

SINGLE AUDIT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024





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We have reviewed the *Independent Auditor's Report* of the Miami Valley Career Technology Center, Montgomery County, prepared by Clark, Schaefer, Hackett & Co., for the audit period July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024. Based upon this review, we have accepted these reports in lieu of the audit required by Section 117.11, Revised Code. The Auditor of State did not audit the accompanying financial statements and, accordingly, we are unable to express, and do not express an opinion on them.

Our review was made in reference to the applicable sections of legislative criteria, as reflected by the Ohio Constitution, and the Revised Code, policies, procedures and guidelines of the Auditor of State, regulations and grant requirements. The Miami Valley Career Technology Center is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

The Auditor of State is conducting an investigation of the Center, any potential findings related to controls or compliance will be reported in a future report.

Keith Faber Auditor of State Columbus, Ohio

March 12, 2025



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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Education Miami Valley Career Technology Center 6800 Hoke Road Englewood, Ohio 45315

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Miami Valley Career Technology Center (the "Center"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Center's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying 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 Center, as of June 30, 2024, and the respective changes in financial position for the 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 (GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Center 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 Center'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.



Auditors' 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 auditors' 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 GAAS 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 GAAS 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 Center'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 Center'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, the required pension and OPEB schedules and the budgetary comparison schedules, as 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 or provide any assurance.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Center's basic financial statements. The 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 GAAS. 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 13, 2024, on our consideration of the Center'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 Center'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 Center's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Clark, Schaefer, Hackett & Co.

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (UNAUDITED)

The management's discussion and analysis of the Miami Valley Career Technology Center (the "Center") financial performance provides an overall review of the Center's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the Center's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the basic financial statements and the notes to the basic financial statements to enhance their understanding of the Center's financial performance.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for fiscal year 2024 are as follows:

- In total, net position of governmental activities increased \$10,770,977 which represents an 19.07% increase from June 30, 2023's net position.
- General revenues accounted for \$46,607,289 in revenue or 77.17% of all revenues. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services and sales and operating grants accounted for \$13,787,550 or 22.83% of total revenues of \$60,394,839.
- The Center had \$49,623,862 in expenses related to governmental activities; \$13,787,550 of these expenses were offset by program specific charges for services and operating grants and contributions. General revenues supporting governmental activities (primarily taxes and unrestricted grants and entitlements) of \$46,607,289 were adequate to provide for these programs.
- The Center has four major funds: the general fund, the classroom facilities maintenance fund, the debt service fund, and the building fund. The general fund had \$43,901,846 in revenues and other financing sources and \$42,313,777 in expenditures and other financing uses. The general fund's fund balance increased \$1,557,933 from \$15,807,188 to \$17,365,121.
- The classroom facilities maintenance fund had \$3,215,294 in revenues and \$50,768 in expenditures. The classroom facilities maintenance fund balance increased \$3,164,526 from \$13,651,619 to \$16,816,145.
- The debt service fund had \$9,154,337 in revenues and other financing sources and \$8,583,564 in expenditures. The debt service fund balance increased \$570,773 from \$12,777,289 to \$13,348,062.
- The building fund had \$1,084,916 in revenues and other financing sources and \$10,590,057 in expenditures. The building fund balance decreased \$9,505,141 from \$7,314,546 to (\$2,190,595).

Using these Basic Financial Statements

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements and notes to those statements. These statements are organized so the reader can understand the Center 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 Center, presenting both an aggregate view of the Center'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 Center's most significant funds with all other nonmajor funds presented in total in one column. The Center has four major funds: the general fund, the classroom facilities maintenance fund, the debt service fund, and the building fund.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (UNAUDITED)

Reporting the Center as a Whole

Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities

While this document contains the large number of funds used by the Center to provide programs and activities, the view of the Center as a whole looks at all financial transactions and asks the question, "How did we do financially during fiscal year 2024?" The statement of net position and the 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. This 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 Center's *net position* and changes in that net position. This change in net position is important because it tells the reader that, for the Center as a whole, the *financial position* of the Center 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 Center's property tax base, current property tax laws in Ohio restricting revenue growth, facility conditions, required educational programs and other factors.

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

Reporting the Center's Most Significant Funds

Fund Financial Statements

Fund financial reports provide detailed information about the Center's major funds. The Center uses many funds to account for a multitude of financial transactions. However, these fund financial statements focus on the Center's most significant funds. The Center's major governmental funds are the general fund, the classroom facilities maintenance fund, the debt service fund, and the building fund.

Governmental Funds

Most of the Center'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 Center'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 the statement of activities) and governmental *funds* is reconciled in the basic financial statements.

Notes to the Basic 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.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (UNAUDITED)

Required Supplementary Information

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

The Center as a Whole

The statement of net position provides the perspective of the Center as a whole.

The table below provides a summary of the Center's net position at June 30, 2024 and June 30, 2023. Amounts at June 30, 2023 have been restated as described in Note 3.

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		Restated
	Governmental	Governmental
	Activities	Activities
	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
<u>Assets</u>		
Current and other assets	\$ 85,668,603	\$ 96,773,461
Net OPEB asset	2,966,730	3,937,545
Capital assets, net	174,021,832	158,762,159
Total assets	262,657,165	259,473,165
Deferred Outflows of Resources		
Deferred charges on refunding	341,895	379,884
Pension	7,671,157	9,391,567
OPEB	977,358	574,827
Total deferred outflows of resources	8,990,410	10,346,278
<u>Liabilities</u>		
Current liabilities	7,441,257	9,711,818
Long-term liabilities:		
Due within one year	4,433,811	3,896,541
Due in more than one year:		
Net pension liability	37,614,608	38,773,894
Net OPEB liability	1,388,886	1,243,696
Other amounts	121,978,524	125,884,046
Total liabilities	172,857,086	179,509,995
Deferred Inflows of Resources		
Property taxes levied for next year	24,783,305	24,847,387
Pension	3,004,030	4,128,437
OPEB	3,753,465	4,854,912
Total deferred inflows of resources	31,540,800	33,830,736
Net Position		
Net investment in capital assets	55,853,537	38,759,677
Restricted	31,166,982	33,039,267
Unrestricted (deficit)	(19,770,830)	(15,320,232)
Total net position	\$ 67,249,689	\$ 56,478,712

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (UNAUDITED)

The net pension liability is reported pursuant to 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 Center'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.

Governmental Accounting Standards Board 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/asset to equal the Center'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 Center 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 Center'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, respectively, not accounted for as deferred inflows/outflows.

Over time, net position can serve as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. At June 30, 2024, the Center's assets plus deferred outflows of resources exceeded liabilities plus deferred inflows of resources by \$67,249,689.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (UNAUDITED)

Assets of the Center increased \$3,184,000 or 1.23%. Current and other assets decreased primarily due to a decrease in equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents which were used in the Center's construction project.

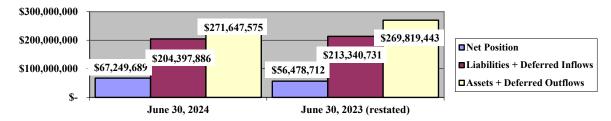
At year-end, capital assets represented 66.25% of total assets. Capital assets include land, buildings and improvements, equipment and intangible right-to-use assets. Net investment in capital assets at June 30, 2024, was \$55,853,537. These capital assets are used to provide services to the students and are not available for future spending. Although the Center'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. Capital assets increased \$15.3 million due to additions exceeding current year depreciation and disposals, net of accumulated depreciation.

The net pension liability decreased approximately \$1.2 million and deferred inflows of resources related to pension decreased \$1.1 million. 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 exceeded estimates for the fiscal year 2023 measurement that are used for the fiscal year 2024 reporting which caused a large increase in fiduciary net position.

A portion of the Center's net position, \$31,166,982 represents resources that are subject to external restriction on how they may be used. The remaining balance of unrestricted net position is (\$19,770,830).

The graph below shows the Center's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, deferred inflows of resources and net position at June 30, 2024 and June 30, 2023. Amounts at June 30, 2023 have been restated as described in Note 3.

Governmental Activities



The table below shows the change in net position for fiscal years 2024 and 2023. The net position at June 30, 2023 has been restated as described in Note 3.

	Change in Net Position	
		Restated
	Governmental	Governmental
	Activities	Activities
	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Revenues		
Program revenues:		
Charges for services and sales	\$ 1,478,700	\$ 1,967,495
Operating grants and contributions	12,308,850	11,858,216
Capital grants and contributions	-	100,000
General revenues:		
Property taxes	27,746,357	23,330,218
Grants and entitlements - unrestricted	15,428,101	14,443,263
Investment earnings	3,277,221	2,032,807
Miscellaneous	155,610	135,686
Total revenues	60,394,839	53,867,685
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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (UNAUDITED)

Change in Net Position (Continued)

		Restated
	Governmental	Governmental
	Activities	Activities
	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Expenses		
Program expenses:		
Instruction:		
Regular	\$ 896,960	\$ 1,291,984
Special	1,008,880	922,013
Vocational	22,903,549	21,316,479
Adult/continuing	1,921,201	3,477,410
Other	1,821	2,343
Support services:		
Pupil	2,393,870	2,114,696
Instructional staff	5,989,002	5,750,935
Board of education	57,408	60,016
Administration	3,215,184	2,781,238
Fiscal	1,341,302	1,401,356
Business	558,870	535,497
Operations and maintenance	3,597,633	3,819,332
Pupil transportation	170,352	130,586
Central	460,232	405,110
Operations of non-instructional services:		
Other non-instructional services	12,287	10,938
Extracurricular activities	305,430	268,191
Interest and fiscal charges	4,789,881	4,946,687
Total expenses	49,623,862	49,234,811
Special item	_	(6,238,655)
Change in net position	10,770,977	(1,605,781)
Net position at beginning of year (restated)	56,478,712	58,084,493
Net position at end of year	\$ 67,249,689	\$ 56,478,712

Governmental Activities

Net position of the Center's governmental activities increased \$10,770,977. Total governmental expenses of \$49,623,862 were offset by program revenues of \$13,787,550 and general revenues of \$46,607,289. Program revenues supported 27.78% of the total governmental expenses.

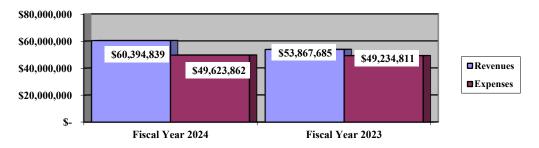
The primary sources of revenue for governmental activities are derived from property taxes and unrestricted grants and entitlements from the State. These revenue sources account for 71.49% of total governmental revenue. The increase in property taxes was the result of an increase in taxes available for advance at fiscal year-end. Advances can fluctuate depending on when tax bills are sent out. Grants and entitlements increased due to increased support from the state in the form of grants and foundation related revenue.

The largest expense of the Center is for instructional programs. Instruction expenses totaled \$26,732,411 or 53.87% of total governmental expenses for fiscal year 2024. Instruction services decreased \$277,818 or 1.03%. This decrease is primarily the result of a decrease in adult/continuing instruction expense of \$1,556,209 due to cutting adult education programs.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (UNAUDITED)

The graph below presents the Center's governmental activities revenue and expenses for fiscal years 2024 and 2023.

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. That is, it identifies the cost of these services supported by tax revenue and unrestricted state grants and entitlements.

Governmental Activities

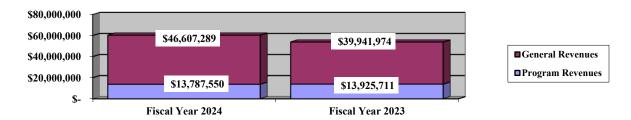
	Total Cost of Services 2024	Net Cost of Services 2024	Total Cost of Services 2023	Net Cost of Services 2023
Program expenses				
Instruction:				
Regular	\$ 896,960	\$ 896,960	\$ 1,291,984	\$ 1,291,984
Special	1,008,880	(1,057,064)	922,013	(822,533)
Vocational	22,903,549	15,779,394	21,316,479	13,764,929
Adult/continuing	1,921,201	(8,932)	3,477,410	1,140,188
Other	1,821	1,467	2,343	1,675
Support services:				
Pupil	2,393,870	1,702,633	2,114,696	1,588,367
Instructional staff	5,989,002	4,725,041	5,750,935	4,676,255
Board of education	57,408	57,408	60,016	60,016
Administration	3,215,184	2,787,839	2,781,238	2,436,779
Fiscal	1,341,302	1,340,894	1,401,356	1,401,356
Business	558,870	519,603	535,497	428,533
Operations and maintenance	3,597,633	3,594,517	3,819,332	3,811,922
Pupil transportation	170,352	170,352	130,586	130,576
Central	460,232	282,959	405,110	250,060
Operations of non-instructional services:				
Other non-instructional services	12,287	12,287	10,938	10,938
Extracurricular activities	305,430	241,073	268,191	191,368
Interest and fiscal charges	4,789,881	4,789,881	4,946,687	4,946,687
Total	\$ 49,623,862	\$ 35,836,312	\$ 49,234,811	\$ 35,309,100

The dependence upon tax and other general revenues for governmental activities is apparent as 58.40% of instruction activities are supported through taxes and other general revenues. For all governmental activities, general revenue support is 72.22%. The Center's taxpayers and unrestricted grants and entitlements are the primary support for the Center's students.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (UNAUDITED)

The graph below presents the Center's governmental activities revenue for fiscal years 2024 and 2023.

Governmental Activities - General and Program Revenues



The Center's Funds

The Center's governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$52,536,999, which is lower than last year's total of \$61,325,178.

The schedule below indicates the fund balance and the total change in fund balance as of June 30, 2024 and 2023.

	Fund Balance (Deficit) June 30, 2024	Fund Balance June 30, 2023	<u>Change</u>	Percentage Change
General fund	\$ 17,365,121	\$ 15,807,188	\$ 1,557,933	9.86 %
Classroom facilities maintenance fund	16,816,145	13,651,619	3,164,526	23.18 %
Debt service fund	13,348,062	12,777,289	570,773	4.47 %
Building fund	(2,190,595)	7,314,546	(9,505,141)	(129.95) %
Other governmental funds	7,198,266	11,774,536	(4,576,270)	(38.87) %
Total	\$ 52,536,999	\$ 61,325,178	\$ (8,788,179)	(14.33) %

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (UNAUDITED)

General Fund

During fiscal year 2024, the Center's general fund balance increased \$1,557,933. The table that follows assists in illustrating the financial activities of the general fund.

	2024	2023		Percentage
	Amount	Amount	Change	Change
Revenues				
Property taxes	\$ 17,687,912	\$ 13,977,412	\$ 3,710,500	26.55 %
Tuition	1,186,770	1,973,623	(786,853)	(39.87) %
Earnings on investments	922,665	238,017	684,648	(287.65) %
Intergovernmental	23,638,527	20,527,204	3,111,323	15.16 %
Other revenues	435,836	432,023	3,813	0.88 %
Total	\$ 43,871,710	\$ 37,148,279	\$ 6,723,431	18.10 %
Expenditures				
Instruction	\$ 24,412,189	\$ 22,700,430	\$ 1,711,759	7.54 %
Support services	16,690,573	15,515,347	1,175,226	7.57 %
Operation of non-instructional:				
Other non-instructional services	12,287	10,938	1,349	12.33 %
Capital outlay	30,136	246,009	(215,873)	(87.75) %
Debt service	77,064	72,032	5,032	6.99 %
Total	\$ 41,222,249	\$ 38,544,756	\$ 2,677,493	6.95 %

Revenues of the general fund increased \$6,723,431 or 18.10%. Intergovernmental revenues increased \$3,111,323 due to changes to career center funding in the State. Property taxes increased primarily due to the amount available for advance from the county auditors which can fluctuate from year to year.

Expenditures increased \$2,677,493 or 6.95%. Instruction and support services increased due to salary and benefit increases.

Classroom Facilities Maintenance Fund

The classroom facilities maintenance fund had \$3,215,294 in revenues and \$50,768 in expenditures. The classroom facilities fund balance increased \$3,164,526 from \$13,651,619 to \$16,816,145. The increase was the result of property tax revenues exceeding expenditures.

Debt Service Fund

The debt service fund had \$9,154,337 in revenues and other financing sources and \$8,583,564 in expenditures. The debt service fund balance increased \$570,773 from \$12,777,289 to \$13,348,062. The increase was primarily the result of property tax revenue exceeding debt service expenditures in the fund.

Building Fund

The building fund had \$1,084,916 in revenues and other financing sources and \$10,590,057 in expenditures. The building fund balance decreased \$9,505,141 from \$7,314,546 to (\$2,190,595). The decrease was the result of expenditures related to the Center's construction of new facilities.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (UNAUDITED)

General Fund Budgeting Highlights

The Center'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.

During the course of fiscal year 2024, the Center reallocated its general fund estimated revenue budget. For the general fund, original and final budgeted revenues were \$37,580,599. Actual revenues plus other financing sources of \$41,548,139 were \$3,967,540 more than final budgeted amounts.

General fund actual expenditures plus other financing uses of \$42,490,309 were \$1,176,502 lower than final appropriations (appropriated expenditures plus other financing uses) of \$43,666,811. Original appropriations were \$41,728,115.

Capital Assets and Debt Administration

Capital Assets

At the end of fiscal year 2024, the Center had \$174,021,832 invested in land, buildings and improvements, equipment and intangible right-to-use assets. This entire amount is reported in governmental activities.

The table below shows June 30, 2024 balances compared to June 30, 2023. Amounts at June 30, 2023 have been restated as described in Note 3.

Capital Assets at June 30 (Net of Depreciation/Amortization)

	Governmental Activities			vities
				Restated
		<u>2024</u>		<u>2023</u>
Land	\$	557,080	\$	557,080
Construction in progress		-		147,945,447
Buildings and improvements	1	67,003,118		4,110,394
Furniture and equipment		6,291,280		5,946,440
Intangible right-to-use assets		170,354		202,798
Total	\$ 1	74,021,832	\$	158,762,159

Capital assets increased \$15,259,673 during fiscal year 2024. The Center had \$16,897,541 in additions and \$1,637,868 in depreciation/amortization.

See Note 8 to the basic financial statements for detail on the Center's capital assets.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (UNAUDITED)

Debt Administration

At June 30, 2024 the Center had \$124,627,959 in general obligation bonds and leases outstanding. Of this total, \$3,604,482 is due within one year and \$121,023,477 is due in more than one year. The table below summarizes the long-term obligations outstanding.

Outstanding Debt, at Year End

	Governmental Activities 2024	Governmental Activities 2023	
General Obligation Bonds Premiums Discounts	\$ 116,770,000 8,252,496 (569,318)	\$ 119,755,000 8,623,202 (593,040)	
Capital appreciation bonds Accreted interest	-	131,095 226,836	
Leases payable	174,781	205,376	
Total	\$ 124,627,959	\$ 128,348,469	

See Note 9 to the basic financial statements for detail on the Center's debt administration.

Contacting the Center's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, investors and creditors with a general overview of the Center's finances and to show the Center's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information contact, Mr. Brad McKee, Treasurer, Miami Valley Career Technology Center, 6800 Hoke Road, Englewood, Ohio 45315.

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STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2024

	G	overnmental Activities
Assets:	¢	54.925.245
Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents Restricted assets:	\$	54,835,245
Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents Receivables:		2,138,646
Property taxes		27,331,978
Accounts		188,177
Accrued interest		152,842
Intergovernmental		976,331
Prepayments		45,384
Net OPEB asset		2,966,730
Capital assets:		_,, ,,,,,,,
Nondepreciable capital assets		557,080
Depreciable capital assets, net		173,464,752
Capital assets, net		174,021,832
Total assets		262,657,165
Deferred outflows of resources: Unamortized deferred charges on debt refunding		341,895
Pension		7,671,157
OPEB		977,358
Total deferred outflows of resources	-	8,990,410
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Liabilities:		
Accounts payable		305,978
Contracts payable		839,715
Retainage payable		2,138,646
Accrued wages and benefits payable		3,270,372
Intergovernmental payable		109,557
Pension and postemployment benefit payable		377,897
Accrued interest payable		399,092
Long-term liabilities:		
Due within one year		4,433,811
Due in more than one year:		
Net pension liability		37,614,608
Net OPEB liability		1,388,886
Other amounts due in more than one year		121,978,524
Total liabilities		172,857,086
Deferred inflows of resources:		
Property taxes levied for the next fiscal year		24,783,305
Pension		3,004,030
OPEB		3,753,465
Total deferred inflows of resources		31,540,800
Net position:		
Net investment in capital assets		55,853,537
Restricted for:		
Capital projects		5,285,545
OPEB		2,966,730
Classroom facilities maintenance		16,950,841
Debt service		5,845,198
State funded programs		76,453
Federally funded programs		23,078
Student activities		1,068
Other purposes		18,069
Unrestricted (deficit)		(19,770,830)
Total net position	\$	67,249,689
Total net position	Ψ	07,217,007

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

	FOI	R THE FISCAL Y	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 Program Revenues				R	et (Expense) evenue and Changes in let Position
				Charges for	Ope	rating Grants	G	overnmental
		Expenses	Serv	rices and Sales	and	Contributions		Activities
Governmental activities:								
Instruction:								
Regular	\$	896,960	\$	-	\$	-	\$	(896,960)
Special		1,008,880		403,684		1,662,260		1,057,064
Vocational		22,903,549		358,985		6,765,170		(15,779,394)
Adult/continuing		1,921,201		92,476		1,837,657		8,932
Other		1,821		336		18		(1,467)
Support services:		2 202 970		0.520		691 609		(1.702.622)
Pupil Instructional staff		2,393,870 5,989,002		9,539 441,113		681,698		(1,702,633)
Board of education		57,408		441,113		822,848		(4,725,041) (57,408)
Administration		3,215,184		108,213		319,132		(2,787,839)
Fiscal		1,341,302		100,213		408		(1,340,894)
Business		558,870		_		39,267		(519,603)
Operations and maintenance		3,597,633		3,116		57,207		(3,594,517)
Pupil transportation		170,352				_		(170,352)
Central		460,232		_		177,273		(282,959)
Operation of non-instructional services:						,		
Other non-instructional services		12,287		<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>		(12,287)
Extracurricular activities		305,430		61,238		3,119		(241,073)
Interest and fiscal charges		4,789,881		-		-		(4,789,881)
Totals	\$	49,623,862	\$	1,478,700	\$	12,308,850		(35,836,312)
		ral revenues:	or:					
		ieral purposes						17,713,559
		ot service						7,664,241
		cial revenue		. 1				2,368,557
		s and entitlement	s not restri	cted				15 420 101
		ment earnings						15,428,101 3,277,221
		ellaneous						155,610
		general revenues						46,607,289
	Chan	ge in net position						10,770,977
	Net position at beginning of year, as previously reported							48,834,298
	Adjustment/Error correction							7,644,414
	Net p	osition at begins	ning of yea	ar, restated				56,478,712
	Net p	osition at end of	year				\$	67,249,689

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BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2024

		General		Classroom Facilities Iaintenance		Debt Service		Building
Assets:								
Equity in pooled cash								
and cash equivalents	\$	18,004,730	\$	16,714,902	\$	13,024,820	\$	_
Receivables:	-	,,	-	,,,,	•	,,	•	
Property taxes		16,860,525		2,471,442		8,000,011		_
Accounts		187,848		_		-		_
Accrued interest		69,216		75,426		8,200		_
Interfund loans		1,507,089		_				_
Intergovernmental		46,640		_		_		_
Prepayments		44,950		_		-		-
Due from other funds		621,096		-		-		=
Restricted assets:								
Equity in pooled cash								
and cash equivalents		-		-		_		742,680
Total assets	\$	37,342,094	\$	19,261,770	\$	21,033,031	\$	742,680
Liabilities:								
Accounts payable	\$	265,875	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Contracts payable		-		-		-		689,079
Retainage payable		-		-		-		742,680
Accrued wages and benefits payable		3,270,372		-		-		-
Compensated absences payable		403,889		-		-		-
Intergovernmental payable		109,557		-		-		-
Pension and postemployment benefits payable		377,897		-		-		-
Interfund loans payable		_		-		-		1,501,516
Due to other funds		-		-		-		-
Total liabilities		4,427,590						2,933,275
Defermed inflorer of recommen								
Deferred inflows of resources:		14 070 627		2 210 020		7 402 720		
Property taxes levied for the next fiscal year		14,979,637		2,310,929		7,492,739		-
Delinquent property tax revenue not available Intergovernmental revenue not available		500,530		59,270		184,030		-
Accrued interest not available		69,216		75,426		8,200		-
Total deferred inflows of resources		15,549,383		2,445,625		7,684,969		<u> </u>
Total deferred lilliows of resources		13,343,363		2,443,023		7,004,707		<u>-</u> _
Fund balances:								
Nonspendable:								
Prepaids		44,950		-		-		-
Restricted:								
Debt service		-		-		13,348,062		-
Capital improvements		-		-		-		-
Classroom facilities maintenance		-		16,816,145		-		-
State funded programs		-		-		-		=
Federally funded programs		-		-		-		-
Extracurricular		-		-		-		=
Other purposes		-		-		-		-
Assigned:								
Student instruction		486,418		-		-		-
Student and staff support		569,554		-		-		=
Subsequent year's appropriations		1,562,358		-		-		-
Unassigned (deficit)		14,701,841				-		(2,190,595)
Total fund balances		17,365,121		16,816,145		13,348,062		(2,190,595)
Total liabilities, deferred inflows and fund balances	\$	37,342,094	\$	19,261,770	\$	21,033,031	\$	742,680

Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds			
\$ 7,090,793	\$	54,835,245		
-		27,331,978		
329		188,177		
-		152,842		
-		1,507,089		
929,691		976,331		
434		45,384		
-		621,096		
1,395,966		2,138,646		
\$ 9,417,213	\$	87,796,788		
\$ 40,103	\$	305,978		
150,636		839,715		
1,395,966		2,138,646		
-		3,270,372		
_		403,889		
_		109,557		
_		377,897		
5,573		1,507,089		
621,096		621,096		
2,213,374		9,574,239		
2,213,374		7,577,257		
-		24,783,305		
_		743,830		
5,573		5,573		
-		152,842		
5,573		25,685,550		
		- / /		
434		45,384		
_		13,348,062		
7,085,171		7,085,171		
7,005,171		16,816,145		
76,453		76,453		
20,316		20,316		
1,068		1,068		
18,069		18,069		
18,009				
-		486,418		
-		569,554		
-		1,562,358		
(3,245)		12,508,001		
7,198,266		52,536,999		
\$ 9,417,213	\$	87,796,788		

RECONCILIATION OF TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCES TO NET POSITION OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES ${\tt JUNE~30,2024}$

Total governmental fund balances		\$ 52,536,999
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.		174,021,832
Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current- period expenditures and therefore are deferred inflows in the funds. Property taxes receivable	\$ 743,830	
Accrued interest receivable Intergovernmental receivable Total	152,842 5,573	902,245
Unamortized premiums (discounts) on bonds issued are not recognized in the funds.		(7,683,178)
Unamortized amounts on refundings are not recognized in the funds.		341,895
Accrued interest payable is not due and payable in the current period and therefore is not reported in the funds.		(399,092)
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	7,671,157 (3,004,030) (37,614,608) 977,358 (3,753,465) 2,966,730 (1,388,886)	(34,145,744)
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 Leases payable Compensated absences Total	(116,770,000) (174,781) (1,380,487)	 (118,325,268)
Net position of governmental activities		\$ 67,249,689

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STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

	General	Classroom Facilities Maintenance	Debt Service	Building
Revenues:				
Property taxes	\$ 17,687,912	\$ 2,375,506	\$ 7,702,071	\$ -
Intergovernmental	23,638,527	56,260	192,200	-
Investment earnings	922,665	783,528	750,666	377,251
Tuition and fees Extracurricular	1,186,770	-	-	-
Rental income	4,846 3,116	-	-	-
Charges for services	263,163	_	_	_
Contributions and donations	91,038	_	_	_
Miscellaneous	73,673	_	_	1,004
Total revenues	43,871,710	3,215,294	8,644,937	378,255
Expenditures: Current:				
Instruction:				
Regular	698,641	-	-	-
Special	1,038,513	-	-	-
Vocational	22,540,204	-	-	-
Adult/continuing	134,831	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-
Support services: Pupil	2,282,925			
Instructional staff	5,229,313	_	_	_
Board of education	58,286	_	_	_
Administration	2,927,409	_	_	_
Fiscal	1,153,054	50,768	138,383	5,453
Business	437,086			
Operations and maintenance	4,138,622	-	-	-
Pupil transportation	172,907	-	-	-
Central	290,971	-	-	-
Operation of non-instructional services: Other non-instructional services	12,287	-	-	-
Extracurricular activities	-	-	-	-
Facilities acquisition and construction	20.126	-	-	10,584,604
Capital outlay Debt service:	30,136	-	-	-
Principal retirement	71,112	_	3,116,095	_
Interest and fiscal charges	5,952	_	5,090,181	_
Accretion on capital appreciation bonds	3,732	_	238,905	_
Total expenditures	41,222,249	50,768	8,583,564	10,590,057
Excess (deficiency) of revenues				
over (under) expenditures	2,649,461	3,164,526	61,373	(10,211,802)
Other financing sources (uses):				
Sale of capital assets	_	_	_	56,661
Insurance recoveries	_	_	_	250,000
Transfers in	_	_	509,400	400,000
Transfers (out)	(1,121,664)	-		
Lease transaction	30,136	-	-	-
Total other financing sources (uses)	(1,091,528)		509,400	706,661
Net change in fund balances	1,557,933	3,164,526	570,773	(9,505,141)
Fund balances as previously reported	15,807,188	13,651,619	12,777,289	7,314,546
Adjustment - changes in major fund to nonmajor fund				
Fund balances at beginning of year, as adjusted	15,807,188	13,651,619	12,777,289	7,314,546
Fund balances at end of year	\$ 17,365,121	\$ 16,816,145	\$ 13,348,062	\$ (2,190,595)

(Formerly Major) Classroom Facilities	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
	\$ -	\$ 27,765,489
	4,116,589	28,003,576
	407,358	3,241,468
	-	1,186,770
	40,358	45,204
	16,370	3,116 279,533
	3,032	94,070
	495	75,172
	4,584,202	60,694,398
	-	698,641
	450.510	1,038,513
	458,519 1,836,093	22,998,723 1,970,924
	1,821	1,821
	186,005 816,547	2,468,930
	810,347	6,045,860 58,286
	317,859	3,245,268
	3,322	1,350,980
	78,588	515,674
	-	4,138,622
	177,271	172,907 468,242
	-	12,287
	305,430	305,430
	5,186,198	15,770,802
	15,188	45,324
	4,807	3,192,014
	276	5,096,409
	9,387,924	238,905 69,834,562
	7,361,724	07,034,302
	(4,803,722)	(9,140,164)
	-	56,661
	-	250,000
	212,264	1,121,664
	15 100	(1,121,664)
	15,188 227,452	45,324 351,985
	(4,576,270)	(8,788,179)
11,580,003	194,533	61,325,178
(11,580,003)	11,580,003	
	11,774,536	61,325,178

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, 2024

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds		\$	(8,788,179)
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	\$ 16,897,541		
Current year depreciation Total	(1,637,868)	<u>)</u>	15 250 672
i otai			15,259,673
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds.			
Property taxes	(19,132))	
Tuition	(35,923))	
Earnings on investments	35,753	`	
Intergovernmental Total	(280,257)	<u>) </u>	(299,559)
			, , ,
Repayment of bond and leases payable is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities on the statement of net position.			
Principal payments			3,192,014
Accreted interest on capital appreciation bonds			238,905
Issuance of leases 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.			(45,324)
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:			
Change in accrued interest payable	9,602		
Accreted interest on capital appreciation bonds	(12,069)		
Amortization of bond premiums Amortization of bond discounts	370,706 (23,722		
Amortization of dona discounts Amortization of deferred charges	(37,989		
Total		<u></u>	306,528
Contractually required contributions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds; however, the statement of net position reports these amounts as deferred outflows.			
Pension			3,529,610
OPEB			33,728
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			(2,966,327) 354,245
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.			(44,337)
Change in net position of governmental activities		\$	10,770,977
			-0,110,211

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 1 - DESCRIPTION OF THE CENTER

Miami Valley Career Technology Center (the "Center") is a joint vocational school as defined by Section 3311.18 of the Ohio Revised Code and is a body politic and corporate established for the purpose of exercising the rights and privileges conveyed to it by the constitution and laws of the State of Ohio. A vocational school exposes high school and adult students to academic preparation and job training which lead to employment and/or further education upon graduation from high school. Miami Valley Career Technology Center includes twenty-seven member school districts throughout Montgomery, Butler, Champaign, Darke, Miami, Preble, Shelby and Warren counties. The first official body designated as the Miami Valley Career Technology Center Board of Education was formed in November 1967, under the former name of the Montgomery County Joint Vocational School.

The Center operates under a board comprised of seventeen individuals. These individuals are appointed by the board of the member school districts, except in counties with few member school districts. These counties have the County Educational Service Center appoint the individual to the Board, instead of all member school districts in the county appointing the individual.

The Center is a jointly governed organization, legally separate from other organizations. The Board of Education of the Miami Valley Career Technology Center is not directly elected, although no other school district appoints a voting majority of the Board. None of the school districts that appoint Board members are financially accountable for the Miami Valley Career Technology Center.

The reporting entity is comprised of the jointly governed organization, component units and other organizations that are included to ensure that the financial statements of the Center are not misleading. The jointly governed organization consists of all funds, departments, boards and agencies that are not legally separate from the Center. For Miami Valley Career Technology Center, this includes general operations and student related activities of the Center.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

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

A. Reporting Entity

In accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board [GASB] Statement 14, 39, and 61, the financial reporting entity consists of a primary government. The Center is a primary government because it is a special-purpose government that has a separate governing body, is legally separate, and is fiscally independent of other state and local governments.

There are no component units combined with the Center for financial statement presentation purposes, and it is not included in any other governmental reporting entity. Consequently, the Center's financial statements include only the funds of those organizational entities for which its elected governing body is financially accountable. The Center's major operations include education, pupil transportation, and maintenance of Center facilities.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

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

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

The Center is associated with three jointly governed organizations, one related organization, and one public entity risk pool. These organizations are:

JOINTLY GOVERNED ORGANIZATIONS

Southwest Ohio Computer Association

Southwest Ohio Computer Association (SWOCA) is a computer consortium. SWOCA is an association of public school districts within the boundaries of Butler, Darke, Montgomery, Preble and Warren Counties. 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 school districts. The governing board of SWOCA consists of one representative from each district plus one representative from the fiscal agent. The board exercises total control over the operations of the Association including budgeting, appropriating, contracting and designating management. Each member's degree of control is limited to its representation of the Board. During fiscal year 2024, the Center paid SWOCA \$43,693. Financial information can be obtained from the Executive Director, at 3611 Hamilton-Middletown Road, Hamilton, Ohio 45011.

Southwestern Ohio Educational Purchasing Council

The Southwestern Ohio Educational Purchasing Council (SOEPC) is a purchasing council made up of about 132 school districts in 18 counties. The purpose of the council is to obtain prices for quality merchandise and services commonly used by schools. All member districts are obligated to pay all fees, charges, or other assessments as established by the SOEPC.

Each member district has one voting representative. Title to any and all equipment, furniture and supplies purchased by the SOEPC is held in trust for the member district by the Fiscal Agent. Any district withdrawing from the SOEPC shall forfeit its claim to any and all SOEPC assets. One year prior notice is necessary for withdrawal from the group. During this time, the withdrawing member is liable for all member obligations. Payments to SOEPC are made from the General Fund. During fiscal year 2024, the fee was waived for all EPC districts. To obtain financial information, write to the Southwestern Ohio Educational Purchasing Council, 303 Corporate Center Drive, Suite 208, Vandalia, Ohio 45377-1171.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

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

Ohio Association of Career Tech Superintendents

The Ohio Association of Career Tech Superintendents (OACTS) is a not-for-profit organization. The purpose of the OACTS is to encourage and foster the ideal of vocational education as a worthy and integral part of the total educational system. The governing body of the organization is the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee consists of the Board of Directors and officers. The Board of Directors consists of five members selected by the membership of OACTS. Members of the Board of Directors serve staggered three year terms. The Board of Directors is responsible for electing officers of the organization. Officers include a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. All member Centers are required to pay membership fees. Payments to OACTS are made from the General Fund. There were no payments made to OACTS during fiscal year 2024. To obtain financial information, write to the Ohio Association of Career Tech Superintendents, 6628 Wild Rose Lane, Westerville, OH 43082.

RELATED ORGANIZATION

Miami Valley Career Technology Center Education Foundation

The Miami Valley Career Technology Center Education Foundation is a legally separate body politic. The board members of the Miami Valley Career Technology Center Education Foundation are appointed by the Center. The Center is not able to impose its will on the Miami Valley Career Technology Center Education Foundation and no financial benefit and/or burden relationship exists. The Miami Valley Career Technology Education Foundation is responsible for approving its own budgets, appointing personnel and accounting and finance related activities. To obtain financial information write to the Miami Valley Career Technology Center Education Foundation, the Treasurer, at 6800 Hoke Road, Englewood, Ohio 45315-9740.

PUBLIC ENTITY RISK POOL

Southwestern Ohio Educational Purchasing Council Workers' Compensation Group Rating Plan

The Center participates in the Southwestern Ohio Educational Purchasing Council Workers' Compensation Group Rating Plan (GRP), an insurance purchasing pool. The GRP's business and affairs are conducted by an eleven member Executive Committee consisting of the Chairperson, the Vice-Chairperson, a representative from the Montgomery County Educational Service Center and eight other members elected by majority vote of all member school districts. The Chief Administrator of GRP serves as the coordinator of the program. Each year, the participating school districts pay an enrollment fee to the GRP to cover the costs of administering the program.

B. Fund Accounting

The Center uses funds to maintain its financial records during the fiscal year. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid management by segregating transactions related to certain Center functions or activities. A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. All funds of the Center are governmental in nature.

GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

Governmental funds focus 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.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

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

The following are the Center's major governmental funds:

<u>General Fund</u> - The general fund is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for 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.

<u>Classroom Facilities Maintenance Fund</u> - The classroom facilities maintenance fund is used to account for receipts and expenditures related to the maintenance of facilities.

<u>Debt Service Fund</u> - The debt service fund is used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditures for principal and interest.

<u>Building Fund</u> - The building fund is used to account for the receipts and expenditures related to all special bond funds in the Center. All proceeds from the sale of bonds, notes, or certificates or indebtedness, except premium and accrued interest, must be paid into this fund. Expenditures recorded here represent the costs of acquiring capital facilities including real property.

Other governmental funds of the Center are used to account for:

Nonmajor special revenue funds – Special revenue funds are used to account for and report the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditure for specific purposes other than debt service or capital projects.

Nonmajor capital projects funds – Capital projects funds are used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for capital outlays, including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets.

C. Basis of Presentation and Measurement Focus

<u>Government-wide Financial Statements</u> - The Center's basic financial statements consist of government-wide statements, including a statement of net position and a statement of activities and fund financial statements which provide a more detailed level of financial information.

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

The government-wide statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each function or program of the Center's governmental activities. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a service, program or department and therefore clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include charges paid by the recipient of the goods or services offered by the program and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Revenues which are not classified as program revenues are presented as general revenues of the Center, with certain limited exceptions. The comparison of direct expenses with program revenues identifies the extent to which each governmental function is self-financing or draws from the general revenues of the Center.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

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

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

D. Basis of Accounting

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

<u>Revenues – Exchange and Non-exchange 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 Center, available means expected to be received within sixty days of fiscal year end.

Non-exchange transactions, in which the Center receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include property taxes, grants, entitlements and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied. 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 year when use is first permitted, matching requirements, in which the Center must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the Center 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 year end: property taxes available for advance, grants and interest.

<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 12 and 13 for deferred outflows of resources related to net pension liability/asset 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.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

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

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 and unavailable revenue. Property taxes represent amounts for which there is an enforceable legal claim as of June 30, 2024, but which were levied to finance fiscal year 2025 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 and intergovernmental grants. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period the amounts become available.

See Notes 12 and 13 for deferred inflows of resources related to net pension liability/asset and net OPEB liability/asset, respectively. These deferred inflows of resources are only reported on the government-wide statement of net position.

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

The measurement focus of governmental fund accounting is on decreases in net financial resources (expenditures) rather than expenses. Expenditures are generally recognized in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred, if measurable. However, debt service expenditures, as well as any expenditures related to compensated absences, are recorded only when payment is due. Allocations of cost, such as depreciation and amortization, are not recognized in the governmental funds.

E. Cash and Investments

Cash received by the Center is pooled for investment purposes. Interest in the pool is presented as "Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents" on the financial statements.

Except for nonparticipating investment contracts, investments are reported at fair value which is based on quoted market prices. Nonparticipating investment contracts such as nonnegotiable certificates of deposits and repurchase agreements are reported at cost.

The Center invested in STAR Ohio. STAR Ohio (the State Treasury Asset Reserve of 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 Center 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 hours 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.

Following Ohio statutes, the Board has, by resolution, specified the funds to receive an allocation of interest earnings. There was \$922,665 of interest revenue credited to the general fund, including \$99,828 allocated from other funds.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

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

F. Capital Assets

All capital assets are capitalized at cost (or estimated historical cost) and updated for additions and retirements during the year. Donated capital assets are recorded at their acquisition values as of the date received. The Center maintained a capitalization threshold of \$7,500 for non-federal capital assets and \$5,000 for capital assets purchased with federal funds. The Center 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.

All reported capital assets are depreciated/amortized, except land and construction in progress. Improvements are depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related capital assets. The Center is reporting intangible right-to-use assets related to leased buildings and equipment. The intangible right-to-use assets are being amortized in a systemic and rational manner of the shorter of the lease term or the useful life of the underlying asset. Depreciation/amortization is allocated using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

<u>Description</u>	Estimated Lives
Land Improvements	15 years
Buildings	40 years
Buildings and Improvements	15 years
Machinery and Equipment	10 years
Vehicles – Auto	10 years
Vehicles – Heavy Duty	15 years
Intangible Right-to-use Assets	2 - 5 years

G. Interfund Balances

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 financial statements. On fund financial statements, receivables and payables resulting from short-term interfund loans are classified as "due to/due from other funds". These amounts are eliminated in the governmental activities column on the Statement of Net Position.

As a general rule, the effect of interfund (internal) activity has been eliminated from the government- wide statement of activities. The interfund services provided and used are not eliminated in the process of consolidation.

H. Compensated Absences

The Center reports compensated absences in accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement No. 16, "Accounting for Compensated Absences." Vacation benefits are accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned if the employees' rights to receive compensation are attributable to services already rendered and it is probable that the Center will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or some other means. The Center records a liability for accumulated unused vacation time, when earned, for all employees with more than one year of service.

Sick leave benefits are accrued as a liability using the vesting method. The entire compensated absence liability is reported on the government-wide financial statements.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

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

For governmental fund financial statements, the expenditures for unpaid compensated absences are recognized when due. The related liability is recorded in the account "compensated absences" in the fund from which the employees who have accumulated unpaid leave are paid. Compensated absences are reported in governmental funds only if they have matured. The Center's policies regarding compensated absences are determined by the state laws and/or negotiated agreements. In summary, the policies are as follows:

Vacation	Certified	Administrators	Non-Certificated
How Earned	Not Eligible	20 days per	10-20 days for each
		year or 2.08-2.50	service year depending
		per month	on length of service
Maximum			
Accumulation	Not Applicable	Up to 2 years	Up to 2 years
Vested	Not Applicable	As Earned	As Earned
Termination			
Entitlement	Not Applicable	Paid upon	Paid upon
		termination	termination
Sick Leave			
How Earned	1 1/4 days per month	1 1/4 days per month	1 1/4 days per month
110 w Larned	of employment (15	of employment (15	of employment (15
	days per year)	days per year)	days per year)
Maximum			
Accumulation	295 days	295 days	295 days
Vested	As Earned	As Earned	As Earned
Termination	1/4 paid upon	30% paid upon	1/4 paid upon
Entitlement	retirement	retirement	retirement
	(up to 295 days)	(up to 295 days)	(up to 295 days)
	15% beyond 295 days	20% beyond 295 days,	15% beyond 295 days
		But limited to 110 days	

I. Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Obligations

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

In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current financial resources are reported as obligations of the funds. However, compensated absences 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.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

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

J. Fund Balance

In accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 54, *Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions*, the Center classifies its fund balance based on the purpose for which the resources were received and the level of constraint placed on the resources. The following categories are used:

Nonspendable – resources that are not in spendable form (prepaids) or have legal or contractual requirements to maintain the balance intact.

Restricted – resources that have external purpose restraints imposed on them by providers, such as creditors, grantors, or other regulators.

Committed – resources that can be used only for the specific purposes imposed by a formal action (board resolution) of the Center's Board of Education. The Board of Education is the highest level of decision making authority for the Center. Those committed resources cannot be used for any other purpose unless the Center's Board of Education removes or changes the specified use by taking the same type of action (board resolution) it employed to previously commit those resources.

Assigned – resources that are intended to be used for specific purposes as approved through the Center's formal purchasing procedure by the Treasurer. In the general fund, assigned amounts represent intended uses established by policies of the Center's Board of Education. The adoption of the board appropriation resolution is the established policy, which gives the authorization to assign resources for a specific purpose.

Unassigned – residual fund balance within the General Fund that is not restricted, committed, or assigned. In other governmental funds, the unassigned classification is used only to report a deficit balance resulting from incurred expenses for specific purposes exceeding amounts which had been restricted, committed or assigned for said purposes.

The Center applies restricted resources first when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which either restricted or unrestricted (committed, assigned, and unassigned) amounts are 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.

K. Net Position

Net position represents the difference between assets plus deferred outflows and liabilities plus deferred inflows. Net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowings used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Net position is reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on its use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the Center or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments. The Center applies restricted resources when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position are available.

L. Estimates

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

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

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

M. Pensions/Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB)

For purposes of measuring the net pension/OPEB liability (asset), deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to 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.

N. Prepaid Items

Payments made to vendors for services that will benefit periods beyond June 30, 2024, are recorded as prepaid items using the consumption method. A current asset for the prepaid amount is recorded at the time of the purchase and expenditure/expense is reported in the year in which services are consumed.

NOTE 3 - ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE

A. Change in Accounting Principles

For fiscal year 2024, the Center has implemented certain paragraphs from GASB Implementation Guide No. 2021-1, certain paragraphs of GASB Statement No. 99, "<u>Omnibus 2022</u>", GASB Statement No. 100, "<u>Accounting Changes and Error Corrections - an amendment of GASB Statement No. 62</u>" and Implementation Guide No. 2023-1

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 balances previously report by the Center.

GASB Statement No. 99 is 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 Center.

GASB Statement No. 100 is to enhance accounting and financial reporting requirements for accounting changes and error corrections to provide more understandable, reliable, relevant, consistent, and comparable information for making decisions or assessing accountability. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 100 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the Center.

GASB Implementation Guide 2023-1 provides clarification on issues related to previously established GASB guidance. The implementation of GASB Implementation Guide 2023-1 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the Center.

B. Deficit Fund Balances

Fund balances at June 30, 2024 included the following individual fund deficit:

Nonmajor governmental fund
Adult Basic Education

Deficit
2,811

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

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 3 - ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE - (Continued)

B. Restatement of Net Position

During fiscal year 2024, the Center had a reappraisal of capital assets due to the near completion of its new building. This reappraisal adjusted beginning capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation/amortization, by \$7,644,414. The effect of correcting that error to the June 30, 2023 net position follows:

	6/30/2023 As Previously Reported		stment/Error Correction	6/30/2023 As Restated		
Net Position Governmental Activities	\$ 48,834,298	\$	7,644,414	\$	56,478,712	
Total Net Position	\$ 48,834,298	\$	7,644,414	\$	56,478,712	

NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

The Center maintains a cash and investment pool used by all funds. Each fund type's portion of this pool is displayed on the statement of net position and balance sheet as "Equity in Pooled Cash and Investments."

State statute requires the classification of monies held by the Center into three categories:

<u>Active Monies</u> - Those monies required to be kept in a "cash" or "near cash" status for immediate use by the Center. Such monies must by law be maintained either as cash in the Center treasury, in depository accounts payable or withdrawable on demand.

<u>Inactive Monies</u> – Those monies not required for use within the current five year period of designated depositories. Ohio law permits inactive monies to be deposited or invested as certificates of deposit maturing not later than the end of the current period of designated depositories, or as savings or deposit accounts, including, but not limited to passbook accounts.

Interim Monies – Those monies held by the Center can be deposited or invested in the following securities:

- 1. United States Treasury bills, bonds, notes, 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 obligation or security 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 the market value of the securities subject to the repurchase agreement must exceed the principal value of the agreement by at least two percent and be marked to market daily, and 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.
- Time certificates of deposit or savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to, passbook accounts.
- 6. No-load money market mutual funds consisting exclusively of obligations described in division (1) or (2) and repurchase agreements secured by such obligations, provided that investments in securities described in this division are made only through eligible institutions.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - (Continued)

- 7. The State Treasurer's investment pool (STAR Ohio).
- 8. Certain bankers' 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 Center'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 Center, 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. Deposits and cash on hand

Custodial credit risk for deposits is the risk that in the event of bank failure, the Center will not be able to recover deposits or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. As of June 30, 2024, \$434,084 of the Center's bank balance of \$715,672 was exposed to custodial credit risk because it was uninsured and collateralized. At June 30, 2024, the carrying amount of all Center deposits was \$675,599.

The Center has no deposit policy for custodial risk beyond the requirements of State statute. Ohio law requires that deposits either be insured or be protected by:

Eligible securities pledged to the Center and deposited with a qualified trustee by the financial institution as security for repayment whose market value at all times shall be at least 105% of the deposits being secured; or

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 market value of the securities pledged to be 102% of the deposits being secured or a rate set by the Treasurer of State.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - (Continued)

B. Investments

As of June 30, 2024 the Center had the following investments:

				Investment		
				Maturities		
	Measurement	6 months or	7 to 12	13 to 18	19 to 24	Greater than
Measurement/investment type	<u>Value</u>	less	months	months	months	24 months
Fair value:						
Commercial paper	\$ 16,477,909	\$ 13,045,114	\$ 3,432,795	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
FFCB	864,573	333,818	381,862	-	-	148,893
FHLB	2,939,673	1,218,377	-	277,358	-	1,443,938
FHLMC	1,222,238	598,447	-	623,791	-	-
FNMA	1,031,495	1,031,495	-	-	-	-
Municipal bonds	653,515	391,180	-	262,335	-	-
Negotiable CDs	16,445,605	2,786,371	4,698,880	2,927,327	2,606,456	3,426,571
U.S. Treasury notes	3,989,253	453,297	1,710,940	937,760	244,902	642,354
U.S. Government money market	3,360,677	3,360,677	-	-	-	-
Amortized cost:						
STAR Ohio	9,313,354	9,313,354				
Total	\$ 56,298,292	\$ 32,532,130	\$ 10,224,477	\$ 5,028,571	\$ 2,851,358	\$ 5,661,756

The Center 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. The above table identifies the Center's recurring fair value measurements as of June 30, 2024. STAR Ohio is reported at its share price (Net Asset value per share). All other investments of the Center are valued at Level 2.

Interest Rate Risk: In accordance with the investment policy, the Center manages its exposure to declines in fair values by limiting the weighted average maturity of its investment portfolio to five years.

Credit Risk: It is the Center's policy to limit its investments that are not obligations of the U.S. Government or obligations explicitly guaranteed by the U.S. Government to investments which have a credit quality rating of the top 2 ratings issued by nationally recognized statistical rating organizations. The Center's investments in federal agency securities (FFCB, FHLB, FHLMC, and FNMA), and U.S. Treasury notes were rated AAA or AA+ by Standard & Poor's and Aaa by Moody's Investors Service. Commercial paper was rated A-1+ by Standard & Poor's ratings and P-1 by Moody's Investors Service. Municipal bonds were rated AA or AA+ by Standard & Poor's and Aa1 and Aa2 by Moody's Investors Service. Investments in STAR Ohio were rated AAAm by Standard & Poor's while Money Market Funds and negotiable CDs are not rated.

Custodial Credit Risk: For an investment, custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the Center will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The federal agency securities are exposed to custodial credit risk in that they are uninsured, unregistered and led by the counterparty's trust department or agent, but not in the Center's name. The Center has no investment policy dealing with investment custodial risk beyond the requirement in State statute that prohibits payment for investments prior to the delivery of the securities representing such investments to the Treasurer or qualified trustee.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - (Continued)

Concentration of Credit Risk: The Center 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 Center at June 30, 2024:

	Measurement						
Measurement/investment type		Value	% of total				
Fair value:							
Commercial paper	\$	16,477,909	29.27%				
FFCB		864,573	1.54%				
FHLB		2,939,673	5.22%				
FHLMC		1,222,238	2.17%				
FNMA		1,031,495	1.83%				
Muncipal bonds		653,515	1.16%				
Negotiable CDs		16,445,605	29.21%				
U.S. Treasury notes		3,989,253	7.09%				
U.S. Government money market		3,360,677	5.97%				
Amortized cost:							
STAR Ohio		9,313,354	<u>16.54</u> %				
Total	\$	56,298,292	<u>100.00</u> %				

C. 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 investments as reported on the statement of net position as of June 30, 2024:

Cash and investments per note disclosure		
Carrying amount of deposits	\$	675,599
Investments	_	56,298,292
Total	\$	56,973,891
Cash and investments per statement of net p	osit	tion
Governmental activities	\$	56,973,891

NOTE 5 - INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS

A. Do to/do from other funds consisted of the following at June 30, 2024, as reported on the fund statement:

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	<u></u>	Amount
General fund	Nonmajor governmental funds	\$	621,096

The primary purpose of the interfund balances is to cover costs in specific funds where revenues were not received by June 30. These interfund balances will be repaid once the anticipated revenues are received.

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

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 5 - INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS - (Continued)

B. Interfund transfers for the year ended June 30, 2024, consisted of the following, as reported on the fund financial statements:

	<u>Amount</u>
Transfer from general fund to:	
Debt service fund	\$ 509,400
Building fund	400,000
Nonmajor governmental funds	 212,264
Total	\$ 1,121,664

Transfers are used to (1) move revenues from the fund that statute or budget requires to collect them to the fund that statute or budget requires to expend them, and (2) use unrestricted revenues collected in the general fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations.

Interfund transfers between governmental funds are eliminated on the government-wide financial statements; therefore, no transfers are reported in the statement of activities.

All transfers were made in compliance with Ohio Revised Code Sections 5705.14, 5705.15 and 5705.16.

C. Interfund loans receivable/payable consisted of the following at June 30, 2024, as reported on the fund statement:

		<u>Amount</u>
Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	
General fund	Building fund	\$ 1,501,516
General fund	Nonmajor governmental fund	5,573
Total		\$ 1,507,089

NOTE 6 - PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes are levied and assessed on a calendar year basis. Second half distributions occur in a new fiscal year. Property taxes include amounts levied against all real, public utility, and tangible personal (used in business) property located in the Center. Real property taxes are levied after April 1 on the assessed value listed as of the prior January 1, the lien date. Public utility property taxes attached as a lien on December 31 of the prior year, were levied April 1 and are collected with real property taxes. Assessed values for real property taxes are established by State law at 35 percent of appraised market value. All property is required to be revalued every six years. Public utility property taxes are assessed on real property at 35 percent of true value.

Real property taxes are payable annually or semi-annually. If paid annually, payment is due December 31; if paid semi-annually, 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. The Center receives property taxes from the County. The County Auditor periodically advances to the Center its portion of the taxes collected. Second-half real property tax payments collected by the County by June 30, 2024, are available to finance fiscal year 2024 operations. The amount available for advance can vary based on the date the tax bills are sent.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 6 - PROPERTY TAXES - (Continued)

Accrued property taxes receivable represents delinquent taxes outstanding and real property, personal property and public utility taxes which became measurable at June 30, 2024. Delinquent property taxes collected within 60 days are included as a receivable and tax revenue as of June 30, 2024 on the fund statements. The entire amount of delinquent taxes receivable is recognized as revenue on the government-wide financial statements. Although total property tax collections for the next fiscal year are measurable, only the amount available as an advance at June 30 is available to finance current year operations. The receivable is, therefore, offset by a credit to deferred inflows of resources – property taxes for that portion not intended to finance current year operations. The amount available as an advance at June 30, 2024 and 2023 were:

	June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023		
Major governmental funds:				
General fund	\$ 1,380,358	\$	969,025	
Bond retirement fund	323,242		462,582	
Classroom facilities maintenance fund	101,243		137,177	

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.

The assessed value, by property classification, upon which taxes collected in 2024 were based as follows:

		2023 Second Half Collections			2024 First Half Collection	ons
	_	Amount	Percent	-	Amount	Percent
Agricultural/residential and other real estate Public utility personal	\$	7,895,090,050 358,338,280	95.66 <u>4.34</u>	\$	9,999,152,700 406,025,140	96.10 <u>3.90</u>
Total	\$	8,253,428,330	100.00	\$	10,405,177,840	100.00
Tax rate per \$1,000 of assessed valuation	\$	4.01		\$	4.01	

NOTE 7 - RECEIVABLES

Receivables at June 30, 2024, consisted of property taxes, accounts, accrued interest and intergovernmental grants. All receivables are considered collectible in full due to the ability to foreclose for the nonpayment of taxes, the stable condition of State programs, and current year guarantee of federal funds.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 8 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital assets at June 30, 2023 have been restated as described in Note 3. Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024, was as follows:

	_	Balance 06/30/23	<u>A</u>	djustments	_	Restated Balance 06/30/23
Governmental activities:						
Capital assets, not being depreciated/amortized:						
Land	\$	557,080	\$	-	\$	557,080
Construction in progress		142,927,727		5,017,720	_	147,945,447
Total capital assets, not being depreciated/amortized		143,484,807		5,017,720	_	148,502,527
Capital assets, being depreciated/amortized:						
Buildings and improvements		8,840,121		(1,907,574)		6,932,547
Equipment		7,115,093		867,140		7,982,233
Intangible right-to-use assets:						
Buildings		83,556		-		83,556
Equipment		213,225		<u>-</u>		213,225
Total capital assets, being depreciated/amortized		16,251,995		(1,040,434)		15,211,561
Less: accumulated depreciation/amortization:						
Buildings and improvements		(3,916,241)		1,094,088		(2,822,153)
Furniture and equipment		(4,608,833)		2,573,040		(2,035,793)
Intangible right-to-use assets:						
Buildings		(22,332)		-		(22,332)
Equipment		(71,651)				(71,651)
Total accumulated depreciation/amortization		(8,619,057)		3,667,128		(4,951,929)
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$	151,117,745	\$	7,644,414	\$	158,762,159

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NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 8 - CAPITAL ASSETS - (Continued)

		Restated				
		Balance				Balance
	_	06/30/23	Additions	Deductions	_	06/30/24
Governmental activities:						
Capital assets, not being depreciated/amortized:						
Land	\$	557,080	\$ -	\$ -	\$	557,080
Construction in progress		147,945,447	15,770,802	(163,716,249)		<u> </u>
Total capital assets, not being depreciated/amortized		148,502,527	15,770,802	(163,716,249)		557,080
Capital assets, being depreciated/amortized:						
Buildings and improvements		6,932,547	163,745,949	-		170,678,496
Equipment		7,982,233	1,051,715	-		9,033,948
Intangible right-to-use assets:						
Buildings		83,556	15,188	(4,193)		94,551
Equipment		213,225	30,136	(46,579)		196,782
Total capital assets, being depreciated/amortized		15,211,561	164,842,988	(50,772)		180,003,777
Less: accumulated depreciation/amortization:						
Buildings and improvements		(2,822,153)	(853,225)	-		(3,675,378)
Furniture and equipment		(2,035,793)	(706,875)	-		(2,742,668)
Intangible right-to-use assets:						
Buildings		(22,332)	(31,398)	4,193		(49,537)
Equipment		(71,651)	(46,370)	46,579		(71,442)
Total accumulated depreciation/amortization		(4,951,929)	(1,637,868)	50,772		(6,539,025)
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$	158,762,159	\$ 178,975,922	\$ (163,716,249)	\$	174,021,832

Depreciation/amortization expense was charged to governmental functions as follows:

Instruction:	
Regular	\$ 201,606
Vocational	856,786
Adult/continuing	33,123
Support services:	
Pupil	1,841
Instructional staff	18,019
Administration	5,052
Business	44,166
Operations and maintenance	 477,275
Total depreciation/amortization expense	\$ 1,637,868

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 9 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

The changes in the Center's long-term obligations during fiscal year 2024 were as follows:

	Balance Outstanding			Balance Outstanding	Amounts Due in
	06/30/23	Additions	Additions Reductions		One Year
Governmental activities:					
General obligation bonds					
2015 Refunding of 2008 Bonds	\$ 3,670,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,670,000	\$ 365,000
2015 Refunding of 2008 Bonds - CABS - Principal	131,095	-	(131,095)	-	-
2015 Refunding of 2008 Bonds - CABS - Interest	226,836	12,069	(238,905)	-	-
Premium on Refunding of 2008 Bonds, Series 2015	429,637	-	(42,963)	386,674	-
2018 School Improvement Bonds	116,085,000	-	(2,985,000)	113,100,000	3,170,000
2018 School Improvement Bonds - Discount	(593,040)	-	23,722	(569,318)	-
2018 School Improvement Bonds - Premium	8,193,565	-	(327,743)	7,865,822	-
Total general obligation bonds	128,143,093	12,069	(3,701,984)	124,453,178	3,535,000
Other long-term obligations:					
Leases payable	205,376	45,324	(75,919)	174,781	69,482
Compensated absenses	1,432,118	836,658	(484,400)	1,784,376	829,329
Net pension liability	38,773,894	-	(1,159,286)	37,614,608	-
Net OPEB liability	1,243,696	145,190	-	1,388,886	-
Total other long-term obligations	41,655,084	1,027,172	(1,719,605)	40,962,651	898,811
Total long-term obligations	\$ 169,798,177	\$ 1,039,241	\$ (5,421,589)	\$ 165,415,829	\$ 4,433,811

In 2018 the Center issued \$130,055,000 in bonds (school improvement) for building renovations. The rate of the bonds range from 2.0%-5.0% and the bonds will mature on 12/01/2047. At June 30, 2024, there were \$1,799,626 in unspent proceeds.

In 2008 the Center issued \$6,900,000 in bonds (school improvement) for the construction of a new building. The rate of the bonds range from 3.0%-5.5% and the bonds will mature on 12/01/2032.

On June 24, 2015 the Center issued \$4,695,000 in Current Interest Bonds with an interest rate between 2.00% and 4.00% and \$442,994 in Capital Appreciation Bonds all of which was used to partially advance refund \$5,140,000 of the outstanding 2008 General Obligation Bonds with an interest rate between 4.00% and 4.25%. The net proceeds of \$5,911,335 (after payment of underwriting fees, insurance and other issuance costs) were used to purchase U.S. government securities. Those securities were deposited into an irrevocable trust with an escrow agent to provide all future debt service payments on the one bond issue. As a result, \$5,140,000 of the 2008 General Obligation Bonds are considered to be defeased and the related liability for those bonds have been removed from the Statement of Net Position.

<u>Leases Payable</u> - The Center has entered into lease agreements for the intangible right-to-use equipment and buildings. Due to the implementation of GASB Statement No. 87, the Center will report an intangible capital asset and corresponding liability for the future scheduled payments under the leases. The lease payments will be paid from the general fund and adult education fund (a nonmajor governmental fund).

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 9 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS - (Continued)

The Center has entered into lease agreements for equipment at varying years and terms as follows:

	Lease		Lease	
	Commencement		End	Payment
Company	Date	Years	Date	Method
Pitney Bowes	2019	4	2023	Monthly
Pitney Bowes	2019	4	2023	Monthly
Pitney Bowes	2019	4	2023	Monthly
Pitney Bowes	2024	5	2029	Quarterly
Perry Protech	2022	6	2027	Monthly
St. Vincent DePaul	2023	3	2025	Monthly
St. Vincent DePaul	2023	2	2024	Annual
St. Vincent DePaul	2023	3	2025	Monthly
St. Vincent DePaul	2023	3	2025	Monthly
Montgomery County	2024	4	2027	Monthly

The following is a schedule of future lease payments under the lease agreements:

Fiscal Year	I	Principal	_	Interest	_	Total
2025	\$	69,482	\$	5,038	\$	74,520
2026		50,419		2,969		53,388
2027		45,479		1,415		46,894
2028		7,670		363		8,033
2029		1,731		26		1,757
Total	\$	174,781	\$	9,811	\$	184,592

There is no repayment schedule for the net pension liability and net OPEB liability; however, employer pension and net OPEB contributions are made from the fund benefitting from their service.

Compensated absences will be paid from the fund from which the person is paid. The School Improvement and Refunding Bonds will be paid from the Debt Service fund.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 9 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS - (Continued)

Principal and interest requirements to retire general obligation debt outstanding at year end are as follows:

	General Obligation Bonds						
Fiscal Year Ending June 30	Principal			Interest	Total		
2025	\$	3,535,000	\$	4,972,107	\$	8,507,107	
2026		3,855,000		4,821,107		8,676,107	
2027		4,110,000		4,664,907		8,774,907	
2028		4,305,000		4,495,682		8,800,682	
2029		3,030,000		4,316,307		7,346,307	
2030-2034		18,100,000		19,096,860		37,196,860	
2035-2039		22,165,000		14,945,914		37,110,914	
2040-2044		28,985,000		9,544,180		38,529,180	
2045-2048		28,685,000		2,247,813	_	30,932,813	
Total	\$	116,770,000	\$	69,104,877	\$	185,874,877	

NOTE 10 - EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

A. Insurance Benefits

The Center provides life insurance and accidental death and dismemberment insurance to full-time employees through Hartford Group Insurance. Medical/surgical benefits are provided through United Health Care. Dental insurance is provided through Delta Dental.

B. Social Security System

Effective July 1, 1991, all employees not otherwise covered by the School Employees Retirement System or the State Teachers Retirement System have an option to choose Social Security or the School Employees Retirement System/State Teachers Retirement System. As of June 30, 2024, eight members of the Board of Education have elected Social Security. The Board's liability is 6.2% of wages paid.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 11 - RISK MANAGEMENT

Property and Liability

The Center is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft or damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. During the current fiscal year, the Center contracted with Phelan Insurance for general, property, and vehicle liability insurance. Coverages provided are as follows:

Type of Coverage	<u>Deductible</u>	Liability Limit
Building and Contents - replacement cost	\$500	\$181,000,000
Crime Insurance	500	250,000
Automobile Liability	1,000	1,000,000
Uninsured Motorists	1,000	1,000,000
General Liability:		
Per Occurrence		1,000,000
Aggregate		2,000,000

Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the past five years. There have been no significant reductions in insurance coverage from last year.

NOTE 12 - 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 Center'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 Center's obligation for this liability to annually required payments. The Center cannot control benefit terms or the manner in which pensions/OPEB are financed; however, the Center does receive the benefit of employees' services in exchange for compensation including pension and OPEB.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 12 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

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 13 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 Center'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 www.ohsers.org under Employers/Audit Resources.

Age and service requirements for retirement are as follows:

	Eligible to	Eligible to
	Retire on or before	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

^{*} 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.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 12 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

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 2023, the Board of Trustees approved a 2.5% cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) for eligible retirees and beneficiaries in 2024.

Funding Policy - Plan members are required to contribute 10.00% of their annual covered salary and the Center 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, 2024, the allocation to pension, death benefits, and Medicare B was 14.00%. For fiscal year 2024, the Retirement Board did not allocate any employer contribution to the Health Care Fund.

The Center's contractually required contribution to SERS was \$510,310 for fiscal year 2024. Of this amount, \$32,744 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 www.strsoh.org.

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

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. 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.

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NOTE 12 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

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.

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 2024 employer and employee contribution rate of 14% was equal to the statutory maximum rates. For fiscal year 2024, the full employer contribution was allocated to pension.

The Center's contractually required contribution to STRS was \$3,019,300 for fiscal year 2024. Of this amount, \$294,696 is reported as pension and postemployment benefits payable.

Net 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, 2023, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The Center's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the Center's share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all participating entities.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 12 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

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

	SERS			STRS		Total
Proportion of the net pension						
liability prior measurement date	0.0	091869000%	0.	.152067980%		
Proportion of the net pension						
liability current measurement date	0.0	086232700 <u></u> %	0.	.152541930%		
Change in proportionate share	- <u>0.0</u>	005636300 <mark>%</mark>	0.	.000473950%		
Proportionate share of the net						
pension liability	\$	4,764,799	\$	32,849,809	\$	37,614,608
Pension expense	\$	370,686	\$	2,595,641	\$	2,966,327

At June 30, 2024, the Center 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	\$ 204,801	\$ 1,197,636	\$	1,402,437
Changes of assumptions	33,751	2,705,359		2,739,110
Contributions subsequent to the				
measurement date	 510,310	 3,019,300	_	3,529,610
Total deferred outflows of resources	\$ 748,862	\$ 6,922,295	\$	7,671,157
	 SERS	 STRS		Total
Deferred inflows of resources				
Differences between expected and				
actual experience	\$ -	\$ 72,894	\$	72,894
Net difference between projected and				
actual earnings on pension plan investments	66,975	98,449		165,424
Changes of assumptions	-	2,036,358		2,036,358
Difference between employer contributions and proportionate share of contributions/				
change in proportionate share	 243,527	 485,827	_	729,354
Total deferred inflows of resources	\$ 310,502	\$ 2,693,528	\$	3,004,030

\$3,529,610 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pension resulting from Center contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 12 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

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:			
2025	\$ (68,175)	\$ (525,961)	\$ (594,136)
2026	(259,769)	(1,340,608)	(1,600,377)
2027	252,446	3,257,543	3,509,989
2028	 3,548	 (181,507)	 (177,959)
Total	\$ (71,950)	\$ 1,209,467	\$ 1,137,517

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 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. Future benefits for all current plan members were projected through 2137.

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, 2024

NOTE 12 - 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, 2023 and 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 2023, 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.

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 by using a building-block approach and assumes a time horizon, as defined in SERS' *Statement of Investment Policy*. Ohio Revised Code Section 3309.15 and the Board-adopted Investment Policy govern investment activity at SERS. 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, 2024

NOTE 12 - 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 %	0.75 %
US Equity	24.75	4.82
Non-US Equity Developed	13.50	5.19
Non-US Equity Emerging	6.75	5.98
Fixed Income/Global Bonds	19.00	2.24
Private Equity	12.00	7.49
Real Estate/Real Assets	17.00	3.70
Private Debt/Private Credit	5.00	5.64
Total	100.00 %	

Discount Rate - Total pension liability was calculated using the discount rate of 7.00%. The discount rate determination did not use a municipal bond rate. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that employers would contribute the actuarially determined contribution rate of projected compensation over the remaining 21-year amortization period of the unfunded actuarial accrued liability. The actuarially determined contribution rate of fiscal year 2023 was 14%. 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. The annual money weighted rate of return, calculated as the internal rate of return on pension plan investments, for fiscal year 2023 was 6.90%.

Sensitivity of the Center'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	1% Decrease		Discount Rate		% Increase		
Center's proportionate share								
of the net pension liability	\$	7,032,603	\$	4,764,799	\$	2,854,610		

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 12 - 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, 2023 and June 30, 2022, actuarial valuation are presented below:

	June 30, 2023	June 30, 2022
Inflation	2.50%	2.50%
Projected salary increases	Varies by service from 2.50% to 8.50%	Varies by service from 2.50% to 8.50%
Investment rate of return	7.00%, net of investment	7.00%, net of investment
	expenses, including inflation	expenses, including inflation
Discount rate of return	7.00%	7.00%
Payroll increases	3.00%	3.00%
Cost-of-living adjustments	0.00%	0.00%
(COLA)		

For the June 30, 2023 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 Disabled Annuitant Table projected forward generationally using mortality improvement scale MP-2020.

For the prior measurement date, 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.

Actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2023 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' 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	TargetAllocation*	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 %	

^{*} Final target weights reflected at October 1, 2022.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 12 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

**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' 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, 2023. 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' fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments to current plan members as of June 30, 2023. 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, 2023.

Sensitivity of the Center'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, 2023, 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						
	1	1% Decrease		Discount Rate		% Increase		
Center's proportionate share								
of the net pension liability	\$	50,515,737	\$	32,849,809	\$	17,909,270		

Assumption and Benefit Changes Since the Prior Measurement Date - The discount rate remained at 7.00% for June 30, 2023 valuation. Demographic assumptions were changed based on the actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2021.

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS

Net OPEB Liability/Asset

See Note 12 for a description of the net OPEB liability (asset).

Plan Description - School Employees Retirement System (SERS)

Health Care Plan Description - The Center contributes to the SERS Health Care Fund, administered by SERS for non-certificated 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 www.ohsers.org under Employers/Audit Resources.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 13 - 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, 2024, 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 2024, this amount was \$30,000. 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 2024, the Center's surcharge obligation was \$33,728.

The surcharge added to the allocated portion of the 14% employer contribution rate is the total amount assigned to the Health Care Fund. The Center's contractually required contribution to SERS was \$33,728 for fiscal year 2024. Of this amount, \$33,728 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 www.strsoh.org 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, 2024, STRS did not allocate any employer contributions to post-employment health care.

Net 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, 2023, 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 Center's proportion of the net OPEB liability/asset was based on the Center'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, 2024

NOTE 13 - 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	0.0	088581700%	0.	152067980%	
Proportion of the net OPEB					
liability/asset current measurement date	0.0	084305500%	0.	<u>152541930</u> %	
Change in proportionate share	- <u>0.(</u>	004276200%	0.	<u>000473950</u> %	
Proportionate share of the net					
OPEB liability	\$	1,388,886	\$	-	\$ 1,388,886
Proportionate share of the net					
OPEB asset	\$	-	\$	(2,966,730)	\$ (2,966,730)
OPEB expense	\$	(209,024)	\$	(145,221)	\$ (354,245)

At June 30, 2024, the Center 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	\$	2,893	\$	4,625	\$	7,518
Net difference between projected and						
actual earnings on OPEB plan investments		10,763		5,292		16,055
Changes of assumptions		469,625		437,042		906,667
Difference between employer contributions						
and proportionate share of contributions/						
change in proportionate share		7,029		6,361		13,390
Contributions subsequent to the						
measurement date		33,728		<u>-</u>		33,728
Total deferred outflows of resources	<u>\$</u>	524,038	\$	453,320	\$	977,358
		SERS		STRS		Total
Deferred inflows of resources						
Differences between expected and						
actual experience	\$	716,303	\$	452,504	\$	1,168,807
Changes of assumptions		394,454		1,957,405		2,351,859
Difference between employer contributions and proportionate share of contributions/						
change in proportionate share		227,268		5,531		232,799
Total deferred inflows of resources	\$	1,338,025	\$	2,415,440	\$	3,753,465

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30. 2024

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS - (Continued)

\$33,728 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB resulting from Center 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, 2025

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:						
2025	\$	(259,478)	\$	(871,505)	\$	(1,130,983)
2026		(219,542)		(397,520)		(617,062)
2027		(138,173)		(152,170)		(290,343)
2028		(93,936)		(206,626)		(300,562)
2029		(73,802)		(189,230)		(263,032)
Thereafter		(62,784)		(145,069)		(207,853)
Total	\$	(847,715)	\$	(1,962,120)	\$	(2,809,835)

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.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 13 - 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, 2023 and 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%

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 3.86% Prior measurement date 3.69%

Single equivalent interest rate, net of plan investment expense,

including price inflation:

Current measurement date 4.27%
Prior measurement date 4.08%

Medical trend assumption:

Current measurement date 6.75 to 4.40% Prior measurement date 7.00 to 4.40%

In 2023, the following mortality assumptions were used:

Healthy Retirees - 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.

Disabled Retirees - 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.

Contingent Survivors - PUB-2010 General Amount Weighted Below Median Contingent Survivor mortality table projected to 2017 with ages set forward 1 year and adjusted 105.5% for males and adjusted 122.5% for females.

Actives - PUB-2010 General Amount Weighted Below Median Employee mortality table.

Mortality Projection - Mortality rates are projected using a fully generational projection with Scale MP-2020.

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, 2024

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS - (Continued)

The long-term expected rate of return is reviewed as part of the regular experience studies prepared every five years for SERS. The most recent five-year experience study was performed for the period covering fiscal years 2016 through 2020, and was adopted by the Board on April 15, 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 (expected return, net of investment expense and inflation) 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 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 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.

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 %	0.75 %
US Equity	24.75	4.82
Non-US Equity Developed	13.50	5.19
Non-US Equity Emerging	6.75	5.98
Fixed Income/Global Bonds	19.00	2.24
Private Equity	12.00	7.49
Real Estate/Real Assets	17.00	3.70
Private Debt/Private Credit	5.00	5.64
Total	100.00 %	

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability at June 30, 2023, was 4.27%. The discount rate used to measure total OPEB liability prior to June 30, 2023, was 4.08%. 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 is projected to be depleted in 2048 by SERS' actuaries. The Fidelity General Obligation 20-year Municipal Bond Index Rate was used in the determination of the single equivalent interest rate for both the June 30, 2022 and the June 30, 2023 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 was 3.86% at June 30, 2023 and 3.69% at June 30, 2022.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS - (Continued)

Sensitivity of the Center'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 (3.27%) and higher (5.27%) than the current discount rate (4.27%). Also shown is what the net OPEB liability would be based on health care cost trend rates that are 1 percentage point lower (5.75% decreasing to 3.40%) and higher (7.75% decreasing to 5.40%) than the current rate (6.75% decreasing to 4.40%).

				Current			
	1% Decrease		Di	scount Rate	1% Increase		
Center's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	\$	1,775,395	\$	1,388,886	\$	1,084,110	
	19	1% Decrease		Current Trend Rate		1% Increase	
Center's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	\$	1,020,367	\$	1,388,886	\$	1,877,225	

Actuarial Assumptions - STRS

Key methods and assumptions used in the latest actuarial valuation, reflecting experience study results used in the June 30, 2023 actuarial valuation, compared with June 30, 2022 actuarial valuation, are presented below:

	June 3	0, 2023	June 30, 2022		
Inflation	2.50%		2.50%		
Projected salary increases	Varies by service to 8.50%	e from 2.50%	Varies by service from 2.50% to 8.50%		
Investment rate of return	7.00%, net of inverses, 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%	4.14%	7.50%	3.94%	
Medicare	-10.94%	4.14%	-68.78%	3.94%	
Prescription Drug					
Pre-Medicare	-11.95%	4.14%	9.00%	3.94%	
Medicare	1.33%	4.14%	-5.47%	3.94%	

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

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS - (Continued)

For the June 30, 2023 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.

For the prior measurement date, 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.

Actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2023 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.

Benefit Term Changes Since the Prior Measurement Date - Healthcare trends were updated to reflect emerging claims and recoveries experience as well as benefit changes effective January 1, 2024.

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 %	

^{*} Final target weights reflected at October 1, 2022.

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability was 7.00% as of June 30, 2023. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed STRS 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, 2023. 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, 2023.

^{**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' 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, 2024

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT OPEB PLANS - (Continued)

Sensitivity of the Center'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, 2023, 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.

				Current		
	1% Decrease		Di	iscount Rate	1% Increase	
Center's proportionate share of the net OPEB asset	\$	2,510,948	\$	2,966,730	\$	3,363,667
	1% Decrease		Current Trend Rate		1% Increase	
Center's proportionate share of the net OPEB asset	\$	3,382,086	\$	2,966,730	\$	2,466,440

NOTE 14 - CONTINGINCIES

Grants

The Center receives significant financial assistance from numerous federal, state and local agencies in the form of grants. The disbursement of funds received under these programs generally requires compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements and is subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of the General Fund or other applicable funds.

However, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims will not have a material effect on any of the financial statements included herein or on the overall financial position of the Center as of June 30, 2024.

Foundation Funding

Foundation funding is based on the annualized full-time equivalent (FTE) enrollment of each student. Career centers must comply with minimum hours of instruction, instead of a minimum number of school days each year. The funding formula the Ohio Department of Education and Workforce (ODEW) is legislatively required to follow will continue to adjust as enrollment information is updated by the Center, which can extend past the fiscal year-end. As of the date of this report, ODEW has not finalized the impact of enrollment adjustments to the June 30, 2024 Foundation funding for the Center; therefore, the financial statement impact is not determinable at this time. ODEW and management believe this will result in either a receivable to or liability of the Center.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 15 - SET ASIDES

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

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

		Capital provements
Set-aside balance June 30, 2023	\$	-
Current year set-aside requirement		448,127
Current year offsets	((2,467,700)
Total	\$ ((2,019,573)
Balance carried forward to fiscal year 2025	\$	
Set-aside balance June 30, 2024	\$	

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NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 16 - COMMITMENTS

A. Other Commitments

The Center 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 Center's commitments for encumbrances in the governmental funds were as follows:

Fund Type	Amounts
General fund	\$ 713,560
Other Governmental	 2,742,988
Total	\$ 3,456,548

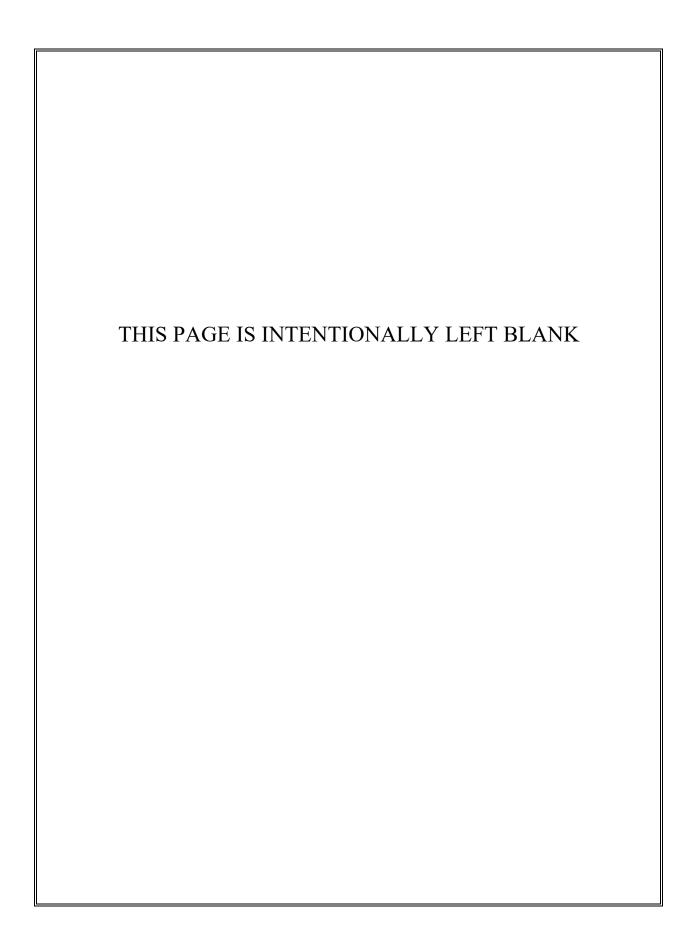
B. Contractual Commitments

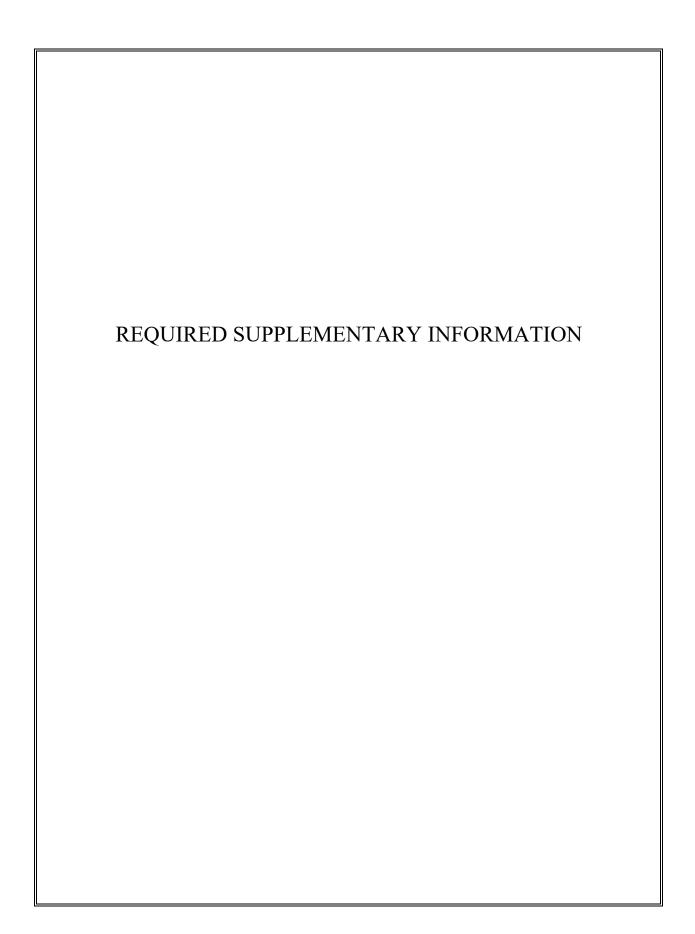
As of June 30, 2024, the Center had the following significant contractual commitments outstanding:

			F	Remaining
	Total	Amount	C	ommitment
<u>Vendor</u>	 Contract	 Paid	<u>Ju</u>	ne 30, 2024
Dayton Cincinnati Technology	\$ 711,498	\$ (696,354)	\$	15,144
Dayton Power & Light Co	460,000	(431,377)		28,623
Gilbane Building Company	1,941,801	(999,689)		942,112
Samaritan Behavioral Health	180,000	(164,756)		15,244
Hupman Lawn care	116,350	(116,350)		-
Tackett Environmental	 99,192	 (98,082)		1,110
Total	\$ 3,508,841	\$ (2,506,608)	\$	1,002,233

NOTE 17 - TAX ABATEMENTS ENTERED INTO BY OTHER GOVERNMENTS

Other governments entered into property tax abatement agreements with property owners under the Ohio Community Reinvestment Area ("CRA") and Enterprise Zone Agreement ("EZA") programs with the taxing districts of the Center. The CRA program is a directive incentive tax exemption program benefiting property owners who renovate or construct new buildings. Under this program, the other governments designated areas to encourage revitalization of the existing housing stock and the development of new structures. The EZA program is an economic development tool administered by municipal and county governments that provides real and personal property tax exemptions to businesses making investments in the community. Within the taxing districts of the Center, Municipalities in Montgomery County and Darke County have entered into CRA agreements and EZA agreements. Under these agreements the Center's property taxes were reduced by \$578,699.





MIAMI VALLEY CTC MONTGOMERY COUNTY, OHIO

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) GENERAL FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

	Budgeted Amounts					tual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget -		
	Original			Final		Budgetary Basis	over (under) Actual Amounts		
Budgetary revenues and other financing sources	\$	37,580,599	\$	37,580,599	\$	41,548,139	\$	3,967,540	
Budgetary expenditures and other financing uses		41,728,115		43,666,811	_	42,490,309		(1,176,502)	
Net change in fund balance		(4,147,516)		(6,086,212)		(942,170)		5,144,042	
Budgetary fund balance at beginning of year Prior year encumbrances appropriated		15,550,337 1,070,948		15,550,337 1,070,948		15,550,337 1,070,948		- -	
Budgetary fund balance at end of year	\$	12,473,769	\$	10,535,073	\$	15,679,115	\$	5,144,042	

MIAMI VALLEY CTC MONTGOMERY COUNTY, OHIO

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) CLASSROOM FACILITIES MAINTENANCE FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

	Budgeted Original			unts Final	 ual Amounts Budgetary Basis	Variance with Final Budget - over (under) Actual Amounts		
Budgetary revenues and other financing sources	\$	2,800,000	\$	2,800,000	\$ 3,066,432	\$	266,432	
Budgetary expenditures and other financing uses		60,500		60,500	 50,768		(9,732)	
Net change in fund balance		2,739,500		2,739,500	3,015,664		276,164	
Budgetary fund balance at beginning of year Budgetary fund balance at end of year	\$	13,607,460 16,346,960	\$	13,607,460 16,346,960	\$ 13,607,460 16,623,124	\$	276,164	

SCHEDULES OF THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF THE CENTER'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY AND CENTER PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO

LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Fiscal Year (1)	Pro of	enter's portion the Net on Liability	Pro Sha	Center's oportionate re of the Net sion Liability		Center's Covered Payroll	Sh Pens a Po	Center's roportionate are of the Net sion Liability as ercentage of its overed Payroll	Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	
2024		086232700%	\$	4,764,799	\$	3,449,757		138.12%	76.06%	
2023	0.0	91869000%		4,968,990		3,395,364		146.35%	75.82%	6
2022	0.0	93131000%		3,436,264		3,195,179		107.55%	82.86%	6
2021	0.0	91170000%		6,030,176		3,196,221		188.67%	68.55%	
2020	0.0	91490500%		5,474,037		3,138,644		174.41%	70.85%	6
2019	0.0	94367500%		5,404,602		3,201,363		168.82%	71.36%	
2018		97014700%		5,796,414		3,083,743		187.97%	69.50%	
2017		98052900%		7,176,568		3,490,886		205.58%	62.98%	
2016		.00150600%		5,714,690		3,672,041	155.63%		69.16%	
2015	0.0	087290000%		4,417,697		2,562,085		172.43%	71.70%	6
Fiscal Year	Re	ractually equired ributions	Rel Co	tributions in ation to the ntractually Required ntributions	_	ontribution Deficiency (Excess)		Center's Covered Payroll	Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	
2024	\$	510,310	\$	(510,310)	\$	-	\$	3,645,071	14.00%	6
2023		482,966		(482,966)		-		3,449,757	14.00%	6
2022		475,351		(475,351)		-		3,395,364	14.00%	6
2021		447,325		(447,325)		-		3,195,179	14.00%	6
2020		447,471		(447,471)		-		3,196,221	14.00%	6
2019		423,717		(423,717)		-		3,138,644	13.50%	6
2018		432,184		(432,184)		-		3,201,363	13.50%	
2017		431,724		(431,724)		-		3,083,743	14.00%	6
2016		488,724		(488,724)		-		3,490,886	14.00%	6
2015		483,975		(483,975)				3,672,041	13.18%	. /

⁽¹⁾ Amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the Center's measurement date which is the prior year-end.

SCHEDULES OF THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF THE CENTER'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY AND CENTER PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (STRS) OF OHIO

LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Fiscal Year (1)	Center's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability	Center's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	Center's Covered Payroll	Center's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability as a Percentage of its Covered Payroll	Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability
2024	0.152541930%	\$ 32,849,809	\$ 20,686,879	158.80%	80.02%
2023	0.152067980%	33,804,904	19,674,607	171.82%	78.88%
2022	0.155422111%	19,872,114	19,178,071	103.62%	87.78%
2021	0.155312630%	37,580,130	21,332,900	176.16%	75.48%
2020	0.155323860%	34,348,938	20,696,843	165.96%	77.40%
2019	0.153204750%	33,686,184	21,203,107	158.87%	77.31%
2018	0.153879850%	36,554,488	19,053,257	191.85%	75.30%
2017	0.152414720%	51,017,801	17,873,221	285.44%	66.80%
2016	0.154755990%	42,770,029	17,896,064	238.99%	72.10%
2015	0.161243850%	39,220,085	17,741,946	221.06%	74.70%
Fiscal Year	Contractually Required Contributions	Contributions in Relation to the Contractually Required Contributions	Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	Center's Covered Payroll	Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll
2024	\$ 3,019,300	\$ (3,019,300)	\$ -	\$ 21,566,429	14.00%
2023	2,896,163	(2,896,163)	-	20,686,879	14.00%
2022	2,754,445	(2,754,445)	_	19,674,607	14.00%
2021	2,684,930	(2,684,930)	-	19,178,071	14.00%
2020	2,986,606	(2,986,606)	-	21,332,900	14.00%
2019	2,897,558	(2,897,558)	-	20,696,843	14.00%
2018	2,968,435	(2,968,435)	-	21,203,107	14.00%
2017	2,667,456	(2,667,456)	-	19,053,257	14.00%
2016	2,502,251	(2,502,251)	-	17,873,221	14.00%
2015	2,505,449	(2,505,449)	-	17,896,064	14.00%

⁽¹⁾ Amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the Center's measurement date which is the prior year-end.

SCHEDULES OF THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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

LAST EIGHT AND TEN FISCAL YEARS

Fiscal Year (1) (2)	Center's Proportion of the Net OPEB Liabil		Center's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability		Center's Covered Payroll		Sh OP: a Po	Center's roportionate are of the Net EB Liability as ercentage of its overed Payroll	Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total OPEB Liability
2024	0.0843055	500%	\$	1,388,886	\$	3,449,757		40.26%	30.02%
2023	0.0885817		*	1,243,696	•	3,395,364		36.63%	30.34%
2022	0.0908907			1,720,181		3,195,179		53.84%	24.08%
2021	0.0893368	300%		1,941,581		3,196,221		60.75%	18.17%
2020	0.0898081	00%		2,258,485		3,138,644		71.96%	15.57%
2019	0.0930571	00%		2,581,655		3,201,363		80.64%	13.57%
2018	0.0951987	700%		2,554,883		3,083,743		82.85%	12.46%
2017	0.0962159	910%		2,742,509		3,490,886		78.56%	11.49%
Fiscal Year	Contractual Required Contributio	•	Rela Cor R	ributions in ation to the atractually equired atributions		Contribution Deficiency (Excess)		Center's Covered Payroll	Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll
2024	\$ 33	,728	\$	(33,728)	\$	-	\$	3,645,071	0.93%
2023	37	,739		(37,739)		-		3,449,757	1.09%
2022	30	,549		(30,549)		-		3,395,364	0.90%
2021	34	,659		(34,659)		-		3,195,179	1.08%
2020	32	,465		(32,465)		-		3,196,221	1.02%
2019	51	,989		(51,989)		-		3,138,644	1.66%
2018	54	,384		(54,384)		-		3,201,363	1.70%
2017	35	,170		(35,170)		-		3,083,743	1.14%
2016	35	,170		(35,170)		-		3,490,886	1.01%

⁽¹⁾ Amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the Center's measurement date which is the prior year-end.

⁽²⁾ Information prior to 2017 is not available. Schedule is intended to show information for 10 years. Additional years will be displayed as they become available.

SCHEDULES OF THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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

LAST EIGHT AND TEN FISCAL YEARS

Fiscal Year (1) (2)	Center's Proportion of the Net OPEB Liability/(Asset)	Sha	Center's coportionate are of the Net OPEB bility/(Asset)	Center's Covered Payroll	Sl Lia a P	Center's Proportionate nare of the Net OPEB bility/(Asset) as Percentage of its overed Payroll	Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total OPEB Liability/(Asset)
2024	0.152541930%	\$	(2,966,730)	\$ 20,686,879		14.34%	168.52%
2023	0.152067980%		(3,937,545)	19,674,607		20.01%	230.73%
2022	0.155422111%		(3,276,948)	19,178,071		17.09%	174.73%
2021	0.155312630%		(2,729,618)	21,332,900		12.80%	182.10%
2020	0.155323860%		(2,572,535)	20,696,843		12.43%	174.74%
2019	0.153204750%		(2,461,844)	21,203,107		11.61%	176.00%
2018	0.153879850%		6,003,824	19,053,257		31.51%	47.10%
2017	0.152414720%		8,151,179	17,873,221		45.61%	37.30%
Fiscal Year	Contractually Required Contributions	Re Co	ntributions in lation to the ontractually Required ontributions	 Contribution Deficiency (Excess)		Center's Covered Payroll	Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll
2024	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$	21,566,429	0.00%
2023	-		-	-		20,686,879	0.00%
2022	-		-	-		19,674,607	0.00%
2021	-		-	-		19,178,071	0.00%
2020	-		-	-		21,332,900	0.00%
2019	-		-	-		20,696,843	0.00%
2018	-		-	-		21,203,107	0.00%
2017	-		-	-		19,053,257	0.00%
2016	-		-	-		17,873,221	0.00%
2015	-		-	-		17,896,064	0.00%

⁽¹⁾ Amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the Center's measurement date which is the prior year-end.

⁽²⁾ Information prior to 2017 is not available. Schedule is intended to show information for 10 years. Additional years will be displayed as they become available.

NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 1 - BUDGETARY PROCESS

While reporting financial position, results of operations, and changes in fund balance on the basis of generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP), the budgetary basis as provided by law is based upon accounting for certain transactions on a basis of cash receipts and disbursements.

All funds, except custodial funds, are legally required to be budgeted and appropriated. The major documents prepared are the tax budget, the appropriations resolution and the certificate of estimated resources which are prepared on the budgetary basis of accounting. The tax budget demonstrates a need for existing or increased tax rates. The certificate of estimated resources establishes a limit on the amount that the Board of Education may appropriate. The appropriation resolution is Board's authorization to spend resources and sets annual limits on expenditures plus encumbrances at the level of control selected by Board. The legal level of control has been established by Board at the fund level. Any budgetary modifications at this level may only be made by resolution of the Board of Education.

The certificate of estimated resources may be amended during the year if projected increases or decreases in revenue are identified by the Career Technology Center Treasurer. The amounts reported as the original budgeted amounts on the budgetary schedules reflect the amounts on the certificate of estimated resources when the original appropriations were adopted. The amounts reported as the final budgeted amounts on the budgetary schedules reflect the amounts on the final amended certificate of estimated resources issued during the fiscal year 2024.

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

The statement of revenue, expenditures and changes in fund balance - budget and actual (non-GAAP budgetary basis) presented for the general fund and classroom facilities maintenance 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); and
- (d) Some funds are included in the general fund (GAAP basis), but have separate legally adopted budgets (budget basis).

NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 1 - BUDGETARY PROCESS - (Continued)

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

Net Change in Fund Balance

			Clas	ssroom Facilities
	Ge	eneral fund		<u>Maintenance</u>
Budget basis	\$	(942,170)	\$	3,015,664
Net adjustment for revenue accruals		795,004		109,238
Net adjustment for expenditure accruals		(673,345)		-
Net adjustment for other sources/uses		1,528,436		-
Funds budgeted elsewhere		(101,702)		-
Adjustments for encumbrances		951,710		<u>-</u>
GAAP Basis	\$	1,557,933	\$	3,124,902

As part of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 54, "<u>Fund Balance Reporting</u>", certain funds that are legally budgeted in separate special revenue funds are considered part of the general fund. This includes the uniform school supplies fund, public school support fund, rotary fund – special services, adult education fund, and rotary fund.

NOTE 2 - PENSIONS & OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB)

PENSION

SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO

Change in benefit terms:

- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2015.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2016.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2017.
- For fiscal year 2018, SERS changed from a fixed 3% annual increase to a Cost 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%.
- 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.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2020.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2021.
- For fiscal year 2022, SERS changed from a Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) of 2.5% to 2.0%.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2023.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2024.

NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 2 - PENSIONS & OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) - (Continued)

Change in assumptions:

- 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%.
- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2018.
- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2019.
- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2020.
- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2021.
- 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.
- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2023.
- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2024.

STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (STRS) OF OHIO

Change in benefit terms:

- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2015.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2016.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2017.
- For fiscal year 2018, STRS decreased the Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) to zero.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2019.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2020.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2021.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2022.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2023.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2024.

NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 2 - PENSIONS & OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) - (Continued)

Changes in assumptions:

- 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.
- 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.
- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2019.
- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2020.
- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2021.
- 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%.
- For fiscal year 2023, the following changes of assumption affected the total pension liability since the prior measurement date: 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%.
- There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2024.

OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB)

SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO

Change in benefit terms:

- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2017.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2018.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2019.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2020.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2021.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2022.
 There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2023.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2024.

NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 2 - PENSIONS & OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) - (Continued)

Change in assumptions:

- 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) 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%.
- 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%.
- 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%.
- 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.
- 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%.
- For fiscal year 2024, the following changes of assumptions affect the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement date: (a) municipal bond index rate went from 3.69% to 3.86%, (b) single equivalent interest rate when from 4.08% to 4.27% and (c) medical trend assumptions went from 7.00% to 4.40% to 6.75% to 4.40%.

NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 2 - PENSIONS & OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) - (Continued)

STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (STRS) OF OHIO

Change in benefit terms:

- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2017.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2023.
- There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts previously reported for fiscal year 2024.

Change in assumptions:

- 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.

NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 2 - PENSIONS & OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) - (Continued)

- 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.
- 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.
- For fiscal year 2024, the following changes of assumption affected the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement date: (a) health care cost trend rates were changed to the following: Pre-Medicare from 7.50% initial 3.94% ultimate to 7.50% initial 4.14% ultimate; medical Medicare from -68.78% initial 3.94% ultimate to -10.94% initial 4.14% ultimate; prescription drug Pre-Medicare from 9.00% initial 3.94% ultimate to -11.95% initial 4.14% ultimate; Medicare from -5.47% initial 3.94% ultimate to 1.33% initial 4.14% ultimate.

Miami Valley Career Technology Center Montgomery County

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

FEDERAL GRANTOR Pass Through Grantor Program / Cluster Title	Assistance Listing Number	Pass Through Entity Identifying Number	Th	assed rough to recipients	Total Federal Expenditures	
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION						
Passed Through the Ohio Department of Higher						
Education Board of Regents						
Adult Education - Basic Grants to States	84.002	N/A	\$	43,750	\$	1,344,983
Passed Through Ohio Department of Education						
Career and Technical Education - Basic Grants to States	84.048A	N/A		-		1,122,999
Student Financial Assistance Cluster						
Federal Pell Grant Program	84.063	(1)		-		64,335
Federal Direct Student Loans	84.268	(1)		-		101,318
Total Student Financial Assistance Cluster			•			165,653
Total U.S. Department of Education				43,750		2,633,635
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY						
Passed Through Ohio Facilities Construction Commission						
COVID-19: Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds	21.027	N/A				50,000
Total Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds				_		50,000
Total U.S. Department of the Treasury					_	50,000
Total Federal Financial Assistance			\$	43,750	\$	2,683,635

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this schedule.

^{(1) -} Direct Award.

NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS 2 CFR 200.510(b)(6) FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE A - BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the Schedule) includes the federal award activity of Miami Valley Career Technology Center (the Center) under programs of the federal government for the year ended June 30, 2024. 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 Center, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position or changes in net position of the Center.

NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the cash basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in Uniform Guidance wherein certain types of expenditures may or may not be allowable or may be limited as to reimbursement.

NOTE C - INDIRECT COST RATE

The Center has elected not to use the 10-percent de minimis indirect cost rate as allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

NOTE D - SUBRECIPIENTS

The Center passes certain federal awards received from the Ohio Department of Higher Education Board of Regents to other governments or not-for-profit agencies (subrecipients). As Note B describes the Center reports expenditures of Federal awards to subrecipients when paid in cash.

As a subrecipient, the Center has certain compliance responsibilities, such as monitoring its subrecipients to help assure they use these subawards as authorized by laws, regulations, and the provisions of contracts or grant agreements, and that subrecipients achieve the award's performance goals.

NOTE E - FEDERAL DIRECT STUDENT LOANS

The Center originates but does not provide funding under the Federal Direct Student Loan Program. The amount presented represents the value of new Direct Student Loans awarded by the Department of Education during the year.



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

Board of Education Miami Valley Career Technology Center 6800 Hoke Road Englewood, Ohio 45315

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 (*Government Auditing Standards*), the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Miami Valley Career Technology Center ("Center") as of and for the year ended June 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Center's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 13, 2024, wherein we noted the Center restated beginning net position to correct a misstatement.

Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Center's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing the 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 Center's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Center'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 Center'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.

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Center's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants 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 Center'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 Center's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Springfield, Ohio

December 13, 2024

Clark, Schaefer, Hackett & Co.



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

Board of Education Miami Valley Career Technology Center 6800 Hoke Road Englewood, Ohio 45315

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Miami Valley Career Technology Center's (the "Center") compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB *Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Center's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2024. The Center's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditors' results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, the Center 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 year ended June 30, 2024.

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 (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*); 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 Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the Center 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 Center'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 Center's federal programs.



Auditors' 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 Center'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 GAAS, *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 Center's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, *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 Center'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 Center'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 Center'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 with a type of 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 Auditors' 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.

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.

Clark, Schaefer, Hackett & Co.

Springfield, Ohio December 13, 2024

Section I - Summary of Auditors' Results

Financial Statements

Type of auditors' report issued: Unmodified

Internal control over financial reporting:

Material weakness(es) identified?

 Significant deficiency(ies) identified not considered to be material weaknesses?

considered to be material weaknesses?

None reported

Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?

Federal Awards

Internal Control over major programs:

Material weakness(es) identified?
 No

Significant deficiency(ies) identified

not considered to be material weaknesses?

None reported

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

Unmodified

Any audit findings that are required to be reported in accordance with 2 CFR 200.516(a)?

No

Identification of major programs:

ALN 84.048A – Career and Technical Education – Basic Grants to States

Dollar threshold to distinguish between Type A and Type B Programs: \$750,000

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?

Section II - Financial Statement Findings

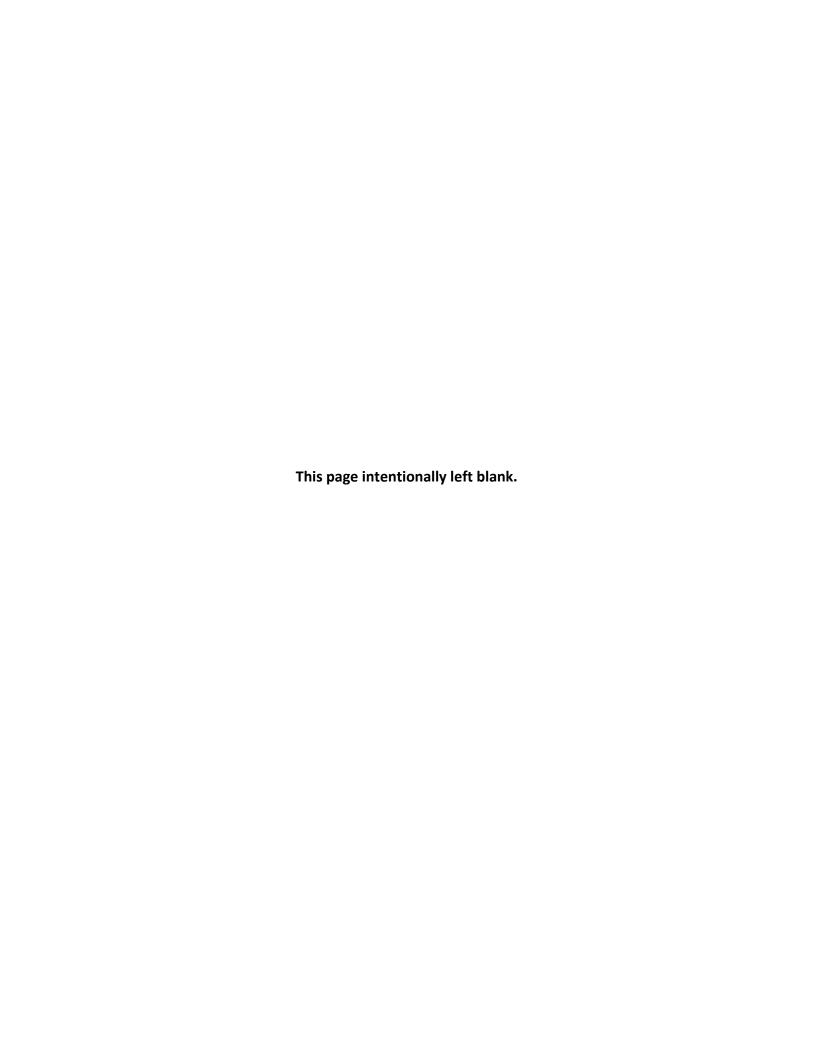
None Noted

Section III - Federal Awards Findings and Questioned Costs

None Noted









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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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