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Audited Financial Statements For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

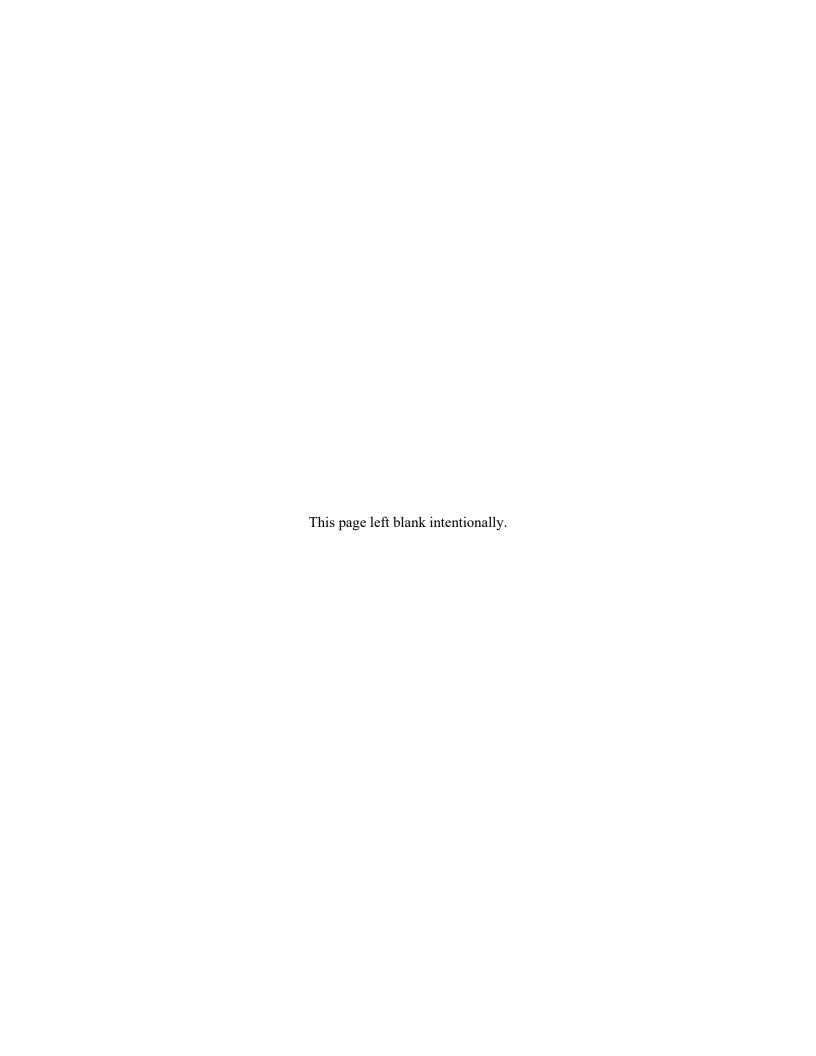
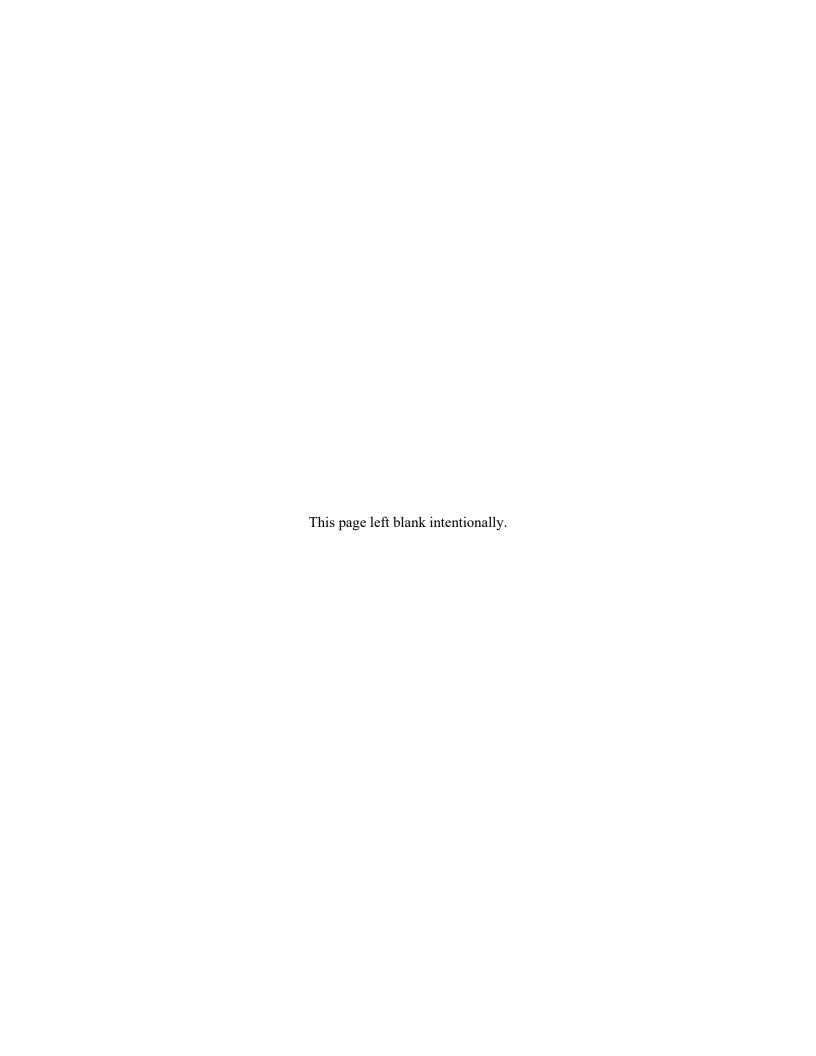


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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Superintendent and School Board Forrest County Agricultural High School

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Forrest County Agricultural High School as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Forrest County Agricultural High School's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Forrest County Agricultural High School, as of June 30, 2022, 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.

Basis for Opinions

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

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

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

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

Auditor's Responsibility for the Audit of the Financial Statements

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

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS and Government Auditing Standards, we

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

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

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, budgetary comparison information, the Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability, the Schedule of District Contributions (PERS), the Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability, and the Schedule of District Contributions (OPEB) on pages 9-16, 45-48, 49, 50, 51 and 52 respectively, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Forrest County Agricultural High School'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 and the Schedule of Instructional, Administrative and Other Expenditures for Governmental Funds are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly

to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards and the Schedule of Instructional, Administrative and Other Expenditures for Governmental Funds are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included in the annual report. The other information comprises 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 but does not include the basic financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinions on the basic financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the basic financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and consider whether a material inconsistency exists between the other information and the basic financial statements, or the other information otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work performed, we conclude that an uncorrected material misstatement of the other information exists, we are required to describe it in our report.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated March 6, 2023, on our consideration of the Forrest County Agricultural High School's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Forrest County Agricultural High School'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 Forrest County Agricultural High School's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

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FORREST COUNTY AGRICULTURAL HIGH SCHOOL MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

The following discussion and analysis of Forrest County Agricultural High School's financial performance provides an overview of the School District's financial activities for the year ended June 30, 2022. 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 2022 increased \$1,007,402, which represents a 51% increase from fiscal year 2021. Total net position for 2021 decreased \$138,612, including a prior period adjustment of \$6,491, which represents a 7.5% decrease from fiscal year 2020.
- General revenues amounted to \$5,267,696 and \$5,016,240, or 70% and 73% of all revenues for fiscal years 2022 and 2021, respectively. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services and grants and contributions accounted for \$2,254,758, or 30% of total revenues for 2022, and \$1,879,353, or 27% of total revenues for 2021.
- The District had \$6,515,052 and \$7,040,696 in expenses for fiscal years 2022 and 2021; only \$2,254,758 for 2022 and \$1,879,353 for 2021 of these expenses was offset by program specific charges for services, grants and contributions. General revenues of \$5,267,696 for 2022 were adequate to provide for these programs and general revenues of \$5,016,240 for 2021 were not adequate to provide for these programs.
- Among major funds, the General Fund had \$5,524,562 in revenues and \$4,719,473 in expenditures for 2022, and \$5,227,579 in revenues and \$4,247,757 in expenditures in 2021. The General Fund's fund balance increased by \$195,375, including a decrease in inventory of \$1,140, from 2021 to 2022 and increased by \$420,754 from 2020 to 2021, including a decrease in reserve for inventory of \$1,760.
- Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, increased by \$94,567 for 2022 and decreased by \$158,845 for 2021. The increase for 2022 was due primarily to the addition of construction in progress.
- The liability for compensated absences decreased by \$2,877 for 2022 and increased by \$1,979 for 2021.

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, pension expense and OPEB expense.

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 \$969,252 as of June 30, 2022.

The District's financial position is a product of several financial transactions including the net result of activities, 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, 2022 and June 30, 2021.

Table 1
Condensed Statement of Net Position

			Percentag	ge
	June 30, 2022	 June 30, 2021	Change	
Current assets	\$ 2,347,682	\$ 2,033,414	15.46	%
Restricted assets	301,337	295,035	2.14	%
Capital assets, net	5,998,119	5,903,552	1.60	%
Total assets	8,647,138	8,232,001	5.04	%
Deferred outflows of resources	 1,334,248	 1,171,448	13.90	%
Current liabilities	366,696	251,567	45.76	%
Long-term debt outstanding	42,231	45,108	(6.38)	%
Net OPEB liability	438,738	523,816	(16.24)	%
Net pension liability	7,818,260	10,282,447	(23.96)	%
Total liabilities	 8,665,925	11,102,938	(21.95)	%
Deferred inflows of resources	 2,284,713	 277,165	724.32	%
Net position:				
Net investment in capital assets	5,998,119	5,903,552	1.60	%
Restricted	322,860	359,734	(10.25)	%
Unrestricted	(7,290,231)	(8,239,940)	11.53	%
Total net position	\$ (969,252)	\$ (1,976,654)	50.97	%

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)	\$ (7,290,231)
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	9,207,463
Unrestricted net position, exclusive of the net pension liability and net OPEB liability effect	\$ 1,917,232

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 \$94,567.

Changes in net position

The District's total revenues for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2022 and June 30, 2021 were \$7,522,454 and \$6,895,593, respectively. The total cost of all programs and services was \$6,515,052 for 2022 and \$7,040,696 for 2021.

Table 2 presents a summary of the changes in net position for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2022 and June 30, 2021.

Table 2 Changes in Net Position

	Year Ended June 30, 2022		J	Year Ended June 30, 2021	Percentag Change	ge
Revenues:	<u> </u>			_		
Program revenues:						
Charges for services	\$	313,446	\$	241,924	29.56	%
Operating grants and contributions		1,941,312		1,637,429	18.56	%
General revenues:						
Property taxes		2,062,026		2,042,534	0.95	%
Grants and contributions not restricted		3,174,230		2,960,306	7.23	%
Investment earnings		2,377		6,965	(65.87)	%
Other		29,063		6,435	351.64	%
Total revenues		7,522,454		6,895,593	9.09	%
Expenses:	<u> </u>			_		
Instruction		4,103,818		3,837,781	6.93	%
Support services		2,047,218		1,872,499	9.33	%
Non-instructional		362,911		277,689	30.69	%
Pension expense		27,860		1,044,913	(97.33)	%
OPEB expense		(26,755)		7,814	(442.40)	%
Total expenses	<u> </u>	6,515,052		7,040,696	(7.47)	%
Increase (Decrease) in net position		1,007,402		(145,103)	794.27	%
Net Position, July 1, as previously reported		(1,976,654)		(1,838,042)	(7.54)	%
Prior Period Adjustment		0		6,491	(100.00)	%
Net Position, July 1, as restated		(1,976,654)		(1,831,551)	(7.92)	%
Net Position, June 30	\$	(969,252)	\$	(1,976,654)	50.97	%

Governmental activities

The following table presents the cost of five major District functional activities: instruction, support services, non-instructional, pension expense and OPEB expense. 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	Percentage		
	2022		2021	Change
Instruction	\$ 4,103,818	\$	3,837,781	6.93 %
Support services	2,047,218		1,872,499	9.33 %
Non-instructional	362,911		277,689	30.69 %
Pension Expense	27,860		1,044,913	(97.33) %
OPEB Expense	(26,755)		7,814	(442.40) %
Total expenses	\$ 6,515,052	\$	7,040,696	(7.47) %
	 Net (Expe	ns e) Revenue	Percentage
	 Net (Expe 2022	ns e	2021	Percentage Change
Instruction	\$ ` •	nse]		U
Instruction Support services	\$ 2022		2021	Change
	\$ 2022 (2,538,277)		2021 (2,508,706)	Change (1.18) %
Support services	\$ 2022 (2,538,277) (1,806,825)		2021 (2,508,706) (1,606,889)	Change (1.18) % (12.44) %
Support services Non-instructional	\$ 2022 (2,538,277) (1,806,825) 85,913		2021 (2,508,706) (1,606,889) 6,979	Change (1.18) % (12.44) % 1,131.02 %

- Net cost of governmental activities (\$4,260,294 for 2022 and \$5,161,343 for 2021) was financed by general revenue, which is primarily made up of property taxes (\$2,062,026 for 2022 and \$2,042,534 for 2021) and state and federal revenues (\$3,174,230 for 2022 and \$2,960,306 for 2021).
- Investment earnings amounted to \$2,377 for 2022 and \$6,965 for 2021.

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 \$2,282,323, an increase of \$205,441, which includes an increase in inventory of \$173. \$1,624,777 or 71% 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 \$657,546 or 29% is either non-spendable, 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 \$195,375, which includes a decrease in inventory of \$1,140. The fund balance of Other Governmental Funds showed an increase in the amount of \$10,076, which includes an increase in reserve for inventory of \$1,313. The increase (decrease) in the fund balances for the other major funds were as follows:

Major Fund	Increase (I	Decrease)
Title I-A Fund	no increase or	decrease
ESSER III ARP Grant Fund	no increase or	decrease
Vocational Education Fund	\$ (10)	

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 fund(s) is provided in this report as required supplementary information.

CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets. As of June 30, 2022, the District's total capital assets were \$9,590,108, 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 \$279,172 from 2021. Total accumulated depreciation as of June 30, 2022, was \$3,591,989, and total depreciation expense for the year was \$224,327, resulting in total net capital assets of \$5,998,119.

Table 4
Capital Assets, Net of Accumulated Depreciation

					Percentag	ge
	J	une 30, 2022	J	une 30, 2021	Change	
Land	\$	640	\$	640	0.00	%
Construction in Progress		258,833		0	N/A	
Buildings		4,533,126		4,659,794	(2.72)	%
Building improvements		603,811		648,930	(6.95)	%
Improvements other than buildings		392,191		417,033	(5.96)	%
Mobile equipment		158,204		158,523	(0.20)	%
Furniture and equipment		51,314		18,632	175.41	%
Total	\$	5,998,119	\$	5,903,552	1.60	%

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

Debt Administration. At June 30, 2022, the District had \$42,231 in outstanding long-term debt, of which \$3,378 is due within one year. The liability for compensated absences decreased \$2,877 from the prior year.

Table 5
Outstanding Long-Term Debt

Percentage

	Jun	e 30, 2022	June	20, 2021	Change	0
Compensated absences payable		42,231		45,108	(6.38)	%
Total	\$	42,231	\$	45,108	(6.38)	%

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

CURRENT ISSUES

The Forrest County Agricultural High School 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 Forrest County Agricultural High School, 215 Old Highway 49E, Brooklyn, Mississippi 39426.

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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June 30, 2022

	Governmental Activities
Assets	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,879,186
Investments	109,224
Due from other governments	297,211
Inventories	62,061
Restricted assets (Note 4)	301,337
Non-depreciable capital assets (Note 5)	259,473
Depreciable capital assets, net (Note 5)	5,738,646
Total Assets	8,647,138
Deferred Outflows of Resources	
Deferred outflow - pensions (Note 7)	1,229,759
Deferred outflow - OPEB (Note 8)	104,489
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	1,334,248
Liabilities	
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	366,696
Long-term liabilities (Due within one year)	
Non-capital related liabilities (Note 6)	3,378
Net OPEB liability (Note 8)	15,214
Long-term liabilities (Due beyond one year)	
Non-capital related liabilities (Note 6)	38,853
Net OPEB liability (Note 8)	423,524
Net pension liability (Note 7)	7,818,260
Total Liabilities	8,665,925
Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Deferred inflows - pensions (Note 7)	2,114,374
Deferred inflows - OPEB (Note 8)	170,339
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	2,284,713
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Net Position	5 000 110
Net investment in capital assets	5,998,119
Restricted net position	
Expendable	207.542
School-based activities	307,542
Unemployment benefits	15,318
Unrestricted	(7,290,231)
Total Net Position	\$ (969,252)
The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.	

Statement of Activities

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

		Program Rever	nues	Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net
		Charges for	Operating Grants and	Position Governmental
Functions / Programs	Expenses	Services	Contributions	Activities
Governmental Activities				
Instruction	\$ 4,103,818	286,035	1,279,506	(2,538,277)
Support services	2,047,218	200,033	240,393	(1,806,825)
Non-instructional	362,911	27,411	421,413	85,913
Pension expense	27,860	_,,	,	(27,860)
OPEB expense	(26,755)			26,755
Total Governmental Activities	6,515,052	313,446	1,941,312	(4,260,294)
	General Revenues			
	Taxes			
	General purp	ose levies		2,062,026
	Unrestricted gra	ents and contribu	itions	
	State			3,159,401
	Federal			14,829
	Unrestricted inv	estment earning	S	2,377
	Other			29,063
	Total Genera	al Revenues		5,267,696
	Changes in Net Po	sition		1,007,402
	Net Position - Beg	inning		(1,976,654)
	Net Position - End	ing		\$ (969,252)

Balance Sheet - Governmental Funds

June 30, 2022

	Major Funds					
			ESSER III	Vocational	Other	Total
	General	Title I-A	ARP Grant	Education	Governmental	Governmental
	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund	Funds	Funds
Assets	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·					
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 2)	\$ 1,879,186			586	285,515	2,165,287
Investments (Note 2)	109,224				15,236	124,460
Due from other governments	63,745	74,406	64,264	18,270	76,526	297,211
Due from other funds (Note 3)	182,842					182,842
Inventories	45,800				16,261	62,061
Total Assets	2,280,797	74,406	64,264	18,856	393,538	2,831,861
Liabilities and Fund Balances						
Liabilities						
Accounts payable & accrued liabilities	321,334	447	44,329	586		366,696
Due to other funds (Note 3)		73,959	19,935	18,270	70,678	182,842
Total Liabilities	321,334	74,406	64,264	18,856	70,678	549,538
Fund Balances						
Nonspendable						
Inventory	45,800				16,261	62,061
Restricted						
Unemployment benefits					15,318	15,318
Grant activities					291,281	291,281
Assigned						
School activities	119,488					119,488
Capital improvements	169,398					169,398
Unassigned	1,624,777					1,624,777
Total Fund Balances	1,959,463	0	0	0	322,860	2,282,323
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$ 2,280,797	74,406	64,264	18,856	393,538	2,831,861

Exhibit C-1

Reconciliation of Governmental Funds Balance Sheet to the Statement of Net Position June 30, 2022

		Amount
Total Fund Balance - Governmental Funds		\$ 2,282,323
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 Construction in progress Buildings Improvement other than buildings Mobile equipment Furniture and equipment Leases assets	640 258,833 6,840,133 1,127,968 674,957 418,640 268,937	5 009 110
Accumulated depreciation Some liabilities, including net pension obligations, are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds:	(3,591,989)	5,998,119
Net pension liability		(7,818,260)
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 Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions	1,229,759 (2,114,374)	(884,615)
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		(438,738)
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 Deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB	104,489 (170,339)	(65,850)
Long-term liabilities and related accrued interest are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds:		
Compensated absences	(42,231)	(42,231)
Total Net Position - Governmental Activities		\$ (969,252)

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds For the Year Ended June 30,2022

	Major Funds					
	General Fund	Title I-A Fund	ESSER III ARP Grant Fund	Vocational Education Fund	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Revenues						
Local sources	\$ 2,350,332				27,517	2,377,849
State sources	3,159,401			305,358	23,753	3,488,512
Federal sources	14,829	466,946	256,303	18,057	870,895	1,627,030
Total Revenues	5,524,562	466,946	256,303	323,415	922,165	7,493,391
Expenditures						
Instruction	2,753,065	392,274	91,328	923,605	330,154	4,490,426
Support services	1,955,158	84,708	646		163,678	2,204,190
Noninstructional services		2,624			361,113	363,737
Facilities acquisition and construction	11,250		164,329		83,254	258,833
Total Expenditures	4,719,473	479,606	256,303	923,605	938,199	7,317,186
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues						
Over (Under) Expenditures	805,089	(12,660)	0	(600,190)	(16,034)	176,205
Other Financing Sources (Uses)						
Insurance loss recoveries (Note 12)	22,941					22,941
Sale of other property	6,122					6,122
Operating transfers in (Note 3)		12,660		600,180	37,457	650,297
Operating transfers out (Note 3)	(637,637)				(12,660)	(650,297)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(608,574)	12,660	0	600,180	24,797	29,063
Net Change in Fund Balances	196,515	0	0	(10)	8,763	205,268
Fund Balances						
July 1, 2021	1,764,088	0	0	10	312,784	2,076,882
Increase (Decrease) in reserve for inventory	(1,140)	0	0	0	1,313	173
June 30, 2022	\$ 1,959,463	0	0	0	322,860	2,282,323

Exhibit D-1

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, 2022

		 Amount
Net Change in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds		\$ 205,268
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 Depreciation expense	320,871 (224,327)	96,544
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.		(1,977)
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 Contributions made subsequent to the measurement date	(27,860) 690,408	662,548
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 Contributions made subsequent to the measurement date	26,755 15,214	41,969
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 Change in inventory reserve	2,877 173	3,050
Changes in Net Position of Governmental Activities		\$ 1,007,402

Notes to the Financial Statements For Year Ended June 30, 2022

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 six-member board to which one member is an at large member (superintendent of Forrest County School District), two members are appointed by the Forrest County School District Board and three members are appointed by the Forrest County Board of Supervisors.

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

B. Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

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

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

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

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

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Fund Financial Statements - Separate financial statements are provided for the 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.

Title I-A Fund - This Special Revenue Fund is used to account for the Federal funds whose use is restricted for services associated with providing supplemental educational service to students.

ESSER III ARP Grant 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.

Vocational Education Fund - This Special Revenue Fund is used to account for the State and Federal funds whose use is restricted for services associated with providing vocational educational services to students.

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

Additionally, the school district reports the following fund types:

GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

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

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

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 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.

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

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

1. Cash, Cash equivalents and Investments

Cash and cash equivalents

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

Investments

The 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

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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 unemployment and various grants are classified as restricted assets on the Statement of Net Position because their use is limited by applicable statutes and/or grant agreements.

6. Capital Assets

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

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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 & 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 and OPEB reporting.

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 and OPEB reporting.

See Note 7, 8 and 13 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).

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.

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9. Leases

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) issued Statement No. 87, *Leases* (GASB 87) to establish a single leasing model for accounting and reporting purposes. This guidance is intended to enhance the accountability, consistency and comparability of lease activities reported by governments. The district did not have any leases that required GASB 87 implementation during fiscal year 2022.

10. Long-term Liabilities

In the government-wide financial statements, outstanding obligations are reported as liabilities. The Forrest County Agricultural High School does not have any debt. See Note 6 for details.

11. 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.

12. 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.

13. Fund Balances

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

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

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

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

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

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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 policy of the Forrest County Agricultural High School to maintain a minimum fund balance in the General Fund that is not less than 7% of revenues.

14. Accounting Standards Update

GASB 87, Leases, was implemented during fiscal year 2022. The objective of this statement is to better meet the information needs of financial statement users by improving accounting and financial reporting for leases by governments. It establishes a single model for lease accounting based on the foundational principle that leases are financings of the right to use an underlying asset. This guidance is intended to enhance the accountability, consistency and comparability of lease activities reported by governments. However, the district did not have any leases that required implementation of GASB 87 in the current year.

Note 2 – Cash and Cash Equivalents and Investments

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

Deposits. The school board must advertise and accept bids for depositories no less than once every three years as required by Section 37-7-333, Miss. Code Ann. (1972). The collateral pledged for the 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

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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 \$2,289,747 (which includes \$124,460 of certificates of deposit with original maturities beyond three months and reported on the Balance Sheet as investments).

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.

Investments

As of June 30, 2022, the district had the following investments.

		Maturities	
Investment Type	Rating	(in years)	Fair Value
Certificates of deposit	N/A	1 year	\$ 109,224
Certificates of deposit	N/A	1 year	 15,236
Total			\$ 124,460

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

The district has the following recurring fair value measurements as of June 30, 2022:

• Certificate of deposit type of investments of \$124,460 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.

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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, 2022, the district had the following investments:

		Fair	% of Total
Issuer		Value	Investments
The First Bank - Certificate of Deposit	\$	124,460	100%

Note 3 – Inter-fund Receivables, Payables and Transfers

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

A. Due From/To Other Funds

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	Amount
General Fund	Title I-A Fund	\$ 73,959
	ESSER III ARP Grant Fund	19,935
	Vocational Education Fund	18,270
	Other governmental funds	 70,678
Total		\$ 182,842

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.

B. Inter-fund Transfers

Transfers Out	Transfers In	Amount
General Fund	Vocational Education Fund Other Governmental Funds	\$ 600,180 37,457
Other governmental funds	Title I-A Fund	 12,660
Total		\$ 650,297

The transfer out of the General Fund was for the purpose of funding the vocational program, extended school year and capital improvements in the Other Governmental Funds. The transfer from the Other Governmental Funds to the Title I-A Fund was for transferability of funds as approved in the consolidated federal grant application Title I.

Note 4 – Restricted Assets

The restricted assets in the amount of \$301,337 represent the cash balance and investment balance, totaling \$286,101 and \$15,236, respectively, of various grant funds and unemployment compensation 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:

Notes to the Financial Statements For Year Ended June 30, 2022

		Balance 7/1/2021	Increases	Decreases	Balance 6/30/2022
Governmental Activities:		//1/2021	Hicreases	Decreases	0/30/2022
Non-depreciable capital assets:					
Land	\$	640			640
Construction-in-progress	•		258,833		258,833
Total non-depreciable capital assets	_	640	258,833	0	259,473
Depreciable capital assets:					
Buildings		6,840,133			6,840,133
Building improvements		1,127,968			1,127,968
Improvements other than buildings		674,957			674,957
Mobile equipment		415,465	20,510	(17,335)	418,640
Furniture and equipment		251,773	41,528	(24,364)	268,937
Total depreciable capital assets		9,310,296	62,038	(41,699)	9,330,635
Less accumulated depreciation for:					
Buildings		2,180,339	126,668		2,307,007
Building improvements		479,038	45,119		524,157
Improvements other than buildings		257,924	24,842		282,766
Mobile equipment		256,942	19,096	(15,602)	260,436
Furniture and equipment		233,141	8,602	(24,120)	217,623
Total accumulated depreciation		3,407,384	224,327	(39,722)	3,591,989
Total depreciable capital assets, net		5,902,912	(162,289)	(1,977)	5,738,646
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$	5,903,552	96,544	(1,977)	5,998,119

Depreciation expense was charged to the following governmental functions:

	 Amount
Governmental activities:	
Instruction	\$ 80,926
Support services	73,491
Non-instructional	 69,910
Total depreciation expense - Governmental activities	\$ 224,327

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

	Spent to	Remaining
	June 30, 2022	Commitment
Governmental Activities:		
Classroom Additions & Renovations	\$ 164,329	2,365,891
Window Restoration/HVAC upgrades	83,254	957,758
Solar Photovoltaic Installation	 11,250	237,850
Total governmental activities	\$ 258,833	3,561,499

Construction projects included in governmental activities are funded with ESSER II and ESSER III ARP grant funds and a grant for the solar photovoltaic installation.

Note 6 – Long-term Liabilities

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

Notes to the Financial Statements For Year Ended June 30, 2022

					Amounts
	Balance			Balance	due within
	 7/1/2021	Additions	Reductions	6/30/2022	one year
A. Compensated absences payable	\$ 45,108	0	2,877	42,231	3,378

A. 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 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, 2022 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, 2022, 2021 and 2020 were \$690,408, \$611,965 and \$615,461, respectively, which equaled the required contributions for each year.

Notes to the Financial Statements For Year Ended June 30, 2022

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

At June 30, 2022, the school district reported a liability of \$7,818,260 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2021, 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, 2022 net pension liability was .052896 percent, which was based on a measurement date of June 30, 2021. This was a decrease of .000219 percent from its proportionate share used to calculate the June 30, 2021 net pension liability, which was based on a measurement date of June 30, 2020.

For the year ended June 30, 2022, the District recognized pension expense of \$27,860. At June 30, 2022 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	\$ 92,794	\$	
Net difference between projected and actual			
earnings on pension plan investments			1,883,621
Changes of assumptions	446,557		
Changes in proportion and differences between			
District contributions and proportionate share			
of contributions			230,753
District contributions subsequent to the			
measurement date	690,408	_	
Total	\$ 1,229,759	\$	2,114,374

\$690,408 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, 2023. 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:	
2023	\$ (363,754)
2024	(363,754)
2025	(376,610)
2026	(470,905)

Actuarial assumptions. The total pension liability as of June 30, 2021 was determined by actuarial valuation prepared as of June 30, 2020, by the new actuarial assumptions adopted by the Board subsequent to the June 30, 2020 valuation based on the experience investigation for the four-year period ending June 30, 2020, and by the investment experience for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021. The following actuarial assumptions are applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation	2.40 percent
Salary increases	2.65-17.90 percent, including inflation
Investment rate of return	7.55 percent, net of pension plan investment expense, including inflation

Notes to the Financial Statements For Year Ended June 30, 2022

Mortality rates for service retirees were based on the PubS.H-2010(B) Retiree Table with the following adjustments: For males, 95% of male rates up to age 60, 110% for ages 61 to 75 and 101% for ages above 77. For females, 84% of female rates up to age 72 and 100% for ages above 76. Mortality rates for disability retirees were based on the PubG.H-2010 Disabled Table adjusted 134% for males and 121% for females. Mortality rates for Contingent Annuitants were based on the PubS.H-2010(B) Contingent Annuitant Table, adjusted 97% for males and 110% for females. Mortality rates will be projected generationally using the MP-2020 projection scale to account for future improvements in life expectancy.

The actuarial assumptions used for the purposes of determining the total pension liability were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2020. The experience report is dated April 20, 2021.

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>Target</u>		Long-Term Expected Real	
Asset Class	Allocation		Rate of Return	
Domestic Equity	27.00	%	4.60	%
International Equity	22.00		4.50	
Global Equity	12.00		4.80	
Fixed Income	20.00		(0.25)	
Real Estate	10.00		3.75	
Private Equity	8.00		6.00	
Cash Equivalents	1.00		(1.00)	
Total	100	%		

Discount rate. The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.55 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 7.55%, 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 (6.55%) or 1-percentage-point higher (8.55%) than the current rate:

			Current	
	1% Decrease		Discount	1% Increase
	(6.55%)]	Rate (7.55%)	 (8.55%)
District's proportionate share			_	 _
of the net pension liability	\$ 11,072,489	\$	7,818,260	\$ 5,136,516

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

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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 \$15,214 for the year ended June 30, 2022.

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

At June 30, 2022, the District reported a liability of \$438,738 for its proportionate share of the net OPEB liability. The net OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2021, 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, 2021, the District's proportion was .06816071 percent. This was an increase of .00085015 percent from the proportionate share as of the measurement date of June 30, 2020.

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For the year ended June 30, 2022, the District recognized OPEB expense of (\$26,755). At June 30, 2022, 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	\$	477	\$ 137,188
Changes of assumptions		71,057	14,839
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on OPEB plan investments		20	
Changes in proportion and differences between District contributions and proportionate share			
of contributions		17,721	18,312
District contributions subsequent to the measurement date		15,214	
Total	\$	104,489	\$ 170,339

\$15,214 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, 2023. 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:	
2023	\$ (21,791)
2024	(20,570)
2025	(14,789)
2026	(14,442)
2027	(9,472)

Actuarial assumptions. The total OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2021, using the following key actuarial assumptions and other inputs:

Inflation	2.40 percent
Salary increases	2.65-17.90 percent, including wage inflation
Municipal Bond Index Rate	
Measurement Date	2.13%
Prior Measurement Date	2.19%
Year FNP is projected to be depleted	
Measurement Date	2021
Prior Measurement Date	2020
Single Equivalent Interest Rate, net	
of OPEB plan investment expense,	
including inflation	
Measurement Date	2.13%
Prior Measurement Date	2.19%

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Health Care Cost Trends Medicare Supplement Claims Pre-Medicare

6.50% for 2022 decreasing to an ultimate rate of

4.50% by 2030

Mortality rates for service retirees were based on the PubS.H-2010(B) Retiree Table with the following adjustments: For males, 95% of male rates up to age 60, 110% for ages 61 to 75 and 101% for ages above 77. For females, 84% of female rates up to age 72 and 100% for ages above 76. Mortality rates for disability retirees were based on the PubG.H-2010 Disabled Table adjusted 134% for males and 121% for females. Mortality rates for Contingent Annuitants were based on the PubS.H-2010(B) Contingent Annuitant Table, adjusted 97% for males and 110% for females. Mortality rates will be projected generationally using the MP-2020 projection scale to account for future improvements in life expectancy.

The demographic actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2021 valuation were based on the results of the last actuarial experience study, dated April 20, 2021.

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, 2021 valuation were based on a review of recent plan experience done concurrently with the June 30, 2021 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, 2021 was 2.13 percent. Since the Prior Measurement Date, the Discount Rate has changed from 2.19% to 2.13%.

The trust was established on June 28, 2018 with an initial contribution of \$1,000,000. As of June 30, 2021, the trust has \$1,044,424. 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, 2020 and the June 30, 2021 total OPEB liability. The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability at June 30, 2021 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 (1.13 percent) or 1-percentage-point higher (3.13 percent) than the current discount rate:

			C	urrent		
	1	1% Decrease	D	iscount	1	% Increase
		(1.13%)	R	ate (2.13%)		(3.13%)
Net OPEB liability	\$	485,621	\$	438,738	\$	398,764

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

				Healthcare		
			(Cost Trend		
				Rates		
	19	1% Decrease		Current	1	% Increase
Net OPEB liability	\$	406,385	\$	438,738	\$	475,351

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 – 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 10 – Risk Management

The school district is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. Except as described below, the district carries commercial insurance for these risks. Settled claims resulting from these insured risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

Participation in Public Entity Risk Pool

The school district is a member of the Mississippi School Boards Association Workers' Compensation Trust (MSBAWCT). The trust is a risk-sharing pool; such a pool is frequently referred to as a self-insurance pool. The trust consists of approximately 52 school districts and covers risks of loss arising from injuries to the members' employees. The Mississippi Workers' Compensation Commission requires that an indemnity agreement be executed by each member in a workers' compensation self-insurance pool for the purpose of jointly and severally binding the pool and each of the employers comprising the group to meet the workers' compensation obligations of each member. Each member of MSBAWCT contributes quarterly to a fund held in trust by Wells Fargo in Portland, Oregon. The funds in the trust account are used to pay any claim up to \$750,000. For a claim exceeding \$750,000, MSBAWCT has insurance which will pay the excess to the statutory amount required by the Mississippi Workers' Compensation Commission Act. If total claims during a year were to deplete the trust account, then the member school districts would be required to pay for the deficiencies.

Note 11 – Qualified School Construction Bonds

On August 1, 2012, Forrest County, Mississippi (primary government) issued G.O. Bonds, Series 2012 (Qualified School Construction Bonds) on behalf of Forrest County Agricultural High School in the amount of \$3,000,000.

Pursuant to the bond documents, theses bonds are to be repaid in full on August 1, 2027, from the proceeds of the County's debt sinking fund and are not a liability of Forrest County Agricultural High School and are therefore not reflected in the debt schedule of the school district.

Note 12 - Insurance Loss Recoveries

The Forrest County Agricultural High School received \$22,941 in insurance loss recoveries related to automobile damage during the 2021-2022 fiscal year. In the government-wide Statement of Activities, the insurance loss recoveries were reported as other general revenue.

Note 13 – Effect of Deferred Amounts on Net Position

The unrestricted net position amount of (\$7,290,231) 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

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\$690,408 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, 2023. The \$539,351 balance of deferred outflow of resources related to pensions, at June 30, 2022 will be recognized as an expense and will decrease the unrestricted net position over the next 3 years.

The unrestricted net position amount of (7,290,231) includes the effect of deferring the recognition of revenue resulting from a deferred inflow from pensions. The \$2,114,374 balance of deferred inflow of resources related to pensions, at June 30, 2022 will be recognized as revenue and will increase the unrestricted net position over the next 4 years.

The unrestricted net position amount of (\$7,290,231) 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 \$15,214 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, 2023. The \$89,275 balance of deferred outflow of resources related to OPEB, at June 30, 2022 will be recognized as an expense and will decrease the unrestricted net position over the next 5 years.

The unrestricted net position amount of (\$7,290,231) includes the effect of deferring the recognition of revenue resulting from a deferred inflow from OPEB. The \$170,339 balance of deferred inflow of resources related to OPEB, at June 30, 2022 will be recognized as revenue and will increase the unrestricted net position over the next 5 years.

Note 14 – State Compliance Testing

The Mississippi Office of the State Auditor (OSA) has elected to perform procedures in relation to purchasing and compliance with state laws. This report should be viewed in conjunction with the report from OSA in order to gain a comprehensive understanding of the School District's operations. This report and OSA's report will be available on OSA's website at http://www.osa.ms.gov/reports.

Note 15 - Subsequent Events

Events that occur after the Statement of Net Position date but before the financial statements are available to be issued must be evaluated for recognition or disclosure. The effects of subsequent events that provide evidence about conditions that existed at the Statement of Net Position date are recognized in the accompanying financial statements. Subsequent events which provide evidence about conditions that existed after the Statement of Net Position date require disclosure in the accompanying notes. Management of the Forrest County Agricultural High School evaluated the activity of the district through March 6, 2023, (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, 2022

				Varian Positive (1		
	Budget	ed Amounts	Actual	Original	Final	
	Original	Final	(GAAP Basis)	to Final	to Actual	
Revenues					_	
Local sources	\$ 2,282,626	2,350,332	2,350,332	67,706	0	
State sources	3,161,015	3,159,401	3,159,401	(1,614)	0	
Federal sources	13,000	14,829	14,829	1,829	0	
Total Revenues	5,456,641	5,524,562	5,524,562	67,921	0	
Expenditures						
Instruction	2,739,859	2,753,065	2,753,065	(13,206)	0	
Support services	1,927,712	1,955,158	1,955,158	(27,446)	0	
Facilities acquisition and construction	0	11,250	11,250	(11,250)	0	
Total Expenditures	4,667,571	4,719,473	4,719,473	(51,902)	0	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues						
Over (Under) Expenditures	789,070	805,089	805,089	16,019	0	
Other Financing Sources (Uses)						
Insurance loss recoveries	0	22,941	22,941	22,941	0	
Sale of other property	0	6,122	6,122	6,122	0	
Operating transfers in	577,288	525,345	0	(51,943)	(525,345)	
Operating transfers out	(1,365,858)	(1,162,984)	(637,637)	202,874	525,347	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(788,570)	(608,576)	(608,574)	179,994	2	
Net Change in Fund Balances			196,515			
Fund Balances						
July 1, 2021			1,764,088			
Decrease for reserve in inventory			(1,140)			
June 30, 2022			\$ 1,959,463			

Budgetary Comparison Schedule for the Major Special Revenue Fund - Title I-A Fund For the Year Ended June $30,\,2022$

					Variances Positive (Negative)		
		Budgeted	d Amounts	Actual	Original	Final	
		Original	Final	(GAAP Basis)	to Final	to Actual	
Revenues							
Federal sources	\$	460,928	474,524	466,946	13,596	(7,578)	
Total Revenues	_	460,928	474,524	466,946	13,596	(7,578)	
Expenditures							
Instruction		376,277	392,283	392,274	(16,006)	9	
Support services		82,901	84,715	84,708	(1,814)	7	
Noninstructional services		1,750	2,624	2,624	(874)	0	
Total Expenditures		460,928	479,622	479,606	(18,694)	16	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues							
Over (Under) Expenditures		0	(5,098)	(12,660)	(5,098)	(7,562)	
Other Financing Sources (Uses)							
Other financing sources		12,660	12,660	12,660	0	0	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		12,660	12,660	12,660	0	0	
Net Change in Fund Balances				0			
Fund Balances July 1, 2021				0_			
June 30, 2022			:	\$ 0			

Budgetary Comparison Schedule for the Major Special Revenue Fund - ESSER III ARP Grant Fund For the Year Ended June $30,\,2022$

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				Positive (N	Negative)
	Budgeted	l Amounts	Actual	Original	Final
	Original	Final	(GAAP Basis)	to Final	to Actual
Revenues	 				
Federal sources	\$ 0	256,303	256,303	256,303	0
Total Revenues	0	256,303	256,303	256,303	0
Expenditures					
Instruction	0	91,332	91,328	(91,332)	4
Support services	0	648	646	(648)	2
Facilities acquisition and construction	0	164,329	164,329	(164,329)	0
Total Expenditures	0	256,309	256,303	(256,309)	6
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues					
Over (Under) Expenditures	 0	(6)	0	(6)	6
Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
Operating transfers out	0	0	0	0	0
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	0	0	0	0	0
Net Change in Fund Balances			0		
Fund Balances					
July 1, 2021			0		
June 30, 2022		:	\$0		

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Budgetary Comparison Schedule for the Major Special Revenue Fund - Vocational Education Fund For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

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		Budgete	d Amounts	Actual	Original	Final
		Original	Final	(GAAP Basis)	to Final	to Actual
Revenues						
State sources	\$	286,000	305,358	305,358	19,358	0
Federal sources		18,165	18,058	18,057	(107)	(1)
Total Revenues	_	304,165	323,416	323,415	19,251	(1)
Expenditures						
Instruction		965,235	923,614	923,605	41,621	9
Total Expenditures	_	965,235	923,614	923,605	41,621	9
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues						
Over (Under) Expenditures		(661,070)	(600,198)	(600,190)	60,872	8
Other Financing Sources (Uses)						
Operating transfers in		661,070	600,180	600,180	(60,890)	0
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	_	661,070	600,180	600,180	(60,890)	0
Net Change in Fund Balances	_	0	(18)	(10)	(18)	8
Fund Balances						
July 1, 2021				10		
June 30, 2022			:	\$0		

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

Last 10 Fiscal Years *

	 2022	2021	2020	2019
District's proportion of the net pension liability	0.052896%	0.053115%	0.051629%	0.054018%
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 7,818,260	10,282,447	9,082,560	8,984,798
District's covered payroll	\$ 3,517,040	3,537,132	3,362,483	3,449,537
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	222.30%	290.70%	270.11%	260.46%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	70.44%	58.97%	61.59%	62.54%
District's proportion of the net pension liability	2018 0.052795%	2017 0.051755%	2016 0.050068%	2015 0.050000%
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 8,776,321	9,244,735	7,739,526	6,069,085
District's covered payroll	\$ 3,386,806	3,310,889	3,127,981	3,067,606
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	259.13%	279.22%	247.43%	197.84%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	61.49%	57.47%	61.70%	67.21%

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 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.

^{*} 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.

FORREST COUNTY AGRICULTURAL HIGH SCHOOL Schedule of District Contributions PERS

Last 10 Fiscal Years

	2022	2021	2020	2019
Contractually required contribution	\$ 690,408	611,965	615,461	529,591
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	\$ 690,408	611,965	615,461	529,591
Contribution deficiency (excess)	0	0	0	0
District's covered payroll	3,967,862	3,517,040	3,537,132	3,362,483
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	17.40%	17.40%	17.40%	15.75%
	2018	2017	2016	2015
Contractually required contribution	\$ 543,302	533,422	521,465	492,657
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	\$ 543,302	533,422	521,465	492,657
Contribution deficiency (excess)	0	0	0	0
District's covered payroll	3,449,537	3,386,806	3,310,889	3,127,981
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	15.75%	15.75%	15.75%	15.75%

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

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, GASB Statement 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.

FORREST COUNTY AGRICULTURAL HIGH SCHOOL Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability OPEB

Last 10 Fiscal Years *

		2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
District's proportion of the net OPEB liability	0	.06816071%	0.06731056%	0.065390%	0.068322%	0.070090%
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	\$	438,738	523,816	554,933	528,504	549,932
Covered employee payroll	\$	3,517,040	3,537,132	3,537,132	3,362,483	3,449,537
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability as a percentage of its covered employee payroll		12.47%	14.81%	15.69%	15.72%	15.94%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability		0.16%	0.13%	0.12%	0.13%	0.00%

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

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

^{*} 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.

FORREST COUNTY AGRICULTURAL HIGH SCHOOL Schedule of District Contributions OPEB

Last 10 Fiscal Years

	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Actuarially determined contribution	\$ 15,214	17,634	20,890	22,243	23,444
Contributions in relation to the actuarially determined contribution	15,214	17,634	20,890	22,243	23,444
Contribution deficiency (excess)	0	0	0	0	0
Covered employee payroll	\$ 3,967,862	3,517,040	3,537,132	3,362,483	3,449,537
Contributions as a percentage of covered employee payroll	0.38%	0.50%	0.59%	0.66%	0.68%

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).

Notes to the Required Supplementary Information For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

Budgetary Comparison Schedule

(1) Basis of Presentation

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

(2) Budget Amendments and Revisions

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

Pension Schedules

(1) Changes of assumptions

<u>2015:</u>

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

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

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

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

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

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%.

Notes to the Required Supplementary Information For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

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%.

2021:

The expectation of retired life mortality was changed to the PubS.H-2010(B) Retiree Table with the following adjustments: for males, 95% of male rates up to age 60, 110% for ages 61 to 75, and 101% for ages above 77; for females, 84% of female rates up to age 72, 100% for ages above 76; and projection scale MP-2020 will be used to project future improvements in life expectancy generationally.

The expectation of disabled mortality was changed to PubG.H-2010 Disabled Table for disabled retirees with the following adjustments: for males, 134% of male rates at all ages; for females, 121% of female rates at all ages; and projection scale MP-2020 will be used to project future improvements in life expectancy generationally.

The expectation of contingent annuitant mortality was based on the PubS.H-2010(B) Contingent Annuitant Table with the following adjustments: for males, 97% of male rates at all ages; for females, 110% of female rates at all ages; and projection scale MP-2020 will be used to project future improvements in life expectancy generationally.

The price inflation assumption was reduced from 2.75% to 2.40%.

The wage inflation assumption was reduced from 3.00% to 2.65%.

The investment rate of return assumption was changed from 7.75% to 7.55%.

The assumed load for administrative expenses was increased from 0.25% to 0.28%.

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

The percentage of active member disabilities assumed to be in the line of duty was increased from 9% to 12%. The percentage of active member deaths assumed to be in the line of duty was decreased from 6% to 4%.

Notes to the Required Supplementary Information For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

(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, 2019 valuation for the June 30, 2021 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 28.8 years

Asset valuation method 5-year smoothed market

Price Inflation 2.75 percent

Salary increase 3.00 percent to 18.25 percent, including inflation Investment rate of return 7.75 percent, net of pension plan investment expense,

including inflation

OPEB Schedules

(1) Changes of assumptions

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

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

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

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

<u>2021</u>: The discount rate was changed from 2.19% for the prior Measurement Date to 2.13% for the current Measurement Date.

(2) Changes in benefit provisions

2017: None

2018: None

2019: None

Notes to the Required Supplementary Information For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

<u>2020</u>: 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.

<u>2021</u>: The schedule of monthly retiree contributions was increased as of January 1, 2022. In addition, the innetwork medical deductible was increased for the Select coverage beginning January 1, 2022.

(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, 2020 actuarial valuation) were used to determine contribution rates reported in that schedule for the year ending June 30, 2021:

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

Long-term investment rate of return, net of

OPEB plan investment expense, including 2.19%

price inflation

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

Federal Grantor/ Pass-through Grantor/ Program Title	Assistance Listing No.	Pass-through Entity Identifying Number	Federal Expenditures
U.S. Department of Agriculture Passed-through Mississippi Department of Education: Child nutrition cluster: National school lunch program - seamless summer option Total child nutrition cluster	10.555	225MS326N1099	\$ 361,113 361,113
Total passed-through Mississippi Department of Education			361,113
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			361,113
U.S. Department of Education Passed-through Mississippi Department of Education: Title I - grants to local educational agencies Career and technical education - basic grants to states Rural education Student support and academic enrichment program Total	84.010 84.048 84.358 84.424	S010A210024 V048A210024 S358B210024 S424A210025	479,606 18,057 11,991 25,627 535,281
Education stabilization funds: COVID-19 - Education stabilization fund (ESSER) I COVID-19 - Education stabilization fund (ESSER) II COVID-19 - Education stabilization fund (ESSER) ARP III COVID-19 - CTE ESSER Grant	84.425D 84.425D 84.425U 84.425D	S425D200031 S425D210031 S425U210031 S425D200031	9,519 226,633 256,303 20,144
Total education stabilization funds Special education cluster: Special education - grants to states Total special education cluster	84.027	H027A210108	512,599 153,103 153,103
Total passed-through Mississippi Department of Education			1,200,983
Total U.S. Department of Education			1,200,983
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Passed-through Mississippi Department of Education:	02 779	2205Me5 4 DN#	14 920
Medical assistance program Total passed-through Mississippi Department of Education	93.778	2205MS5ADM	14,829
Total U.S. Department of Health and Human Services			14,829
Total for All Federal Awards			\$ 1,576,925

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

Notes to the Supplementary Information For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

(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, 2022. 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 \$23,411 are included in the national school lunch program - seamless summer option.

(5) Other Items

As allowed by federal regulations, the school district elected to transfer program funds. The district expended \$50,758 from its Supporting Effective Instruction - State Grants ALN # 84.367 and \$16,122 from Student Support and Academic Enrichment Program ALN # 84.424 on allowable activities of the Title I - Grants to Local Educational Agencies ALN # 84.010. These amounts are reflected in the expenditures of Title I - Grants to Local Educational Agencies.

For each federal grant passed through the Mississippi Department of Education, the school district has elected to use the pass-through entity identifying number as provided by the Mississippi Department of Education for the most recent and significant grant year.

Schedule of Instructional, Administrative and Other Expenditures - Governmental Funds For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

		Instruction and Other Student			
Expenditures	Total	Instructional Expenditures	General Administration	School Administration	Other
Salaries and fringe benefits Other	\$ 5,453,292 1,863,894	4,146,412 635,486	440,685 84,239	242,088 9,703	624,107 1,134,466
Total	7,317,186	4,781,898	524,924	251,791	1,758,573
Total number of students	516				
Cost per student	\$ 14,180	9,267	1,017	488	3,408

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 - includes the number of students on 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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Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances

General Fund

Last Four Years

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	2022	2021*	2020*	2019*
Revenues				
Local sources	\$ 2,350,332	2,267,273	2,241,541	2,218,940
State sources	3,159,401	2,949,796	2,983,639	2,856,736
Federal sources	14,829	10,510	4,666	11,316
Total Revenues	5,524,562	5,227,579	5,229,846	5,086,992
Expenditures				
Instruction	2,753,065	2,498,543	2,658,298	2,488,307
Support services	1,955,158	1,747,812	1,866,547	1,918,386
Noninstructional services	0	1,402	0	0
Facilities acquisition and construction	11,250	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	4,719,473	4,247,757	4,524,845	4,406,693
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	805,089	979,822	705,001	680,299
Other Financing Sources (Uses)				
Insurance loss recoveries	22,941	430	0	3,581
Sale of other property	6,122	6,435	0	1,441
Operating transfers out	(637,637)	(564,173)	(729,470)	(593,035)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(608,574)	(557,308)	(729,470)	(588,013)
Net Change in Fund Balances	196,515	422,514	(24,469)	92,286
Fund Balances:				
Beginning of period, as previously reported	1,764,088	1,343,334	1,365,728	1,276,867
Prior period adjustments	0		15,075	0
Beginning of period, as restated	1,764,088	1,343,334	1,380,803	1,276,867
Increase (Decrease) in reserve for inventory	(1,140)	(1,760)	(13,000)	(3,425)
End of period	\$ 1,959,463	1,764,088	1,343,334	1,365,728

^{*} Source - Prior year audit reports.

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances

All Governmental Funds

Last Four Years

UNAUDITED

	20	022	2021*	202	0*	2019*
Revenues			_			
Local sources		377,849	2,290,993		47,333	2,309,859
State sources	3,	488,512	3,262,113	3,2	91,067	3,198,673
Federal sources	1,	627,030	1,335,622	7	24,612	647,914
Total Revenues	7,	493,391	6,888,728	7,2	63,012	6,156,446
Expenditures						
Instruction	4,	490,426	4,142,497	3,8	61,142	3,644,155
Support services	2,	204,190	2,037,016	1,9	73,796	2,025,091
Noninstructional services	:	363,737	266,710	3	22,383	381,114
Facilities acquisition and construction	:	258,833	0	1,0	91,360	0
Total Expenditures	7,	317,186	6,446,223	7,2	48,681	6,050,360
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures		176,205	442,505		14,331	106,086
Other Financing Sources (Uses)						
Insurance loss recoveries		22,941	430		0	3,581
Sale of other property		6,122	6,435		0	1,441
Operating transfers in		650,297	564,173	7	28,970	593,072
Operating transfers out	(650,297)	(564,173)	(7	29,470)	(593,072)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		29,063	6,865		(500)	5,022
Net Change in Fund Balances		205,268	 449,370		13,831	111,108
Fund Balances:						
Beginning of period, as previously reported	2,	076,882	1,631,542	1,6	09,100	1,504,769
Prior period adjustments		0	0		15,075	0
Beginning of period, as restated	2,	076,882	1,631,542	1,6	24,175	1,504,769
Increase (Decrease) in reserve for inventory		173	 (4,030)		(6,464)	(6,777)
End of period	\$ 2.5	282,323	\$ 2,076,882	1.6	31,542	1,609,100

^{*} 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 Forrest County Agricultural High School

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 Forrest County Agricultural High School, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise Forrest County Agricultural High School's basic financial statements, and have issued my report thereon dated March 6, 2023.

Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing my audit of the financial statements, I considered Forrest County Agricultural High School'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 Forrest County Agricultural High School's internal control. Accordingly, I do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Forrest County Agricultural High School'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. Given these limitations, during my audit I did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that I consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified.

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Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Forrest County Agricultural High School'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*.

Purpose of this Report

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

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

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Superintendent and School Board Forrest County Agricultural High School

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

I have audited Forrest County Agricultural High School's compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB *Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of Forrest County Agricultural High School's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2022. Forrest County Agricultural High School's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In my opinion, Forrest County Agricultural High School complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2022.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

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

I am required to be independent of Forrest County Agricultural High School and to meet my other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to my audit. I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my opinion on compliance for each major federal program. My audit does not provide a legal determination of Forrest County Agricultural High School's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

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Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

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

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, Government Auditing Standards, and the Uniform Guidance, I did

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

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

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

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

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

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

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of 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, PUC

St. Clair CPA, PLLC Carriere, MS March 6, 2023

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

FORREST COUNTY AGRICULTURAL HIGH SCHOOL

Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

Section I: Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements:

1. Type of auditor's report issued:

Unmodified

2. Internal control over financial reporting:

a. Material weakness(es) identified?

b. Significant deficiency(ies) identified?

None Reported

3. Noncompliance material to the financial statements?

Federal Awards:

4. Internal control over major programs:

a. Material weakness(es) identified?

b. Significant deficiency(ies) 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:

Assistance	
Listing Number	Name of Federal Program or Cluster
10.555	Child Nutrition 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
84.425D	COVID-19 – CTE ESSER Grant

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

No

9. Auditee qualified as a low-risk auditee?

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). Yes

Section II: Financial Statement Findings

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

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.

SUMMARY OF PRIOR YEAR AUDIT FINDINGS



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Chief Financial Officer

SUMMARY OF PRIOR YEAR AUDIT FINDINGS

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 Forrest County Agricultural High School has prepared and hereby submits the following Summary of Prior Audit Findings as of June 30, 2022.

Finding

Status

2021-001

Corrected

2021-002

Corrected

Sincerely,

Donna Boone

Superintendent of Education