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HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Audited Financial Statements
For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Superintendent and School Board
Harrison County School District

Report on the Financial Statements

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Harrison County School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Harrison County 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

My responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on my audit. I conducted my 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 I 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, I 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.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinions.

Opinions

In my 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 Harrison County School District, as of June 30, 2021, 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, 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) on pages 9-16, 51-53, 54, 55, 56 and 57, 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. I 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 my inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge I obtained during my audit of the basic financial statements. I do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide me with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Information

My audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Harrison County 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 my 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, I do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

Other Reporting Required by *Government Auditing Standards*

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, I have also issued my report dated January 28, 2022, on my consideration of the Harrison County School District's internal control over financial reporting and on my 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 my 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 Harrison County 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 Harrison County School District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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Carriere, MS
January 28, 2022

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

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**HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021**

The following discussion and analysis of Harrison County School District's financial performance provides an overview of the School District's financial activities for the year ended June 30, 2021. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the 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 School District's financial performance.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Total net position for 2021 increased \$903,482, including a prior period adjustment of (\$43,129), which represents a 38% increase from fiscal year 2020. Total net position for 2020 increased \$3,636,408, including a prior period adjustment of \$2,074 and a fund reclassification in the amount of \$620,441, which represents a 61% increase from fiscal year 2019
- General revenues amounted to \$132,791,550 and \$129,948,458, or 76% and 81% of all revenues for fiscal years 2021 and 2020, respectively. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services and grants and contributions accounted for \$41,425,703, or 24% of total revenues for 2021, and \$30,868,463, or 19% of total revenues for 2020.
- The District had \$173,270,642 and \$157,803,028 in expenses for fiscal years 2021 and 2020; only \$41,425,703 for 2021 and \$30,868,463 for 2020 of these expenses was offset by program specific charges for services, grants and contributions. General revenues of \$132,791,550 for 2021 and \$129,948,458 for 2020 were adequate to provide for these programs.
- Among major funds, the General Fund had \$122,764,471 in revenues and \$109,767,650 in expenditures for 2021, and \$124,109,788 in revenues and \$111,282,848 in expenditures in 2020. The General Fund's fund balance increased by \$15,240,996 from 2020 to 2021, and decreased by \$2,777,391, which included a fund reclassification in the amount of \$620,441, from 2019 to 2020.
- Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, increased by \$27,539,337 for 2021 and increased by \$13,021,875 for 2020. The increase for 2021 was due primarily to construction in progress.
- Long-term debt decreased by \$9,751,700 for 2021 and decreased by \$2,435,430 for 2020. This decrease for 2021 was due primarily to principal payments on outstanding long-term debt. The liability for compensated absences decreased by \$25,223 for 2021 and increased by \$32,437 for 2020.

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 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 are in the governmental funds category.

Governmental funds – All 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.

Reconciliation of Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

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

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 \$1,468,686 as of June 30, 2021.

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, 2021 and June 30, 2020.

Table 1
Condensed Statement of Net Position

	June 30, 2021	June 30, 2020	Percentage Change
Current assets	\$ 83,983,610	\$ 62,684,165	33.98 %
Restricted assets	47,946,654	82,359,883	(41.78) %
Capital assets, net	169,995,446	142,456,109	19.33 %
Total assets	301,925,710	287,500,157	5.02 %
Deferred outflows of resources	35,355,925	21,110,389	67.48 %
Current liabilities	13,384,252	4,469,299	199.47 %
Long-term debt outstanding	74,734,615	84,486,315	(11.54) %
Net OPEB liability	12,040,764	13,100,255	(8.09) %
Net pension liability	235,283,639	205,225,670	14.65 %
Total liabilities	335,443,270	307,281,539	9.16 %
Deferred inflows of resources	3,307,051	3,701,175	(10.65) %
Net position:			
Net investment in capital assets	121,055,405	114,242,736	5.96 %
Restricted	17,819,094	22,894,987	(22.17) %
Unrestricted	(140,343,185)	(139,509,891)	(0.60) %
Total net position	\$ (1,468,686)	\$ (2,372,168)	38.09 %

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:

Total unrestricted net position (deficit)	\$ (140,343,185)
Less unrestricted deficit in net position resulting from recognition of the net pension liability and net OPEB liability including the related deferred outflows and deferred inflows	214,996,741
Unrestricted net position, exclusive of the net pension liability and net OPEB liability effect	<u>\$ 74,653,556</u>

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 \$27,539,337.
- The principal retirement of \$17,054,610 of long-term debt.

Changes in net position

The District's total revenues for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2021 and June 30, 2020 were \$174,217,253 and \$160,816,921, respectively. The total cost of all programs and services was \$173,270,642 for 2021 and \$157,803,028 for 2020.

Table 2 presents a summary of the changes in net position for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2021 and June 30, 2020.

Table 2
Changes in Net Position

	Year Ended June 30, 2021	Year Ended June 30, 2020	Percentage Change
Revenues:			
Program revenues:			
Charges for services	\$ 3,470,912	\$ 4,458,098	(22.14) %
Operating grants and contributions	37,954,791	22,366,233	69.70 %
Capital Grants and Contributions	0	4,044,132	(100.00) %
General revenues:			
Property and gaming taxes	54,975,719	51,103,725	7.58 %
Grants and contributions not restricted	71,405,890	73,405,821	(2.72) %
Investment earnings	129,132	2,580,862	(95.00) %
Sixteenth section sources	2,107,644	2,657,364	(20.69) %
Other	4,173,165	200,686	1979.45 %
Total revenues	174,217,253	160,816,921	8.33 %
Expenses:			
Instruction	86,848,380	76,912,026	12.92 %
Support services	47,306,495	48,367,445	(2.19) %
Non-instructional	7,131,930	6,935,609	2.83 %
Sixteenth section	777,979	1,130,404	(31.18) %
Pension expense	28,427,384	21,028,035	35.19 %
OPEB expense	367,783	848,201	(56.64) %
Interest on long-term liabilities	2,410,691	2,581,308	(6.61) %
Total expenses	173,270,642	157,803,028	9.80 %
Increase (Decrease) in net position	946,611	3,013,893	(68.59) %
Net Position, July 1, as previously reported	(2,372,168)	(6,008,576)	60.52 %
Prior Period Adjustment	(43,129)	2,074	(2179.51) %
Fund Reclassification - GASB 84	0	620,441	(100.00) %
Net Position, July 1, as restated	(2,415,297)	(5,386,061)	55.16 %
Net Position, June 30	\$ (1,468,686)	\$ (2,372,168)	38.09 %

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.

Table 3
Net Cost of Governmental Activities

	Total Expenses		Percentage Change
	2021	2020	
Instruction	\$ 86,848,380	\$ 76,912,026	12.92 %
Support services	47,306,495	48,367,445	(2.19) %
Non-instructional	7,131,930	6,935,609	2.83 %
Sixteenth section	777,979	1,130,404	(31.18) %
Pension Expense	28,427,384	21,028,035	35.19 %
OPEB Expense	367,783	848,201	(56.64) %
Interest on long-term liabilities	2,410,691	2,581,308	(6.61) %
Total expenses	\$ 173,270,642	\$ 157,803,028	9.80 %

	Net (Expense) Revenue		Percentage Change
	2021	2020	
Instruction	\$ (62,411,706)	\$ (64,173,036)	2.74 %
Support services	(39,607,772)	(38,985,828)	(1.60) %
Non-instructional	2,158,376	1,812,247	19.10 %
Sixteenth section	(777,979)	(1,130,404)	31.18 %
Pension Expense	(28,427,384)	(21,028,035)	(35.19) %
OPEB Expense	(367,783)	(848,201)	56.64 %
Interest on long-term liabilities	(2,410,691)	(2,581,308)	6.61 %
Total net (expense) revenue	\$ (131,844,939)	\$ (126,934,565)	(3.87) %

- Net cost of governmental activities (\$131,844,939 for 2021 and \$126,934,565 for 2020) was financed by general revenue, which is primarily made up of property taxes (\$54,975,719 for 2021 and \$51,103,725 for 2020) and state and federal revenues (\$71,405,890 for 2021 and \$73,405,821 for 2020). In addition, there was \$2,107,644 and \$2,657,364 in Sixteenth Section sources for 2021 and 2020, respectively.
- Investment earnings amounted to \$129,132 for 2021 and \$2,580,862 for 2020.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT'S FUNDS

As noted earlier, the District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related 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 \$120,031,976, a decrease of \$22,530,464, which includes a decrease in inventory of \$72,407. \$42,121,106 or 35% 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 \$77,910,870 or 65% is either nonspendable, 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 \$15,240,996. The fund balance of Other Governmental Funds showed a decrease in the amount of \$5,937,545, which includes a decrease in reserve for inventory of \$72,407. The increase (decrease) in the fund balances for the other major funds were as follows:

<u>Major Fund</u>	<u>Increase (Decrease)</u>
FEMA/MEMA Grants ZETA Funds	no increase or decrease
CRRSA ESSER II Fund	no increase or decrease
\$54 M Bond Construction Fund	\$ (31,833,915)

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 School District.

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

CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets. As of June 30, 2021, the District's total capital assets were \$258,974,261, including land, construction in progress, school buildings, building improvements, improvements other than buildings, buses, other school vehicles, and furniture and equipment. This amount represents an increase of \$32,276,621 from 2020. Total accumulated depreciation as of June 30, 2021, was \$88,978,815, and total depreciation expense for the year was \$5,296,724, resulting in total net capital assets of \$169,995,446.

Table 4
Capital Assets, Net of Accumulated Depreciation

	<u>June 30, 2021</u>	<u>June 30, 2020</u>	<u>Percentage Change</u>
Land	\$ 4,176,112	\$ 4,195,931	(0.47) %
Construction in Progress	48,085,834	17,548,908	174.01 %
Buildings	99,070,892	102,118,845	(2.98) %
Building improvements	4,170,857	4,539,375	(8.12) %
Improvements other than buildings	4,924,524	4,520,063	8.95 %
Mobile equipment	8,280,921	8,449,228	(1.99) %
Furniture and equipment	1,286,306	1,083,759	18.69 %
Total	<u>\$ 169,995,446</u>	<u>\$ 142,456,109</u>	19.33 %

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

Debt Administration. At June 30, 2021, the District had \$74,734,615 in outstanding long-term debt, of which \$2,966,180 is due within one year. The liability for compensated absences decreased \$25,223 from the prior year.

Table 5
Outstanding Long-Term Debt

	<u>June 30, 2021</u>	<u>June 30, 2020</u>	<u>Percentage Change</u>
General obligation bonds payable	\$ 51,800,000	\$ 52,900,000	(2.08) %
Premiums	2,258,873	2,391,748	(5.56) %
Three mill notes payable	8,866,000	12,505,000	(29.10) %
Premiums	86,808	111,800	(22.35) %
Qualified zone academy bonds payable	0	2,169,745	(100.00) %
Qualified school construction bonds payable	11,011,804	13,671,669	(19.46) %
Compensated absences payable	711,130	736,353	(3.43) %
Total	<u>\$ 74,734,615</u>	<u>\$ 84,486,315</u>	(11.54) %

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

CURRENT ISSUES

The Harrison County 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 is well regarded. The District plans to continue its sound fiscal management to meet the challenges of the future.

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 Harrison County School District, 11072 Highway 49, Gulfport, Mississippi 39503.

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Statement of Net Position
For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

Exhibit A

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>
Assets	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 75,179,501
Due from other governments	8,143,966
Accrued interest receivable	14,563
Other receivables, net	975
Inventories	644,605
Restricted assets (Note 4)	47,946,654
Non-depreciable capital assets (Note 5)	52,261,946
Depreciable capital assets, net (Note 5)	117,733,500
Total Assets	<u>301,925,710</u>
Deferred Outflows of Resources	
Deferred outflow - pensions (Note 7)	32,188,362
Deferred outflow - OPEB (Note 8)	2,743,541
Deferred outflow - advance refunding on bonds	424,022
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	<u>35,355,925</u>
Liabilities	
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	11,527,022
Interest payable on long-term liabilities	1,485,964
Other payables	371,266
Long-term liabilities (Due within one year)	
Capital related liabilities (Note 6)	2,752,000
Bond premiums (discounts) (Note 6)	157,867
Non-capital related liabilities (Note 6)	56,313
Net OPEB liability (Note 8)	400,266
Long-term liabilities (Due beyond one year)	
Capital related liabilities (Note 6)	68,925,804
Bond premiums (discounts) (Note 6)	2,187,814
Non-capital related liabilities (Note 6)	654,817
Net OPEB liability (Note 8)	11,640,498
Net pension liability (Note 7)	235,283,639
Total Liabilities	<u>335,443,270</u>
Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Deferred inflows - OPEB (Note 8)	2,604,241
Deferred inflow - deferred credit on bonds payable	702,810
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	<u>3,307,051</u>
Net Position	
Net investment in capital assets	121,055,405
Restricted net position	
Expendable	
School-based activities	6,548,991
Debt service	8,735,595
Forestry improvements	92,652
Unemployment benefits	328,093
Non-expendable	
Sixteenth section	2,113,763
Unrestricted	<u>(140,343,185)</u>
Total Net Position	<u>\$ (1,468,686)</u>

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

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Statement of Activities
For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

Exhibit B

Functions / Programs	Expenses	Program Revenues		Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position
		Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities
Governmental Activities				
Instruction	\$ 86,848,380	3,266,985	21,169,689	(62,411,706)
Support services	47,306,495	45,807	7,652,916	(39,607,772)
Non-instructional	7,131,930	158,120	9,132,186	2,158,376
Sixteenth section	777,979			(777,979)
Pension expense	28,427,384			(28,427,384)
OPEB expense	367,783			(367,783)
Interest on long-term liabilities	2,410,691			(2,410,691)
Total Governmental Activities	<u>173,270,642</u>	<u>3,470,912</u>	<u>37,954,791</u>	<u>(131,844,939)</u>
General Revenues				
Taxes				
General purpose levies				47,701,550
Debt purpose levies				5,479,598
Gaming				1,794,571
Unrestricted grants and contributions				
State				70,943,256
Federal				462,634
Unrestricted investment earnings				129,132
Sixteenth section sources				2,107,644
Other				4,173,165
Total General Revenues				<u>132,791,550</u>
Changes in Net Position				<u>946,611</u>
Net Position - Beginning, as previously reported				(2,372,168)
Prior Period Adjustments (Note 10)				(43,129)
Net Position - Beginning - as restated				<u>(2,415,297)</u>
Net Position - Ending				<u>\$ (1,468,686)</u>

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

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Balance Sheet - Governmental Funds
June 30, 2021

Exhibit C

	Major Funds				Other	Total
	General	FEMA/MEMA	CRRSA	\$54 M Bond	Governmental	Governmental
	Fund	Grants ZETA	ESSER II	Construction	Funds	Funds
		Fund	Fund	Fund		
Assets						
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 2)	\$ 75,179,501			27,724,576	12,103,654	115,007,731
Cash with fiscal agent (Note 2)					24,759	24,759
Investments (Note 2)					8,093,665	8,093,665
Due from other governments	2,498,287	1,641,122	1,543,786		2,460,771	8,143,966
Accrued interest receivable					14,563	14,563
Other receivables, net					975	975
Due from other funds (Note 3)	5,136,563				44,276	5,180,839
Inventories					644,605	644,605
Total Assets	<u>82,814,351</u>	<u>1,641,122</u>	<u>1,543,786</u>	<u>27,724,576</u>	<u>23,387,268</u>	<u>137,111,103</u>
Liabilities and Fund Balances						
Liabilities						
Accounts payable & accrued liabilities	7,159,808			4,359,426	7,788	11,527,022
Due to other funds (Note 3)	15,305	1,641,122	1,543,786		1,980,626	5,180,839
Other payables	274,552				96,714	371,266
Total Liabilities	<u>7,449,665</u>	<u>1,641,122</u>	<u>1,543,786</u>	<u>4,359,426</u>	<u>2,085,128</u>	<u>17,079,127</u>
Fund Balances						
Nonspendable						
Inventory					644,605	644,605
Permanent fund principal					2,133,763	2,133,763
Restricted						
Debt service					10,221,559	10,221,559
Capital projects				23,365,150	1,977,082	25,342,232
Forestry improvements					92,652	92,652
Unemployment benefits					328,093	328,093
Grant activities					5,904,386	5,904,386
Assigned						
School activities	1,105,483					1,105,483
School athletics	332,951					332,951
Insurance deductibles	208,776					208,776
Instructional support	628,105					628,105
Facility renovation and improvements	30,968,265					30,968,265
Unassigned	42,121,106					42,121,106
Total Fund Balances	<u>75,364,686</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>23,365,150</u>	<u>21,302,140</u>	<u>120,031,976</u>
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	<u>\$ 82,814,351</u>	<u>1,641,122</u>	<u>1,543,786</u>	<u>27,724,576</u>	<u>23,387,268</u>	<u>137,111,103</u>

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

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Reconciliation of Governmental Funds Balance Sheet to the Statement of Net Position
June 30, 2021

Exhibit C-1

		<u>Amount</u>
Total Fund Balance - Governmental Funds		\$ 120,031,976
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because:		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds:		
Land	4,176,112	
Construction in progress	48,085,834	
Buildings	156,376,901	
Building improvements	11,863,817	
Improvements other than buildings	8,668,600	
Mobile equipment	20,171,741	
Furniture and equipment	9,631,256	
Accumulated depreciation	<u>(88,978,815)</u>	169,995,446
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		(235,283,639)
Deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions are applicable to future periods and, therefore, are not reported in the funds:		
Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions		32,188,362
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		(12,040,764)
Deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to OPEB are applicable to future periods and, therefore, are not reported in the funds:		
Deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB	2,743,541	
Deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB	<u>(2,604,241)</u>	139,300
Long-term liabilities and related accrued interest are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds:		
General obligation bonds	(51,800,000)	
Notes payable	(8,866,000)	
Qualified school construction bonds payable	(11,011,804)	
Compensated absences	(711,130)	
Unamortized charges	424,022	
Unamortized premiums	(2,345,681)	
Deferred credit on bonds payable	(702,810)	
Accrued interest payable	<u>(1,485,964)</u>	<u>(76,499,367)</u>
Total Net Position - Governmental Activities		<u>\$ (1,468,686)</u>

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

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Exhibit D

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds

For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

	Major Funds				Other	Total
	General	FEMA/MEMA	CRRSA	\$54 M Bond	Governmental	Governmental
	Fund	Grants ZETA	ESSER II	Construction	Funds	Funds
		Fund	Fund	Fund		
Revenues						
Local sources	\$ 49,257,225			30,749	8,304,863	57,592,837
State sources	70,943,256				2,388,530	73,331,786
Federal sources	462,634	927,493	1,641,494		32,997,274	36,028,895
Sixteenth section sources	2,101,356				6,288	2,107,644
Total Revenues	122,764,471	927,493	1,641,494	30,749	43,696,955	169,061,162
Expenditures						
Instruction	71,220,306	301,862	508,740	58,090	23,223,389	95,312,387
Support services	37,681,822	1,527,069	1,130,700	526,663	7,494,871	48,361,125
Noninstructional services	1,380	12,191	2,054		8,257,564	8,273,189
Sixteenth section	764,549				13,430	777,979
Facilities acquisition and construction				31,279,911		31,279,911
Debt service						
Principal (Note 6)					17,054,610	17,054,610
Interest					2,728,084	2,728,084
Other	99,593				101,267	200,860
Total Expenditures	109,767,650	1,841,122	1,641,494	31,864,664	58,873,215	203,988,145
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues						
Over (Under) Expenditures	12,996,821	(913,629)	0	(31,833,915)	(15,176,260)	(34,926,983)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)						
Proceeds of loans (Note 6)					7,486,000	7,486,000
Insurance loss recoveries (Note 14)	69,297	913,629				982,926
Sale of other property	4,000,000					4,000,000
Operating transfers in (Note 3)	330,063				2,480,446	2,810,509
Payment held by bond escrow agent					1,091,896	1,091,896
Operating transfers out (Note 3)	(2,155,185)				(655,324)	(2,810,509)
Payment to bond escrow agent					(1,091,896)	(1,091,896)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	2,244,175	913,629	0	0	9,311,122	12,468,926
Net Change in Fund Balances	15,240,996	0	0	(31,833,915)	(5,865,138)	(22,458,057)
Fund Balances						
July 1, 2020	60,123,690	0	0	55,199,065	27,239,685	142,562,440
Decrease in reserve for inventory	0	0	0	0	(72,407)	(72,407)
June 30, 2021	\$ 75,364,686	0	0	23,365,150	21,302,140	120,031,976

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

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
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, 2021

Exhibit D-1

	<u>Amount</u>
Net Change in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds	\$ (22,458,057)

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:

Governmental funds report capital outlay as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of capital assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. In the current period, those amounts are:

Capital outlay	33,066,173	
Depreciation expense	<u>(5,296,724)</u>	27,769,449

In the Statement of Activities, only the gain/loss on the sale of assets is reported, while in the governmental funds, the proceeds from the sale increases financial resources. Thus, the change in net position differs from the change in fund balance by the cost of the asset sold. (186,983)

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, however, has any effect on net position. Also, governmental funds report the effect of premiums, discounts and the difference between 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	(7,486,000)	
Payments of debt principal	17,054,610	
Accrued interest payable	501,727	
Deferred credit of bonds payable	<u>173,165</u>	10,243,502

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	(28,427,384)	
Contributions made subsequent to the measurement date	<u>14,004,259</u>	(14,423,125)

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	(367,783)	
Contributions made subsequent to the measurement date	<u>400,266</u>	32,483

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 the governmental funds. These activities include:

Change in compensated absences	25,223	
Change in inventory reserve	(72,407)	
Amortization of deferred charges, premiums and discounts	<u>16,526</u>	<u>(30,658)</u>

Changes in Net Position of Governmental Activities	<u>\$ 946,611</u>
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The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

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Notes to the Financial Statements

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Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accompanying financial statements of the 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 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 school district is considered a "primary government." The school district is governed by a five member board to which each member is elected by the citizens of each defined county district.

For financial reporting purposes, Harrison County 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 – Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds. 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 program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

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Fund Financial Statements - Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds. 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 school district reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund - This is the 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.

FEMA/MEMA Grants ZETA Fund - This Special Revenue Fund is used to account for the Federal funds whose use is restricted for repairs to damages to schools sustained from Hurricane Zeta and insurance loss proceeds.

CRRSA ESSER II Fund - This special revenue fund is federally funded and is used to provide additional funds for the prevention and protection from the COVID 19 pandemic.

\$54 M Bond Construction Fund - This Capital Projects Fund is used to account for construction and renovation projects in the school district and is financed with the proceeds of the issuance of general bonds of \$54,000,000.

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

Additionally, the school district reports the following fund types:

GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

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

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

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

Permanent Funds - 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.

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. 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

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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 county on behalf of the school district based upon an order adopted by the school board of the school district requesting an ad valorem tax effort in dollars. Since the taxes are not levied and collected by the 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.

D. Encumbrances

An encumbrance system is maintained to account for commitments or assignments resulting from approved purchase orders, work orders and contracts. However, the school district attempts to liquidate all encumbrances at year-end. Encumbrances outstanding at year-end are not reported within committed or assigned fund balances.

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 school district deposits excess funds in the financial institutions selected by the school board. State statutes specify how

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these depositories are to be selected.

Investments

The 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.

Prepaid items, such as prepaid insurance, are not reported for governmental fund types since the costs of such items are accounted for as expenditures in the period of acquisition.

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

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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

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 deferred outflows are directly related to pension reporting, OPEB reporting and advance refunding of general obligations bonds.

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 deferred inflows are directly related to pension reporting, OPEB reporting and the deferred credit on bonds payable.

See Notes 7, 8 and 15 for further details.

8. Compensated Absences

Employees of the school district accumulate sick leave at a minimum amount as required by state law. A greater amount may be provided by 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 school district policy. The district pays for unused leave for employees as required by Section 37-7-307(5), Miss. Code Ann. (1972).

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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. For this purpose, benefit payments are recorded when the OPEB benefits come due. Investments are reported at fair value as determined by the state.

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.

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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 documented in the board minutes of the school board. 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 the superintendent of education and/or the business manager pursuant to authorization established by the 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.

It is the goal of the Harrison County School District to achieve and maintain an unassigned fund balance in the General Fund at the end of the fiscal year of not less than 7% of total local and state revenues in the General Fund.

13. Accounting Standards Update

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board issued GASB 95, *Postponement of the Effective Dates of Certain Authoritative Guidance* in May 2020. The objective of this Statement was to provide temporary relief to governments in light of the COVID-19 pandemic by postponing effective dates of certain Statements and Implementation Guides. The effective dates of GASB 83-84, GASB 88-93, and Implementation Guides No. 2017-3, 2018-1, 2019-1, and 2019-2 were postponed one year. The effective dates of GASB 87, *Leases*, and Implementation Guide No. 2019-3, *Leases*, were postponed eighteen months.

GASB 84, *Fiduciary Activities*, was fully implemented during fiscal year 2021. The objective of this statement is to improve guidance regarding the identification of fiduciary activities for accounting and financial reporting purposes and how those activities should be reported. This statement describes four fiduciary funds that should be reported, if applicable: (1) pension (and other employee benefit) trust funds, (2) investment trust funds, (3) private-purpose trust funds, and (4) custodial funds. The district partially implemented GASB 84 in the prior year by reclassifying the club funds to the general fund. In the current year the accounts payable clearing fund and payroll clearing fund are now being reported in the General Fund.

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

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by Section 37-7-333, Miss. Code Ann. (1972). The collateral pledged for the 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 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 school district's deposits with financial institutions reported in the governmental funds was \$115,007,731.

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 school district's cash with fiscal agents held by financial institutions was \$24,759.

Investments

As of June 30, 2021, the district had the following investments.

Investment Type	Rating	Maturities (in years)	Fair Value
U.S. Treasury SLGS	N/A	Less than 5	\$ 2,564,623
QSCB Construction Bond Trust	Aaa	Less than 5	5,529,042
Total			<u>\$ 8,093,665</u>

The district categorizes its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted

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

The district has the following recurring fair value measurements as of June 30, 2021:

- U.S. Treasury SLGS type of investments of \$2,564,623 are valued using quoted market prices (Level 1 inputs).
- QSCB Construction Bond Trust type of investments of \$5,529,042 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. As of June 30, 2021, the district did not have any investments to which this would apply.

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, 2021, the district had the following investments:

Issuer	Fair Value	% of Total Investments
Trustmark Bank - QSCB Construction Bonds Common Trust	<u>\$ 5,529,042</u>	<u>68.30%</u>

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	Major Fund - FEMA/MEMA Grants ZETA Fund	\$ 1,641,122
	Major Fund - CRRSA ESSER II Fund	1,543,786
	Other governmental funds	1,951,655
Other governmental funds	General Fund	15,305
	Other governmental funds	<u>28,971</u>
Total		<u>\$ 5,180,839</u>

The purpose of the inter-fund loans was to eliminate deficit cash balances in certain federal programs as part of the normal year end closing adjustments.

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B. Inter-fund Transfers

Transfers Out	Transfers In	Amount
General Fund	Other governmental funds	\$ 2,155,185
Other governmental funds	General Fund	330,063
	Other governmental funds	325,261
Total		<u>\$ 2,810,509</u>

The transfer out of the General Fund was for the purpose of funding the unemployment compensation (Fund 2820), extended school year (Fund 2090), the vocational program (Fund 2711) and other programs in the Other Governmental Funds. The transfers from the Other governmental funds to the General Fund were for indirect costs. The transfers from Other governmental funds to Other governmental funds was transfers to the administrative cost pool fund as approved in the federal consolidated project application.

Note 4 – Restricted Assets

The restricted assets of \$47,946,654 represent the cash balance, cash with fiscal agent, and investment balance, totaling \$39,828,230, \$24,759 and \$ 8,093,665, respectively, of balances of special revenue funds, bond construction fund, debt service funds and the Sixteenth Section Principal Fund (Permanent Fund) which are legally restricted and may not be used for purposes that support the district's programs.

Note 5 – Capital Assets

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

	Balance 7/1/2020	Increases	Decreases	Completed Construction	Adjustments	Balance 6/30/2021
Governmental Activities:						
<u>Non-depreciable capital assets:</u>						
Land	\$ 4,195,931		(19,819)			4,176,112
Construction-in-progress	17,548,908	31,279,911		(742,985)		48,085,834
Total non-depreciable capital assets	21,744,839	31,279,911	(19,819)	(742,985)	0	52,261,946
<u>Depreciable capital assets:</u>						
Buildings	157,095,761		(718,860)			156,376,901
Building improvements	11,863,817					11,863,817
Improvements other than buildings	7,925,615			742,985		8,668,600
Mobile equipment	19,248,241	943,458	(19,958)			20,171,741
Furniture and equipment	8,819,367	842,804	(30,915)			9,631,256
Total depreciable capital assets	204,952,801	1,786,262	(769,733)	742,985	0	206,712,315
<u>Less accumulated depreciation for:</u>						
Buildings	54,976,916	2,839,961	(554,001)		43,133	57,306,009
Building improvements	7,324,442	368,518				7,692,960
Improvements other than buildings	3,405,552	338,526			(2)	3,744,076
Mobile equipment	10,799,013	1,109,770	(17,962)		(1)	11,890,820
Furniture and equipment	7,735,608	639,949	(30,606)		(1)	8,344,950
Total accumulated depreciation	84,241,531	5,296,724	(602,569)	0	43,129	88,978,815
Total depreciable capital assets, net	120,711,270	(3,510,462)	(167,164)	742,985	(43,129)	117,733,500
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$ 142,456,109	27,769,449	(186,983)	0	(43,129)	169,995,446

Depreciation expense was charged to the following governmental functions:

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	Amount
Governmental activities:	
Instruction	\$ 853,630
Support services	4,220,769
Non-instructional	222,325
Total depreciation expense - Governmental activities	<u>\$ 5,296,724</u>

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

	Spent to June 30, 2021	Remaining Commitment
Governmental Activities:		
D'Iberville New K-8 School	\$ 15,581,710	15,846,435
North Gulfport K-8 Additions & Renovations	7,838,596	5,564
New West Harrison Middle School	24,665,528	3,335,083
Total governmental activities	<u>\$ 48,085,834</u>	<u>19,187,082</u>

Construction projects included in governmental activities are funded with the Major Fund - \$54 M Bond Construction Fund.

Note 6 – Long-term Liabilities

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

	Balance 7/1/2020	Additions	Reductions	Balance 6/30/2021	Amounts due within one year
A. General obligation bonds payable	\$ 52,900,000		1,100,000	51,800,000	1,150,000
Premiums	2,391,748		132,875	2,258,873	132,875
B. Three mill notes payable	12,505,000	7,486,000	11,125,000	8,866,000	1,602,000
Premiums	111,800		24,992	86,808	24,992
C. Qualified zone academy bonds payable	2,169,745		2,169,745	0	0
D. Qualified school construction bonds payable	13,671,669		2,659,865	11,011,804	0
E. Compensated absences payable	736,353		25,223	711,130	56,313
Total	<u>\$ 84,486,315</u>	<u>7,486,000</u>	<u>17,237,700</u>	<u>74,734,615</u>	<u>2,966,180</u>

A. General obligation bonds payable

General obligation bonds are direct obligations and pledge the full faith and credit of the school district. General obligation bonds currently outstanding are as follows:

Description	Interest Rate	Issue Date	Maturity Date	Amount Issued	Amount Outstanding
General Obligation Bonds, 2019	3 - 4%	06/12/19	06/01/39	<u>\$ 54,000,000</u>	<u>51,800,000</u>

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

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1. General obligation bond issue of 2019:

Year Ending June 30	Principal	Interest	Total
2022	\$ 1,150,000	1,740,750	2,890,750
2023	1,200,000	1,694,750	2,894,750
2024	1,250,000	1,646,750	2,896,750
2025	2,175,000	1,596,750	3,771,750
2026	2,175,000	1,509,750	3,684,750
2027 – 2031	13,775,000	6,073,750	19,848,750
2032 – 2036	17,475,000	3,511,500	20,986,500
2037 – 2039	12,600,000	768,000	13,368,000
Total	\$ 51,800,000	18,542,000	70,342,000

This debt will be retired from the GO Bond Retirement Fund (Debt Service Fund) and the EEF Building and Bus Fund (Special Revenue Fund).

The amount of bonded indebtedness that can be incurred by the school district is limited by Sections 37-59-5 and 37-59-7, Miss. Code Ann. (1972). Total outstanding bonded indebtedness during a year can be no greater than 15% of the assessed value of the taxable property within such district, according to the then last completed assessment for taxation, unless certain conditions, as set forth in Section 37-59-7, Miss. Code Ann. (1972) have been met. As of June 30, 2021, the amount of outstanding bonded indebtedness was equal to 5.3% of property assessments as of October 1, 2020.

This debt is partially secured by an irrevocable pledge of building and bus fund revenues (\$455,230) the district receives from the State of Mississippi pursuant to the Education Enhancement Funds authorization, Section 37-61-33, Miss. Code Ann. (1972).

B. Three mill notes payable

Debt currently outstanding is as follows:

Description	Interest Rate	Issue Date	Maturity Date	Amount Issued	Amount Outstanding
1. Three mill refunding notes, 2014	2.0 - 3.0	9/12/2014	10/1/2025	\$ 9,470,000	0
2. Three mill refunding notes, 2015	1.5 - 3.0	2/2/2015	2/1/2027	2,925,000	20,000
3. Three mill notes, 2017	2.575	7/6/2017	7/6/2026	3,000,000	2,675,000
4. Three mill refunding notes, 2020-A	1.2	12/7/2020	6/1/2025	5,892,000	4,645,000
5. Three mill refunding notes, 2020-B	1.9	12/7/2020	6/1/2026	1,594,000	1,526,000
Total				<u>\$ 22,881,000</u>	<u>8,866,000</u>

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

1. Three mill notes payable issue of 2015:

Year Ending June 30	Principal	Interest	Total
2022	\$ 20,000	83,490	103,490

This debt will be retired from the Three Mill Note Retirement Fund (Debt Service Fund).

2. Three mill notes payable issue of 2017:

Year Ending June 30	Principal	Interest	Total
2022	\$ 275,000	67,756	342,756
2023	500,000	60,950	560,950
2024	625,000	48,450	673,450
2025	650,000	32,668	682,668
2026	625,000	16,093	641,093
Total	\$ 2,675,000	225,917	2,900,917

This debt will be retired from the Three Mill Note Retirement Fund (Debt Service Fund).

3. Three mill notes payable issue of 2020-A:

Year Ending June 30	Principal	Interest	Total
2022	\$ 1,228,000	55,740	1,283,740
2023	1,227,000	41,004	1,268,004
2024	1,187,000	26,280	1,213,280
2025	1,003,000	12,036	1,015,036
Total	\$ 4,645,000	135,060	4,780,060

This debt will be retired from the Three Mill Note Retirement Fund (Debt Service Fund).

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4. Three mill notes payable issue of 2020-B:

Year Ending June 30	Principal	Interest	Total
2022	\$ 79,000	28,994	107,994
2023	80,000	27,493	107,493
2024	81,000	25,973	106,973
2025	81,000	24,434	105,434
2026	<u>1,205,000</u>	<u>22,895</u>	<u>1,227,895</u>
Total	<u>\$ 1,526,000</u>	<u>129,789</u>	<u>1,655,789</u>

This debt will be retired from the Three Mill Note Retirement Fund (Debt Service Fund).

Total three mill notes payable payments for all issues:

Year Ending June 30	Principal	Interest	Total
2022	\$ 1,602,000	235,980	1,837,980
2023	1,807,000	129,447	1,936,447
2024	1,893,000	100,703	1,993,703
2025	1,734,000	69,138	1,803,138
2026	<u>1,830,000</u>	<u>38,988</u>	<u>1,868,988</u>
Total	<u>\$ 8,866,000</u>	<u>574,256</u>	<u>9,440,256</u>

Advance Refunding Series 2020-A

On 12/07/2020, the district issued \$5,892,000 in limited tax notes with an average interest rate of 1.2% to advance refund \$5,785,000 of outstanding limited tax notes with an average interest rate of 2.24%. The net proceeds of \$5,811,981 were used to redeem the 2021-2025 maturities of the District's Series 2014 Limited-Tax Notes (principal \$5,785,000 and interest \$26,981).

As a result, the \$5,785,000 limited tax notes are considered to be defeased and the liability for those notes have been removed from the long-term liabilities.

Advance Refunding Series 2020-B

On 12/07/2020, the district issued \$1,594,000 in limited tax notes with an average interest rate of 1.9% to advance refund \$2,795,000 of outstanding limited tax notes with an average interest rate of 3.0%. The District will use a portion of the proceeds of the Refunding Notes together with the District's equity to redeem the 2023-2027 maturities of the District's Series 2015 Limited-Tax Notes (principal \$2,795,000).

As a result, the \$2,795,000 limited tax notes are considered to be defeased and the liability for those notes have been removed from the long-term liabilities.

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C. Qualified zone academy bonds payable

The qualified zone academy bonds were paid in full during the fiscal 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	Issue Date	Maturity Date	Amount Issued	Amount Outstanding
1. Qualified school construction bonds, 2009	0*	12/29/09	09/15/22	\$ 3,000,000	2,603,695
2. Qualified school construction bonds, 2012	0*	05/16/12	12/15/26	10,000,000	8,408,109
Total				<u>\$ 13,000,000</u>	<u>11,011,804</u>

* These bonds were issued as 0% debt with a balloon payment at the end of the term. An imputed interest rate of 2.25% was considered in arriving at the amount outstanding.

E. 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 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 is available at www.pers.ms.gov.

Benefits provided. Membership in PERS is a condition of employment granted upon hiring for qualifying 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 qualify 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

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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.

Contributions. PERS members are required to contribute 9.00% of their annual covered salary, and the school district is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The employer's rate as of June 30, 2021 was 17.40% 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 school district's contributions to PERS for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2021, 2020 and 2019 were \$14,004,259, \$14,081,696 and \$11,966,348, 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, 2021, the school district reported a liability of \$235,283,639 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2020, 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 school district's long-term share of contribution to the pension plan relative to projected contributions of all participating entities, actuarially determined. The school district's proportionate share used to calculate the June 30, 2021 net pension liability was 1.215381 percent, which was based on a measurement date of June 30, 2020. This was an increase of .048794 percent from its proportionate share used to calculate the June 30, 2020 net pension liability, which was based on a measurement date of June 30, 2019.

For the year ended June 30, 2021, the District recognized pension expense of \$28,427,384. At June 30, 2021 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	\$ 1,484,287	\$ 0
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	7,731,641	0
Changes of assumptions	956,571	0
Changes in proportion and differences between District contributions and proportionate share of contributions	8,011,604	0
District contributions subsequent to the measurement date	14,004,259	0
Total	<u>\$ 32,188,362</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>

\$14,004,259 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from 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, 2022. 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:	
2022	\$ 6,081,012
2023	6,081,012
2024	4,089,169
2025	1,932,910

Actuarial assumptions. The total pension liability as of June 30, 2020 was determined by actuarial valuation prepared as of June 30, 2019. The following actuarial assumptions are applied to all periods included in the measurement:

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Inflation	2.75 percent
Salary increases	3.00-18.25 percent, including inflation
Investment rate of return	7.75 percent, net of pension plan investment expense, including inflation

Mortality rates were based on the PubS.H-2010(B) Retiree Table with the following adjustments: For males, 112% of male rates from ages 18 to 75 scaled down to 105% for ages 80 to 119. For females, 85% of the female rates from ages 18 to 65 scaled up to 102% for ages 75 to 119. Mortality rates are projected generationally using the MP-2018 projection scale to account for future improvements in life expectancy.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2019 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the four-year period from July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2018. The experience report is dated April 2, 2019.

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

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Target Allocation</u>	<u>Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return</u>
Domestic Equity	27.00 %	4.90 %
International Equity	22.00	4.75
Global Equity	12.00	5.00
Fixed Income	20.00	0.50
Real Estate	10.00	4.00
Private Equity	8.00	6.25
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 (9.00%) and that employer contributions will be made at the current contribution rate (17.40%). 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:

	<u>1% Decrease (6.75%)</u>	<u>Current Discount Rate (7.75%)</u>	<u>1% Increase (8.75%)</u>
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 304,545,759	\$ 235,283,639	\$ 178,114,560

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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. The plan issues a publicly available financial report that can be obtained at <http://knowyourbenefits.dfa.ms.gov/>.

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, public 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 \$400,266 for the year ended June 30, 2021.

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

At June 30, 2021, the District reported a liability of \$12,040,764 for its proportionate share of the net OPEB liability. The net OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2020, and the total OPEB liability used to 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, 2020, the District's proportion was 1.54724233 percent. This was an increase of .00338585 percent from the proportionate share as of the measurement date of June 30, 2019.

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For the year ended June 30, 2021, the District recognized OPEB expense of \$367,783. At June 30, 2021, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 15,349	\$ 2,095,415
Changes of assumptions	1,869,440	508,826
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on OPEB plan investments	387	0
Changes in proportion and differences between District contributions and proportionate share of contributions	458,099	0
District contributions subsequent to the measurement date	400,266	0
Total	\$ 2,743,541	\$ 2,604,241

\$400,266 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB resulting from 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, 2022. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

Year Ending June 30:	
2022	\$ (68,382)
2023	(68,382)
2024	(44,930)
2025	14,974
2026	(94,246)

Actuarial assumptions. The total OPEB liability in the June 30, 2020 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement, unless otherwise specified:

Inflation	2.75 percent
Salary increases	3.00-18.25 percent, including wage inflation
Municipal Bond Index Rate	
Measurement Date	2.19%
Prior Measurement Date	3.50%
Year FNP is projected to be depleted	
Measurement Date	2020
Prior Measurement Date	2019
Single Equivalent Interest Rate, net of OPEB plan investment expense, including inflation	
Measurement Date	2.19%
Prior Measurement Date	3.50%

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Health Care Cost Trends

Medicare Supplement Claims	7.00 percent for 2021 decreasing to an
Pre-Medicare	ultimate rate of 4.50% by 2030

Mortality rates were based on the PubS.H-2010(B) Retiree Table with the following adjustments: For males, 112% of male rates from ages 18 to 75 scaled down to 105% for ages 80 to 119. For females, 85% of the female rates from ages 18 to 65 scaled up to 102% for ages 75 to 119. Mortality rates will be projected generationally using the MP-2018 projection scale to account for future improvements in life expectancy.

The demographic actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2020 valuation were based on the results of the last actuarial experience study, dated April 2, 2019.

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, 2020 valuation were based on a review of recent plan experience done concurrently with the June 30, 2020 valuation.

The long-term expected rate of return on OPEB plan investments is 4.50%.

Discount rate. The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability at June 30, 2020 was 2.19 percent. Since the Prior Measurement Date, the Discount Rate has changed from 3.50% to 2.19%.

The trust was established on June 28, 2018 with an initial contribution of \$1,000,000. As of June 30, 2020, the trust has \$1,037,371. The fiduciary net position is projected to be depleted immediately, therefore, the Municipal Bond Index Rate is used in the determination of the discount rate for both the June 30, 2019 and the June 30, 2020 total OPEB liability. The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability at June 30, 2020 was based on a monthly average of the Bond Buyers General Obligation 20-year Municipal Bond Index Rate.

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 (1.19 percent) or 1-percentage-point higher (3.19 percent) than the current discount rate:

	1% Decrease (1.19%)	Current Discount Rate (2.19%)	1% Increase (3.19%)
Net OPEB liability	\$ 13,305,866	\$ 12,040,764	\$ 10,955,652

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:

	1% Decrease	Healthcare Cost Trend Rates Current	1% Increase
Net OPEB liability	\$ 11,117,803	\$ 12,040,764	\$ 13,086,436

OPEB plan fiduciary net position. Detailed information about the OPEB plan's fiduciary net position is available in a separately issued report that can be found at <http://knowyourbenefits.dfa.ms.gov/>.

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Note 9 – 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
2022	\$ 2,262,211
2023	2,331,778
2024	2,406,405
2025	2,480,595
2026	2,560,552
2027 – 2031	14,137,398
2032 - 2036	16,568,470
2037 – 2041	18,089,631
Thereafter	77,316,386
Total	<u>\$ 138,153,426</u>

Note 10 – Prior Period Adjustments

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

Exhibit B - Statement of Activities

Explanation	Amount
Adjustment of capital asests - correctly state accumulated depreciation	<u>\$ (43,129)</u>

Note 11 – Contingencies

Federal Grants – The 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 school district.

Litigation – The 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 school district with respect to the various proceedings. However, the 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 school district.

Note 12 – Risk Management

The school district is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors

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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 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 Municipal Workers' Compensation Group (MMWCG). The group is a risk-sharing pool; such a pool is frequently referred to as a self-insurance pool. MMWCG covers risks of loss arising from injuries to the school district's 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 the MMWCG contributes quarterly to a fund held in trust. The funds in the trust account are used to pay any claim up to \$500,000. For a claim exceeding \$500,000, MMWCG has insurance which will pay the excess up 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 pool members would be required to pay for the deficiencies. The district has not had an additional assessment for excess losses incurred by the pool.

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 school district.

The 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, 2021 for Series 2009 and Series 2012 was \$2,589,379 and \$5,529,045, respectively. 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 school district.

QSCB, Series 2009:

Year Ending		Amount
June 30		
2022	\$	215,000
2023		215,000
2024		215,000
Total	\$	<u>645,000</u>

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QSCB, Series 2012:

Year Ending June 30	Amount
2022	\$ 810,000
2023	810,000
2024	805,000
2025	805,000
2026	805,000
2027	805,000
Total	<u>\$ 4,840,000</u>

Total for all QSCB:

Year Ending June 30	Amount
2022	\$ 1,025,000
2023	1,025,000
2024	1,020,000
2025	805,000
2026	805,000
2027	805,000
Total	<u>\$ 5,485,000</u>

Note 14 - Insurance loss recoveries

The Harrison County School District received \$982,926 in insurance loss recoveries related to bus accidents and Hurricane Zeta damage during the 2020-2021 fiscal year. In the government-wide Statement of Activities, the insurance loss recoveries were reported as charges for services and allocated among the expense functions based on the following percentages:

Insurance Loss			
Recoveries	Percentage	Expense Function	
\$ 937,119	95%	Instruction	
45,807	5%	Support services	
<u>\$ 982,926</u>	<u>100%</u>		

Note 15 – Effect of Deferred Amounts on Net Position

The net investment in capital assets net position amount of \$121,055,405 includes the effect of deferring the recognition of expenditures resulting from a deferred outflow from advance refunding of school district debt and deferred bond premiums. The \$424,022 balance of deferred outflow of resources at June 30, 2021, will be recognized as an expense and will decrease the net investment in capital assets net position over the next 3 years.

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The unrestricted net position amount of (\$140,343,185) includes the effect of deferring the recognition of expenses resulting from a deferred outflow from pensions. A portion of the deferred outflow of resources related to pension in the amount of \$14,004,259 resulting from the school district contribution subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2022. The \$18,184,103 balance of deferred outflow of resources related to pensions, at June 30, 2021 will be recognized as an expense and will decrease the unrestricted net position over the next 4 years.

The unrestricted net position amount of (\$140,343,185) includes the effect of deferring the recognition of expenses resulting from a deferred outflow from OPEB. A portion of the deferred outflow of resources related to OPEB in the amount of \$400,266 resulting from the school district contribution subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net OPEB liability in the year ended June 30, 2022. The \$2,343,275 balance of deferred outflow of resources related to OPEB, at June 30, 2021 will be recognized as an expense and will decrease the unrestricted net position over the next 5 years.

The unrestricted net position amount of (\$140,343,185) includes the effect of deferring the recognition of revenue resulting from a deferred inflow from OPEB. The \$2,604,241 balance of deferred inflow of resources related to OPEB, at June 30, 2021 will be recognized as revenue and will increase the unrestricted net position over the next 5 years.

The net investment in capital assets net position of \$121,055,405 includes the effect of deferring the recognition of revenue resulting from a deferred credit on bonds payable. The \$702,810 balance of deferred credit on bonds payable, at June 30, 2021 will be recognized as revenue and will increase the unrestricted net position over the next 6 years.

Note 16 - 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 Harrison County School District evaluated the activity of the district through January 28, 2022, (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

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 Budgetary Comparison Schedule for the General Fund
 For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual (GAAP Basis)	Variances Positive (Negative)	
	Original	Final		Original to Final	Final to Actual
Revenues					
Local sources	\$ 46,582,211	\$ 49,257,225	49,257,225	2,675,014	0
State sources	73,447,902	70,943,256	70,943,256	(2,504,646)	0
Federal sources	436,000	462,634	462,634	26,634	0
Sixteenth section sources	2,229,305	2,207,814	2,101,356	(21,491)	(106,458)
Total Revenues	<u>122,695,418</u>	<u>122,870,929</u>	<u>122,764,471</u>	<u>175,511</u>	<u>(106,458)</u>
Expenditures					
Instruction	84,554,636	71,220,306	71,220,306	13,334,330	0
Support services	47,041,027	37,681,822	37,681,822	9,359,205	0
Noninstructional services	3,100	1,380	1,380	1,720	0
Sixteenth section	759,833	764,549	764,549	(4,716)	0
Debt service					
Other	0	99,593	99,593	(99,593)	0
Total Expenditures	<u>132,358,596</u>	<u>109,767,650</u>	<u>109,767,650</u>	<u>22,590,946</u>	<u>0</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	<u>(9,663,178)</u>	<u>13,103,279</u>	<u>12,996,821</u>	<u>22,766,457</u>	<u>(106,458)</u>
Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
Insurance loss recoveries	0	69,297	69,297	69,297	0
Sale of other property	0	4,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000	0
Operating transfers in	26,186,275	27,897,095	330,063	1,710,820	(27,567,032)
Operating transfers out	(34,911,182)	(29,541,217)	(2,155,185)	5,369,965	27,386,032
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>(8,724,907)</u>	<u>2,425,175</u>	<u>2,244,175</u>	<u>11,150,082</u>	<u>(181,000)</u>
Net Change in Fund Balances			<u>15,240,996</u>		
Fund Balances					
July 1, 2020			<u>60,123,690</u>		
June 30, 2021			<u>\$ 75,364,686</u>		

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

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Budgetary Comparison Schedule for the Major Special Revenue Fund - FEMA/MEMA Grants ZETA Fund

For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual (GAAP Basis)	Variances Positive (Negative)	
	Original	Final		Original to Final	Final to Actual
Revenues					
Federal sources	\$ 0	2,354,665	927,493	2,354,665	(1,427,172)
Total Revenues	<u>0</u>	<u>2,354,665</u>	<u>927,493</u>	<u>2,354,665</u>	<u>(1,427,172)</u>
Expenditures					
Instruction	0	333,882	301,862	(333,882)	32,020
Support services	0	2,208,592	1,527,069	(2,208,592)	681,523
Noninstructional services	0	12,191	12,191	(12,191)	0
Total Expenditures	<u>0</u>	<u>2,554,665</u>	<u>1,841,122</u>	<u>(2,554,665)</u>	<u>713,543</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	<u>0</u>	<u>(200,000)</u>	<u>(913,629)</u>	<u>(200,000)</u>	<u>(713,629)</u>
Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
Insurance loss recoveries	0	200,000	913,629	200,000	713,629
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>0</u>	<u>200,000</u>	<u>913,629</u>	<u>200,000</u>	<u>713,629</u>
Net Change in Fund Balances			<u>0</u>		
Fund Balances					
July 1, 2020			<u>0</u>		
June 30, 2021			<u>\$ 0</u>		

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

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Budgetary Comparison Schedule for the Major Special Revenue Fund - CRRSA ESSER II Fund

For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual (GAAP Basis)	Variances Positive (Negative)	
	Original	Final		Original to Final	Final to Actual
Revenues					
Federal sources	\$ 0	18,744,310	1,641,494	18,744,310	(17,102,816)
Total Revenues	<u>0</u>	<u>18,744,310</u>	<u>1,641,494</u>	<u>18,744,310</u>	<u>(17,102,816)</u>
Expenditures					
Instruction	0	6,320,389	508,740	(6,320,389)	5,811,649
Support services	0	3,418,921	1,130,700	(3,418,921)	2,288,221
Noninstructional services	0	125,000	2,054	(125,000)	122,946
Facilities acquisition and construction	0	8,760,000	0	(8,760,000)	8,760,000
Total Expenditures	<u>0</u>	<u>18,624,310</u>	<u>1,641,494</u>	<u>(18,624,310)</u>	<u>16,982,816</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	<u>0</u>	<u>120,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>120,000</u>	<u>(120,000)</u>
Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
Operating transfers out	0	(120,000)	0	(120,000)	120,000
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>0</u>	<u>(120,000)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(120,000)</u>	<u>120,000</u>
Net Change in Fund Balances			<u>0</u>		
Fund Balances					
July 1, 2020			<u>0</u>		
June 30, 2021			<u>\$ 0</u>		

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

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Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability

PERS

Last 10 Fiscal Years *

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
District's proportion of the net pension liability	1.215381%	1.665870%	1.158152%	1.143972%	1.145656%	1.260410%	1.069512%
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 235,283,639	205,225,670	192,635,086	190,166,973	204,642,768	174,057,396	129,878,408
District's covered payroll	\$ 80,929,287	75,976,813	73,959,035	73,386,476	73,290,425	70,348,610	65,352,692
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	290.73%	270.12%	260.46%	259.13%	279.22%	247.42%	198.73%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	58.97%	61.59%	62.54%	61.49%	57.47%	61.70%	67.21%

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 68 was implemented in the 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.

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of District Contributions
PERS
Last 10 Fiscal Years

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>
Contractually required contribution	\$ 14,004,259	14,081,696	11,966,348	11,648,548	11,558,370	11,543,242	11,079,906
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	14,004,259	14,081,696	11,966,348	11,648,548	11,558,370	11,543,242	11,079,906
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
District's covered payroll	\$ 80,484,247	80,929,287	75,976,813	73,959,035	73,386,476	73,290,425	70,348,610
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	17.40%	17.40%	15.75%	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 68 was implemented in the 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.

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability
OPEB
Last 10 Fiscal Years *

	2021	2020	2019	2018
District's proportion of the net OPEB liability	1.54724233%	1.54385648%	1.51191105%	1.47284567%
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	\$ 12,040,764	13,100,255	11,695,388	11,556,080
Covered employee payroll	\$ 80,929,287	75,976,813	73,959,035	73,386,476
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability as a percentage of its covered employee payroll	14.88%	17.24%	15.81%	15.75%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability	0.13%	0.12%	0.13%	0.00%

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.

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of District Contributions
OPEB
Last 10 Fiscal Years

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>
Actuarially determined contribution	\$ 400,266	480,184	525,099	492,653
Contributions in relation to the actuarially determined contribution	400,266	480,184	525,099	492,653
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Covered employee payroll	\$ 80,484,247	80,929,287	75,976,813	73,959,035
Contributions as a percentage of covered employee payroll	0.50%	0.59%	0.69%	0.67%

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 75 was implemented in the FYE 6-30-18, and, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the District has only presented information for the years in which information is available. Prior year information is based on historical amounts reported in prior year audit report(s).

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HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Required Supplementary Information
For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

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*

2015:

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.

2016:

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%.

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Required Supplementary Information
For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

2019:

The expectation of retired life mortality was changed to the PubS.H-2010(B) Retiree Table with the following adjustments: for males, 112% of male rates from ages 18 to 75 scaled down to 105% for ages 80 to 119; for females, 85% of the female rates from ages 18 to 65 scaled up to 102% for ages 75 to 119; and projection scale MP-2018 will be used to project future improvements in life expectancy generationally.

The expectation of disabled mortality was changed to PubT.H-2010 Disabled Retiree Table for disabled retirees with the following adjustments: for males, 137% of male rates at all ages; for females, 115% of female rates at all ages; and projection scale MP-2018 will be used to project future improvements in life expectancy generationally.

The price inflation assumption was reduced from 3.00% to 2.75%.

The wage inflation assumption was reduced from 3.25% to 3.00%.

Withdrawal rates, pre-retirement mortality 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 7% to 9%.

(2) *Changes in benefit provisions*

2016:

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, 2018 valuation for the June 30, 2020 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	30.9 years
Asset valuation method	5-year smoothed market
Price Inflation	3.00 percent
Salary increase	3.25 percent to 18.50 percent, including inflation
Investment rate of return	7.75 percent, net of pension plan investment expense, including inflation

OPEB Schedules

(1) *Changes of assumptions*

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

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Required Supplementary Information
For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

2018: The discount rate was changed from 3.56% for the prior Measurement Date to 3.89% for the current Measurement Date.

2019: The discount rate was changed from 3.89% for the prior Measurement Date to 3.50% for the current Measurement Date.

2020: The discount rate was changed from 3.50% for the prior Measurement Date to 2.19% for the current Measurement Date.

(2) *Changes in benefit provisions*

2017: None

2018: None

2019: None

2020: The schedule of monthly retiree contributions was increased as of January 1, 2021. In addition, the deductibles and coinsurance maximums were increased for the Select coverage and the coinsurance maximums were increased for the Base Coverage beginning January 1, 2021.

(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, 2019 actuarial valuation) were used to determine contribution rates reported in that schedule for the year ending June 30, 2020:

Actuarial cost method	Entry age
Amortization method	Level dollar
Amortization period	30 years, open
Asset valuation method	Market Value of Assets
Price inflation	2.75%
Salary increases, including wage inflation	3.00% to 18.25%
Initial health care cost trend rates	
Medicare Supplement Claims	7.00%
Pre-Medicare	
Ultimate health care cost trend rates	
Medicare Supplement Claims	4.75%
Pre-Medicare	
Year of ultimate trend rates	
Medicare Supplement Claims	2028
Pre-Medicare	

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Required Supplementary Information
For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

Long-term investment rate of return, net of
OPEB plan investment expense, including 3.50%
price inflation

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

Federal Grantor/ Pass-through Grantor/ Program Title	Assistance Listing No.	Pass-through Entity Identifying Number	Federal Expenditures
<u>U.S. Department of Agriculture</u>			
Passed-through Mississippi Department of Education:			
Child nutrition cluster:			
COVID-19 - Summer food service program for children	10.559	215MS326N1099	\$ 8,618,807
Total child nutrition cluster			8,618,807
Fresh fruits and vegetable program	10.582	215MS326L1603	311,923
Total passed-through Mississippi Department of Education			8,930,730
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			8,930,730
<u>Department of the Treasury</u>			
Passed-through Mississippi Department of Education:			
COVID-19 - Coronavirus relief fund	21.019	Not Available	7,266,973
Total passed-through the Mississippi Department of Education			7,266,973
Total Department of the Treasury			7,266,973
<u>U.S. Department of Defense</u>			
Direct program:			
Reserve officers' training corps	12.xxx	Not Available	197,579
Total U.S. Department of Defense			197,579
<u>U.S. Department of Education</u>			
Passed-through Mississippi Department of Education:			
Title I - grants to local educational agencies	84.010	S010A200024	5,847,473
Career and technical education - basic grants to states	84.048	V048A200024	252,955
Education for homeless children and youth	84.196	S196A200025	70,555
English language acquisition grants	84.365	S365A200024	37,433
Supporting effective instruction - state grants	84.367	S367A200023	822,226
Student support and academic enrichment program	84.424	S424A200025	424,250
Total			7,454,892
Education stabilization funds:			
COVID-19 - Education stabilization fund (ESSER) I	84.425D	S425D200031	4,985,319
COVID-19 - Education stabilization fund (ESSER) II	84.425D	S425D210031	1,641,494
COVID-19 - Education stabilization fund (ESSER) ARP III	84.425U	S425D210031	167,404
Total education stabilization funds			6,794,217
Special education cluster:			
Special education - grants to states	84.027	H027A200108	3,916,937
Special education - preschool grants	84.173	H173A200113	123,070
Total special education cluster			4,040,007
Total passed-through Mississippi Department of Education			4,040,007
Total U.S. Department of Education			18,289,116
<u>U.S. Department of Health and Human Services</u>			
Passed-through Mississippi Department of Education:			
Medical assistance program	93.778	220MS5ADM	8,985
Total passed-through Mississippi Department of Education			8,985
Total U.S. Department of Health and Human Services			8,985
<u>U.S. Department of Homeland Security</u>			
Passed-through the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency:			
Hazard Mitigation Grant	97.039	Not Available	927,493
Total passed-through Mississippi Emergency Management Agency			927,493
Total U. S. Department of Homeland Security			927,493
Total for All Federal Awards			\$ 35,620,876

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

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Notes to the Supplementary Information

For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

(1) Basis of Presentation

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards (the “Schedule”) includes the federal award activity of the School District under programs of the federal government for the year ended June 30, 2021. 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 School District, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net position, or cash flows of the 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 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 \$777,333 are included in the COVID-19 – Summer food service program for children.

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Schedule of Instructional, Administrative and Other Expenditures - Governmental Funds

For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Instruction and Other Student Instructional Expenditures</u>	<u>General Administration</u>	<u>School Administration</u>	<u>Other</u>
Salaries and fringe benefits	\$ 110,170,617	85,313,059	2,486,894	7,741,819	14,628,845
Other	93,817,528	23,301,085	606,957	228,209	69,681,277
Total	<u>203,988,145</u>	<u>108,614,144</u>	<u>3,093,851</u>	<u>7,970,028</u>	<u>84,310,122</u>
Total number of students	<u>12,385</u>				
Cost per student	<u>\$ 16,471</u>	<u>8,770</u>	<u>250</u>	<u>644</u>	<u>6,807</u>

Notes to the schedule.

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.

Total number of students - the ADA report submission for month 9, which is the final submission for the fiscal year.

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OTHER INFORMATION

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HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
General Fund
Last Four Years

	UNAUDITED			
	2021	2020*	2019*	2018*
Revenues				
Local sources	\$ 49,257,225	48,210,877	51,550,015	48,961,868
State sources	70,943,256	72,867,997	69,028,606	65,382,857
Federal sources	462,634	537,822	545,439	645,396
Sixteenth section sources	2,101,356	2,493,092	1,942,147	2,324,573
Total Revenues	<u>122,764,471</u>	<u>124,109,788</u>	<u>123,066,207</u>	<u>117,314,694</u>
Expenditures				
Instruction	71,220,306	72,980,608	68,597,987	66,957,588
Support services	37,681,822	37,082,692	36,584,343	34,781,870
Noninstructional services	1,380	472	500	3,969
Sixteenth section	764,549	1,110,715	681,193	694,095
Facilities acquisition and construction	0	108,361	592,872	0
Debt service				
Principal	0	0	246,884	358,247
Interest	0	0	2,889	17,640
Other	99,593	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	<u>109,767,650</u>	<u>111,282,848</u>	<u>106,706,668</u>	<u>102,813,409</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	<u>12,996,821</u>	<u>12,826,940</u>	<u>16,359,539</u>	<u>14,501,285</u>
Other Financing Sources (Uses)				
Insurance loss recoveries	69,297	12,651	32,207	16,461
Sale of other property	4,000,000	0	0	0
Operating transfers in	330,063	658,188	523,670	947,980
Operating transfers out	(2,155,185)	(16,895,611)	(4,522,456)	(1,928,543)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>2,244,175</u>	<u>(16,224,772)</u>	<u>(3,966,579)</u>	<u>(964,102)</u>
Net Change in Fund Balances	<u>15,240,996</u>	<u>(3,397,832)</u>	<u>12,392,960</u>	<u>13,537,183</u>
Fund Balances:				
Beginning of period, as previously reported	60,123,690	62,901,081	50,480,987	36,953,897
Prior period adjustments	0	0	27,134	(10,093)
Fund Reclassification - GASB 84	0	620,441	0	0
Beginning of period, as restated	<u>60,123,690</u>	<u>63,521,522</u>	<u>50,508,121</u>	<u>36,943,804</u>
End of period	<u>\$ 75,364,686</u>	<u>\$ 60,123,690</u>	<u>62,901,081</u>	<u>50,480,987</u>

* Source - Prior year audit reports.

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
All Governmental Funds
Last Four Years

	UNAUDITED			
	2021	2020*	2019*	2018*
Revenues				
Local sources	\$ 57,592,837	58,130,034	58,738,629	55,618,098
State sources	73,331,786	75,516,307	71,479,230	69,195,286
Federal sources	36,028,895	24,299,879	21,679,114	20,801,997
Sixteenth section sources	2,107,644	2,657,364	1,981,724	2,341,829
Total Revenues	<u>169,061,162</u>	<u>160,603,584</u>	<u>153,878,697</u>	<u>147,957,210</u>
Expenditures				
Instruction	95,312,387	85,314,120	78,919,175	76,156,946
Support services	48,361,125	49,145,320	46,412,527	44,663,878
Noninstructional services	8,273,189	9,001,120	8,287,342	8,195,269
Sixteenth section	777,979	1,130,404	699,905	696,255
Facilities acquisition and construction	31,279,911	16,747,839	2,004,662	2,210,019
Debt service				
Principal	17,054,610	2,310,000	1,450,281	4,185,784
Interest	2,728,084	2,109,958	364,556	449,210
Other	200,860	239,937	60,347	21,235
Total Expenditures	<u>203,988,145</u>	<u>165,998,698</u>	<u>138,198,795</u>	<u>136,578,596</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	<u>(34,926,983)</u>	<u>(5,395,114)</u>	<u>15,679,902</u>	<u>11,378,614</u>
Other Financing Sources (Uses)				
Proceeds of general obligation bonds	0	0	54,000,000	0
Proceeds of refunding bonds	7,486,000	0	2,657,498	0
Proceeds of loans	0	0	0	3,000,000
Insurance loss recoveries	982,926	12,651	0	0
Payment held by bond escrow agent	0	0	32,207	16,461
Sale of other property	4,000,000	0	0	0
Operating transfers in	2,810,509	17,553,799	5,200,945	3,330,982
Payments held by escrow -QZAB and QSCB	1,091,896	1,138,630	1,180,185	1,223,006
Operating transfers out	(2,810,509)	(17,553,799)	(5,200,945)	(3,330,982)
Payments to escrow agent - QZAB and QSCB	(1,091,896)	(1,138,630)	(1,180,185)	(1,223,006)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>12,468,926</u>	<u>12,651</u>	<u>56,689,705</u>	<u>3,016,461</u>
Net Change in Fund Balances	<u>(22,458,057)</u>	<u>(5,382,463)</u>	<u>72,369,607</u>	<u>14,395,075</u>
Fund Balances:				
Beginning of period, as previously reported	142,562,440	146,880,387	74,613,764	60,083,217
Prior period adjustments	0	0	8,343	(3,414)
Fund Reclassification - GASB 84	0	620,441	0	0
Beginning of period, as restated	<u>142,562,440</u>	<u>147,500,828</u>	<u>74,622,107</u>	<u>60,079,803</u>
Increase (Decrease) in reserve for inventory	<u>(72,407)</u>	<u>444,075</u>	<u>(111,327)</u>	<u>138,886</u>
End of period	<u>\$ 120,031,976</u>	<u>\$ 142,562,440</u>	<u>146,880,387</u>	<u>74,613,764</u>

* Source - Prior year audit reports.

REPORTS ON INTERNAL CONTROLS 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*

Independent Auditor's Report

Superintendent and School Board
Harrison County School District

I 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 Harrison County School District, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise Harrison County School District's basic financial statements, and have issued my report thereon dated January 28, 2022.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing my audit of the financial statements, I considered Harrison County School District's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing my opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Harrison County School District's internal control. Accordingly, I do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Harrison County 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.

My 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 and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that have not been identified. I did identify a certain deficiency in internal control, described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs that I consider to be a material weakness [2021-001].

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Harrison County School District's financial statements

are free from material misstatement, I performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statements. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of my audit, and accordingly, I do not express such an opinion. The results of my tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Harrison County School District's Response to Findings

Harrison County School District's response to the finding identified in my audit is described in the accompanying Auditee's Corrective Action Plan. Harrison County School District's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, I express no opinion on it.

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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Carriere, MS

January 28, 2022



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

Independent Auditor's Report

Superintendent and School Board
Harrison County School District

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

I have audited Harrison County 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 Harrison County School District's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2021. Harrison County 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

My responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of Harrison County School District's major federal programs based on my audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. I conducted my 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 I 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 Harrison County School District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as I considered necessary in the circumstances.

I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion on compliance for each major federal program. However, my audit does not provide a legal determination of Harrison County School District's compliance.

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In my opinion, Harrison County 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, 2021.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of Harrison County 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 my audit of compliance, I considered Harrison County 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, I do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Harrison County 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 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.

My 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. I did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that I 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 my 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.

St. Clair CPA, PLLC

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Carriere, MS
January 28, 2022

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

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ST. CLAIR CPA, PLLC
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT

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

Superintendent and School Board
Harrison County School District

I have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Harrison County School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2021, which collectively comprise Harrison County School District's basic financial statements and have issued my report thereon dated January 28, 2022. I conducted my 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, I 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 my audit and, accordingly, I do not express such an opinion.

The results of my 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 my 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, I 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 my audit and, accordingly, I do not express such an opinion.

The results of procedures performed to test compliance with certain other state laws and regulations and my audit of the financial statements disclosed the following immaterial instances of noncompliance with other state laws and regulations. My findings and recommendations and Harrison County School District's responses are as follows:

Finding No. 1

CRITERIA: *Section 29-3-57, Mississippi Code of 1972*, states “Upon a sixty (60) day default in payment of any rentals according to the terms of such 16th section lease, the lease shall be declared terminated unless the Board of Education finds extenuating circumstances were present, and the Board shall inaugurate the proper legal proceedings to terminate such lease.

CONDITION: While testing a sample of 16th Section leases, it was noted that the district is not taking leases that are delinquent by more than 60 days to the Board of Education for cancellation. Four (4) leases are delinquent for several years and there is no evidence these leases have been brought to the board to be addressed and/or terminated.

CAUSE: This condition is the result of the school district not implementing an effective internal control system over management of delinquent 16th Section leases.

EFFECT: Failure to terminate lease agreements due to the non-payment of rental payments resulted in noncompliance with *Section 29-3-57, Mississippi Code of 1972*.

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the school district implement policies and procedures to establish an internal control system over 16th section leases.

RESPONSE: The District is in the process of hiring a person to effect the changes needed to strengthen the procedures and internal control that will ensure strong financial accountability, proper safeguarding of assets and accurate accounting records.

This is a repeat finding from the prior year.

Finding No. 2

CRITERIA: According to guidance provided by the Mississippi State Auditor’s Office, children attending the Childhood Development Center that do not meet the criteria to attend is not authorized by state law and those students should not be allowed to attend.

CONDITION: The district operates Childhood Development Center countywide accepting students ages 20 months to 18 years old. In order to attend, the child must meet certain developmental criteria, i.e., school age students must have an IEP (Individualized Education Program). There are four (4) staff member’s children that are attending the program that do not meet the criteria to attend.

CAUSE: The district was unaware that this was not allowed.

EFFECT: This condition could be viewed as a matter of non-compliance with state law.

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the school district implement policies and procedures to ensure that only children that meet the criteria to attend the program are allowed to participate.

RESPONSE: The District will review and change policies and procedures to ensure state laws are being followed.

Finding No. 3

CRITERIA: *Section 25-11-127(4), Mississippi Code Annotated (1972)*, requires the school district hiring service retirees to notify PERS in writing by completing and filing Form 4B “Certification/Acknowledgement of Reemployment of Retiree” with the PERS office within five (5) days of employment and the amount of compensation is limited based on their election on the PERS Form 4B.

CONDITION: The PERS Form 4Bs for reemployment tested were not submitted to PERS within the required five days of the employment date.

CAUSE: The cause of the condition was a failure to follow the state law and PERS rules and regulations.

EFFECT: The district is not in compliance with *Section 25-11-127(4), Miss. Code of 1972* and the rules and regulations of PERS.

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the district strengthen controls to ensure compliance with *Section 25-11-127(4), Mississippi Code Annotated (1972)*, by properly completing and filing the Form 4Bs within five (5) days of employment.

RESPONSE: The District will strengthen controls to ensure compliance with state law and PERS regulations by properly completing and filing Form 4Bs within five (5) days of employment.

The Office of the State Auditor or a public accounting firm will review, on the subsequent year's audit engagement, the findings in this report to ensure that corrective action has been taken.

The Harrison County School District's responses to the findings included in this report were not audited and, accordingly, I express no opinion on them.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the school board and management, entities with accreditation overview, 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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Carriere, MS
January 28, 2022

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SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

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HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs
For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

Section I: Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements:

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| 1. Type of auditor's report issued: | Unmodified |
| 2. Internal control over financial reporting: | |
| a. Material weakness identified? | Yes |
| b. Significant deficiency identified? | None Reported |
| 3. Noncompliance material to the financial statements? | No |

Federal Awards:

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| 4. Internal control over major programs: | |
| a. Material weakness identified? | No |
| b. Significant deficiency identified? | None Reported |
| 5. Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs: | Unmodified |
| 6. Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with 2 CFR 200.516(a)? | No |
| 7. Federal program identified as major program: | |

<u>CFDA Number</u>	<u>Name of Federal Program or Cluster</u>
21.019	COVID-19 – Coronavirus Relief Fund
84.027 & 84.173	Special Education Cluster
84.425D	COVID-19 – Education Stabilization Fund (ESSER) I
84.425D	COVID-19 – Education Stabilization Fund (ESSER) II
84.425U	COVID-19 – Education Stabilization Fund (ESSER) ARP III

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| 8. Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs: | \$1,068,626 |
| 9. Auditee qualified as a low-risk auditee? | Yes |
| 10. Prior fiscal year federal award audit findings(s) and questioned costs which would require the auditee to prepare a summary schedule of prior audit findings in accordance with 2CFR 200.511(b). | No |

Section II: Financial Statement Findings

Material Weakness

Finding 2021-001

CRITERIA: An effective system of internal control is the responsibility of management. Management should establish an internal control system that ensures strong financial accountability and safeguarding of assets. A critical aspect of financial management is the maintenance of accurate accounting records.

HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
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CONDITION: During the test of 16th Section revenues and receivables, I noted that receivables and the correspondence revenues in the amount of \$106,458 in Fund 1840 were overstated. Audit adjustments were made to correctly reflect these receivables and revenue.

CAUSE: This condition is the result of the school district not properly implementing an effective internal control system pertaining to 16th Section leases and the management of those leases.

EFFECT: Without a proper system in place in the management of the 16th Section leases, the district increases the risk of non-payment of leases, inaccurate accounting records and the risk that the financial statements may contain a materially misstated account.

RECOMMENDATION: The district should implement policies and procedures for the management of 16th Section leases to establish an internal control system that will ensure strong financial accountability, proper safeguarding of assets, and accurate accounting records.

VIEW OF RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL: See Auditee's Corrective Action Plan

Section III: Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

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

AUDITEE'S CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN

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Roy Gill, Superintendent

Mitchell King, Assistant Superintendent

CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN

January 28, 2022

As required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (UG), the Harrison County School District has prepared and hereby submits the following corrective action plan for the findings included in the Schedule of Findings and Questioned Cost for the year ended June 30, 2021:

Finding

Corrective Action Plan Details

2021-001

a. Name of contact person responsible for corrective action: Mitchell King

b. Corrective action planned: The District is in the process of hiring a person to effect the changes needed to strengthen the procedures and internal control that will ensure strong financial accountability, proper safeguarding of assets, and accurate accounting records

c. Anticipated completion date: February 21, 2022

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mitchell King".

Superintendent of Education

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