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Audited Financial Statements For the Year Ended June 30, 2018

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Superintendent and School Board Cleveland School District

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Cleveland School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Cleveland School District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes 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.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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 entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the

respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Cleveland School District, as of June 30, 2018, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, budgetary comparison information, the Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability, the Schedule of District Contributions (PERS), the Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability, and the Schedule of District Contributions (OPEB) on pages 7-15, 48-49, 50-51 and 52-53, respectively, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, 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.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Cleveland School District's basic financial statements. The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, the Schedule of Instructional, Administrative and Other Expenditures for Governmental Funds, and the other information section, which includes the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances—General Fund, Last Four Years and the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances—All Governmental Funds, Last Four Years are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, and the Schedule of Instructional, Administrative and Other Expenditures for Governmental Funds are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such 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 financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the accompanying supplementary information mentioned above is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

The other information section, which includes the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances—General Fund, Last Four Years and the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances—All Governmental Funds, Last Four Years has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated February 8, 2019 on our consideration of the Cleveland School District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Cleveland School District's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering Cleveland School District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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February 8, 2019

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

The following discussion and analysis of Cleveland School District's financial performance provides an overview of the Cleveland School District's financial activities for the year ended June 30, 2018. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the Cleveland School District's performance as a whole. Readers are encouraged to review the financial statements and the notes to the financial statements to enhance their understanding of the Cleveland School District's financial performance.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Total net position for 2018 decreased \$3,851,617, including a prior period adjustment of (\$3,089,071), which represents a 13% decrease from fiscal year 2017. Total net position for 2017 decreased \$1,422,032, including a prior period adjustment of (\$41,639), which represents a 5% decrease from fiscal year 2016.
- General revenues amounted to \$27,185,655 and \$27,407,086, or 79% and 80% of all revenues for fiscal years 2018 and 2017, respectively. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services and grants and contributions accounted for \$7,403,356, or 21% of total revenues for 2018, and \$7,005,894, or 20% of total revenues for 2017.
- The District had \$35,351,557 and \$35,793,373 in expenses for fiscal years 2018 and 2017; only \$7,403,356 for 2018 and \$7,005,894 for 2017 of these expenses was offset by program specific charges for services, grants and contributions. General revenues of \$27,185,655 for 2018 and \$27,407,086 for 2017 were not adequate to provide for these programs.
- Among major funds, the General Fund had \$26,099,875 in revenues and \$26,250,222 in expenditures for 2018, and \$26,434,715 in revenues and \$25,461,710 in expenditures in 2017. The General Fund's fund balance increased by \$382,356 from 2017 to 2018, and increased by \$441,799 from 2016 to 2017.
- Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, increased by \$2,090,304, including a prior period adjustment of \$46,408 for 2018 and decreased by \$210,795, including a prior period of (\$41,639) for 2017. The increase for 2018 was due to the capital additions net of the increase in accumulated depreciation.
- Long-term debt increased by \$1,264,219 for 2018 and decreased by \$508,428 for 2017. This
 increase for 2018 was due primarily to the issuance of three mill notes payable and the inception
 of capital leases net of principal payments on outstanding long-term debt. The liability for
 compensated absences decreased by \$5,138 for 2018 and decreased by \$63,639 for 2017.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This discussion and analysis serves as an introduction to the District's basic financial statements, which include government-wide financial statements, fund financial statements, and notes to the financial statements. This report also contains required supplementary information, supplementary information, and other information.

Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide the reader with a broad overview of the District's finances. These statements consist of the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities, which are prepared using the flow of economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. The current year's revenues and expenses are taken into account regardless of when cash is received or paid.

The Statement of Net Position presents information on all the District's nonfiduciary assets, deferred

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

outflows, liabilities, and deferred inflows, with the differences between them reported as "net position." Over time, increases or decreases in the District's net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether its financial position is improving or deteriorating.

The Statement of Activities presents information showing how the District's net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods.

The government-wide financial statements outline functions of the District that are principally supported by property taxes and intergovernmental revenues (governmental activities). The governmental activities of the District include instruction, support services, non-instructional, sixteenth section, pension expense, OPEB expense, and interest on long-term liabilities.

Fund Financial Statements

A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds of the District can be divided into two categories: governmental funds and fiduciary funds

Governmental funds – Most of the District's general activities are reported in its governmental funds. Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, governmental funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting and the flow of current financial resources measurement focus. The approach focuses on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as balances of spendable resources available at year end. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed view of the District's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, the reader may gain a better understanding of the long-term impact of the District's near-term financing decisions. The governmental funds Balance Sheet is reconciled to the Statement of Net Position, and the governmental funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances is reconciled to the Statement of Activities to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

The District maintains individual governmental funds in accordance with the *Financial Accounting Manual for Mississippi Public School Districts*. Information is presented separately in the governmental funds Balance Sheet and in the governmental funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances for all major funds. All non-major funds are combined and presented in these reports as other governmental funds.

Fiduciary funds – Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the District. Fiduciary funds are not reflected in the government-wide financial statements because resources of those funds are not available to support the District's own programs. These funds are reported using the accrual basis of accounting. The Cleveland School District is responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in these funds are used for their intended purpose.

Reconciliation of Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

The financial statements include two schedules that reconcile the amounts reported on the governmental

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

funds financial statements (modified accrual basis of accounting) with government-wide financial statements (accrual basis of accounting). The following summarizes the major differences between the two statements:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not reported on governmental funds financial statements.

Capital outlay spending results in capital assets on government-wide financial statements, but is reported as expenditures on the governmental funds financial statements.

Bond and note proceeds result in liabilities on government-wide financial statements, but are recorded as other financing sources on the governmental funds financial statements.

A net pension liability and net OPEB liability result in liabilities on the government-wide financial statements but are not reported on governmental funds financial statements.

Certain other outflows represent either increases or decreases in liabilities on the government-wide financial statements, but are reported as expenditures on the governmental funds financial statements.

Notes to the financial statements

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

Required Supplementary Information

In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents budgetary comparison schedules, Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability, Schedule of District Contributions (PERS), Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability, and Schedule of District Contributions (OPEB) as required supplementary information. The District adopts an annual operating budget for all governmental funds. A budgetary comparison schedule has been provided for the General Fund and each additional major special revenue fund as required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board.

Supplementary Information

Additionally, a 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 and a Schedule of Instructional, Administrative and Other Expenditures for governmental funds can be found in this report.

Other Information

Although not a required part of the basic financial statements, the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances—General Fund, Last Four Years and the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances—All Governmental Funds, Last Four Years, is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the Mississippi Department of Education.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Net position

Net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of the District's financial position. Liabilities and deferred inflows of resources exceeded assets and deferred outflows of resources by \$34,110,571 as of June 30, 2018.

The District's financial position is a product of several financial transactions including the net result of activities, the acquisition and payment of debt, the acquisition and disposal of capital assets and the depreciation of capital assets.

Table 1 presents a summary of the District's net position at June 30, 2018 and June 30, 2017.

	 June 30, 2018	 June 30, 2017	Percentag Change	
Current assets	\$ 9,067,498	\$ 8,766,463	3.43	%
Restricted assets	4,039,746	3,029,653	33.34	%
Capital assets, net	 11,154,865	 9,064,561	23.06	%
Total assets	 24,262,109	 20,860,677	16.31	%
Deferred outflows of resources	 4,939,648	 10,839,339	-54.43	%
Current liabilities	926,290	766,531	20.84	%
Long-term debt outstanding	10,418,370	9,154,151	13.81	%
Net OPEB liability	3,108,964	-	N/A	%
Net pension liability	 46,961,092	 51,193,915	-8.27	%
Total liabilities	 61,414,716	 61,114,597	0.49	%
Deferred inflows of resources	 1,897,612	 844,373	124.74	%
Net position:				
Net investment in capital assets	1,862,782	1,430,532	30.22	%
Restricted	3,474,979	3,588,465	-3.16	%
Unrestricted	 (39,448,332)	 (35,277,951)	-11.82	%
Total net position	\$ (34,110,571)	\$ (30,258,954)	-12.73	%

Table 1 Condensed Statement of Net Position

Additional information on unrestricted net position:

In connection with the application of standards on accounting and financial reporting for pensions and OPEB, management presents the following additional information:

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

Total unrestricted net position (deficit)	\$ (39,448,332)
Less unrestricted deficit in net position resulting from	
recognition of the net pension and net OPEB liability, including the deferred	
outflows and deferred inflows related to pensions and OPEB	47,028,020
Unrestricted net position, exclusive of the	
net pension and net OPEB liability effect	\$ 7,579,688

The following are significant current year transactions that have had an impact on the Statement of Net Position.

- Increase in net capital assets in the amount of \$2,090,304.
- The principal retirement of \$1,949,250 of long-term debt.
- Issuing \$2,000,000 in three mill notes payable and the inception of capital leases in the amount of \$1,218,607.
- Implementation of GASB 75 which resulted in the recognition of a net OPEB liability in the amount of \$3,108,964.

Changes in net position

The District's total revenues for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2018 and June 30, 2017 were \$34,589,011 and \$34,412,980, respectively. The total cost of all programs and services was \$35,351,557 for 2018 and \$35,793,373 for 2017.

Table 2 presents a summary of the changes in net position for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2018 and June 30, 2017.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

Table 2Changes in Net Position

	Year Ended June 30, 2018		Year Ended June 30, 2017		Percentage Change	;
Revenues:						
Program revenues:						
Charges for services	\$	547,407	\$	516,522	5.98	%
Operating grants and contributions		6,855,949		6,489,372	5.65	%
General revenues:						
Property taxes		10,305,851		9,845,026	4.68	%
Grants and contributions not restricted		16,285,965		16,958,747	(3.97)	%
Investment earnings		31,371		31,490	(0.38)	%
Sixteenth section sources		317,729		329,939	(3.70)	%
Other		244,739		241,884	1.18	%
Total revenues		34,589,011		34,412,980	0.51	%
Expenses:						
Instruction		15,767,778		15,531,274	1.52	%
Support services		11,489,744		11,782,977	(2.49)	%
Non-instructional		2,174,108		2,094,466	3.80	%
Sixteenth section		98,197		64,713	51.74	%
Pension expense		5,487,921		6,135,057	(10.55)	%
OPEB expense		150,952		-	N/A	%
Interest on long-term liabilities		182,857		184,886	(1.10)	%
Total expenses		35,351,557		35,793,373	(1.23)	%
Increase (Decrease) in net position		(762,546)		(1,380,393)	44.76	%
Net Position, July 1, as previously reported		(30,258,954)		(28,836,922)	(4.93)	%
Prior Period Adjustment		(3,089,071)		(41,639)	(7,318.70)	%
Net Position, July 1, as restated		(33,348,025)		(28,878,561)	(15.48)	%
Net Position, June 30	\$	(34,110,571)	\$	(30,258,954)	(12.73)	%

Governmental activities

The following table presents the cost of seven major District functional activities: instruction, support services, non-instructional, sixteenth section, pension expense, OPEB expense and interest on long-term liabilities. The table also shows each functional activity's net cost (total cost less charges for services generated by the activities and intergovernmental aid provided for specific programs). The net cost presents the financial burden that was placed on the State and District's taxpayers by each of these functions.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

	 Total	Percentage		
	 2018	2017		Change
Instruction	\$ 15,767,778	\$	15,531,274	1.52 %
Support services	11,489,744		11,782,977	(2.49) %
Non-instructional	2,174,108		2,094,466	3.80 %
Sixteenth section	98,197		64,713	51.74 %
Pension Expense	5,487,921		6,135,057	(10.55) %
OPEB Expense	150,952		-	N/A %
Interest on long-term liabilities	 182,857		184,886	(1.10) %
Total expenses	\$ 35,351,557	\$	35,793,373	(1.23) %

Table 3 Net Cost of Governmental Activities

	 Net (Exper	Percentage	
	 2018	 2017	Change
Instruction	\$ (12,549,104)	\$ (12,520,816)	0.23 %
Support services	(9,500,039)	(9,940,957)	(4.44) %
Non-instructional	20,869	58,950	(64.60) %
Sixteenth section	(98,197)	(64,713)	51.74 %
Pension Expense	(5,487,921)	(6,135,057)	(10.55) %
OPEB Expense	(150,952)	-	N/A %
Interest on long-term liabilities	 (182,857)	 (184,886)	(1.10) %
Total net (expense) revenue	\$ (27,948,201)	\$ (28,787,479)	(2.92) %

- Net cost of governmental activities (\$27,948,201) for 2018 and (\$28,787,479) for 2017 was financed by general revenue, which is primarily made up of property taxes (\$10,305,851 for 2018 and \$9,845,026 for 2017) and state and federal revenues (\$16,285,965 for 2018 and \$16,958,747 for 2017). In addition, there was \$317,729 and \$329,939 in Sixteenth Section sources for 2018 and 2017, respectively.
- Investment earnings amounted to \$31,371 for 2018 and \$31,490 for 2017.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT'S FUNDS

As noted earlier, the District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with financerelated legal requirements.

Governmental funds. The focus of the District's governmental funds is to provide information on current inflows, outflows and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the District's financing requirements. In particular, unassigned fund balance may serve as a useful measure of the District's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year.

The financial performance of the District as a whole is reflected in its governmental funds. As the District completed the year, its governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$12,246,164, an increase of \$1,129,985, which includes a decrease in inventory of \$40,689. \$7,623,867 or 62% of the fund balance is unassigned, which represents the residual classification for the General Fund's fund balance that has not been assigned to other funds and that has not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the general fund. The remaining fund balance of \$4,622,297 or 38% is either nonspendable,

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

restricted, committed or assigned to indicate that it is not available for spending except only for the purposes to which it is restricted, committed or assigned.

The General Fund is the principal operating fund of the District. The increase in fund balance in the General Fund for the fiscal year was \$382,356. The fund balance of Other Governmental Funds showed an increase in the amount of \$747,629, which includes a decrease in reserve for inventory of \$40,689, due primarily to normal operations. The increase (decrease) in the fund balances for the other major funds were as follows:

Major Fund	Increase (Decrease)	

Title I Fund No increase or decrease

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

During the year, the District revised the annual operating budget. Budget revisions were made to address and correct the original budgets to reflect more accurately the sources and uses of funding for the Cleveland School District.

A schedule showing the original and final budget amounts compared to the District's actual financial activity for the General Fund and for each major special revenue fund is provided in this report as required supplementary information.

CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets. As of June 30, 2018, the District's total capital assets were \$20,594,495, including land, school buildings, building improvements, buses, other school vehicles, furniture and equipment, and any intangible assets. This amount represents an increase of \$2,599,107 from 2017. Total accumulated depreciation as of June 30, 2018, was \$9,439,630, and total depreciation expense for the year was \$508,803, resulting in total net capital assets of \$11,154,865.

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	J	lune 30, 2018	J	une 30, 2017	Percenta Change	-
Land	\$	111,026	\$	111,026	0.00	%
Construction in Progress		1,163,648		-	N/A	%
Buildings		6,007,315		6,128,550	(1.98)	%
Building improvements		1,534,040		1,611,309	(4.80)	%
Improvements other than buildings		31,503		32,635	(3.47)	%
Mobile equipment		691,420		591,230	16.95	%
Furniture and equipment		195,882		200,474	(2.29)	%
Leased property under capital leases		1,420,031		389,337	264.73	%
Total	\$	11,154,865	\$	9,064,561	23.06	%

Table 4 Capital Assets, Net of Accumulated Depreciation

Additional information on the District's capital assets can be found in Note 5 included in this report.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

Debt Administration. At June 30, 2018, the District had \$10,418,370 in outstanding long-term debt, of which \$400,827 is due within one year. The liability for compensated absences decreased \$5,138 from the prior year.

Table 5 Outstanding Long-Term Debt

	lune 30, 2018	ь	une 30, 2017	Percenta Change	0
	 une 30, 2010		ane 30, 2017	Change	<u> </u>
Limited obligation bonds payable	\$ -	\$	745,000	(100.00)	%
Three mill notes payable	1,845,000		-	N/A	%
Shortfall notes payable	-		458,842	(100.00)	%
Qualified school construction bonds payable	6,741,437		6,741,437	0.00	%
Obligations under capital leases	1,588,245		960,046	65.43	%
Compensated absences payable	 243,688		248,826	(2.06)	%
Total	\$ 10,418,370	\$	9,154,151	13.81	%

Additional information on the District's long-term debt can be found in Note 6 included in this report.

CURRENT ISSUES

The Cleveland School District is financially stable. The District is proud of its community support of the public schools.

The District has committed itself to financial excellence for many years. The District's system of financial planning, budgeting and internal financial controls are well regarded. The District plans to continue its sound fiscal management to meet the challenges of the future.

The District actively pursues grant funding to supplement the local, state and federal revenues.

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

If you have any questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact the Superintendent's Office of the Cleveland School District, 305 Merritt Drive, Cleveland, MS 38732.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Statement of Net Position

Exhibit A

June 30, 2018	
	Governmental
	 Activities
Assets	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 7,647,488
Due from other governments	1,376,386
Prepaid items	12,568
Inventories	31,056
Restricted assets	4,039,746
Capital assets, non-depreciable:	
Land	111,026
Construction in progress	1,163,648
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation:	
Buildings	6,007,315
Building improvements	1,534,040
Improvements other than buildings	31,503
Mobile equipment	691,420
Furniture and equipment	195,882
Leased property under capital leases	 1,420,031
Total Assets	 24,262,109
Deferred Outflows of Resources	
Deferred outflows - pensions	4,807,108
Deferred outflows - OPEB	132,540
Total deferred outflows of resources	 4,939,648
Liabilities	
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	861,080
Interest payable on long-term liabilities	65,210
Long-term liabilities, due within one year:	05,210
Capital related liabilities	400,827
Net OPEB liability	132,540
Long-term liabilities, due beyond one year:	102,040
	0 772 955
Capital related liabilities	9,773,855 243,688
Non-capital related liabilities Net pension liability	46,961,092
Net OPEB liability	2,976,424
Total Liabilities	 61,414,716
Total Liabilities	 01,414,710
Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Deferred inflows - pensions	1,720,145
Deferred inflows - OPEB	 177,467
Total deferred inflows of resources	 1,897,612
Net Position	
Net investment in capital assets	1,862,782
Restricted for:	
Expendable:	
School-based activities	511,476
Debt service	2,435,245
Forestry improvements	146
Unemployment benefits	92,016
Non-expendable:	52,010
	426.000
Sixteenth section principal	436,096
	 (39,448,332)
Total Net Position	\$ (34,110,571)

Statement of Activities

For the Year Ended June 30, 2018

		F	rogram Revenues		Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position
			Operating	Capital	
		Charges for	Grants and	Grants and	Governmental
Functions/Programs	Expenses	Services	Contributions	Contributions	 Activities
Governmental Activities:					
Instruction	\$ 15,767,778 \$	423,776 \$	2,794,898 \$	-	\$ (12,549,104)
Support services	11,489,744	-	1,989,705	-	(9,500,039)
Non-instructional	2,174,108	123,631	2,071,346	-	20,869
Sixteenth section	98,197	-	-	-	(98,197)
Pension expense	5,487,921	-	-	-	(5,487,921)
OPEB expense	150,952	-	-	-	(150,952)
Interest on long-term liabilities	 182,857	-	-	-	 (182,857)
Total Governmental Activities	\$ 35,351,557 \$	547,407 \$	6,855,949 \$		\$ (27,948,201)

General Revenues:	
Taxes:	
General purpose levies	9,869,008
Debt purpose levies	436,843
Unrestricted grants and contributions:	
State	15,954,652
Federal	331,313
Unrestricted investment earnings	31,371
Sixteenth section	317,729
Other	244,739
Total General Revenues	27,185,655
Change in Net Position	(762,546)
Net Position - Beginning, as previously reported	(30,258,954)
Prior Period Adjustments	(3,089,071)
Net Position - Beginning, as restated	(33,348,025)
Net Position - Ending	<u>\$ (34,110,571)</u>

Governmental Funds

Exhibit C

Balance Sheet June 30, 2018

	Major Funds			
			Other	Total
	General	Title I	Governmental	Governmental
	 Fund	Fund	Funds	Funds
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 6,837,240 \$	144,825 \$	2,239,605 \$	9,221,670
Cash with fiscal agents	-	-	10,054	10,054
Investments	-	-	2,455,510	2,455,510
Due from other governments	382,475	368,305	561,626	1,312,406
Due from other funds	1,062,307	-	-	1,062,307
Advances	20,000	-	-	20,000
Prepaid items	12,568	-	-	12,568
Inventories	 -	-	31,056	31,056
Total assets	 8,314,590	513,130	5,297,851	14,125,571
Liabilities and Fund Balances				
Liabilities:				
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 491,214 \$	43,619 \$	326,247 \$	861,080
Due to other funds	 -	469,511	548,816	1,018,327
Total Liabilities	 491,214	513,130	875,063	1,879,407
Nonspendable:				
Inventory	-	-	31,056	31,056
Prepaid items	12,568	-	-	12,568
Advances	20,000	-	-	20,000
Permanent fund principal	-	-	436,096	436,096
Restricted:				
Debt service	-	-	2,500,455	2,500,455
Capital improvements	-	-	882,599	882,599
Forestry improvements	-	-	146	146
Grant activities	-	-	480,420	480,420
Unemployment benefits	-	-	92,016	92,016
Assigned:				
Activity funds	166,941	-	-	166,941
Unassigned	7,623,867	-	-	7,623,867
Total Fund Balances	 7,823,376	-	4,422,788	12,246,164
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$ 8,314,590 \$	513,130 \$	5,297,851 \$	14,125,571

CLEVEL	AND SCHOOL	DISTRICT
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	Governmental Funds		
Re	conciliation of the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet to the Statement of N	et Position	Exhibit C-1
Ju	ne 30, 2018		
То	tal fund balances for governmental funds	\$	12,246,164
	nounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are		
	fferent because: Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and		
1.	therefore are not reported in the funds:		
	Land	111,026	
	Construction in progress	1,163,648	
	Buildings	11,457,177	
	Building improvements	2,146,706	
	Improvements other than buildings	112,238	
	Mobile equipment	2,787,235	
	Furniture and equipment	993,948	
	Leased property under capital leases	1,822,517	
	Accumulated depreciation	(9,439,630)	11,154,865
2.	Some liabilities, including net pension obligations, are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds: Net pension liability	(46,961,092)	
	Deferred outflow s and inflow s of resources related to pensions are applicable to future periods and, therefore, are not reported in the funds:	(+0,301,032)	
	Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions	4,807,108	
	Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions	(1,720,145)	(43,874,129)
3	Some liabilities, including net OPEB obligations, are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds: Net OPEB liability Deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to OPEB are applicable	(3,108,964)	
	to future periods and, therefore, are not reported in the funds:	400 540	
	Deferred outflow s of resources related to OPEB Deferred inflow s of resources related to OPEB	132,540 (177,467)	(3,153,891)
4.	Long-term liabilities and related accrued interest are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds:	(111,101)	(0,100,001)
	Qualified school constructions bonds payable	(6,741,437)	
	Three mill notes payable	(1,845,000)	
	Compensated absences	(243,688)	
	Capital lease obligations	(1,588,245)	
	Accrued interest payable	(65,210)	(10,483,580)
Ne	t position of governmental activities	\$	(34,110,571)

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		vernmental Fun			
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures a	nd C	changes in Fund	Balances		Exhibit D
For the Year Ended June 30, 2018		Major Fu	nde	Other	Total
		Major Fu General	Title I	Governmental	Governmental
		Fund	Fund	Funds	Funds
Revenues:					
Local sources	\$	10,478,632 \$	- \$	570,002 \$	11,048,634
State sources		14,930,347	-	2,116,288	17,046,635
Federal sources		373,167	1,627,941	4,094,171	6,095,279
Sixteenth section sources		317,729	-	-	317,729
Total Revenues		26,099,875	1,627,941	6,780,461	34,508,277
Expenditures:					
Instruction		14,137,581	1,022,457	2,226,920	17,386,958
Support services		11,799,034	673,026	1,195,398	13,667,458
Noninstructional services		215,410	60,586	1,940,222	2,216,218
Sixteenth section		98,197	-	-	98,197
Facilities acquisition and construction		-	-	1,117,240	1,117,240
Debt service:					
Principal		-	-	1,949,250	1,949,250
Interest		-	-	194,683	194,683
Other		-	-	6,940	6,940
Total Expenditures		26,250,222	1,756,069	8,630,653	36,636,944
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues					
over (under) Expenditures		(150,347)	(128,128)	(1,850,192)	(2,128,667)
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Other Financing Sources (Uses):				2 000 000	2 000 000
Bonds and notes issued		-	-	2,000,000	2,000,000
Inception of capital leases		1,218,607	-	-	1,218,607
Operating transfers in Other financing sources		76,291	209,966	951,031 90,833	1,237,288
Operating transfers out		- (753,176)	- (81,838)	90,833 (402,274)	90,833 (1,237,288)
Other financing uses		. ,	(01,030)		,
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		<u>(9,019)</u> 532,703	128,128	(1,080)	(10,099)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		552,705	120,120	2,638,510	3,299,341
Net Change in Fund Balances		382,356	-	788,318	1,170,674
Fund Balances:					
July 1, 2017		7,441,020	-	3,675,159	11,116,179
Increase in reserve for inventory		-	-	(40,689)	(40,689)
June 30, 2018	\$	7,823,376 \$	- \$	4,422,788 \$	12,246,164

CLEVELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT			
Governmental Funds Reconciliation of the Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances to the Statement of Activities For the Year Ended June 30, 2018			Exhibit D-1
Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds		\$	1,170,674
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:			
 Governmental funds report capital outlay as expenditures. How ever, in the statement of activities, the cost of capital assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. In the current period, these amounts are: 			
Capital outlay	\$	2,552,699	
Depreciation expense		(508,803)	2,043,896
2. The issuance of long-term debt provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, how ever, has any effect on net position. Also, governmental funds report the effect of premiums, discounts and the difference betw een the carrying value of refunded debt and the acquisition cost of refunded debt when debt is first issued. These amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities:			
Bonds and notes issued		(2,000,000)	
Capital leases issued		(1,218,607)	
Payments of debt principal		1,949,250	
Accrued interest payable		21,384	(1,247,973)
2. Some items relating to pensions and reported in the statement of activities do not provide or require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as revenues/expenditures in the governmental funds. These activities include: Pension expense		(5,487,921)	
Contributions subsequent to the measurement date		2,815,359	(2,672,562)
4. Some items relating to OPEB and reported in the statement of activities do not provide or require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as revenues/expenditures in the governmental funds. These activities include:			
OPEB expense		(150,952)	
Contributions subsequent to the measurement date		132,540	(18,412)
 Some items reported in the statement of activities do not provide or require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as revenues/expenditures in governmental funds. These activities include: 	I		
Change in compensated absences		5,138	
Change in inventory reserve		(40,689)	
Amortization of deferred charges, premiums and discounts		(2,618)	(38,169)
Change in net position of governmental activities		\$	(762,546)

CLEVELAND SCHOOL DISTR	ICT	
Fiduciary Funds		
Statement of Fiduciary Assets and Liabilities		Exhibit E
June 30, 2018		
		Agency Funds
Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	1,291,369
Total Assets	_\$	1,291,369
Liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$	1,217,746
Due to other funds		43,980
Advances		20,000
Due to student clubs		9,643
Total Liabilities	\$	1,291,369

Notes to the Financial Statements For Year Ended June 30, 2018

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accompanying financial statements of the Cleveland School District have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). GASB is the accepted standard-setting body for governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The most significant of the Cleveland School District's accounting policies are described below.

A. Financial Reporting Entity

As defined by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the Cleveland School District is considered an "other stand-alone government." The Cleveland School District is a related organization of, but not a component unit of, the city of Cleveland since the governing authority of the city selects a majority of the Cleveland School District's board but does not have financial accountability for the Cleveland School District.

For financial reporting purposes, Cleveland School District has included all funds and organizations. The District has also considered all potential component units for which it is financially accountable and other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the District are such that exclusion would cause the District's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board has set forth criteria to be considered in determining financial accountability. These criteria include appointing a voting majority of an organization's governing body and (1) the ability of the District to impose its will on that organization or (2) the potential for the organization to provide specific benefits to or impose specific financial burdens on the District.

B. Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

Government-wide Financial Statements – The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the District. For the most part, the effect of inter-fund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by tax and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support.

The Statement of Net Position presents the District's non-fiduciary assets, deferred outflows, liabilities, and deferred inflows with the difference reported as net position. Net position is reported in three categories:

- 1. Net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, and reduced by outstanding balances of bonds, notes and other debt attributable to the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets.
- 2. Restricted net position results when constraints placed on net position use are either externally imposed or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- 3. Unrestricted net position consists of net position not meeting the definition of the two preceding categories. Unrestricted net position often has constraints on resources imposed by management which can be removed or modified.

The Statement of Activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function, or segment, are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program revenues include 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function and 2) grants, contributions and interest restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Property taxes and other items not included among

Notes to the Financial Statements For Year Ended June 30, 2018

program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

Fund Financial Statements - Separate financial statements are provided for governmental and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported in separate columns in the fund financial statements. All remaining governmental funds are aggregated and reported as other governmental funds.

The Cleveland School District reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund - This is the Cleveland School District's primary operating fund. The general fund is used to account for and report all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund.

Title I Fund – This is the school district's federal reimbursable fund that serves to fund remedial mathematics and reading services to low-income, program eligible students.

All other governmental funds not meeting the criteria established for major funds are presented in the other governmental column of the fund financial statements.

The District's fiduciary funds include the following:

Accounts Payable Clearing Fund – This fund is used to report the accounts payable resources held by the district in a purely custodial capacity (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of results of operations.

Payroll Clearing Fund - This fund is used to report the payroll resources held by the district in a purely custodial capacity (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of results of operations.

Student Club Fund Agency Funds – These funds are used to report student club resources held by the district in a purely custodial capacity (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of results of operations.

Additionally, the Cleveland School District reports the following fund types:

GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

<u>Special Revenue Funds</u> - Special Revenue Funds are used to account for and report the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects.

<u>Capital Projects Funds</u> - 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.

<u>Debt Service Funds</u> - Debt Service Funds are used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for principal and interest.

<u>Permanent Funds</u> - Permanent Funds are used to account for and report resources that are restricted to the extent that only earnings, and not the principal, may be used for purposes that support the district's programs.

FIDUCIARY FUNDS

<u>Agency Funds</u> - Agency Funds are used to report resources held by the district in a purely custodial capacity (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of results of operations.

Notes to the Financial Statements For Year Ended June 30, 2018

C. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation

In the government-wide Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities, governmental activities are presented using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the Fiduciary Fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned, and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred or economic asset used, regardless of the timing of the related cash flows. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Measurable means knowing or being able to reasonably estimate the amount. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days after year end. Expenditures (including capital outlay) are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due.

Federal grants and assistance awards made on the basis of entitlement periods are recorded as receivables and revenues when entitlement occurs. Federal reimbursement type grants are recorded as revenues when the related expenditures are recognized. Use of grant resources is conditioned upon compliance with terms of the grant agreements and applicable federal regulations, which include subjecting grants to financial and compliance audits.

Property taxes, intergovernmental revenues (shared revenues, grants and reimbursements from other governments) and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual.

Ad valorem property taxes are levied by the governing authority of the city on behalf of the Cleveland School District based upon an order adopted by the school board of the Cleveland School District requesting an ad valorem tax effort in dollars. Since the taxes are not levied and collected by the Cleveland School District, the revenues to be generated by the annual levies are not recognized until the taxes are actually collected by the tax levying authority.

Capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Proceeds of general long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Under the terms of grant agreements, the District funds certain programs by a combination of specific cost-reimbursement grants and general revenues. Thus, when program expenses are incurred, there is both restricted and unrestricted net position available to finance the program. It is the District's policy to first apply cost-reimbursement grant resources to such programs and then general revenues.

The effect of inter-fund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide statements.

Revenues from the Mississippi Adequate Education Program are appropriated on a fiscal year basis and are recorded at the time the revenues are received from the State of Mississippi.

The account classifications used in the financial statements conform to the broad classifications recommended in *Governmental Accounting, Auditing, and Financial Reporting,* issued in 2012 by the Government Finance Officers Association and are consistent with the broad classifications recommended in *Financial Accounting for Local and State School Systems, 2014,* issued by the U.S. Department of Education.

Notes to the Financial Statements For Year Ended June 30, 2018

D. Encumbrances

An encumbrance system is not maintained to account for commitments resulting from approved purchase orders, work orders and contracts.

E. Assets, liabilities, deferred outflows/inflows, and net position/fund balances

1. Cash, Cash equivalents and Investments

Cash and cash equivalents

The district's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition. The Cleveland School District deposits excess funds in the financial institutions selected by the school board. State statutes specify how these depositories are to be selected.

Investments

The Cleveland School District can invest its excess funds, as permitted by Section 29-3-113, Miss. Code Ann. (1972), in interest-bearing deposits or other obligations of the types described in Section 27-105-33, Miss. Code Ann. (1972), or in any other type investment in which any other agency, instrumentality or subdivision of the State of Mississippi may invest, except that 100% of said funds are authorized to be so invested.

For accounting purposes, certificates of deposit are classified as investments if they have an original maturity greater than three months when acquired.

Investments for the district are reported at fair market value.

2. Receivables and payables

Activities between funds that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year are referred to as either "due to/from other funds" (i.e., the current portion of inter-fund loans) or "advances to/from other funds"(i.e. the non-current portion of inter-fund loans). All other outstanding balances between funds are reported as "due to/from other funds."

Advances between funds, as reported in the fund financial statements, are offset by a fund balance reserve account in applicable governmental funds to indicate that they are not available for appropriation and are not expendable available financial resources.

3. Due from Other Governments

Due from other governments represents amounts due from the State of Mississippi and various grants and reimbursements from other governments.

4. Inventories and Prepaid Items

Donated commodities are received from the USDA and are valued at USDA cost. Other inventories are valued at cost (calculated on the first-in, first-out basis). The costs of governmental fund type inventories are reported as expenditures when purchased.

Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items in both the government-wide and governmental fund financial statements.

Notes to the Financial Statements For Year Ended June 30, 2018

5. Restricted Assets

Certain resources set aside for repayment of debt are classified as restricted assets on the Statement of Net Position because their use is limited by applicable debt statutes, e.g. Qualified School Construction Bond sinking funds. Also, the nonexpendable portion of the Permanent Fund, if applicable, is classified as restricted assets because the 16th Section Principal fund is not available for use by the district except as provided for under state statute for loans from this fund.

6. Capital Assets

Capital assets include land, improvements to land, easements, water rights, timber rights, buildings, building improvements, vehicles, machinery, equipment, works of art and historical treasures, infrastructure, and all other tangible or intangible assets that are used in operations and that have initial useful lives extending beyond a single reporting period. Capital assets are reported in the applicable governmental or business type activities columns in the government-wide Statement of Net Position. Capital assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost based on appraisals or deflated current replacement cost. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation. The costs of normal maintenance and repair that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an initial, individual cost in excess of the thresholds in the table below.

Capital acquisition and construction are reflected as expenditures in the Governmental Fund statements and the related assets are reported as capital assets in the governmental activities column in the government-wide financial statements.

Depreciation is calculated on the straight-line basis for all assets, except land.

The following schedule details the capitalization thresholds:

	Capitalization Policy		Estimated Useful Life
Land	\$	0	0
Buildings		50,000	40 years
Building improvements		25,000	20 years
Improvements other than buildings		25,000	20 years
Mobile equipment		5,000	5-10 years
Furniture and equipment		5,000	3-7 years
Leased property under capital leases		*	*

(*) The threshold amount will correspond with the amounts for the asset classifications, as listed. See Note 5 for details.

7. Deferred outflows/inflows of resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The district reports \$4,807,108 of deferred outflows related to its pension plan and \$132,540 related to its OPEB plan.

Notes to the Financial Statements For Year Ended June 30, 2018

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The district reports \$1,720,145 of deferred inflows related to its pension plan and \$177,467 related to its OPEB plan.

See Notes 7, 8 and 14 for further details.

8. Compensated Absences

Employees of the Cleveland School District accumulate sick leave at a minimum amount as required by state law. A greater amount may be provided by Cleveland School District policy provided that it does not exceed the provisions for leave as provided in Sections 25-3-93 and 25-3-95. Some employees are allowed personal leave and/or vacation leave in accordance with Cleveland School District policy. The district pays for unused leave for employees as required by Section 37-7-307(5), Miss. Code Ann. (1972).

The liability for these compensated absences is recorded as a long-term liability in the government-wide statements. The current portion of this liability is estimated based on historical trends. In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report the liability for compensated absences from expendable available financial resources only if the payable has matured, for example, an employee retires.

9. Long-term Liabilities and Bond Discounts/Premiums

In the government-wide financial statements, outstanding debt is reported as liabilities. Bond discounts or premiums and the difference between reacquisition price and the net carrying value of refunded debt are capitalized and amortized over the terms of the respective bonds using a method that approximates the effective interest method.

The governmental fund financial statements recognize the proceeds of debt and premiums as other financing sources of the current period. Issuance costs are reported as expenditures. See Note 6 for details.

10. Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) and additions to/deductions from PERS' fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by PERS. For this purpose, the benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

11. Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions (OPEB)

For purposes of measuring the net OPEB liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB, and OPEB expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the State and School Employees' Life and Health Plan (OPEB Plan) and additions to/deductions from the OPEB Plan's fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the OPEB Plan. Fiduciary net position was zero as of the measurement date of June 30, 2017. For this purpose, the OPEB Plan recognizes benefit payments when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms.

Notes to the Financial Statements For Year Ended June 30, 2018

12. Fund Balances

Fund balance for governmental funds is reported in classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which the government is bound to honor constraints on the specific purposes for which amounts in those funds can be spent.

Governmental fund balance is classified as nonspendable, restricted, committed, assigned or unassigned. Following are descriptions of fund classifications used by the district:

Nonspendable fund balance includes items that cannot be spent. This includes activity that is not in a spendable form (inventories, prepaid amounts, long-term portion of loans/notes receivable, or property held for resale unless the proceeds are restricted, committed, or assigned) and activity that is legally or contractually required to remain intact, such as a principal balance in a permanent fund.

Restricted fund balance includes amounts that have constraints placed upon the use of the resources either by an external party or imposed by law through a constitutional provision or enabling legislation.

Committed fund balance includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by a formal action of the School Board, the District's highest level of decision-making authority. This formal action is a vote by the board to commit funds. Currently there is no committed fund balance for this school district.

Assigned fund balance includes amounts that are constrained by the District's intent to be used for a specific purpose, but are neither restricted nor committed. For governmental funds, other than the general fund, this is the residual amount within the fund that is not restricted or committed. Assignments of fund balance are created by management pursuant to authorization established by school board.

Unassigned fund balance is the residual classification for the general fund. This classification represents fund balance that has not been assigned to other funds and that has not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the general fund. The general fund should be the only fund that reports a positive unassigned fund balance amount. In other governmental funds, it may be necessary to report a negative unassigned fund balance.

When an expenditure/expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted (committed, assigned, or unassigned) resources are available, it is the District's general policy to use restricted resources first. When expenditures/expenses are incurred for purposes for which unrestricted (committed, assigned, and unassigned) resources are available, and amounts in any of these unrestricted classifications could be used, it is the District's general policy to spend committed resources first, followed by assigned amounts, and then unassigned amounts.

Note 2 – Cash and Cash Equivalents, Cash with Fiscal Agents, and Investments

The district follows the practice of aggregating the cash assets of various funds to maximize cash management efficiency and returns. Restrictions on deposits and investments are imposed by statutes as follows:

Deposits. The school board must advertise and accept bids for depositories no less than once every three years as required by Section 37-7-333, Miss. Code Ann. (1972). The collateral pledged for the Cleveland School District's deposits in financial institutions is held in the name of the State Treasurer under a program established by the Mississippi State Legislature and is governed by Section 27-105-5, Miss. Code Ann. (1972). Under this program, the entity's funds are protected through a collateral pool administered by the State Treasurer. Financial institutions holding deposits of public funds must pledge securities as collateral

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against those deposits. In the event of failure of a financial institution, securities pledged by that institution would be liquidated by the State Treasurer to replace the public deposits not covered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Investments. Section 29-3-113 and 37-59-43, Miss. Code Ann. (1972), authorizes the school board to invest excess funds in the types of investments authorized by Section 27-105-33(d) and (e), Miss. Code Ann. (1972). This section permits the following types of investments: (a) certificates of deposit or interest bearing accounts with qualified state depositories; (b) direct United States Treasury obligations; (c) United States Government agency, United States Government instrumentality or United States Government sponsored enterprise obligations, not to exceed fifty percent of all monies invested with maturities of thirty days or longer; (d) direct security repurchase agreements and reverse direct security repurchase agreements of any federal book entry of only those securities enumerated in (b) and (c) above; (e) direct obligations issued by the United States of America that are deemed to include securities of, or other interests in, any open-end or closed-end management type investment company or investment trust approved by the State Treasurer and the Executive Director of the Department of Finance and Administration, not to exceed twenty percent of invested excess funds. Investment income on bond funds (Capital Projects), bond sinking funds (Debt Service Funds) and sixteenth section principal funds (Permanent Funds) must be credited to those funds. Investment income of \$100 or more of any fund must be credited to that fund. Investment income of less than \$100 can be credited to the General Fund.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The carrying amount of the Cleveland School District's deposits with financial institutions reported in the governmental funds and fiduciary funds was \$9,221,670 and \$1,291,369, respectively.

Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits. Custodial credit risk is defined as the risk that, in the event of the failure of a financial institution, the district will not be able to recover deposits or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The district does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. In the event of failure of a financial institution, securities pledged by that institution would be liquidated by the State Treasurer to replace the public deposits not covered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. Deposits above FDIC coverage are collateralized by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent in the name of the Mississippi State Treasurer on behalf of the district.

Cash with Fiscal Agents

The carrying amount of Cleveland School District's cash with fiscal agents held by financial institutions was \$10,054.

Investments

As of June 30, 2018, the district had the following investments.

	Maturities				
Investment Type	Rating	(in years)	Fair Value		
U.S. Treasuries, State & Local Governments	AA+	1 to 5 years <u></u> \$	2,455,510		
Total		\$	2,455,510		

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

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The district has the following recurring fair value measurements as of June 30, 2018:

• U.S. Treasury, State and Local Government type of investments of \$2,455,510 are valued using quoted market prices (Level 1 inputs)

Interest Rate Risk. The district does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

Credit Risk. State law limits investments to those prescribed in Sections 27-105-33(d) and 27-105-33(e), Miss. Code Ann. (1972). The district does not have a formal investment policy that would further limit its investment choices or one that addresses credit risk.

Custodial Credit Risk - Investments. Custodial credit risk is defined as the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the district will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The district does not have a formal investment policy that addresses custodial credit risk.

Concentration of Credit Risk. Disclosure of investments by amount and issuer for any issuer that represents five percent or more of total investments is required. This requirement does not apply to investments issued or explicitly guaranteed by the U.S. government, investments in mutual funds and external investment pools, and other pooled investments. As of June 30, 2018, the district had the following investments:

	Fair	% of Total
lssuer	Value	Investments
U.S. Treasuries, State and Local Governments	\$ 2,455,510	100%

Note 3 – Inter-fund Receivables, Payables and Transfers

The following is a summary of inter-fund transactions and balances:

A. Due From/To Other Funds

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	Amount
General Fund	Title I Fund	\$ 469,511
	Other governmental funds	548,816
	Fiduciary Fund	 43,980
Total		\$ 1,062,307

The purpose of the inter-fund loans was to cover federal and state funds not received prior to yearend and amounts due from and amounts due to agency funds

B. Advances From/To Other Funds

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	Amount
General Fund	Fiduciary funds	\$ 20,000
Total		\$ 20,000

Advances were for cash flow purposes.

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C. Inter-fund Transfers

Transfers Out	Transfers In	Amount
General Fund	Other governmental funds	\$ 753,176
Title I Fund	General Fund	43,917
	Other governmental funds	37,921
Other governmental funds	General Fund	32,374
	Title I Fund	209,966
	Other governmental funds	 159,934
Total		\$ 1,237,288

The primary reason for the transfer out of the other governmental funds is the indirect cost allocation from the general fund.

Note 4 – Restricted Assets

The restricted assets represent the cash balance, totaling \$436,096 respectively, of the Sixteenth Section Principal Fund (Permanent Fund) which is legally restricted and may not be used for purposes that support the district's programs.

The restricted assets represent the investment balance, totaling \$2,455,510, of the QSCB debt service sinking funds.

Also, the restricted assets represent the cash with fiscal agents balance, totaling \$10,054 of the General MAEP limited obligation bonds debt service fund funds, respectively.

In addition, the restricted assets represent the cash balance, totaling \$34,989, of the debt service funds whose assets are restricted for future debt service requirements.

The restricted assets also include the cash balance, totaling \$1,103,097 of the unspent loan proceeds from the three mill notes payable.

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Note 5 – Capital Assets

The following is a summary of changes in capital assets for governmental activities.

	Balance 7/1/2017	Increases	Decreases	Adjustments	Balance 6/30/2018
Governmental Activities:					
Non-depreciable capital assets:					
Land	\$ 111,026 \$	- \$	- \$	- \$	111,026
Construction-in-progress	 -	1,117,240	-	46,408	1,163,648
Total non-depreciable capital assets	 111,026	1,117,240	-	46,408	1,274,674
Depreciable capital assets:					
Buildings	11,457,177	-	-	-	11,457,177
Building improvements	2,146,706	-	-	-	2,146,706
Improvements other than buildings	112,238	-	-	-	112,238
Mobile equipment	2,610,076	177,159	-	-	2,787,235
Furniture and equipment	941,398	52,550	-	-	993,948
Leased property under capital leases	 616,767	1,205,750	-	-	1,822,517
Total depreciable capital assets	 17,884,362	1,435,459	-	-	19,319,821
Less accumulated depreciation for:					
Buildings	5,328,627	121,235	-	-	5,449,862
Building improvements	535,397	77,269	-	-	612,666
Improvements other than buildings	79,603	1,132	-	-	80,735
Mobile equipment	2,018,846	76,969	-	-	2,095,815
Furniture and equipment	740,924	57,142	-	-	798,066
Leased property under capital leases	227,430	175,056	-	-	402,486
Total accumulated depreciation	8,930,827	508,803	-	-	9,439,630
Total depreciable capital assets, net	 8,953,535	926,656		-	9,880,191
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$ 9,064,561 \$	2,043,896 \$	- \$	46,408 \$	11,154,865

Depreciation expense was charged to the following governmental functions:

	Amount
Governmental activities:	
Instruction	\$ 290,018
Support services	178,081
Non-instructional	 40,704
Total depreciation expense - Governmental activities	\$ 508,803

The details of construction-in-progress are as follows:

		Spent to	Remaining
	Ju	une 30, 2018	Commitment
High School Renovations Project	\$	1,163,648 \$	576,386

Construction projects included in governmental activities are funded with 3 mill note proceeds.

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Note 6 – Long-term Liabilities

The following is a summary of changes in long-term liabilities and other obligations for governmental activities:

		Balance			Balance	Amounts due
		 7/1/2017	Additions	Reductions	6/30/2018	within one year
Α.	Limited obligation bonds payable	\$ 745,000 \$	- \$	(745,000) \$	- \$	-
В.	Three mill notes payable	-	2,000,000	(155,000)	1,845,000	155,000
C.	Shortfall notes payable	458,842	-	(458,842)	-	-
D.	Qualified school construction bonds payable	6,741,437	-	-	6,741,437	-
Ε.	Obligations under capital leases	960,046	1,218,607	(590,408)	1,588,245	245,827
F.	Compensated absences payable	 248,826	-	(5,138)	243,688	
	Total	\$ 9,154,151 \$	3,218,607 \$	(1,954,388) \$	10,418,370 \$	400,827

A. Limited obligation bonds payable

This debt was retired during the year.

B. Three mill notes payable

Debt currently outstanding is as follows:

	Interest	Issue	Maturity	Amount		Amount
Description	Rate	Date	Date	Issued	C	Dutstanding
1. Limited tax notes payable,						
Series 2017	2.52%	9/14/2017	6/15/2029	\$ 2,000,000	\$	1,845,000

The following is a schedule by years of the total payments due on this debt:

Year Ending June 30	Principal	Interest	Total
2019	\$ 155,000 \$	46,494 \$	201,494
2020	160,000	42,588	202,588
2021	165,000	38,556	203,556
2022	170,000	34,398	204,398
2023	155,000	30,114	185,114
2024-2028	855,000	89,208	944,208
2029	 185,000	4,662	189,662
Total	\$ 1,845,000 \$	286,020 \$	2,131,020

This debt will be retired from the Three Mill Note Fund.

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C. Shortfall notes payable

This debt was retired during the year.

D. Qualified school construction bonds payable

As more fully explained in Note 13, debt has been issued by the school district that qualifies as Qualified School Construction bonds. Debt currently outstanding is as follows:

Description	Interest Rate	lssue Date	Maturity Date	Amount Issued	Amount Outstanding
QSCB - Series 2010	5.85%	11/19/2010	12/1/2024	\$1,771,437	\$1,771,437
QSCB - Series 2012	0.00%	3/20/2012	3/15/2027	3,970,000	3,970,000
QSCB - Series 2013	0.00%	6/18/2013	6/15/2028	1,000,000	1,000,000
Total				\$6,741,437	\$6,741,437

The following is a schedule by years of the total payments due on this debt:

QSCB - Series 2010:

Year Ending June 30		Principal	Interest	Total
2018	\$	- \$	103,629 \$	103,629
2019		-	103,629	103,629
2020		-	103,629	103,629
2021		-	103,629	103,629
2022		-	103,629	103,629
2023		-	103,629	103,629
2024		-	103,629	103,629
2025	_	1,771,437	103,629	1,875,066
Total	\$	1,771,437 \$	829,032 \$	2,600,469

This debt will be retired from the QSCB, Series 2010 debt service sinking fund.

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E. Obligations under capital leases

The district has entered into lease agreements as lessee for financing the acquisition of technology upgrades, technology equipment and band equipment and buses. These leases qualify as capital leases for accounting purposes. Debt currently outstanding is as follows:

Description	Interest Rate	lssue Date	····· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		Amount Outstanding
Master lease	3.82%	10/9/2014	10/10/2021	\$ 682,482	\$ 360,148
IBM server	0.46%	7/1/2016	7/1/2018	28,470	9,490
Master bus lease Total	4.02%	6/29/2018	4/10/2028	1,218,607 \$ 1,929,559	1,218,607 \$ 1,588,245

The following is a schedule by years of the total payments due on this debt:

Master lease:

Year Ending			
June 30	Principal	Interest	Total
2019	\$ 125,459	\$ 12,651	\$ 138,110
2020	105,807	7,913	113,720
2021	85,080	4,249	89,329
2022	 43,802	862	44,664
Total	\$ 360,148	\$ 25,675	\$ 385,823

IBM Server

Year Ending			
June 30	Principal	Interest	Total
2019	\$ 9,490	\$ 44	\$ 9,534
Total	\$ 9,490	\$ 44	\$ 9,534

Master bus lease

Year Ending			
June 30	Principal	Interest	Total
2019	\$ 110,878	\$ 37,028	\$ 147,906
2020	104,414	43,491	147,905
2021	108,653	39,253	147,906
2022	113,065	34,841	147,906
2023	117,656	30,249	147,905
2024-2028	 663,941	75,588	739,529
Total	\$ 1,218,607	\$ 260,450	\$ 1,479,057

These leases will be retired from the capital lease debt service funds.

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Total for all leases:

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June 30	Principal	Principal		Interest		
2019	\$ 245,827	\$	49,723	\$	295,550	
2020	210,221		51,404		261,625	
2021	193,733		43,502		237,235	
2022	156,867		35,703		192,570	
2023	117,656		30,249		147,905	
2024-2028	 663,941		75,588		739,529	
Total	\$ 1,588,245	\$	286,169	\$	1,874,414	

F. Compensated absences payable

As more fully explained in Note 1(E)(8), compensated absences payable is adjusted on an annual basis as required by Section 37-7-307(5), Miss. Code Ann. (1972). Compensated absences will be paid from the fund from which the employees' salaries were paid.

Note 7 – Defined Benefit Pension Plan

General Information about the Pension Plan

Plan Description. The Cleveland School District contributes to the Public Employees' Retirement System of Mississippi (PERS), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. PERS provides retirement and disability benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Plan provisions and the Board of Trustees' authority to determine contribution rates are established by Miss. Code Ann. Section 25-11-1 et seq., (1972, as amended) and may be amended only by the Mississippi Legislature. PERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained by writing to Public Employees' Retirement System of Mississippi, PERS Building, 429 Mississippi Street, Jackson, MS 39201 or by calling (601) 359-3589 or 1-800-444-PERS.

Benefits provided. Membership in PERS is a condition of employment granted upon hiring for gualifying employees and officials of the State of Mississippi, state universities, community and junior colleges, and teachers and employees of the public school districts. For those persons employed by political subdivisions and instrumentalities of the State of Mississippi, membership is contingent upon approval of the entity's participation in PERS by the PERS' Board of Trustees. If approved, membership for the entity's employees is a condition of employment and eligibility is granted to those who gualify upon hiring. Participating members who are vested and retire at or after age 60 or those who retire regardless of age with at least 30 years of creditable service (25 years of creditable service for employees who became members of PERS before July 1, 2011) are entitled, upon application, to an annual retirement allowance payable monthly for life in an amount equal to 2.0 percent of their average compensation for each year of creditable service up to and including 30 years (25 years for those who became members of PERS before July 1, 2011), plus 2.5 percent for each additional year of creditable service with an actuarial reduction in the benefit for each year of creditable service below 30 years or the number of years in age that the member is below 65, whichever is less. Average compensation is the average of the employee's earnings during the four highest compensated years of creditable service. Benefits vest upon completion of eight years of membership service (four years of membership service for those who became members of PERS before July 1, 2007). PERS also provides certain death and disability benefits. A Cost-of-Living Adjustment (COLA) payment is made to eligible retirees and beneficiaries. The COLA is equal to 3.0 percent of the annual retirement allowance for each full fiscal year of retirement up to the year in which the retired member reaches age 60 (55 for those who became members of PERS before July 1, 2011), with 3.0 percent compounded for each fiscal year thereafter.

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Contributions. PERS members are required to contribute 9.00% of their annual covered salary, and the Cleveland School District is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The employer's rate as of June 30, 2018 was 15.75% of annual covered payroll. Plan provisions and the Board of Trustees' authority to determine contribution rates are established by Section 25-11-1 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended, and may be amended only by the Mississippi Legislature. The Cleveland School District's contributions to PERS for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2018, 2017 and 2016 were \$2,815,359, \$2,854,663 and \$2,888,150, respectively, which equaled the required contributions for each year.

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

At June 30, 2018, the Cleveland School District reported a liability of \$46,961,092 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2017, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the Cleveland School District's long-term share of contribution to the pension plan relative to projected contributions of all participating entities, actuarially determined. The Cleveland School District's proportionate share used to calculate the June 30, 2018 net pension liability was .28250 percent, which was based on a measurement date of June 30, 2017. This was a decrease of .0041 percent from its proportionate share used to calculate the June 30, 2017 net pension liability, which was based on a measurement date of June 30, 2016.

For the year ended June 30, 2018, the District recognized pension expense of \$5,487,921. At June 30, 2018 the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Differences between expected and actual	\$ \$	
experience	686,613	342,661
Net difference between projected and actual		
earnings on pension plan investments	-	514,623
Changes of assumptions	1,070,204	81,185
Changes in proportion and differences between		
District contributions and proportionate share of		
contributions	234,932	781,676
District contributions subsequent to the		
measurement date	2,815,359	-
Total	\$ 4,807,108 \$	1,720,145

\$2,815,359 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from Cleveland School District contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction to the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2019. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ending June 30:	
2019	\$ 733,181
2020	470,390
2021	(24,848)
2022	 (907,119)
Total	\$ 271,604

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Actuarial assumptions. The total pension liability in the June 30, 2017 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation	3.00 percent
Salary increases	3.25-18.50 percent, including inflation
Investment rate of return	7.75 percent, net of pension plan investment expense, including inflation

Mortality rates were based on the RP-2014 Healthy Annuitant Blue Collar Table Projected with Scale BB to 2022, with males rates set forward one year.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2017 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2016. The experience report is dated April 18, 2017.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a log-normal distribution analysis in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected nominal returns, net of pension plan investment expense and the assumed rate of inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. The target asset 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 Real		
Asset Class	Allocation		Rate of Return		
U.S. Broad	27.00	%	4.60	%	
International Equity	18.00		4.50		
Emerging Markets Equity	4.00		4.75		
Global	12.00		4.75		
Fixed Income	18.00		0.75		
Real Estate	10.00		3.50		
Private Equity	8.00		5.10		
Emerging Debt	2.00		2.25		
Cash	1.00		0.00		
Total	100	%			

Discount rate. The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.75 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that plan member contributions will be made at the current contribution rate and that Employer contributions will be made at the current employer contribution rate. Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected 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 benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate. The following table presents the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 7.75%, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (6.75%) or 1-percentage-point higher (8.75%) than the current rate:

	Current					
		1% Decrease		Discount		1% Increase
		(6.75%)		Rate (7.75%)		(8.75%)
District's proportionate share of				· · · · ·		· ·
the net pension liability	\$	61,592,602	\$	46,961,092	\$	34,813,752

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Pension plan fiduciary net position. Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued PERS financial report.

Note 8 – Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB)

General Information about the OPEB Plan.

Plan description. State law mandates that all state, public education, library, junior and community college and retiring employees be offered health and life benefit coverage through the State and School Employees' Life and Health Insurance Plan (the Plan). The Plan was established by Section 25-15-3 et seq., Mississippi Code Ann. (1972), which may be amended only by the State Legislature. The State and School Employees' Health Insurance Management Board (the Board) administers the Plan. The Board has the sole legal authority to promulgate rules and regulations governing the operations of the Plan within the confines of the law governing the Plan. The Plan is self-insured and is financed through premiums collected from employers, employees, retirees and COBRA participants. The Plan provides for Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) as a multiple-employer defined benefit OPEB plan. A trust was created June 28, 2018 for the OPEB Plan and, while no trust was in place for the June 30, 2017 plan year-end, for purposes of comparability for future periods, terminology used herein is based on the plan being a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit OPEB plan. The plan being a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit on the plan being a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit OPEB plan.

Benefits provided.

The Plan was formed by the State Legislature to provide group health and life benefits to full-time active and retired employees of the State, agencies, universities, community/junior colleges, school districts and public libraries. In addition, the spouse and/or children of covered employees and retirees, as well as surviving spouses and COBRA participants, may be eligible for health insurance coverage under the Plan. Benefits of the OPEB Plan consist of an implicit rate subsidy, which is essentially the difference between the average cost of providing health care benefits to retirees under age 65 and the average cost of providing health care benefits to all participants when premiums paid by retirees are not age adjusted. Employees' premiums are funded primarily by their employers. Retirees must pay their own premiums, as do active employees for spouse and dependent medical coverage. The Board has the sole authority for setting life and health insurance premiums for the Plan. Per Section 12-15-15 (10) Mississippi Code Ann. (1972), a retired employee electing to purchase retiree life and health insurance must pay the full cost of such insurance premium. If the Board determined actuarially that the premium paid by the participating retirees adversely affects the overall cost of the Plan to the State, then the Board may impose a premium surcharge, not to exceed 15%, upon such participating retired employees who are under the age for Medicare eligibility and who are initially employed before January 1, 2006. For participating retired employees who are under the age for Medicare eligibility and who are initially employed on or after January 1, 2006, the Board may impose a premium surcharge in an amount the Board determined actuarially to cover the full cost of insurance. The Plan offers a Base option and a Select option for health benefits for non-Medicare participants. The Plan includes a separate coverage level for Medicare eligible retirees, Medicare Eligible surviving spouses, and Medicare eligible dependents of retirees and surviving spouses.

Contributions.

The Board has the sole authority for setting life and health insurance premiums for the Plan. The required premiums vary based on the plan selected and the type of participant. Employers pay no premiums for retirees while employees' premiums are funded primarily by their employer. Contributions to the OPEB plan from the District were \$132,540 for the year ended June 30, 2018.

OPEB Liabilities, OPEB Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources related to OPEB

At June 30, 2018, the District reported a liability of \$3,108,964 for its proportionate share of the net OPEB liability. The net OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2017, and the total OPEB liability used to

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calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The basis for the District's proportion is determined by comparing the employer's average monthly employees participating in the Plan with the total average employees participating in the Plan in the fiscal year of all employers. The allocation was utilized because the level of premiums contributed by each employer is the same for any employee regardless of plan participation elections made by the employee. At the measurement date of June 30, 2017, the District's proportion was .39624371 percent. This was a decrease of .002758 percent from the proportionate share as of the measurement date of June 30, 2016.

For the year ended June 30, 2018, the District recognized OPEB expense of \$150,952. At June 30, 2018, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	 erred Outflows f Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources		
Differences between expected and actual	\$ \$			
experience	-	-		
Net difference between projected and actual				
earnings on OPEB plan investments	-	-		
Changes of assumptions	-	158,307		
Changes in proportion and differences between				
District contributions and proportionate share of				
contributions	-	19,160		
District contributions subsequent to the				
measurement date	 132,540	-		
Total	\$ 132,540 \$	177,467		

\$132,540 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB resulting from Cleveland School District contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction to the net OPEB liability in the year ended June 30, 2019. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

\$ (31,134)
(31,134)
(31,134)
(31,134)
(31,134)
(21,797)
\$ (177,467)
\$

Actuarial assumptions. The total OPEB liability in the June 30, 2017 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement, unless otherwise specified:

Inflation	3.00 percent
Salary increases	3.25-18.50 percent, including wage inflation
Long-term Investment Rate of Return, net of OPEB plan investment expense, including inflation	N/A

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Municipal Bond Index Rate Measurement Date Prior Measurement Date	3.56 percent 3.01 percent
Year FNP is projected to be depleted Measurement Date Prior Measurement Date	2017 2016
Single Equivalent Interest Rate, net of OPEB plan investment expense, including inflation Measurement Date Prior Measurement Date	3.56 percent 3.01 percent
Health Care Cost Trends Medicare Supplement Claims Pre-Medicare	7.75 percent for 2017 decreasing to an ultimate rate of 5.00 percent by 2023

Both pre-retirement and post-retirement mortality rates were based on the RP 2014 Healthy Annuitant Blue Collar Table projected with Scale BB to 2022, male rates set forward 1 year and adjusted by 106% for males at all ages, and females adjusted to 90% for ages less than 76, 95% for age 76, 105% for age 78 and 110% for ages 79 and greater. Post-disability mortality rates were based on the RP 2014 Disabled Retiree Mortality Table set forward 4 years for males and 3 years for females.

The demographic actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2017 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study dated April 18, 2017.

The remaining actuarial assumptions (e.g., initial per capita costs, health care cost trends, rate of plan participation, rates of plan election, etc.) used in the June 30, 2017 valuation were based on a review of recent plan experience done concurrently with the June 30, 2017 valuation.

The plan had no assets as of the measurement date of 2017.

Discount rate. The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability at June 30, 2017 was 3.56 percent. Since the Prior Measurement Date, the Discount Rate has changed from 3.01% to 3.56%.

Since no trust was set up as of June 30, 2017, there was no projection of cash flows for the Plan and the Plan was projected to be depleted in 2017.

The discount rate determination will use a municipal bond rate to the extent the trust is projected to run out of money before all benefits are paid. The rate used, if necessary, for this purpose is the average of the Bond Buyer General Obligation 20-year Municipal Bond Index Rates during the month of June published at the end of each week by the Bond Buyer.

Sensitivity of the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability to changes in the discount rate. The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (2.56 percent) or 1-percentage-point higher (4.56 percent) than the current discount rate:

		0	Discount	
	1% Decrease	F	Rate	1% Increase
	 (2.56%)	(3.56%)	 (4.56%)
Net OPEB liability	\$ 3,191,069	\$	3,108,964	\$ 3,047,819

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Sensitivity of the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability to changes in the healthcare cost trend rates. The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using healthcare cost trend rates that are 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher than the current healthcare cost trend rates:

			Healthcare	
			Cost Trend	
	1	% Decrease	Rates	
			Current	1% Increase
Net OPEB liability	\$	2,871,336	\$ 3,108,964	\$ 3,380,240

OPEB plan fiduciary net position. The fiduciary net position for the OPEB plan was zero as of June 30, 2017, the measurement date. Therefore, no separately issued financials were prepared. Detailed information about the OPEB plan's fiduciary net position for June 30, 2018 and going forward will be available in separately issued financial reports available on the Mississippi Department of Finance and Administration's website.

Note 9 – Prior Period Adjustments

A summary of significant Net Position/Fund Balance adjustments is as follows:

Exhibit B - Statement of Activities

	Explanation	Amount
1.	Implementation of GASB 74 and 75:	
	Net OPEB liability (measurement date)	\$ (3,257,808)
	Deferred outflows - contributions made during fiscal year 2017	122,329
	Total prior period adjustment related to GASB 74 and 75	 (3,135,479)
2.	To adjust capital assets to subsidiary ledger	46,408
	Total	\$ (3,089,071)

Note 10– Contingencies

Federal Grants – The Cleveland School District has received federal grants for specific purposes that are subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Entitlements to these resources are generally conditional upon compliance with the terms and conditions of the grant agreements and applicable federal regulations, including the expenditure of resources for allowable purposes. Any disallowances resulting from the grantor audit may become a liability of the Cleveland School District.

Litigation – The Cleveland School District is party to legal proceedings, many of which occur in the normal course of governmental operations. It is not possible at the present time to estimate the outcome or liability, if any, of the Cleveland School District with respect to the various proceedings. However, the Cleveland School District's legal counsel believes that ultimate liability resulting from these lawsuits will not have a material adverse effect on the financial condition of the Cleveland School District.

Note 11 – Risk Management

The school district is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. Except as described below, the district carries commercial insurance for these risks. Settled claims resulting from these insured risks have

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not exceeded commercial insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

Participation in Public Entity Risk Pool

The school district is a member of the Mississippi School Boards Association Workers' Compensation Trust (MSBAWCT). The trust is a risk-sharing pool; such a pool is frequently referred to as a self-insurance pool. The trust consists of approximately 72 school districts and covers risks of loss arising from injuries to the members' employees. The Mississippi Workers' Compensation Commission requires that an indemnity agreement be executed by each member in a workers' compensation self-insurance pool for the purpose of jointly and severally binding the pool and each of the employers comprising the group to meet the workers' compensation obligations of each member. Each member of MSBAWCT contributes quarterly to a fund held in trust by Wells Fargo in Portland, Oregon. The funds in the trust account are used to pay any claim up to \$750,000. For a claim exceeding \$750,000, MSBAWCT has insurance which will pay the excess to the statutory amount required by the Mississippi Workers' Compensation Commission Act. If total claims during a year were to deplete the trust account, then the member school districts would be required to pay for the deficiencies. The district has not had an additional assessment for excess losses incurred by the pool.

Note 12 – Sixteenth Section Lands

Sixteenth section school lands, or lands granted in lieu thereof, constitute property held in trust for the benefit of the public schools. The school board, under the general supervision of the Office of the Secretary of State, has control and jurisdiction of said school trust lands and of all funds arising from any disposition thereof. It is the duty of the school board to manage the school trust lands and all funds arising therefrom as trust property. Accordingly, the board shall assure that adequate compensation is received for all uses of the trust lands, except for uses by the public schools. The following are the future rental payments to be made to the school district for the use of school trust lands. These future rental payments are from existing leases and do not anticipate renewals or new leases.

Year Ending	
June 30	Amount
2019 2020 2021	\$ 250,085 161,126 135,299
2022	135,299 135,299 135,299
2023 2024-2028 2029-2033	559,908 371,474
2029-2033 2034-2038 Thereafter	254,535
Total	\$ 340,318 2,343,343

Note 13 – Qualified School Construction Bonds

Section 1521 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009 provides for a source of capital at no or at nominal interest rates for costs incurred by certain public schools in connection with the construction, rehabilitation or repair of a public school facility or for the acquisition of land where a school will be built. Investors receive Federal income tax credits at prescribed tax credit rates in lieu of interest, which essentially allows state and local governments to borrow without incurring interest costs. While Qualified School Construction Bonds (QSCBs) are intended to be interest free to a borrower, the ARRA legislation allows a lender to charge supplemental interest, and such supplemental interest is the responsibility of the Cleveland School District.

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When the stated interest rate on the QSCB results in interest payments that exceed the supplemental interest payments discussed in the preceding paragraph, the school district may apply for a direct cash subsidy payment from the U.S. Treasury which is intended to reduce the stated interest rate to a nominal percentage. These subsidy payments do not include the amount of any supplemental interest paid on a QSCB. For the year ended June 30, 2018, the subsidy payments amounted to \$90,833.

The Cleveland School District makes equal annual payments into a sinking fund which is used to pay off the bonds at termination. The current maturity limit of tax credit bonds is 17 years, per the U. S. Treasury Department. Under this program, ten percent of the proceeds must be subject to a binding commitment to be spent within six months of issuance and 100% must be spent within three years. Up to two percent of bond proceeds can be used to pay costs of issuance. The amount on deposit at June 30, 2018 was \$2,455,510. The amount accumulated in the sinking fund at the end of the seventeen-year period is expected to be sufficient to retire the debt. The following schedule reports the annual deposits to be made to the sinking fund by the Cleveland School District.

Year Ending June 30	Series 2010		Series 2012		Series 2013		Total	
2019	\$	126,531	\$	310,000	\$	67,000	\$	503,531
2020		126,531		310,000		67,000		503,531
2021		126,531		310,000		67,000		503,531
2022		126,531		310,000		67,000		503,531
2023		126,531		310,000		67,000		503,531
2024-2028		253,062		1,240,000		335,000		1,828,062
Total	\$	885,717	\$	2,790,000	\$	670,000	\$	4,345,717

14 – Effect of Deferred Amounts on Net Position

The unrestricted net position amount of \$(39,448,332) includes the effect of deferring the recognition of expenses resulting from a deferred outflow from pensions and OPEB. The \$4,807,108 balance of the deferred outflow of resources from pensions at June 30, 2018 will be recognized as expenses and decrease unrestricted net position over the next 3-4 years. The \$132,540 balance of the deferred outflow of resources from OPEB at June 30, 2018 will be recognized as expenses and decrease unrestricted net position over the next 5-6 years.

The unrestricted net position amount of \$(39,448,332) includes the effect of deferring the recognition of revenue resulting from a deferred inflow from pensions and OPEB. The \$1,720,145 balance of the deferred inflow of resources from pensions at June 30, 2018 will be recognized as revenue and increase unrestricted net position over the next 3-4 years. The \$177,467 balance of the deferred inflow of resources from OPEB at June 30, 2018 will be recognized as revenue and increase unrestricted net position over the next 5-6 years.

Note 15 - Subsequent Events

Events that occur after the Statement of Net Position date but before the financial statements are available to be issued must be evaluated for recognition or disclosure. The effects of subsequent events that provide evidence about conditions that existed at the Statement of Net Position date are recognized in the accompanying financial statements. Subsequent events which provide evidence about conditions that existed after the Statement of Net Position date require disclosure in the accompanying notes. Management of the Cleveland School District evaluated the activity of the district through February 8, 2019 (the date the financial statements were available to be issued), and determined that no subsequent events have occurred requiring disclosure in the notes to the financial statements.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

CLEVELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT Required Supplementary Information

Budgetary Comparison Schedule

General Fund

For the Year Ended June 30, 2018

					Varian	
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	Budgeted Amounts			Actual	Original	Final
D		Original	Final	(GAAP Basis)	to Final	to Actual
Revenues:	•	40,407,007,0	40.004.700.0	10 170 000 0	100.000 \$	(1.10.10.1)
Local sources	\$	10,437,867 \$	10,624,736 \$	10,478,632 \$	186,869 \$	(146,104)
State sources		14,454,862	14,195,817	14,930,347	(259,045)	734,530
Federal sources		125,000	372,853	373,167	247,853	314
Sixteenth section		325,825	317,729	317,729	(8,096)	-
Total Revenues		25,343,554	25,511,135	26,099,875	167,581	588,740
Expenditures:						
Instruction		15,087,942	14,585,557	14,137,581	502,385	447,976
Support services		12,365,241	13,872,129	11,799,034	(1,506,888)	2,073,095
Noninstructional services		139,659	245,149	215,410	(105,490)	29,739
Sixteenth section		97,525	98,197	98,197	(672)	-
Debt service:						
Principal		-	150,210	-	(150,210)	150,210
Interest		-	5,095	-	(5,095)	5,095
Total Expenditures		27,690,367	28,956,337	26,250,222	(1,265,970)	2,706,115
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues						
over (under) Expenditures		(2,346,813)	(3,445,202)	(150,347)	(1,098,389)	3,294,855
Other Financing Sources (Uses):						
Capital leases issued		-	1,218,607	1,218,607	1,218,607	-
Other financing sources		-	43,752	-	43,752	(43,752)
Operating transfers in		484,165	576,307	76,291	92,142	(500,016)
Other financing uses		-	-	(9,019)	-	(9,019)
Operating transfers out		(1,174,919)	(1,129,919)	(753,176)	45,000	376,743
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		(690,754)	708,747	532,703	1,399,501	(176,044)
Net Change in Fund Balances		(3,037,567)	(2,736,455)	382,356	301,112	3,118,811
July 1, 2017		7,441,020	7,441,020	7,441,020	-	-
June 30, 2018	\$	4,403,453 \$	4,704,565 \$	7,823,376 \$	301,112 \$	3,118,811

The notes to the required supplementary information are an integral part of this schedule.

CLEVELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT Required Supplementary Information

Budgetary Comparison Schedule Title I Fund For the Year Ended June 30, 2018

				Varian	ces
			-	Positive (N	legative)
	 Budgeted A	mounts	Actual	Original	Final
	Original	Final	(GAAP Basis)	to Final	to Actual
Revenues:					
Federal sources	\$ 2,411,317 \$	2,383,676 \$	1,627,941 \$	(27,641) \$	(755,735)
Total Revenues	 2,411,317	2,383,676	1,627,941	(27,641)	(755,735)
Expenditures:					
Instruction	1,235,191	1,448,976	1,022,457	(213,785)	426,519
Support services	991,229	961,021	673,026	30,208	287,995
Noninstructional services	 84,783	83,333	60,586	1,450	22,747
Total Expenditures	 2,311,203	2,493,330	1,756,069	(182,127)	737,261
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues					
over (under) Expenditures	 100,114	(109,654)	(128,128)	(209,768)	(18,474)
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Operating transfers in	-	209,967	209,966	209,967	(1)
Operating transfers out	 (100,114)	(100,313)	(81,838)	(199)	18,475
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	 (100,114)	109,654	128,128	209,768	18,474
Net Change in Fund Balances	-	-	-	-	-
July 1, 2017	 -	-	-	-	-
June 30, 2018	\$ - \$	- \$	- \$	- \$	

The notes to the required supplementary information are an integral part of this schedule.

Required Supplementary Information

SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY

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Last 10 Fiscal Years*

District's proportion of the net pension liability	 2018 0.282500%	2017 0.286600%	2016 0.290000%	2015 0.280000%
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 46,961,092	51,193,915	44,828,280	33,986,872
District's covered payroll	18,124,844	18,337,460	18,034,070	17,319,168
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	259.10%	279.18%	248.58%	196.24%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	61.490%	57.468%	61.704%	67.208%

The notes to the required supplementary information are an integral part of this schedule.

* The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the measurement date of 6/30 of the year prior to the fiscal year presented.

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, GASB Statement No. 68 was implemented in FYE 6/30/15, and, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the District has only presented information for the years in which information is available.

CLEVELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT Required Supplementary Information

SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS PERS

Last 10 Fiscal Years

	 2018	2017	2016	2015
Contractually required contribution	\$ 2,815,359	2,854,663	2,888,150	2,840,366
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	\$ 2,815,359	2,854,663	2,888,150	2,840,366
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -	-	-	-
District's covered payroll	\$ 17,875,295	18,124,844	18,337,460	18,034,070
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	15.75%	15.75%	15.75%	15.75%

The notes to the required supplementary information are an integral part of this schedule.

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, GASB Statement No. 68 was implemented in FYE 6/30/2015, and, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the District has only presented information for the years in which information is available.

Required Supplementary Information

SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET OPEB LIABILITY OPEB

Last 10 Fiscal Years*

District's proportion of the net OPEB liability	 2018 0.39624371%
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	\$ 3,108,964
District's covered-employee payroll	18,124,844
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	17.153%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability	0.0000%

The notes to the required supplementary information are an integral part of this schedule.

* The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the measurement date of 6/30 of the year prior to the fiscal year presented.

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the District has only presented information for the years in which information is available.

CLEVELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT Required Supplementary Information

SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS OPEB

Last	10	Fiscal	Years

	2018
Contractually required contribution	\$ 132,540
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	\$ 132,540
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -
District's covered-employee payroll	17,875,295
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	0.7415%

The notes to the required supplementary information are an integral part of this schedule.

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, GASB Statement No.75 was implemented in FYE 6/30/2018, and, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the District has only presented information for the years in which information is available.

Notes to Required Supplementary Information

Budgetary Comparison Schedule

(1) Basis of Presentation

The Budgetary Comparison Schedule presents the original legally adopted budget, the final legally adopted budget, the actual data on the GAAP basis, variances between the original budget and the final budget, and variances between the final budget and the actual data.

(2) Budget Amendments and Revisions

The budget is adopted by the school board and filed with the taxing authority. Amendments can be made on the approval of the school board. By statute, final budget revisions must be approved on or before October 15. A budgetary comparison is presented for the General Fund and each major Special Revenue Fund consistent with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Pension Schedules

(1) Changes of assumptions

<u>2015:</u>

The expectation of retired life mortality was changed to the RP-2014 Healthy Annuitant Blue Collar Table projected to 2016 using Scale BB rather than the RP-2000 Mortality Table, which was used prior to 2015.

The expectation of disabled mortality was changed to the RP-2014 Disabled Retiree Table, rather than the RP-2000 Disabled Mortality Table, which was used prior to 2015.

Withdrawal rates, pre-retirement mortality rates, disability rates and service retirement rates were also adjusted to more closely reflect actual experience.

Assumed rates of salary increase were adjusted to more closely reflect actual and anticipated experience.

The price inflation and investment rate of return assumptions were changed from 3.50% to 3.00% and 8.00% to 7.75%, respectively.

<u>2016:</u>

The assumed rate of interest credited to employee contributions was changed from 3.50% to 2.00%.

2017:

The expectation of retired life mortality was changed to the RP-2014 Healthy Annuitant Blue Collar Mortality Table projected with Scale BB to 2022. Small adjustments were also made to the Mortality Table for disabled lives.

The wage inflation assumption was reduced from 3.75% to 3.25%.

Withdrawal rates, pre-retirement mortality rates, disability rates and service retirement rates were also adjusted to more closely reflect actual experience.

The percentage of active member disabilities assumed to be in the line of duty was increased from 6% to 7%.

(2) Changes in benefit provisions

<u>2016:</u>

Effective July 1, 2016, the interest rate on employee contributions shall be calculated based on the money market rate as published by the Wall Street Journal on December 31 of each preceding year with a minimum rate of one percent and a maximum rate of five percent.

(3) Method and assumptions used in calculations of actuarially determined contributions. The actuarially determined contribution rates in the schedule of employer contributions are calculated as of June 30, two years prior to the end of the fiscal year in which contributions are reported (June 30, 2015 valuation for the June 30, 2017 fiscal year end). The following actuarial methods and assumptions were used to determine the most recent contribution rate reported in that schedule:

Actuarial cost method	Entry age
Amortization method	Level percentage of payroll, open
Remaining amortization period	33.9 years
Asset valuation method	5-year smoothed market
Price Inflation	3.00 percent
Salary increase	3.75 percent to 19.00 percent, including inflation
Investment rate of return	7.75 percent, pet of pension plan investment
Investment rate of return	7.75 percent, net of pension plan investment expense, including inflation

OPEB Schedules

(1) Changes of assumptions

<u>2017</u>: The discount rate was changed from 3.01% for the prior Measurement Date to 3.56% for the current Measurement Date.

(2) Changes in benefit provisions

2017: None

(3) Methods and assumptions used in calculations of Actuarially Determined Contributions. The Actuarially Determined Contributions rates, as a percentage of payroll, used to determine the Actuarially Determined Contribution amounts in the Schedule of Employer Contributions are calculated as of the most recent Valuation Date. The following actuarial methods and assumptions (from the June 30, 2016 actuarial valuation) were used to determine contribution rates reported in that schedule for the year ending June 30, 2017:

Actuarial cost method	Entry age
Amortization method	Level dollar
Amortization period	30 years, open
Asset valuation method	Market Value of Assets
Price inflation	3 percent
Salary increases, including wage inflation	3.25 percent to 18.50 percent
Initial health care cost trend rates Medicare Supplement Claims Pre-Medicare	7.75 percent

Ultimate health care cost trend rates Medicare Supplement Claims Pre-Medicare	5.00 percent
Year of ultimate trend rates Medicare Supplement Claims Pre-Medicare	2022
Long-term investment rate of return, net of pension plan investment expense, including price inflation	3.56 percent

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Supplementary Information

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

For the Year Ended June 30, 2018			
	Catalog of		
	Federal		
Federal Grantor/	Domestic	Pass-through	
Pass-through Grantor/	Assistance	Entity Identifying	Federal
Program Title	No.	Number	Expenditures
U.S. Department of Agriculture			
Passed-through Mississippi Department of Education:			
Child nutrition cluster:			
School breakfast program	10.553	185MS326N1099 \$,
National school lunch program	10.555	185MS326N1099	1,647,502
	10.559	185MS326N1099	35,787
Total child nutrition cluster			2,192,003
Fresh fruit and vegetables program	10.582	185MS326L1603	26,970
Total passed-through Mississippi Department of Education			2,218,973
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			2,218,973
Federal Communications Commission			
Administered through the Universal Service Administrative Company:			
The schools and libraries program of the universal service fund	32.xxx	N/A	215,208
Total Federal Communications Commission			215,208
U.S. Department of Education			
Passed-through Mississippi Department of Education:			
Title I grants to local educational agencies	84.010	ES010A170024	1,761,460
Career and technical education - basic grants to states	84.048	V048A170024	33,719
Education for homeless children and youth	84.196	ES196A170025	14,010
Student Support and Academic Enrichment	84.424	ES424A180025	17,589
Rural education	84.358	ES358B170024	62,590
Improving teacher quality-State Grants	84.367	ES367A170023	297,385
School improvement grant	84.377	ES377A150025	420,037
Subtotal		_	2,606,790
Special education cluster:			
Special education - grants to states	84.027	H027A170108	915,373
Special education - preschool grants	84.173	H173A170113	22,829
Total special education cluster			938,202
Total U.S. Department of Education		_	3,544,992
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services			
Passed-through the Mississippi Department of Education:			
Medical assistance program	93.778	1805MS5ADM	116,105
Total passed-through Mississippi Department of Education			116,105
Total U.S. Department of Health and Human Services			116,105
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Total for All Federal Awards		\$	6,095,278

The notes to the Supplementary Information are an integral part of this schedule.

Notes to the Supplementary Information For the Year Ended June 30, 2018

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

(1) Basis of Presentation

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards (the "Schedule") includes the federal award activity of the Cleveland School District under programs of the federal government for the year ended June 30, 2018. The information in this Schedule is presented 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 Cleveland School District, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net position, or cash flows of the Cleveland School District.

(2) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement. Negative amounts shown on the Schedule represent adjustments or credits made in the normal course of business to amounts reported as expenditures in prior years.

(3) Indirect Cost Rate

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

(4) Noncash Awards

Donated commodities of \$159,921 are included in the National School Lunch Program.

CLEVELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT Supplementary Information

Schedule of Instructional, Administrative and Other Expenditures - Governmental Funds For the Year Ended June 30, 2018

Expenditures	 Total	Instruction and Other Student Instructional Expenditures	General Administration	School Administration	Other
Salaries and fringe benefits Other	\$ 24,489,884 12,147,060	18,547,926 2,762,542	1,146,988 514,295	2,084,463 27,571	2,710,507 8,842,652
Total	\$ 36,636,944	21,310,468	1,661,283	2,112,034	11,553,159
Total number of students *	 3,106				
Cost per student	\$ 11,796	6,861	535	680	3,720

For purposes of this schedule, the following columnar descriptions are applicable:

Instruction and Other Student Instructional Expenditures - includes the activities dealing directly with the interaction between teachers and students. Included here are the activities of teachers, teachers aides or classroom assistants of any type.

General Administration - includes expenditures for the following functions: Support Services - General Administration and Support Services - Business.

School Administration - includes expenditures for the following function: Support Services - School Administration.

Other - includes all expenditure functions not included in Instruction or Administration Categories.

* includes the number of students reported on the ADA report submission for month 9, which is the final submission for the fiscal year

OTHER INFORMATION

Other Information

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances General Fund Last Four Years UNAUDITED

		2018	2017*	2016*	2015*
Revenues:					
Local sources	\$	10,478,632	\$ 10,137,096	\$ 10,363,556	\$ 9,868,016
State sources		14,930,347	15,551,328	15,455,543	15,775,471
Federal sources		373,167	416,352	438,308	300,429
Sixteenth section sources		317,729	329,939	275,941	308,565
Total Revenues		26,099,875	26,434,715	26,533,348	26,252,481
Expenditures:					
Instruction		14,137,581	14,205,312	14,871,927	14,769,149
Support services		11,799,034	11,023,701	10,899,184	11,055,158
Noninstructional services		215,410	167,984	186,390	173,724
Sixteenth section		98,197	64,713	45,045	56,502
Total Expenditures		26,250,222	25,461,710	26,002,546	26,054,533
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues					
over (under) Expenditures		(150,347)	973,005	530,802	197,948
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Bonds and notes issued		-	458,842	-	-
Capital leases issued		1,218,607	28,470	978,603	613,831
Insurance recovery		-	1,477	2,081	7,307
Sale of other property		-	-	_,	8.710
Operating transfers in		76,291	126,091	191,535	112,896
Operating transfers out		(753,176)	(1,123,480)	(972,111)	(401,574)
Other financing uses		(9,019)	(22,606)	(20,133)	(129,472)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	_	532,703	(531,206)	179,975	211,698
Net Change in Fund Balances		382,356	441,799	710,777	409,646
Fund Balances:					
Beginning of period, as previously reported		7,441,020	6,999,221	6,288,444	5,679,600
Prior period adjustments		-	0,000,221	0,200,444	199,198
Beginning of period, as restated		7,441,020	6,999,221	6,288,444	5,878,798
End of Period	\$	7,823,376	\$ 7,441,020	\$ 6,999,221	\$ 6,288,444

***SOURCE - PRIOR YEAR AUDIT REPORTS**

Other Information

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances All Governmental Funds Last Four Years UNAUDITED

	2018	2017*	2016*	2015*
Revenues:				
Local sources	\$ 11,048,634	\$ 10,556,008	\$ 10,781,057 \$	10,321,999
Intermediate sources	-	-	13,528	27,465
State sources	17,046,635	17,344,616	17,468,059	17,474,039
Federal sources	6,095,279	6,103,502	6,862,471	6,087,181
Sixteenth section sources	317,729	329,939	275,941	308,565
Total Revenues	34,508,277	34,334,065	35,401,056	34,219,249
Expenditures:				
Instruction	17,386,958	17,174,517	18,481,832	17,974,791
Support services	13,667,458	12,812,655	13,008,098	12,855,124
Noninstructional services	2,216,218	2,197,558	2,349,375	2,268,265
Sixteenth section	98,197	64,713	45,045	56,502
Facilities acquisition and construction	1,117,240	-	287,977	263,342
Debt service:				
Principal	1,949,250	932,101	1,070,735	693,366
Interest	194,683	171,533	192,578	194,496
Other	6,940	5,251	4,928	4,458
Total Expenditures	36,636,944	33,358,328	35,440,568	34,310,344
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues				
over (under) Expenditures	(2,128,667)	975,737	(39,512)	(91,095)
Other Financing Sources (Uses):				
Bonds and notes issued	2,000,000	458,842	-	-
Capital leases issued	1,218,607	28,470	978,603	682,482
Insurance recovery	-	1,477	2,081	7,307
Sale of other property	-	-	-	8,710
Operating transfers in	1,237,288	1,655,847	1,163,646	514,470
Other financing sources	90,833	100,044	90,639	-
Operating transfers out	(1,237,288)	(1,655,847)	(1,163,646)	(514,470)
Other financing uses	(10,099)	(22,606)		(129,472)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	3,299,341	566,227	1,051,190	569,027
Net Change in Fund Balances	1,170,674	1,541,964	1,011,678	477,932
Net Change in Fund Balances	1,170,074	1,541,904	1,011,078	477,932
Fund Balances:				
Beginning of period, as previously reported Prior period adjustments	11,116,179	9,547,348	8,527,110	7,851,961 186,819
Beginning of period, as restated	11,116,179	9,547,348	8,527,110	8,038,780
Beginning of period, as restated		9,547,546	8,527,110	8,038,780
Increase (Decrease) in reserve for inventory	(40,689)	26,867	8,560	10,398
End of Period	<u>\$ 12,246,164</u>	\$ 11,116,179	\$ 9,547,348 \$	8,527,110

*SOURCE - PRIOR YEAR AUDIT REPORTS

REPORTS ON INTERNAL CONTROL AND COMPLIANCE

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

Superintendent and School Board Cleveland School District Cleveland, Mississippi

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Cleveland School District, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Cleveland School District's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated February 8, 2019.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Cleveland School District's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine 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 Cleveland School District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Cleveland School District's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity'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 may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Cleveland School District's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

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 entity'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 entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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

Superintendent and School Board Cleveland School District Cleveland, Mississippi

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Cleveland School District's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Cleveland School District's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2018. Cleveland School District's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal awards applicable to its federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the Cleveland School District's major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Those standards and the Uniform Guidance require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Cleveland School District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Cleveland School District's compliance.

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the Cleveland School District, complied, in all material respects, with the types of 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, 2018.

Report on Internal Control over Compliance

Management of the Cleveland School District is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the Cleveland School District's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program 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 internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Cleveland School District's internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, 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 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 is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance 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 with a type of 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 first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

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

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH STATE LAWS AND REGULATIONS

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH STATE LAWS AND REGULATIONS

Superintendent and School Board Cleveland School District

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Cleveland School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2018, which collectively comprise Cleveland School District's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated February 8, 2019. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Section 37-9-18(3)(a), Miss. Code Ann. (1972), states in part, "the auditor shall test to insure that the school district is complying with the requirements of Section 37-61-33(3)(a)(iii), Miss. Code Ann. (1972), relating to classroom supply funds." As required by the state legal compliance audit program prescribed by the Office of the State Auditor, we have also performed procedures to test compliance with certain other state laws and regulations. However, providing an opinion on compliance with all state laws and regulations was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

The results of our procedures performed to test compliance with the requirements of Section 37-61-33(3)(a)(iii), Miss. Code Ann. (1972), disclosed no instances of noncompliance.

Section 37-9-18(3)(b), Miss. Code Ann. (1972), states in part, "the auditor shall test to insure correct and appropriate coding at the function level. The audit must include a report showing the correct and appropriate functional level expenditure codes in expenditures by the school district."

The results of our procedures performed to test compliance with the requirements of Section 37-9-18(3)(b), Miss. Code Ann. (1972), disclosed no instances of noncompliance related to incorrect or inappropriate functional level expenditure coding.

As required by the state legal compliance audit program prescribed by the Office of the State Auditor, we have also performed procedures to test compliance with certain other state laws and regulations. However, providing an opinion on compliance with all state laws and regulations was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

The results of procedures performed to test compliance with certain other state laws and regulations and our audit of the financial statements did not disclose any instances of noncompliance with other state laws and regulations.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the school board and management, entities with accreditation overview, and federal awarding agencies, the Office of the State Auditor and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. However, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited.

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Cunningham CPAs, PLLC Belzoni, Mississippi February 8, 2019

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs For the Year Ended June 30, 2018

Section I: Summary of Auditor's Results

Fin	ancial S	tatements:					
1.	Туре о	Unmodified					
2.	Interna						
	a.	Material weakness(es) identified	1?	No			
	b.	Significant deficiency(ies) identi	fied?	None reported			
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3.	Nonco	mpliance material to financial stat	ements noted?	No			
Feo	deral Aw	ards:					
4.	Interna	al control over major programs:					
	a.	Material weakness(es) identified	1?	No			
	b.	None reported					
5.	Туре о	Unmodified					
6.	6. Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance New with 2 CFR 200.516(a)?						
	with 2	0117 200.010(u)					
7.	Identification of major programs:						
	<u>CFDA</u>	Numbers	Name of Federal Program or Cluste	<u>er</u>			
	Child I	Nutrition Cluster:					
	10.553	3	School Breakfast Program				
	10.555	5	National School Lunch Program				
	10.559)	Summer Food Service Program for	Children			

8. Dollar threshold used to distinguish \$750,000 between type A and type B programs:

Yes

9. Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?

Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs For the Year Ended June 30, 2018

Section II: Financial Statement Findings

The results of our tests did not disclose any findings related to the financial statements that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Section III: Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

The results of our tests did not disclose any findings and questioned costs related to the federal awards.