 30, 2023, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	SERS		STRS			Total
Deferred outflows of resources						
Differences between expected and						
actual experience	\$	28,006	\$	96,118	\$	124,124
Net difference between projected and						
actual earnings on OPEB plan investments		17,312		115,417		132,729
Changes of assumptions		529,886		282,426		812,312
Difference between employer contributions						
and proportionate share of contributions/						
change in proportionate share		677,401		267,061		944,462
Contributions subsequent to the						
measurement date		202,115			_	202,115
Total deferred outflows of resources	\$	1,454,720	\$	761,022	\$	2,215,742
Deferred inflows of resources						
Differences between expected and						
actual experience	\$	2,130,937	\$	995,742	\$	3,126,679
Changes of assumptions		1,367,520		4,701,485		6,069,005
Difference between employer contributions						
and proportionate share of contributions/						
change in proportionate share		366,669		4,075	_	370,744
Total deferred inflows of resources	\$	3,865,126	\$	5,701,302	\$	9,566,428

\$202,115 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB resulting from District contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net OPEB liability/asset in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## **NOTE 14 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS - (Continued)**

Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

	SERS STRS		Total		
Fiscal Year Ending June 30:	_				_
2024	\$ (540,587)	\$	(1,364,594)	\$	(1,905,181)
2025	(604,407)		(1,400,600)		(2,005,007)
2026	(594,384)		(705,891)		(1,300,275)
2027	(385,767)		(295,679)		(681,446)
2028	(218,156)		(387,556)		(605,712)
Thereafter	 (269,220)		(785,960)		(1,055,180)
Total	\$ (2,612,521)	\$	(4,940,280)	\$	(7,552,801)

### Actuarial Assumptions - SERS

The total OPEB liability is determined by SERS' actuaries in accordance with GASB Statement No. 74, as part of their annual actuarial valuation for each retirement plan. Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts (e.g., salaries, credited service) and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future (e.g., mortality, disabilities, retirements, employment terminations). Actuarially determined amounts are subject to continual review and potential modifications, as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the substantive plan (the plan as understood by the employers and plan members) and include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing benefit costs between the employers and plan members to that point. The projection of benefits for financial reporting purposes does not explicitly incorporate the potential effects of legal or contractual funding limitations.

Actuarial calculations reflect a long-term perspective. For a newly hired employee, actuarial calculations will take into account the employee's entire career with the employer and also take into consideration the benefits, if any, paid to the employee after termination of employment until the death of the employee and any applicable contingent annuitant. In many cases, actuarial calculations reflect several decades of service with the employer and the payment of benefits after termination.

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### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

## NOTE 14 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS - (Continued)

Key methods and assumptions used in calculating the total OPEB liability in the latest actuarial valuation date of June 30, 2022 are presented below:

Waga	inflation.
wage	inflation:

Current measurement date 2.40%
Prior measurement date 2.40%

Future salary increases, including inflation:

Current measurement date 3.25% to 13.58% Prior measurement date 3.25% to 13.58%

Investment rate of return:

Current measurement date 7.00% net of investment expense, including inflation

Prior measurement date 7.00% net of investment expense, including inflation

Municipal bond index rate:

Current measurement date 3.69%
Prior measurement date 1.92%

Single equivalent interest rate, net of plan investment expense,

including price inflation:

Current measurement date 4.08% Prior measurement date 2.27%

Medical trend assumption:

Current measurement date 7.00 to 4.40%

Prior measurement date

 Medicare
 5.125 to 4.400%

 Pre-Medicare
 6.750 to 4.400%

In 2022, mortality rates were based on the PUB-2010 General Employee Amount Weight Below Median Healthy Retiree mortality table projected to 2017 with ages set forward 1 year and adjusted 94.20% for males and set forward 2 years and adjusted 81.35% for females. Mortality among disabled members were based upon the PUB-2010 General Disabled Retiree mortality table projected to 2017 with ages set forward 5 years and adjusted 103.3% for males and set forward 3 years and adjusted 106.8% for females. Future improvement in mortality rates is reflected by applying the MP-2020 projection scale generationally.

In the prior measurement date, mortality rates were based on the PUB-2010 General Employee Amount Weighted Below Median Healthy Retiree mortality table projected to 2017 with ages set forward 1 year and adjusted 94.20% for males and set forward 2 years and adjusted 81.35% for females. Mortality among disabled members were based upon the PUB-2010 General Disabled Retiree mortality table projected to 2017 with ages set forward 5 years and adjusted 103.3% for males and set forward 3 years and adjusted 106.8% for females. Future improvement in mortality rates is reflected by applying the MP-2020 projection scale generationally.

The most recent experience study was completed for the five-year period ended June 30, 2020.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

### NOTE 14 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS - (Continued)

The long-term expected rate of return on plan assets is reviewed as part of the actuarial 5-year experience study. The most recent study covers fiscal years 2016 through 2020, and was adopted by the Board in 2021. Several factors are considered in evaluating the long-term rate of return assumption including long-term historical data, estimates inherent in current market data, and a long-normal distribution analysis in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return were developed by the investment consultant for each major asset class. These ranges were combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return, 7.00%, by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and then adding expected inflation. The capital market assumptions developed by the investment consultant are intended for use over a 10-year horizon and may not be useful in setting the long-term rate of return for funding pension plans which covers a longer timeframe. The assumption is intended to be a long-term assumption and is not expected to change absent a significant change in the asset allocation, a change in the inflation assumption, or a fundamental change in the market that alters expected returns in future years.

The target asset allocation and best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized as follows:

	Target	Long-Term Expected
Asset Class	Allocation	Real Rate of Return
Cash	2.00 %	(0.45) %
US Equity	24.75	5.37
Non-US Equity Developed	13.50	6.22
Non-US Equity Emerging	6.75	8.22
Fixed Income/Global Bonds	19.00	1.20
Private Equity	11.00	10.05
Real Estate/Real Assets	16.00	4.87
Multi-Asset Strategy	4.00	3.39
Private Debt/Private Credit	3.00	5.38
Total	100.00 %	

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability at June 30, 2022, was 4.08%. The discount rate used to measure total OPEB liability prior to June 30, 2022, was 2.27%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions will be made from members and the System at the contribution rate of 1.50% of projected covered payroll each year, which includes a 1.50% payroll surcharge and no contributions from the basic benefits plan. Based on these assumptions, the OPEB plan's fiduciary net position was projected to become insufficient to make all projected future benefit payments of current System members by SERS actuaries. The Municipal Bond Index Rate is used in the determination of the SEIR for both the June 30, 2022 and the June 30, 2021 total OPEB liability. The Municipal Bond Index rate is the single rate that will generate a present value of benefit payments equal to the sum of the present value determined by the long-term expected rate of return, and the present value determined by discounting those benefits after the date of depletion. The Municipal Bond Index Rate is 3.69% at June 30, 2022 and 1.92% at June 30, 2021.

Sensitivity of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate and Changes in the Health Care Cost Trend Rates - The net OPEB liability is sensitive to changes in the discount rate and the health care cost trend rate. The following table presents the net OPEB liability, what the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1 percentage point lower (3.08%) and higher (5.08%) than the current discount rate (4.08%). Also shown is what the net OPEB liability would be based on health care cost trend rates that are 1 percentage point lower (6.00% decreasing to 3.40%) and higher (8.00% decreasing to 5.40%) than the current rate (7.00% decreasing to 4.40%).

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### NOTE 14 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS - (Continued)

				Current			
	1%	6 Decrease	Dis	count Rate	1% Increase		
District's proportionate share							
of the net OPEB liability	\$	4,137,518	\$	3,331,294	\$	2,680,453	
			Current				
	1%	6 Decrease	Т	rend Rate	19	% Increase	
District's proportionate share							
of the net OPEB liability	\$	2,569,026	\$	3,331,294	\$	4,326,940	

#### Actuarial Assumptions - STRS

Key methods and assumptions used in the latest actuarial valuation, reflecting experience study results used in the June 30, 2022 actuarial valuation, compared with June 30, 2021 actuarial valuation, are presented below:

	June 3	0, 2022	June 30, 2021				
Inflation	2.50%		2.50%				
Projected salary increases	Varies by service	e from 2.50%	12.50% at age 20	) to			
	to 8.50%		2.50% at age 65				
Investment rate of return	7.00%, net of invexpenses, include		7.00%, net of investment expenses, including inflation				
Payroll increases	3.00%		3.00%				
Cost-of-living adjustments (COLA)	0.00%		0.00%				
Discount rate of return	7.00%		7.00%				
Blended discount rate of return	N/A		N/A				
Health care cost trends							
	Initial	Ultimate	Initial	Ultimate			
Medical							
Pre-Medicare	7.50%	3.94%	5.00%	4.00%			
Medicare	-68.78%	3.94%	-16.18%	4.00%			
Prescription Drug							
Pre-Medicare	9.00%	3.94%	6.50% 4.00%				
Medicare	-5.47%	3.94%	29.98% 4.00%				

Projections of benefits include the historical pattern of sharing benefit costs between the employers and retired plan members.

For the June 30, 2022 actuarial valuation, for healthy retirees the post-retirement mortality rates are based on the Pub-2010 Teachers Healthy Annuitant Mortality Table, adjusted 110% for males, projected forward generationally using mortality improvement scale MP-2020; pre-retirement mortality rates are based on Pub-2010 Teachers Employee Table adjusted 95% for females, projected forward generationally using mortality improvement scale MP-2020. For disabled retirees, mortality rates are based on the Pub-2010 Teachers Disabled Annuitant Table projected forward generationally using mortality improvement scale MP-2020.

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### NOTE 14 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS - (Continued)

For the prior measurement date, for healthy retirees the mortality rates are based on the RP-2014 Annuitant Mortality Tables with 50% of rates through age 69, 70% of rates between ages 70 and 79, 90% of rates between ages 80 and 84, and 100% of rates thereafter, projected forward generationally using mortality improvement scale MP-2016. For disabled retirees, mortality rates are based on the RP-2014 Disabled Mortality Tables with 90% of rates for males and 100% of rates for females, projected forward generationally using mortality improvement scale MP-2016.

Actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2022 valuation are based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2021. An actuarial experience study is done on a quinquennial basis.

Assumption Changes Since the Prior Measurement Date - The discount rate remained unchanged at 7.00% for the June 30, 2022 valuation.

**Benefit Term Changes Since the Prior Measurement Date** - Salary increase rates were updated based on the actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2021 and were changed from age based to service based.

STRS' investment consultant develops an estimate range for the investment return assumption based on the target allocation adopted by the Retirement Board. The target allocation and long-term expected rate of return for each major asset class are summarized as follows:

Asset Class	Target Allocation*	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return **
Domestic Equity	26.00 %	6.60 %
International Equity	22.00	6.80
Alternatives	19.00	7.38
Fixed Income	22.00	1.75
Real Estate	10.00	5.75
Liquidity Reserves	1.00	1.00
Total	100.00 %	

<sup>\*</sup> Target allocation percentage is effective as of July 1, 2022. Target weights were phased in over a 3-month period concluding on October 1, 2022.

**Discount Rate** - The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability was 7.00% as of June 30, 2022. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed STRS Ohio continues to allocate no employer contributions to the health care fund. Based on those assumptions, the OPEB plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments to current plan members as of June 30, 2022. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on health care fund investments of 7.00% was applied to all periods of projected health care costs to determine the total OPEB liability as of June 30, 2022.

Sensitivity of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Asset to Changes in the Discount and Health Care Cost Trend Rate - The following table represents the net OPEB asset as of June 30, 2022, calculated using the current period discount rate assumption of 7.00%, as well as what the net OPEB asset would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower (6.00%) or one percentage point higher (8.00%) than the current assumption. Also shown is the net OPEB asset as if it were calculated using health care cost trend rates that are one percentage point lower or one percentage point higher than the current health care cost trend rates.

<sup>\*\*10-</sup>Year annualized geometric nominal returns, which include the real rate of return and inflation of 2.25% and is net of investment expenses. Over a 30-year period, STRS Ohio's investment consultant indicates that the above target allocations should generate a return above the actuarial rate of return, without net value added by management.

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### NOTE 14 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS - (Continued)

				Current		
	19	6 Decrease	19	1% Increase		
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB asset	\$	6,139,720	\$	6,630,234	\$	7,059,177
	10	/ D	7	Current	1.0	V T
		6 Decrease	1	rend Rate		% Increase
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB asset	\$	6,877,167	\$	6,630,234	\$	6,318,545

#### **NOTE 15 - BUDGETARY BASIS OF ACCOUNTING**

While reporting financial position, results of operations, and changes in fund balance on the basis of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP), the budgetary basis as provided by law is based upon accounting for certain transactions on a basis of cash receipts and disbursements. The statement of revenue, expenditures and changes in fund balance - budget and actual (non-GAAP budgetary basis) presented for the general fund is presented on the budgetary basis to provide a meaningful comparison of actual results with the budget. The major differences between the budget basis and the GAAP basis are that:

- (a) Revenues and other financing sources are recorded when received in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when susceptible to accrual (GAAP basis);
- (b) Expenditures and other financing uses are recorded when paid in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when the liability is incurred (GAAP basis);
- (c) In order to determine compliance with Ohio law, and to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation, total outstanding encumbrances (budget basis) are recorded as the equivalent of an expenditure, as opposed to assigned or committed fund balance for that portion of outstanding encumbrances not already recognized as an account payable (GAAP basis);
- (d) Advances-in and advances-out are operating transactions (budget basis) as opposed to balance sheet transactions (GAAP basis); and,
- (e) Some funds are included in the general fund (GAAP basis), but have separate legally adopted budgets (budget basis).

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#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### NOTE 15 - BUDGETARY BASIS OF ACCOUNTING - (Continued)

The adjustments necessary to convert the results of operations for the year on the budget basis to the GAAP basis for the general fund is as follows:

#### **Net Change in Fund Balance**

	G	eneral fund
Budget basis	\$	4,346,991
Net adjustment for revenue accruals		666,002
Net adjustment for expenditure accruals		(87,782)
Net adjustment for other sources/uses		(138,809)
Funds budgeted elsewhere		97,273
Adjustment for encumbrances	_	785,588
GAAP basis	\$	5,669,263

Certain funds that are legally budgeted in separate special revenue funds are considered part of the general fund on a GAAP basis. This includes the uniform school supplies fund, the staff rotary fund, the learning day by day fund, the rotary services fund, the underground storage tank fund, the rotary special services fund, the business advisory council fund, the termination benefits fund, the technology insurance fund and the public school support fund.

#### **NOTE 16 - 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 are subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of the District. However, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims will not have a material effect on the financial position of the District.

#### B. Litigation

The District is involved in no material litigation as either plaintiff or defendant.

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### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### **NOTE 17 - SET-ASIDES**

The District is required by State law to annually set-aside certain general fund revenue amounts, as defined by statutory formula, for the acquisition and construction of capital improvements. Amounts not spent by the end of the fiscal year or offset by similarly restricted resources received during the year must be held in cash at fiscal year-end. This amount must be carried forward to be used for the same purpose in future years. Expenditures exceeding the set-aside requirement may not be carried forward to the next fiscal year.

The following cash-basis information describes the change in the fiscal year-end set-aside amount for capital improvements. Disclosure of this information is required by State statute.

	Ca	pital
	<u>Impro</u>	vements
Set-aside balance June 30, 2022	\$	-
Current year set-aside requirement	1,1	65,613
Current year qualifying expenditures		(49,300)
Current year offsets	(2,2	288,329)
Total	\$ (1,1	72,016)
Balance carried forward to fiscal year 2024	\$	
Set-aside balance June 30, 2023	\$	_

In addition to the above statutory set-asides, the District had \$1,270 in monies restricted for school bus purchases.

During fiscal year 2015, the District issued \$38,900,000 in capital related school improvement bonds. These proceeds may be used to reduce the capital improvements set-aside amount to below zero for future years. The amount presented for prior year offset from bond proceeds is limited to an amount needed to reduce the capital improvements set-aside balance to \$0. The District is responsible for tracking the amount of bond proceeds that may be used as an offset in future periods, which was \$38,900,000 at June 30, 2023.

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### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### **NOTE 18 - FUND BALANCE**

Fund balance is classified as nonspendable, restricted, committed, assigned and/or unassigned based primarily on the extent to which the District is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of resources in the governmental funds. The constraints placed on fund balance for the major governmental funds and all other governmental funds are presented below:

Fund balance	General	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds		
Nonspendable:					
Materials and supplies inventory Prepaids	\$ - 50,858	\$ 5,529	\$ 5,529 50,858		
Total nonspendable	50,858	5,529	56,387		
Restricted:					
Debt service	-	2,358,037	2,358,037		
Capital improvements	-	4,672,490	4,672,490		
Food service operations	-	1,566,320	1,566,320		
Scholarships	-	217,059	217,059		
Non-public schools	-	8,616	8,616		
State funded programs	-	27,972	27,972		
Extracurricular	-	868,648	868,648		
School bus purchases	1,270	-	1,270		
Other purposes	<u>-</u>	119,391	119,391		
Total restricted	1,270	9,838,533	9,839,803		
Committed:					
Capital improvements	-	1,767,736	1,767,736		
Termination benefits	596,187	-	596,187		
Other purposes	11,000		11,000		
Total committed	607,187	1,767,736	2,374,923		
Assigned:					
Student instruction	593,889	-	593,889		
Student and staff support	418,315	-	418,315		
Other purposes	436,107	-	436,107		
Total assigned	1,448,311		1,448,311		
Unassigned (deficit)	18,251,079	(213,917)	18,037,162		
Total fund balances	\$ 20,358,705	\$ 11,397,881	\$ 31,756,586		

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### **NOTE 19 - OTHER COMMITMENTS**

The District utilizes encumbrance accounting as part of its budgetary controls. Encumbrances outstanding at year end may be reported as part of restricted, committed, or assigned classifications of fund balance. At year end, the District's commitments for encumbrances in the governmental funds were as follows:

	Y	ear-End
<u>Fund</u>	Enc	<u>umbrances</u>
General fund Other governmental	\$	700,184 4,071,816
Total	\$	4,772,000

#### NOTE 20 - TAX ABATEMENTS ENTERED INTO BY OTHER GOVERNMENTS

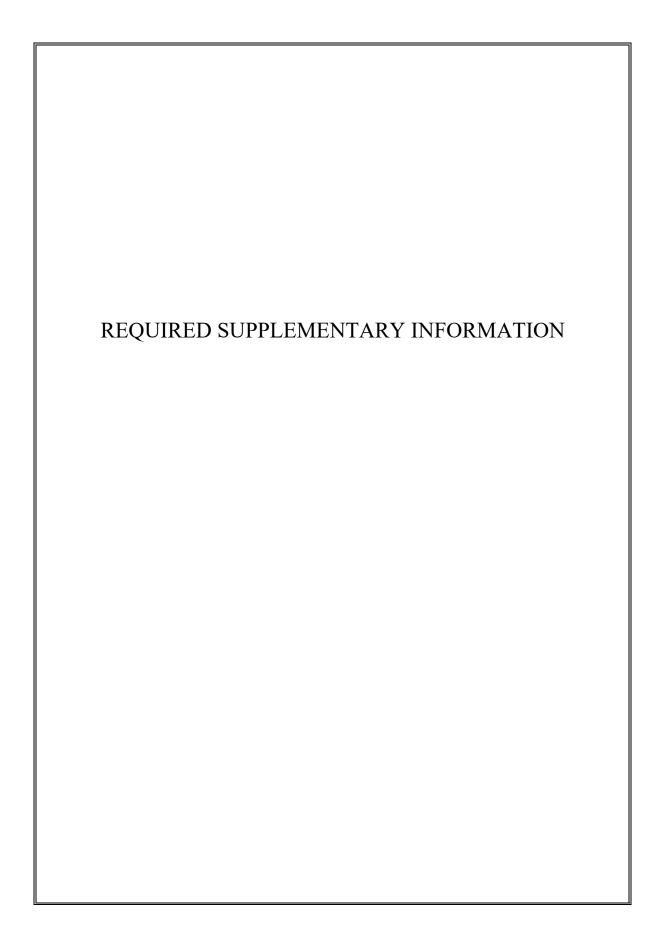
The City of Perrysburg and Perrysburg Township provide tax abatements through Community Reinvestment Areas (CRAs).

Under the authority of Ohio Revised Code (ORC) Section 3735.67, the CRA program is an economic development tool administered by municipal and county governments that provides real property tax exemptions for property owners who renovate existing or construct new buildings. CRA's are areas of land in which property owners can receive tax incentives for investing in real property improvements. Under the CRA program, local governments petition to the Ohio Development Services Agency (ODSA) for confirmation of a geographical area in which investment in housing is desired. Once an area is confirmed by the ODSA, local governments may offer real property tax exemptions to taxpayers that invest in that area. Property owners in the CRA can receive temporary tax abatements for renovation of existing structures and new construction in these areas. Property owners apply to the local legislative authority for approval to renovate or construct in the CRA. Upon approval and certification of completion, the amount of the abatement is deducted from the individual or entity's property tax bill.

The CRA agreements entered into by the City of Perrysburg and Perrysburg Township affect the property tax receipts collected and distributed to the District. Under these agreements, the District property taxes were reduced by \$249,391.

#### **NOTE 21 - COVID-19**

The United States and the State of Ohio declared a state of emergency in March of 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Ohio's state of emergency ended in June 2021 while the national state of emergency ended in April 2023. During fiscal year 2023, the District received COVID-19 funding. The District will continue to spend available COVID-19 funding consistent with the applicable program guidelines.



SCHEDULES OF REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

# SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO

#### LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

		2023		2022		2021		2020
District's proportion of the net pension liability	0.23172460%		0.21355610%		0.22737710%		0.23038580%	
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$	12,533,469	\$	7,879,601	\$	15,039,200	\$	13,784,386
District's covered payroll	\$	8,472,464	\$	7,611,114	\$	7,609,400	\$	7,420,341
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll		147.93%		103.53%		197.64%		185.76%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability		75.82%		82.86%		68.55%		70.85%

Amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the District's measurement date which is the prior year-end.

 2019		2018		2017	 2016		2015	 2014
0.22205900%		0.19610620%		0.19616830%	0.19157430%	(	0.18665700%	0.18665700%
\$ 12,717,730	\$	11,716,912	\$	14,357,710	\$ 10,931,415	\$	9,446,604	\$ 11,099,893
\$ 8,054,363	\$	6,363,279	\$	5,792,093	\$ 5,767,382	\$	5,423,874	\$ 4,973,909
157.90%		184.13%		247.88%	189.54%		174.17%	223.16%
71.36%		69.50%		62.98%	69.16%		71.70%	65.52%

#### SCHEDULES OF REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

# SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (STRS) OF OHIO

#### LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

	2023			2022		2021	2020	
District's proportion of the net pension liability	0.256059600%		0.250863119%		0.244775750%		0.242826170	
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$	56,922,372	\$	32,075,105	\$	59,227,022	\$	53,699,548
District's covered payroll	\$	33,748,800	\$	31,570,400	\$	29,981,693	\$	28,219,350
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll		168.66%		101.60%		197.54%		190.29%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability		78.88%		87.78%		75.48%		77.40%

Amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the District's measurement date which is the prior year-end.

	2019		2018		2017	2016		2015		2014	
0	.237568010%	0	.221706760%	0	.213965790%	0	.210924500%	0	.199501960%	0	.199501960%
\$	52,235,871	\$	52,666,916	\$	71,620,799	\$	58,293,362	\$	48,525,781	\$	57,803,593
\$	27,757,886	\$	24,555,686	\$	22,795,857	\$	22,006,436	\$	20,383,592	\$	20,289,000
	188.18%		214.48%		314.18%		264.89%		238.06%		284.90%
	77.31%		75.30%		66.80%		72.10%		74.70%		69.30%

#### SCHEDULES OF REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

### SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO

#### LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

	 2023	 2022	 2021	 2020
Contractually required contribution	\$ 1,293,069	\$ 1,186,145	\$ 1,065,556	\$ 1,065,316
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	 (1,293,069)	 (1,186,145)	 (1,065,556)	 (1,065,316)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ 	\$ 	\$ _	\$ 
District's covered payroll	\$ 9,236,207	\$ 8,472,464	\$ 7,611,114	\$ 7,609,400
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	14.00%	14.00%	14.00%	14.00%

 2019	 2018	 2017	 2016	 2015	 2014
\$ 1,001,746	\$ 1,087,339	\$ 890,859	\$ 810,893	\$ 760,141	\$ 751,749
 (1,001,746)	 (1,087,339)	 (890,859)	 (810,893)	 (760,141)	 (751,749)
\$ 	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 
\$ 7,420,341	\$ 8,054,363	\$ 6,363,279	\$ 5,792,093	\$ 5,767,382	\$ 5,423,874
13.50%	13.50%	14.00%	14.00%	13.18%	13.86%

#### SCHEDULES OF REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

### SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (STRS) OF OHIO

#### LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

	 2023	 2022	 2021	 2020
Contractually required contribution	\$ 4,772,440	\$ 4,724,832	\$ 4,419,856	\$ 4,197,437
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	 (4,772,440)	 (4,724,832)	 (4,419,856)	 (4,197,437)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ 	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ 	\$ _
District's covered payroll	\$ 34,088,857	\$ 33,748,800	\$ 31,570,400	\$ 29,981,693
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	14.00%	14.00%	14.00%	14.00%

 2019	 2018	 2017	-	2016	 2015	 2014
\$ 3,950,709	\$ 3,886,104	\$ 3,437,796	\$	3,191,420	\$ 3,080,901	\$ 2,649,867
 (3,950,709)	(3,886,104)	 (3,437,796)		(3,191,420)	(3,080,901)	 (2,649,867)
\$ 	\$ _	\$ 	\$		\$ 	\$ 
\$ 28,219,350	\$ 27,757,886	\$ 24,555,686	\$	22,795,857	\$ 22,006,436	\$ 20,383,592
14.00%	14.00%	14.00%		14.00%	14.00%	13.00%

SCHEDULES OF REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET OPEB LIABILITY SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO

#### LAST SEVEN FISCAL YEARS

		2023	_	2022		2021		2020	_	2019	 2018	 2017
District's proportion of the net OPEB liability	(	0.23726990%		0.21872170%	(	0.22826320%	(	0.23544990%		0.22620720%	0.19857840%	0.19851019%
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	\$	3,331,294	\$	4,139,487	\$	4,960,906	\$	5,921,070	\$	6,275,599	\$ 5,329,323	\$ 5,658,275
District's covered payroll	\$	8,472,464	\$	7,611,114	\$	7,609,400	\$	7,420,341	\$	8,054,363	\$ 6,363,279	\$ 5,792,093
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability as a percentage of its covered payroll		39.32%		54.39%		65.19%		79.80%		77.92%	83.75%	97.69%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability		30.34%		24.08%		18.17%		15.57%		13.57%	12.46%	11.49%

Note: Information prior to 2017 was unavailable. Schedule is intended to show information for 10 years. Additional years will be displayed as they become available.

Amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the District's measurement date which is the prior year-end.

SCHEDULES OF REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET OPEB LIABILITY/ASSET STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (STRS) OF OHIO

#### LAST SEVEN FISCAL YEARS

		2023		2022		2021		2020		2019		2018	_	2017
District's proportion of the net OPEB liability/asset	C	.256059600%	0	0.250863119%	0	.244775750%	0	.242826170%	0	.237568010%	0	0.022170676%	C	0.213965790%
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability/(asset)	\$	(6,630,234)	\$	(5,289,244)	\$	(4,301,932)	\$	(4,021,783)	\$	(3,817,475)	\$	8,650,180	\$	11,442,946
District's covered payroll	\$	33,748,800	\$	31,570,400	\$	29,981,693	\$	28,219,350	\$	27,757,886	\$	24,555,686	\$	22,795,857
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability/asset as a percentage of its covered payroll		19.65%		16.75%		14.35%		14.25%		13.75%		35.23%		50.20%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability/asset		230.73%		174.73%		182.10%		174.70%		176.00%		47.10%		37.30%

Note: Information prior to 2017 was unavailable. Schedule is intended to show information for 10 years. Additional years will be displayed as they become available.

Amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the District's measurement date which is the prior year-end.

#### SCHEDULES OF REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

### SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT OPEB CONTRIBUTIONS SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO

#### LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

	 2023	 2022	 2021	 2020
Contractually required contribution	\$ 202,115	\$ 156,635	\$ 133,664	\$ 110,290
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	 (202,115)	 (156,635)	 (133,664)	 (110,290)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 	\$ 
District's covered payroll	\$ 9,236,207	\$ 8,472,464	\$ 7,611,114	\$ 7,609,400
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	2.19%	1.85%	1.76%	1.45%

2019	 2018	 2017	 2016	 2015	 2014
\$ 177,766	\$ 166,602	\$ 106,268	\$ 99,225	\$ 140,781	\$ 91,867
 (177,766)	 (166,602)	 (106,268)	 (99,225)	 (140,781)	 (91,867)
\$ 	\$ 	\$ 	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ 	\$ 
\$ 7,420,341	\$ 8,054,363	\$ 6,363,279	\$ 5,792,093	\$ 5,767,382	\$ 5,423,874
2.40%	2.07%	1.67%	1.71%	2.44%	1.69%

#### SCHEDULES OF REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

### SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT OPEB CONTRIBUTIONS STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (STRS) OF OHIO

#### LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

	 2023	 2022	 2021	 2020
Contractually required contribution	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	 <u>-</u>		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 	\$ <u> </u>
District's covered payroll	\$ 34,088,857	\$ 33,748,800	\$ 31,570,400	\$ 29,981,693
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

 2019	 2018	 2017	 2016	 2015	 2014
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 212,253
 	 	 	 	 	 (212,253)
\$ _	\$ _	\$ _	\$ _	\$ 	\$ _
\$ 28,219,350	\$ 27,757,886	\$ 24,555,686	\$ 22,795,857	\$ 22,006,436	\$ 20,383,592
0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	1.04%

### NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### PENSION

#### SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO

#### Changes in benefit terms:

- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2014.
- <sup>n</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2015.
- <sup>1</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2016.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2017.
- Gost of Living Adjustment (COLA) based on the changes in the Consumer Price Index (CPI-W), with a cap of 2.5% and a floor of 0%.
- Go For fiscal year 2019, with the authority granted the Board under Senate Bill 8, the Board has enacted a three year COLA delay for future benefit recipients commencing benefits on or after April 1, 2018.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2020.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2021.
- <sup>a</sup> For fiscal year 2022, SERS changed from a Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) of 2.5% to 2.0%.
- <sup>n</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2023.

#### Changes in assumptions:

- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2014.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2015.
- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2016.
- For fiscal year 2017, the following changes of assumptions affected the total pension liability since the prior measurement date: (a) the assumed rate of inflation was reduced from 3.25% to 3.00%, (b) payroll growth assumption was reduced from 4.00% to 3.50%, (c) assumed real wage growth was reduced from 0.75% to 0.50%, (d) rates of withdrawal, retirement and disability were updated to reflect recent experience, (e) mortality among active members was updated to RP-2014 Blue Collar Mortality Table with fully generational projection and a five year age set-back for both males and females, (f) mortality among service retired members and beneficiaries was updated to the following RP-2014 Blue Collar Mortality Table with fully generational projection with Scale BB, 120% of male rates and 110% of female rates, (g) mortality among disabled members was updated to RP-2000 Disabled Mortality Table, 90% for male rates and 100% for female rates, set back five years is used for the period after disability retirement and (h) the discount rate was reduced from 7.75% to 7.50%.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2018.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2019.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2020.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2021.
- <sup>a</sup> For fiscal year 2022, the following changes of assumptions affected the total pension liability since the prior measurement date: (a) wage inflation decreased from 3.00% to 2.40%, (b) future salary increases changed from 3.50%-18.20% to 3.25%-13.58%, (c) investment rate of return decreased from 7.50% to 7.00%, (d) discount rate decreased from 7.50% to 7.00% and (e) mortality tables changed from the RP-2014 Blue Collar mortality table to the PUB-2010 General Employee Amount Weighted Below Median Healthy Retiree mortality table.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2023.

### NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION (CONTINUED) FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### PENSION (CONTINUED)

#### STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (STRS) OF OHIO

#### Changes in benefit terms:

- <sup>n</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2014.
- <sup>n</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2015.
- <sup>1</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2016.
- <sup>n</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2017.
- <sup>n</sup> For fiscal year 2018, STRS decreased the Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) to zero.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2019.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2020.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2021.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2022.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2023.

#### Changes in assumptions:

- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2014.
- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2015.
- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2016.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2017.
- For fiscal year 2018, the following changes of assumption affected the total pension liability since the prior measurement date: (a) the long-term expected rate of return was reduced from 7.75% to 7.45%, (b) the inflation assumption was lowered from 2.75% to 2.50%, (c) the payroll growth assumption was lowered to 3.00%, (d) total salary increases rate was lowered by decreasing the merit component of the individual salary increases, in addition to a decrease of 0.25% due to lower inflation, (e) the healthy and disabled mortality assumptions were updated to the RP-2014 mortality tables with generational improvement scale MP-2016 and (f) rates of retirement, termination and disability were modified to better reflect anticipated future experience.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2019.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2020.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2021.
- <sup>a</sup> For fiscal year 2022, the following changes of assumption affected the total pension liability since the prior measurement date: (a) the long-term expected rate of return was reduced from 7.45% to 7.00% and (b) the discount rate of return was reduced from 7.45% to 7.00%.
- <sup>a</sup> For fiscal year 2023, the following changes of assumption affected the total pension liability since the prior measurement date: (a) the projected salary increases went from 12.50% at age 20 to 2.50% at age 65 to varies by service from 2.50% to 8.50%.

#### OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB)

#### SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO

#### Changes in benefit terms:

- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2017.
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- $^{\circ}\,$  There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2021.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2022.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2023.

NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION (CONTINUED) FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,2023

#### OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONTINUED)

#### SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO (CONTINUED)

#### Changes in assumptions:

- <sup>a</sup> For fiscal year 2017, the following changes of assumptions affected the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement date: (a) assumed rate of inflation was reduced from 3.25% to 3.00%, (b) payroll growth assumption was reduced from 4.00% to 3.50%, (c) assumed real wage growth was reduced from 0.75% to 0.50%, (d) rates of withdrawal, retirement, and disability were updated to reflect recent experience, (e) mortality among active members was updated to the following: RP-2014 Blue Collar Mortality Table with fully generational projection and a five-year age set-back for both males and females, (f) mortality among service retired members and beneficiaries was updated to the following: RP-2014 Blue Collar Mortality Table with fully generational projection with Scale BB, 120% of male rates, and 110% of female rates, (g) mortality among disabled members was updated to the following: RP-2000 Disabled Mortality Table, 90% for male rates and 100% for female rates, set back five years is used for the period after disability retirement.
- <sup>a</sup> For fiscal year 2018, the following changes of assumptions affected the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement date: (a) assumed rate of inflation was reduced from 3.25% to 3.00%, (b) payroll growth assumption was reduced from 4.00% to 3.50%, (c) assumed real wage growth was reduced from 0.75% to 0.50%, (d) rates of withdrawal, retirement, and disability were updated to reflect recent experience, (e) mortality among active members was updated to the following: RP-2014 Blue Collar Mortality Table with fully generational projection and a five-year age set-back for both males and females, (f) mortality among service retired members and beneficiaries was updated to the following: RP-2014 Blue Collar Mortality Table with fully generational projection with Scale BB, 120% of male rates, and 110% of female rates, (g) mortality among disabled members was updated to the following: RP-2000 Disabled Mortality Table, 90% for male rates and 100% for female rates, set back five years is used for the period after disability retirement, (h) the municipal bond index rate increased from 2.92% to 3.56% and (i) the single equivalent interest rate, net of plan investment expense, including price inflation increased from 2.98% to 3.63%.
- <sup>a</sup> For fiscal year 2019, the following changes of assumptions affected the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement date: (a) the discount rate increased from 3.63% to 3.70%, (b) the health care cost trend rates for Medicare were changed from a range of 5.50%-5.00% to a range of 5.375%-4.75% and Pre-Medicare were changed from a range of 7.50%-5.00% to a range of 7.25%-4.75%, (c) the municipal bond index rate increased from 3.66% to 3.62% and (d) the single equivalent interest rate, net of plan investment expense, including price inflation increased from 3.63% to 3.70%.
- <sup>a</sup> For fiscal year 2020, the following changes of assumptions affected the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement date: (a) the discount rate decreased from 3.70% to 3.22%, (b) the health care cost trend rates for Medicare were changed from a range of 5.375%-4.75% to a range of 5.25%-4.75% and Pre-Medicare were changed from a range of 7.25%-4.75% to a range of 7.00%-4.75%, (c) the municipal bond index rate decreased from 3.62% to 3.13% and (d) the single equivalent interest rate, net of plan investment expense, including price inflation decreased from 3.70% to 3.22%.
- For fiscal year 2021, the following changes of assumptions affected the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement date: (a) the discount rate decreased from 3.22% to 2.63% and (b) the municipal bond index rate decreased from 3.13% to 2.45%, and (c) the single equivalent interest rate, net of plan investment expense, including price inflation decreased from 3.22% to 2.63%.
- <sup>a</sup> For fiscal year 2022, the following changes of assumptions affected the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement date: (a) wage inflation decreased from 3.00% to 2.40%, (b) future salary increases changed from 3.50%-18.20% to 3.25%-13.58%, (c) investment rate of return decreased from 7.50% to 7.00%, (d) discount rate decreased from 7.50% to 7.00% and (e) mortality tables changed from the RP-2014 Blue Collar mortality table to the PUB-2010 General Employee Amount Weighted Below Median Healthy Retiree mortality table.
- <sup>a</sup> For fiscal year 2023, the following changes of assumptions affected the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement date: (a) municipal bond index rate went from 1.92% to 3.69%, (b) single equivalent interest rate when from 2.27% to 4.08% and (c) medical trend assumptions went from 5.125% to 4.40% Medicare and 6.75% to 4.40% Pre-Medicare to 7.00% to 4.40%.

### NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION (CONTINUED) FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONTINUED)

#### STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (STRS) OF OHIO

#### Changes in benefit terms:

- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2017.
- Go For fiscal year 2018, STRS reduced the subsidy multiplier for non-Medicare benefit recipients from 2.1% to 1.9% per year of service. Medicare Part B premium reimbursements were discontinued for certain survivors and beneficiaries and all remaining Medicare Part B premium reimbursements will be discontinued beginning January 2019.
- Graph For fiscal year 2019, STRS increased the subsidy multiplier for non-Medicare benefit recipients from 1.9% to 1.944% per year of service effective January 1, 2019. The non-Medicare frozen subsidy base premium was increased January 1, 2019 and all remaining Medicare Part B premium reimbursements will be discontinued beginning January 1, 2020.
- Graph For fiscal year 2020, STRS increased the subsidy percentage from 1.944% to 1.984% effective January 1, 2020. The Medicare subsidy percentages were adjusted effective January 1, 2021 to 2.1% for the Medicare plan. The Medicare Part B monthly reimbursement elimination date was postponed to January 1, 2021.
- Go For fiscal year 2021, the non-Medicare subsidy percentage was increased effective January 1, 2021 from 1.984% to 2.055% per year of service. The non-Medicare frozen subsidy base premium was increased effective January 1, 2021. The Medicare subsidy percentages were adjusted effective January 1, 2021 to 2.1% for the AMA Medicare plan. The Medicare Part B monthly reimbursement elimination date was postponed indefinitely.
- For fiscal year 2022, the non-Medicare subsidy percentage was increased effective January 1, 2022 from 2.055% to 2.100%. The non-Medicare frozen subsidy base premium was increased effective January 1, 2022. The Medicare Part D subsidy was updated to reflect it is expected to be negative in CY2022. The Part B monthly reimbursement elimination date was postponed indefinitely.
- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2023.

#### Changes in assumptions:

- <sup>a</sup> There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2017.
- For fiscal year 2018, the following changes of assumptions affected the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement date: (a) the discount rate was increased from 3.26% to 4.13% based on the methodology defined under GASB Statement No. 74, Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans (OPEB), (b) the long term expected rate of return was reduced from 7.75% to 7.45%, (c) valuation year per capita health care costs were updated, and the salary scale was modified, (d) the percentage of future retirees electing each option was updated based on current data and the percentage of future disabled retirees and terminated vested participants electing health coverage were decreased and (e) the assumed mortality, disability, retirement, withdrawal and future health care cost trend rates were modified along with the portion of rebated prescription drug costs.
- For fiscal year 2019, the following changes of assumptions affected the total OPEB liability/asset since the prior measurement date: (a) the discount rate was increased from the blended rate of 4.13% to the long-term expected rate of return of 7.45% based on the methodology defined under GASB Statement No. 74, Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans (OPEB) and (b) decrease in health care cost trend rates from 6.00%-11.00% initial; 4.50% ultimate down to Medical Pre-Medicare 6.00% and Medicare 5.00% initial; 4.00% ultimate and Prescription Drug Pre-Medicare 8.00% and Medicare (5.23%) initial; 4.00% ultimate.
- For fiscal year 2020, health care cost trend rates were changed to the following: medical pre-Medicare from 6.00% initial 4.00% ultimate down to 5.87% initial 4.00% ultimate; medical Medicare from 5.00% initial 4.00% ultimate down to 4.93% initial 4.00% ultimate; prescription drug pre-Medicare from 8.00% initial 4.00% ultimate down to 7.73% initial 4.00% ultimate and (5.23%) initial 4.00% ultimate up to 9.62% initial 4.00% ultimate.

NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION (CONTINUED) FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONTINUED)

#### STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (STRS) OF OHIO (CONTINUED)

#### Changes in assumptions (continued):

- For fiscal year 2021, health care cost trend rates were changed to the following: medical pre-Medicare from 5.87% initial 4.00% ultimate down to 5.00% initial 4.00% ultimate; medical Medicare from 4.93% initial 4.00% ultimate down to -6.69% initial 4.00% ultimate; prescription drug pre-Medicare from 7.73% initial 4.00% ultimate down to 6.50% initial 4.00% ultimate; prescription drug Medicare from 9.62% initial 4.00% ultimate up to 11.87% initial 4.00% ultimate.
- For fiscal year 2022, the following changes of assumption affected the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement date: (a) the long-term expected rate of return was reduced from 7.45% to 7.00%, (b) the discount rate of return was reduced from 7.45% to 7.00% and (c) health care cost trend rates were changed to the following: medical Medicare from -6.69% initial 4.00% ultimate down to -16.18% initial 4.00% ultimate; prescription drug Medicare from 11.87% initial 4.00% ultimate up to 29.98% initial 4.00% ultimate.
- For fiscal year 2023, the following changes of assumption affected the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement date: (a) projected salary increase went from 12.50% at age 20 to 2.50% at age 65 to varies by services from 2.50% to 8.50% and (b) health care cost trend rates were changed to the following: Pre-Medicare from 5.00% initial 4.00% ultimate to 7.50% initial 3.94% ultimate; medical Medicare from -16.18% initial 4.00% ultimate to -68.78% initial 3.94% ultimate; prescription drug Pre-Medicare from 6.50% initial 4.00% ultimate to 9.00% initial 3.94% ultimate; Medicare from 29.98% initial 4.00% ultimate to -5.47% initial 3.94% ultimate.



# PERRYSBURG EXEMPTED VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT WOOD COUNTY, OHIO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

FEDERAL GRANTOR/ PASS THROUGH GRANTOR/ PROGRAM/CLUSTER TITLE	ASSISTANCE LISTING NUMBER	PASS-THROUGH ENTITY IDENTIFYING NUMBER / ADDITIONAL AWARD IDENTIFICATION	TOTAL FEDERAL EXPENDITURES
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE			
Passed Through the Ohio Department of Education	_		
Child Nutrition Cluster			
School Breakfast Program	10.553	2023	\$ 38,936
National School Lunch Program	10.555	2022	874,273
COVID-19 - National School Lunch Program	10.555	COVID-19, 2023	129,481
National School Lunch Program	10.555	2023	503,992
National School Lunch Program - Food Donation	10.555	2023	145,341
Total National School Lunch Program			1,653,087
Total Child Nutrition Cluster			1,692,023
COVID-19 - State Pandemic Electronic Benefit Transfer (P-EBT) Administrative Costs Grant	10.649	COVID-19, 2023	628
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			1,692,651
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION			
Passed Through the Ohio Department of Education	_		
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	84.010A	84.010A, 2022	24,307
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies - Expanding Opportunities for Each Child Non-Competitive Grant Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	84.010A 84.010A	84.010A, 2022 84.010A, 2023	2,028 91,907
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies - Expanding Opportunities for Each Child Non-Competitive Grant	84.010A	84.010A, 2023	1,166
Total Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies		,	119,408
Special Education Cluster (IDEA)			
Special Education-Grants to States (IDEA, Part B)	84.027A	84.027A, 2022	178,263
COVID-19 - Special Education-Grants to States (IDEA, Part B) - ARP	84.027X	COVID-19, 84.027X, 2022	12,074
Special Education-Grants to States (IDEA, Part B)	84.027A	84.027A, 2023	912,949
COVID-19 - Special Education-Grants to States (IDEA, Part B) - ARP	84.027X	COVID-19, 84.027X, 2023	148,756
Total Special Education-Grants to States (IDEA, Part B)			1,252,042
Special Education-Preschool Grants (IDEA Preschool)	84.173A	84.173A, 2022	5,070
COVID-19 - Special Education-Preschool Grants (IDEA Preschool) - ARP	84.173X	COVID-19, 84.173X, 2022	267
Special Education-Preschool Grants (IDEA Preschool)	84.173A	84.173A, 2023	26,139
COVID-19 - Special Education-Preschool Grants (IDEA Preschool) - ARP	84.173X	COVID-19, 84.173X, 2023	199
Total Special Education-Preschool Grants (IDEA Preschool)			31,675
Total Special Education Cluster (IDEA)			1,283,717
Consortium Amount Transferred from Consortium Members	042654	04.2654, 2022	0.505
English Language Acquisition State Grants - Title III - Language Instruction for English Learners	84.365A	84.365A, 2023	9,795
English Language Acquisition State Grants - Title III - Immigrant	84.365A	84.365A, 2022	3,938
English Language Acquisition State Grants - Title III - Immigrant	84.365A	84.365A, 2023	1,780
English Language Acquisition State Grants - Title III - Language Instruction for English Learners	84.365A	84.365A, 2022	1,178
English Language Acquisition State Grants - Title III - Language Instruction for English Learners  Total English Language Acquisition State Grants - Title III	84.365A	84.365A, 2023	6,915
Total English Language Acquisition State Grants - Title III			23,000
Supporting Effective Instruction State Grants	84.367A	84.367A, 2022	10,695
Supporting Effective Instruction State Grants  Total Supporting Effective Instruction State Grants	84.367A	84.367A, 2023	74,261 84,956
Total Supporting Effective find action State Grants			04,730
Student Support and Academic Enrichment Program	84.424A	84.424A, 2023	7,622
COVID-19 - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER II) Fund	84.425D	COVID-19, 84.425D, 2023	2,453
COVID-19 - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER II) Fund - State Activity Supplement	84.425D	COVID-19, 84.425D, 2023	1,855,751
COVID-19 - American Rescue Plan - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ARP ESSER) Fund COVID-19 - American Rescue Plan - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ARP ESSER) Fund	84.425U 84.425U	COVID-19, 84.425U, 2022 COVID-19, 84.425U, 2023	104,018 168,674
COVID-19 - American Rescue Plan - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ARP ESSER) Fund - State Activity Supplement	84.425U	COVID-19, 84.425U, 2023	23,149
COVID-19 - American Rescue Plan - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ARP ESSER) Fund - Homeless Round II	84.425W	COVID-19, 84.425W, 2023	2,218
Total Education Stabilization Fund			2,156,263
Total U.S. Department of Education			3,675,572
Total Federal Expenditures			\$ 5,368,223
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of this schedule.

NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS 2 CFR 200.510(b)(6)
FOR THE FISCALYEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

#### NOTE 1 – BASIS OF PRESENTATION & SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the Schedule) includes the federal award activity of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District under programs of the federal government for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023 and is prepared in accordance with the cash basis of accounting. The information on this Schedule is prepared in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net position, or cash flows of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District. Such expenditures are recognized following cost principles contained in Uniform Guidance wherein certain types of expenditures may or may not be limited to as to reimbursement.

#### NOTE 2 – DE MINIMIS COST RATE

CFR Section 200.414 of the Uniform Guidance allows a non-federal entity that has never received a negotiated indirect cost rate to charge a de minimis rate of 10% of modified total direct costs to indirect costs. The Perrysburg Exempted Village School District has not elected to use the 10% de minimis indirect cost rate as allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

#### **NOTE 3 – CHILD NUTRITION CLUSTER**

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

#### NOTE 4 – FOOD DONATION PROGRAM

The Perrysburg Exempted Village School District reports commodities consumed on the Schedule at the entitlement value. The Perrysburg Exempted Village School District allocated donated food commodities to the respective program that benefitted from the use of those donated food commodities

#### NOTE 5 - FEDERAL AWARDS ADMINISTERED FOR OTHER GOVERNMENTS

The Perrysburg Exempted Village School District applies for and administers grants on behalf of member school districts. The Perrysburg Exempted Village School District reports these grants on their Schedule, and they are subject to audit during the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's annual audit according to Uniform Guidance. Awards which were reported by the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District that benefited member districts are as follows:

	Awai	rd Amount		
Member District	for English	guage Instruction Learners Grants - 84.365A		
Anthony Wayne Local School District	\$	3,652		
Leipsic Local School District		3,154		
Maumee City School District		2,159		
Ottawa-Glandorf Local School District		830		
Total	\$	9,795		



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## Independent Auditor's 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

Perrysburg Exempted Village School District Wood County 140 East Indiana Avenue Perrysburg, OH 43551

To the Members of the Board of Education:

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District, Wood County, Ohio, as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 26, 2023.

#### Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances 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 Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* 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 and correct, misstatements, on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or, significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified.

Perrysburg Exempted Village School District Wood County

Independent Auditor's 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* 

#### **Report on Compliance and Other Matters**

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As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's financial statements are free from 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 financial statements. 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*.

#### **Purpose of this Report**

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Julian & Grube, Inc. December 26, 2023



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### Independent Auditor's Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program and on Internal Control Over Compliance Required by the Uniform Guidance

Perrysburg Exempted Village School District Wood County 140 East Indiana Avenue Perrysburg, OH 43551

To the Members of the Board of Education:

#### Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

#### Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) *Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's major federal programs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023. The Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings.

In our opinion, the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023.

#### Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the "Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance" section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

#### Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules, and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's federal programs.

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#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform
  audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence
  regarding the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's compliance with the compliance requirements
  referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Perrysburg Exempted Village School District's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

#### **Report on Internal Control over Compliance**

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the "Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance" section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance may exist that were not identified.

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Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

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December 26, 2023

# SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS 2 CFR § 200.515 JUNE 30, 2023

1. SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS		
(d)(1)(i)	Type of Financial Statement Opinion	Unmodified
(d)(1)(ii)	Were there any material control weaknesses reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
(d)(1)(ii)	Were there any other significant deficiencies in internal control reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
(d)(1)(iii)	Was there any reported material noncompliance at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
(d)(1)(iv)	Were there any material internal control weaknesses reported for major federal programs?	No
(d)(1)(iv)	Were there any significant deficiencies in internal control reported for major federal programs?	No
(d)(1)(v)	Type of Major Program's Compliance Opinion	Unmodified
(d)(1)(vi)	Are there any reportable findings under 2 CFR §200.516(a)?	No
(d)(1)(vii)	Major Program (listed):	COVID-19 – Education Stabilization Fund (ALN 84.425)
(d)(1)(viii)	Dollar Threshold: Type A/B Programs	Type A: > \$750,000 Type B: all others
(d)(1)(ix)	Low Risk Auditee under 2 CFR § 200.520?	Yes

### 2. FINDING RELATED TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS

None

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

None



### PERRYSBURG EXEMPTED VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT

#### **WOOD COUNTY**

#### **AUDITOR OF STATE OF OHIO CERTIFICATION**

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



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