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BOROUGH OF RAMSEY COUNTY OF BERGEN, NEW JERSEY
COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED
JUNE 30, 2015

# School District of 

## Ramsey

## RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Ramsey, New Jersey
Comprehensive Annual Financial Report
Year Ended June 30, 2015

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of the

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION Ramsey, New Jersey 

Year Ended June 30, 2015

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October 14, 2015

Honorable President and
Members of the Board of Education
Ramsey School District
County of Bergen, New Jersey
Dear Board Members:
The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report of the Ramsey School District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2015, is hereby submitted. Responsibility for both the accuracy of the data and completeness and fairness of the presentation, including all disclosures, rests with the management of the Board of Education. To the best of our knowledge and belief, the data presented in this report is accurate in all material respects and is reported in a manner designed to present fairly the basic financial statements and results of operations of the District. All disclosures necessary to enable the reader to gain an understanding of the District's financial activities have been included.

The comprehensive annual financial report is presented in four sections: introductory, financial, statistical and single audit. The introductory section includes this transmittal letter, the District's organizational chart and a list of principal officials. The financial section includes the independent auditor's report, the management's discussion and analysis, and the financial statements and notes. The statistical section includes selected financial and demographic information, genetally presented on a multi-year basis. The District is required to undergo an annual single audit in conformity with the provisions of the Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996 and the U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments and Non-Profit Organizations", and the state Treasury Circular Letter 04-04 OMB, "Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid Payments". Information related to this single audit, including the auditor's report on the internal control structure and compliance with applicable laws and regulations and findings and recommendations, are included in the single audit section of this report.

1. REPORTING ENTITY AND ITS SERVICES: Ramsey School District is an independent reporting entity within the criteria adopted by the GASB as established by GASB Statement \#34. All funds and account groups of the District are included in this report. The Ramsey School District Board of Education and all its schools constitute the District's reporting entity.

The District provides a full range of educational services appropriate to grade levels K through 12. These include regulat, vocational as well as special education for handicapped youngsters. During
the 2014-2015 fiscal year, the average daily entollment of 2,878 students is 64 students below the previous year's enrollment. The following details the changes in the student enrollment of the District over the last ten years.

## Enrollment Data

| Fiscal Year | Average <br> Daily <br> Enrollment | \% Change |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $2014-2015$ | 2,878 | $-2.18 \%$ |
| $2013-2014$ | 2,942 | $-1.18 \%$ |
| $2012-2013$ | 2,977 | $-1.55 \%$ |
| $2011-2012$ | 3,024 | $-1.08 \%$ |
| $2010-2011$ | 3,057 | $-1.45 \%$ |
| $2009-2010$ | 3,102 | $-0.19 \%$ |
| $2008-2009$ | 3,108 | $-0.73 \%$ |
| $2007-2008$ | 3,131 | $0.17 \%$ |
| $2006-2007$ | 3,126 | $2.02 \%$ |
| $2005-2006$ | 3,064 | $1.36 \%$ |

2. ECONOMIC CONDITION AND OUTLOOK: The Ramsey community is essentially developed to almost capacity. The increase in ratables during the past decade has slowed as a result of a decline in new construction. As of 2006, there were only 31.0 acres of vacant land in the borough. As a result, the ratable base is not expected to increase significantly.

As a suburb of the New York Metropolitan area, the region has seen an increase of $0.1 \%$ in the consumer price index for the year ending June, 2015.
3. MAJOR INITIATIVES: The 2014-2015 school year saw several new projects and initiatives that deserve mention.

The District continued with a major $21^{\text {st }}$ Century learning initiative that drives our curriculum, instruction, assessment, technology and professional development planning. District wide attention was spent on unpacking the Common Core State Standards and how to integrate them into our $21^{\text {st }}$ Century learning classrooms. Extensive work was done in the area of Instructional Design and the creation of revised curriculum units.

In addition, the District spent considerable time and resources to support the staff with the addition of support personnel, targeted professional development, and peer coaching.

The District Evaluation Advisory Committee (DEAC) continued to guide and monitor the implementation of the new Teacher Evaluation instrument. Budget dollars were used to purchase the Stronge evaluation system, the My Learning Plan database, and to fund professional development in support of the requirements of the State mandate.
4. INTERNAL ACCOUNTING CONTROLS: Management of the District is responsible for establishing and maintaining an internal control structure designed to ensure that the District is
protected from loss, theft or misuse and to ensure that adequate accounting data are compiled to allow for the preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). The internal control structure is designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that these objectives are met.

The concept of reasonable assurance recognizes that: (1) the cost of a control should not exceed the benefits likely to be derived; and (2) the valuation of costs and benefits requires estimates and judgments by management.

As a recipient of federal and state financial assistance, the District also is responsible for ensuring that an adequate internal control structure is in place to ensure compliance with applicable laws and regulations related to those programs. This internal control structure is also subject to periodic evaluation by the District management.

As part of the District's single audit described earlicr, tests are made to determine the adequacy of the internal control structure, including that portion related to federal and state financial assistance programs, as well as to determine that the District has complied with applicable laws and regulations.
5. BUDGETARY CONTROLS: In addition to internal accounting controls, the District maintains budgetary controls. The objective of these budgetary controls is to ensure compliance with legal provisions embodied in the annual appropriated budget approved by the voters of the municipality. Annual appropriated budgets are adopted for the general fund and the debt service fund. Project-length budgets are approved for the capital improvements accounted for in the capital projects fund. The final budget amount as amended for the fiscal year is reflected in the financial section.

An encumbrance accounting system is used to record outstanding purchase commitments on a line item basis. Open encumbrances at year-end are either canceled or are included as reappropriation of fund balance in the subsequent year. Those amounts to be reappropriated are reported as reservations of fund balance at June 30, 2015.
6. CASH MANAGEMENT: The investment policy of the District is guided in large part by state statute as detailed in "Notes to the Financial Statements", Note 2. The District has adopted a cash management plan which tequires it to deposit public funds in public depositories protected from loss under the provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act ("GUDPA"). GUDPA was enacted in 1970 to protect Governmental Units from a loss of funds on deposit with a failed banking institution in New Jersey. The law requires governmental units to deposit public funds only in public depositories located in New Jersey, where the funds are secured in accordance with the Act.
7. RISK MANAGEMENT: The Board carries various forms of insurance, including but not limited to general liability, automobile liability and comprehensive/collision, hazard and theft insurance on property and contents, and fidelity bonds.
8. OTHER INFORMATION: Independent Audit - State statutes require an annual audit by independent certified public accountants or registered municipal accountants. The accounting firm of Ferraioli, Wielkotz, Cerullo \& Cuva, P.A. was appointed by the Board of Education. In addition to meeting the requirements set forth in state statutes, the audit also was designed to meet the
requirements of the Single Audit Act Amendment of 1996 and the related OMB Circular A-133 and State Treasury Circular Letter 04-04 OMB. The auditor's report on the basic financial statements and specific required supplemental information is included in the financial section of this report. The auditor's reports related specifically to the single audit are included in the singlc audit section of this report.
9. ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS: We would like to express our appreciation to the members of the Ramsey School Board for their concern in providing fiscal accountability to the citizens and taxpayers of the school district and thereby contributing their full support to the development and maintenance of our financial operation. The preparation of this report could not have been accomplished without the efficient and dedicated services of our financial and accounting staff.

Respectfully submitted:


Superintendent of Schools


Assistant Superintendent-Business/Board Secretary


# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY <br> <br> ROSTER OF OFFICIALS <br> <br> ROSTER OF OFFICIALS <br> JUNE 30, 2015 

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Mae Fine ..... 2016
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Peter Wasek ..... 2016
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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Honorable President and
Members of the Board of Education
Borough of Ramsey School District
County of Bergen, New Jersey
Ramsey, New Jersey

## Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the businesstype activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Board of Education of the Borough of Ramsey School District, in the County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

## Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

## Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

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An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

## Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education, in the County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, as of June 30, 2015, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

## Other Matters

## Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis, Budgetary Comparison Information, and schedules related to accounting and reporting for pensions (GASB 68) identified in the table of contents be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of the financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

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## Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education's basic financial statements. The introductory section, combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements, and schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations and the schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance as required by NJ OMB 04-04 and the introductory section and statistical section are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements, and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations, the schedule of federal financial awards and the schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance as required by NJ OMB 04-04 are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements, schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations, and the schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance as required by NJ OMB 04-04 are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

The introductory section and statistical data section has not been subject to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

## Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated October 14, 2015 on our consideration of the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education'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 to describe the scope of

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our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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Certified Public Accountants
Pompton Lakes, New Jersey
October 14, 2015

## REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY

INFORMATION - PART I

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> RAMSEY, NJ <br> MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS <br> FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 <br> UNAUDITED 

As management of the Borough of Ramsey School District (the "School District"), we offer readers of the School District's financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the Borough of Ramsey School District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015.

The management's discussion and analysis is provided at the beginning of the audit to provide an overall review of the past and current position of the School District's financial condition. This summary should not be taken as a replacement for the audit which consists of the financial statements and other supplemental information that presents all the School District's revenues and expenditures by program for the General Fund, Special Revenue Fund, Capital Projects Fund, Debt Service Fund and Enterprise Fund.

## FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

In total, net position increased $\$ 3,124,798$. Net position of governmental activities increased $\$ 3,191,906$ while net assets of business-type activity decreased by $\$(67,108)$.

General revenues accounted for $\$ 66,202,685$ in revenue or 97 percent of all district revenues. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services and sales, grants and contributions accounted for $\$ 1,821,352$ or 3 percent of total revenues of $\$ 68,024,037$.

The School District had $\$ 64,194,432$ in expenses related to governmental activities; only $\$ 1,183,677$ of these expenses were offset by program specific charges for services, grants or contributions. General revenues (primarily grants, entitlements and property taxes) of $\$ 66,202,661$ were adequate to provide for these programs.

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> RAMSEY, NJ <br> MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS <br> FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 <br> UNAUDITED (CONTINUED) 

## USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

This discussion and analysis are intended to serve as an introduction to the Borough of Ramsey School District's basic financial statements. The Borough of Ramsey School District's basic financial statements are comprised of three components: 1) district-wide financial statements, 2) fund financial statements, and 3) notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

## District-Wide Financial Statements

The district-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the Borough of Ramsey School District's finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The statement of net position presents information on all of the Borough of Ramsey School District's assets and liabilities using the accrual basis of accounting, with the difference between the two reported as net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the Borough of Ramsey School District is improving or deteriorating.

The statement of activities presents information showing how the government'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.

Both of the district-wide financial statements distinguish functions of the Borough of Ramsey School District that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues (governmental activities) from other functions that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges (business-type activities). The governmental activities of the Borough of Ramsey School District include instruction, support services and special schools. The business-type activities of the Borough of Ramsey School District include the food service program.

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# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS <br> FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 <br> UNAUDITED (CONTINUED) 

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## 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 Borough of Ramsey School District, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of these funds of the Borough of Ramsey School District can be divided into three categories: governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds.

## Governmental Funds

Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the district-wide financial statements. However, unlike the districtwide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflow of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating a District's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the district-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the district-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the District's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

The Borough of Ramsey School District maintains four individual governmental funds. Information is presented separately in the governmental fund balance sheet and in the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances for the general fund, special revenue fund, capital projects fund, and debt service fund which are all considered to be major funds.

The Borough of Ramsey School District adopts annual appropriated budgets for its governmental funds except for the capital projects fund. A budgetary comparison statement has been provided for the general fund, special revenue fund and debt service fund to demonstrate compliance with their budgets.

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> RAMSEY, NJ <br> MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS <br> FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 UNAUDITED (CONTINUED) 

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Proprietary Funds
The Borough of Ramsey School District maintains one proprietary fund. Enterprise funds are used to report the same functions presented as business-type activities in the district-wide financial statements. The Borough of Ramsey School District uses enterprise funds to account for its food service program.

Proprietary funds provide the same type of information as the district-wide financial statements, only in more detail. The proprietary fund financial statements provide information for the local district services operations.

## Fiduciary Funds

Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the District. Fiduciary funds are not reflected in the district-wide financial statements because the resources of those funds are not available to support the Borough of Ramsey School District's own programs. The accounting used for fiduciary funds is much like that used for proprietary funds.

## Notes to the Financial Statements

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

## Other Information

In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information concerning budgetary information for the District's major funds.

Our auditor has provided assurance in his independent auditor's report, located immediately preceding this Management's Discussion and Analysis, that the Basic Financial Statements are fairly stated. Varying degrees of assurance are being provided by the auditor regarding the Required Supplemental Information and the Supplemental Information identified above. A user of this report should read the independent auditor's report carefully to ascertain the level of assurance being provided for each of the other parts in the Financial Section.

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# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS <br> FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 <br> UNAUDITED (CONTINUED) 

## DISTRICT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

The Statement of Net Position provides the perspective of the District as a whole. Net position may, over time, serve as a useful indicator of a government's financial position.

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

The School District's net position was $\$ 16,255,569$ at June 30, 2015 and $\$ 27,549,311$ at June 30, 2014, respectively. Restricted items of net position are reported separately to show legal constraints that limit the School District's ability to use those items of net position for day-today operations. Our analysis below focuses on the net position for 2015 compared to 2014 (Table 1) and change in net position (Table 2) of the School District.

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## MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 UNAUDITED (CONTINUED)

## DISTRICT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS, (continued)

|  | Table 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Net Position June 30, |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Governmental Activities |  | Business-Type Activities |  |  |  |
|  | $\underline{2015}$ | Restated $\underline{2014}$ | $\underline{2015}$ | Restated $\underline{2014}$ | $\underline{2015}$ | Restated $\underline{2014}$ |
| Assets - - - - - - - - |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Current and Other Assets | 11,748,962 | 13,563,290 | 219,928 | 205,444 | 11,968,890 | 13,768,734 |
| Capital Assets | 35,413,437 | 35,018,002 | 70,570 | 60,889 | 35,484,007 | 35,078,891 |
| Total Assets | 47,162,399 | 48,581,292 | 290,498 | $\underline{266,333}$ | 47,452,897 | 48,847,625 |
| Deferred Outflows: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Unamortized Bond Issuance Costs | 120,698 | 137,941 |  |  | 120,698 | 137,941 |
| Differed Outflows of Resources |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Related to PERS | 1,522,924 |  |  |  | 1,522,924 |  |
| Total Deferred Outflows | 1,643,622 | 137,941 |  |  | 1,643,622 | 137,941 |
| Liabilities |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Current Liabilities | 1,432,278 | 2,770,024 | 66,654 |  | 1,498,932 | 2,770,024 |
| Noncurrent Liabilities | 29,476,275 | 17,040,475 |  |  | 29,476,275 | 17,040,475 |
| Total Liabilities | 30,908,553 | $\underline{19,810,499}$ | 66,654 | - | 30,975,207 | $\underline{19,810,499}$ |
| Deferred Inflows: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Unamortized Bond Issuance |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premiums | 973,637 | 1,112,728 |  |  | 973,637 | 1,112,728 |
| Deferred Inflows of Resources |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Related to PERS | 867,487 |  | - | - | 867,487 |  |
| Total Deferred Inflows | 1,841,124 | 1,112,728 | - |  | 1,841,124 | 1,112,728 |
| Net Assets |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Investment in Capital Assets | 20,645,498 | 18,278,215 | 45,951 | 46,391 | 20,691,449 | 18,324,606 |
| Restricted | 10,271,833 | 9,794,237 |  |  | 10,271,833 | 9,794,237 |
| Unrestricted | $\underline{(14,860,987)}$ | (276,446) | 153,274 | 205,444 | (14,707,713) | $(71,002)$ |
| Total Net Position | $\underline{\underline{16,056,344}}$ | $\underline{\underline{27,796,006}}$ | $\underline{\underline{199,225}}$ | $\underline{\underline{251,835}}$ | $\underline{\underline{16,255,569}}$ | $\underline{\underline{28,047,841}}$ |

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> RAMSEY, NJ <br> MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS <br> FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 <br> UNAUDITED (CONTINUED) 

## DISTRICT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS, (continued)

Table 2 below shows the changes in net position for fiscal year 2015 compared to 2014.

Table 2
Changes in Net Position
Year Ended June 30,

|  | Governmental Activities |  | Business-Type Activities |  | Total |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\underline{2015}$ | $\underline{2014}$ | $\underline{2015}$ | $\underline{2014}$ | $\underline{2015}$ | $\underline{2014}$ |
| Revenues |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Program Revenues: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Charges for Services and |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales |  |  | 538,095 | 592,876 | 538,095 | 592,876 |
| Operating Grants and |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Contributions | 1,183,677 | 1,112,463 | 99,580 | 103,493 | 1,283,257 | 1,215,956 |
| General Revenues: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Taxes: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Property taxes | 51,249,826 | 50,710,126 |  |  | 51,249,826 | 50,710,126 |
| Federal and State Aid not |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Restricted | 12,381,943 | 6,402,622 |  |  | 12,381,943 | 6,402,622 |
| Federal and State Aid - |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Capital Outlay | 562,284 |  |  |  | 562,284 |  |
| Tuition Received | 1,906,306 | 1,859,684 |  |  | 1,906,306 | 1,859,684 |
| Miscellaneous Income | 102,089 | 115,810 |  |  | 102,089 | 115,810 |
| Investment Earnings | 213 | 7,141 | 24 | 64 | 237 | 7,205 |
| Total Revenues and Transfers | 67,386,338 | 60,207,846 | 637,699 | 696,433 | 68,024,037 | 60,904,279 |

## RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION RAMSEY, NJ

## MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 UNAUDITED (CONTINUED)

## DISTRICT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS, (continued)

|  | Governmental Activities |  | Business-Type Activities |  | Total |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\underline{2015}$ | $\underline{2014}$ | $\underline{2015}$ | $\underline{2014}$ | $\underline{2015}$ | $\underline{2014}$ |
| Functions/Program Expenses |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Instruction: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Regular | 25,249,007 | 21,945,607 |  |  | 25,249,007 | 21,945,607 |
| Special Education | 5,605,792 | 4,720,971 |  |  | 5,605,792 | 4,720,971 |
| Other Special Instruction | 984,373 | 913,949 |  |  | 984,373 | 913,949 |
| Other Instruction | 1,376,244 | 1,161,090 |  |  | 1,376,244 | 1,161,090 |
| Support Services: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tuition | 2,612,882 | 2,446,519 |  |  | 2,612,882 | 2,446,519 |
| Student \& Instruction |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Related Services | 9,545,803 | 8,269,347 |  |  | 9,545,803 | 8,269,347 |
| General Administrative |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Services | 1,237,013 | 1,339,512 |  |  | 1,237,013 | 1,339,512 |
| Central Services | 644,652 | 558,455 |  |  | 644,652 | 558,455 |
| Administrative Info. Tech. | 17,460 | 17,460 |  |  | 17,460 | 17,460 |
| School Administrative |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Services | 2,506,659 | 2,176,490 |  |  | 2,506,659 | 2,176,490 |
| Plant Operations and |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maintenance | 5,329,590 | 4,945,370 |  |  | 5,329,590 | 4,945,370 |
| Pupil Transportation | 1,437,641 | 1,417,645 |  |  | 1,437,641 | 1,417,645 |
| Unallocated Benefits | 5,098,594 | 4,423,952 |  |  | 5,098,594 | 4,423,952 |
| Capital Outlay- |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Non-depreciable | 39,074 | 751,687 |  |  | 39,074 | 751,687 |
| Interest on Long-Term Debt | 525,206 | 580,083 |  |  | 525,206 | 580,083 |
| Unallocated depreciation | 2,106,290 | 1,797,686 |  |  | 2,106,290 | 1,797,686 |
| Capital Lease Obligation and |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Amortization | $(121,848)$ | $(121,848)$ |  |  | $(121,848)$ | $(121,848)$ |
| Food Service |  |  | 704,807 | 710,095 | 704,807 | 710,095 |
| Total Expenses | 64,194,432 | 57,343,975 | 704,807 | 710,095 | 64,899,239 | 58,054,070 |
| Increase or (Decrease) in |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Position | $\underline{\underline{3,191,906}}$ | $\underline{\underline{2,863,871}}$ | $\underline{(67,108)}$ | $\underline{(13,662)}$ | $\underline{\underline{3,124,798}}$ | $\underline{2,850,209}$ |

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> RAMSEY, NJ <br> MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS <br> FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 <br> UNAUDITED (CONTINUED) 

## DISTRICT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS, (continued)

## Governmental and Business-Type Activities

As reported in the Statement of Activities the cost of all of our governmental and business-type activities this year was $\$ 64,899,239$. However, the amount that our taxpayers ultimately financed for these activities through School District taxes was only $\$ 51,249,826$ because some of the cost was paid by those who benefitted from the programs $\$ 538,095$, by other governments and organizations who subsidized certain programs with grants and contributions $\$ 1,238,257$, unrestricted federal and state aid $\$ 12,381,943$, capital outlay federal and state aid $\$ 562,284$, and by miscellaneous sources $\$ 2,008,632$.

Revenues for the District's business-type activities (food service program) were comprised of charges for services and federal and state subsidy reimbursements. Significant financial results include the following:
$\checkmark \quad$ Food service expenses exceeded revenues by $\$ 67,108$.
$\checkmark \quad$ Charges for services provided totaled $\$ 538,095$ represents amounts paid by consumers for daily food services.
$\checkmark \quad$ Federal and state reimbursement for meals served, including payments for free and reduced priced lunches, and donated commodities was $\$ 99,580$.

The following schedules present a summary of governmental fund revenues for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, and the amount and percentage of increases/(decreases) relative to the prior year.

| Revenue | $\underline{\text { Amount }}$ | Percent of <br> Total | Increase/ <br> (Decrease) <br> from 2014 | Percent of <br> Increase/ <br> (Decrease) |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Local Source | $\$ 53,258,434$ |  | $86.1 \%$ |  | $\$ 565,673$ |

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> RAMSEY, NJ <br> MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS <br> FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 <br> UNAUDITED (CONTINUED) 

## DISTRICT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS, (continued)

| Expenditures | $\underline{\text { Amount }}$ | Percent of <br> Total | Increase/ <br> (Decrease) <br> from 2014 | Percent of <br> Increase/ <br> (Decrease) |  |
| :--- | ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current Expenditures: | $\$ 24,883,607$ | $40.4 \%$ |  | $\$ 664,541$ | $2.74 \%$ |
| $\quad$ Instruction | $31,297,631$ | $50.7 \%$ | $1,180,330$ | $3.92 \%$ |  |
| $\quad$ Undistributed | $2,392,164$ | $3.9 \%$ | $(29,732)$ | $(1.23) \%$ |  |
| Debt Service | $\underline{3,053,827}$ | $\underline{5.0 \%}$ | $\underline{1,814,410}$ | $146.39 \%$ |  |
| Capital Outlay | $\underline{\underline{\$ 61,627,229}}$ | $\underline{\underline{100.0 \%}}$ | $\underline{\underline{\$ 3,629,549}}$ | $6.26 \%$ |  |
| Total |  |  |  |  |  |

Changes in expenditures were the result of varying factors. Current expense undistributed increased due to significant health insurance cost increases combined with increased student special education enrollment.

## MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BUDGETING AND OPERATING HIGHLIGHTS

The School District's budgets are prepared according to New Jersey law, and are based on accounting for certain transactions on a basis of cash receipts, disbursements and encumbrances. The most significant budgeted funds are the general fund and the special revenue fund.

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, the School District amended the budgets of these major governmental funds several times. Revisions in the budget were made to recognize revenues that were not anticipated and to prevent over-expenditures in specific line item accounts. Several of these revisions bear notation:

- TPAF, which is the state's contribution to the pension fund, is neither a revenue item nor an expenditures item to the district but is required to be reflected in the financial statements.
- The special revenue fund was increased by $\$ 109,459$ for increases in federal and state grant awards.


# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION RAMSEY, NJ 

## MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 UNAUDITED (CONTINUED)

## General Fund

The general fund actual revenue was $\$ 57,818,296$. That amount is $\$ 5,693,535$ above the final amended budget of $\$ 52,124,761$. The variance between the actual revenues and final budget was the result of nonbudgeted on-behalf payments of $\$ 5,193,741$ for TPAF social security reimbursements and on-behalf pension payments, a reduction in other state and federal aids of $\$(29,601)$ and an excess of $\$ 529,395$ in miscellaneous anticipated revenues.

The actual expenditures of the general fund were $\$ 55,709,966$ including transfers which is $\$ 2,583,631$ above the final amended budget of $\$ 55,126,335$. The variance between the actual expenditures and final budget was due to non-budget on-behalf TPAF social security and pension payments of $\$ 5,193,741$, and $\$ 2,610,110$ unexpended budgeted funds.

General fund had total revenues of $\$ 57,818,296$ and total expenditures and transfers of $\$ 57,709,966$ with an ending fund balance of $\$ 10,990,325$.

## Special Revenue Fund

The special revenue fund actual revenue was $\$ 1,183,677$. That amount is above the original budget estimate of $\$ 1,139,937$ and below the final amended budget of $\$ 1,249,396$. The $\$ 109,459$ variance between the original and final budget was due to additional state grant monies awarded and an increase in federal awards to the District after the original budget was approved. The $\$(65,719)$ variance between the final amended budget and the June 30, 2015 actual results was due to the deferral of State grants received in the current fiscal year to be spent in the next fiscal year and miscellaneous receivables.

The actual expenditures of the special revenue fund were $\$ 1,183,677$, which is above the original budget of $\$ 1,139,937$ and below the final amended budget of $\$ 1,249,396$. The $\$ 109,459$ variance between the original and final budget was due to a reduction in federal grants awarded to the District after the original budget was approved. The $\$(65,719)$ variance between the final amended budget and the June 30, 2015 actual results was due to the anticipation of fully expending federal and state grant programs. Expenditures will be incurred in the next fiscal year.

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> RAMSEY, NJ <br> MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS <br> FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 <br> UNAUDITED (CONTINUED) 

## CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

## Capital Assets

At the end of fiscal year 2015 the School District had \$64,563,389 invested in sites, buildings, equipment. Of this amount $\$ 29,104,001$ in depreciation has been taken over the years. We currently have a net book value of $\$ 35,459,388$. Table 3 shows fiscal year 2015 balances compared to 2014.

Table 3
Capital Assets at June 30, (Net of Depreciation)

|  | Governmental Activities |  | Business-Type Activities |  | Total |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\underline{2015}$ | Restated $\underline{2014}$ | $\underline{2015}$ | Restated $\underline{2014}$ | $\underline{2015}$ | Restated $\underline{2014}$ |
| Sites and Improvements | \$4,425,700 | \$4,425,700 | \$ | \$ | \$4,425,700 | \$4,425,700 |
| Buildings and Improvements | 28,611,976 | 27,168,178 |  |  | 28,611,976 | 27,168,178 |
| Furniture, Equipment and Vehicles | 2,375,761 | 2,911,096 | 45,951 | 60,889 | 2,421,712 | 2,971,985 |
|  | \$35,413,437 | \$34,504,974 | \$45,951 | $\underline{\underline{\$ 60,889}}$ | \$35,459,388 | \$34,565,863 |

## Debt Administration

At June 30, 2015, the District had $\$ 29,476,275$ of long-term debt. Of this amount, $\$ 1,004,798$ is for compensated absences, $\$ 13,915,000$ is school improvement serial bonds issues dated April 4, 2012, and $\$ 14,556,477$ is for net pension liability.

Table 4
Outstanding Serial Bonds at June 30,

School Refunding Bonds - 2012
Governmental Activities
$\underline{2015} \quad \underline{2014}$
$\underline{\underline{\$ 13,915,000}} \underline{\underline{\$ 15,765,000}}$

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> RAMSEY, NJ <br> MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS <br> FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 <br> UNAUDITED (CONTINUED) 

## ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGETS

The economy in the State of New Jersey is slowly improving. The current State of New Jersey revenue estimates are at the point that the legislature and governor have approved a State Aid funding bill for the 2015-2016 school year that is greater than the level of the 2014-2015 school year.

These factors were considered in preparing the Borough of Ramsey School District's budgets for the 20152016 fiscal year.

## REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the Ramsey Board of Education's finances for all those with an interest in the government's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional information should be addressed to:

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Assistant Superintendent-Business / Board Secretary
Ramsey Board of Education
266 East Main Street
Ramsey, NJ 07446
BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## DISTRICT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION

## Statement of Net Position

June 30, 2015

|  | Governmental Activities | Business-type Activities | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ASSETS |  |  |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents |  | 74,445 | 74,445 |
| Investments | 239,693 |  | 239,693 |
| Receivables, net | 6,931,646 | 6,040 | 6,937,686 |
| Internal balances | $(130,221)$ | 130,221 | - |
| Inventory |  | 9,222 | 9,222 |
| Restricted assets: |  |  |  |
| Capital reserve account - cash | 4,707,844 |  | 4,707,844 |
| Capital assets, net: |  |  |  |
| Land | 4,425,700 |  | 4,425,700 |
| Other capital assets, net | 30,987,737 | 45,951 | 31,033,688 |
| Total Assets | 47,162,399 | 265,879 | 47,428,278 |
| Deferred Outflow of Resources: |  |  |  |
| Unamortized bond issuance costs | 120,698 |  | 120,698 |
| Deferred outflows of resources related to PERS | 1,522,924 |  |  |
| Total Deferred Outflows | 1,643,622 |  | 1,643,622 |
| LIABILITIES |  |  |  |
| Deficit in cash and cash equivalents | 453,506 |  | 453,506 |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities | 910,280 | 66,654 | 976,934 |
| Payable to state government | 65,720 |  | 65,720 |
| Unearned revenue | 2,772 |  | 2,772 |
| Noncurrent liabilities: |  |  |  |
| Due within one year | 1,850,000 |  | 1,850,000 |
| Due beyond one year | 27,626,275 |  | 27,626,275 |
| Total liabilities | 30,908,553 | 66,654 | 30,975,207 |
| Deferred Inflow of Resources: |  |  |  |
| Unamortized bond issuance premiums | 973,637 |  | 973,637 |
| Deferred inflows of resources related to PERS | 867,487 |  | 867,487 |
| Total Deferred Inflows | 1,841,124 |  | 1,841,124 |
| NET POSITION |  |  |  |
| Net investment in capital assets | 20,645,498 | 45,951 | 20,691,449 |
| Restricted for: |  |  |  |
| Debt service | 12,235 |  | 12,235 |
| Capital projects | 5,035,299 |  | 5,035,299 |
| Other purposes | 5,224,299 |  | 5,224,299 |
| Unrestricted (Deficit) | $(14,860,987)$ | 153,274 | $(14,707,713)$ |
| Total net position | 16,056,344 | 199,225 | 16,255,569 |

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| RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances Governmental Funds <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { General } \\ & \text { Fund } \end{aligned}$ | Special Revenue Fund | Capital Projects Fund | Debt Service Fund | $\qquad$ |
| REVENUES |  |  |  |  |  |
| Local sources: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Local tax levy | 48,971,745 |  |  | 2,278,081 | 51,249,826 |
| Tuition charges | 172,799 |  |  |  | 172,799 |
| Tuition from Other LEAs Within the State | 1,733,507 |  |  |  | 1,733,507 |
| Transportation Fees | 30,941 |  |  |  | 30,941 |
| Interest on Investments |  |  | 213 |  | 213 |
| Miscellaneous | 71,148 |  |  |  | 71,148 |
| Total - Local Sources | 50,980,140 | - | 213 | 2,278,081 | 53,258,434 |
| State sources | 6,819,216 | 326,729 | 562,284 |  | 7,708,229 |
| Federal sources | 3,108 | 856,948 |  |  | 860,056 |
| Total revenues | 57,802,464 | 1,183,677 | 562,497 | 2,278,081 | 61,826,719 |
| EXPENDITURES |  |  |  |  |  |
| Current: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Regular instruction | 18,187,486 | 746,907 |  |  | 18,934,393 |
| Special education instruction | 4,119,097 |  |  |  | 4,119,097 |
| Other special instruction | 757,983 |  |  |  | 757,983 |
| School sponsored/other instructional | 1,072,134 |  |  |  | 1,072,134 |
| Support services and undistributed costs: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Instruction | 2,612,882 |  |  |  | 2,612,882 |
| Attendance and social work services | 43,686 |  |  |  | 43,686 |
| Health services | 470,360 |  |  |  | 470,360 |
| Student \& instruction related services | 6,298,920 | 436,770 |  |  | 6,735,690 |
| General administrative services | 1,088,766 |  |  |  | 1,088,766 |
| School administrative services | 1,890,814 |  |  |  | 1,890,814 |
| Central services | 488,162 |  |  |  | 488,162 |
| Administrative information tech. | 17,460 |  |  |  | 17,460 |
| Plant operations and maintenance | 4,479,237 |  |  |  | 4,479,237 |
| Pupil transportation | 1,381,062 |  |  |  | 1,381,062 |
| Unallocated benefits | 6,895,771 |  |  |  | 6,895,771 |
| On-behalf contributions | 5,193,741 |  |  |  | 5,193,741 |
| Debt Service: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Principal |  |  |  | 1,850,000 | 1,850,000 |
| Interest and charges |  |  |  | 542,164 | 542,164 |
| Capital outlay | 259,948 |  | 2,793,879 |  | 3,053,827 |
| Total expenditures | 55,257,509 | 1,183,677 | 2,793,879 | 2,392,164 | 61,627,229 |
| Excess (Deficiency) of revenues over expenditures | 2,544,955 | - | $(2,231,382)$ | $(114,083)$ | 199,490 |
| OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Transfers out - Capital Reserves | $(2,452,457)$ |  |  |  | $(2,452,457)$ |
| Transfers out - Debt Service |  |  | (213) |  | (213) |
| Transfers in - Capital Projects |  |  |  | 213 | 213 |
| Transfers in - Capital Projects |  |  | 2,452,457 |  | 2,452,457 |
| Total other financing sources and uses | $(2,452,457)$ | - | 2,452,244 | 213 | - |
| Net change in fund balances | 92,498 | - | 220,862 | $(113,870)$ | 199,490 |
| Fund balance-July 1 | 10,794,776 | - | 106,593 | 126,105 | 11,027,474 |
| Fund balance-June 30 | $\underline{10,887,274}$ | - | 327,455 | 12,235 | 11,226,964 |

The accompanying Notes to Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

## RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION

## Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds <br> to the Statement of Activities <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015

## Total net change in fund balances - governmental funds (from B-2)

199,490

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities (A-2) are different because:

Capital outlays are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital outlays exceeded depreciation in the period.

| Depreciation expense | $(2,106,290)$ |
| :---: | ---: |
| Depreciable outlays | $3,014,753$ |

908,463

Repayment of long-term debt is reported as an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the statement of net position and is not reported in the statement of activities. In the current year , these amounts consist of: Serial bond obligations

In the statement of activities, interest on long-term debt in the statement of activities is accrued, regardless of when due. In the governmental funds, interest is reported when due. The change in interest is an adjustment in the reconciliation.
Prior Year 234,208
Current Year

In the statement of activities, certain operating expenses, e.g., compensated absences (vacations) are measured by the amounts earned during the year. In the governmental funds, however, expenditures for these items are reported in the amount of financial resources used (paid). When the earned amount exceeds the paid amount, the difference is reduction in the reconciliation ( - ); when the paid amount exceeds the earned amount the difference is an addition to the reconciliation $(+)$.

Decrease in compensated absences payable
District pension contributions are reported as expenditures in the governmental funds when made. However, per GASB No. 68 they are reported as deferred outflows of resources in the Statement of Net Position because the reported net pension liability is measured a year before the District's report date. Pension expense, which is the change in the net pension liability adjusted for changed in deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions, is reported in the Statement of Activities.

District Pension Contributions
Less: Pension Expense
(Increase)/Decrease in Pension Expense
Per GASB No. 68, Non-employer contributing entities are required to record any increases in revenue and expense for On-behalf TPAF pension payments paid by the State of New Jersey on the Statement of Activities that are in excess of those amounts reported in the fund financial statements.

Increase in On-behalf State Aid TPAF Pension
5,559,619
Increase in On-behalf TPAF Pension Expense
The governmental funds report the effect of bond premiums when debt is first issued. Whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the Statement of Activities (+)

139,091
The governmental funds report the effect of issuance costs when debt is first issued. Whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the Statement of Activities (-)

Change in net position of governmental activities

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION 

Statement of Net Position
Proprietary Funds
June 30, 2015

## Food Service <br> Program

## ASSETS

Current assets:
Cash and cash equivalents 74,445
Accounts receivable:
State 305
Federal 5,735
Interfund - General Fund 130,221
Inventories
9,222
Total current assets
219,928

Noncurrent assets:
Capital assets:
Equipment
448,094
Less accumulated depreciation
$(402,143)$
Total capital assets (net of accumulated depreciation)

45,951
Total assets
265,879

Current liabilities:
Accounts payable
Total current liabilities
66,654
66,654

## NET POSITION

Net investment in capital assets
45,951
Unrestricted
Total net position
153,274
199,225

The accompanying Notes to Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Net Position <br> Proprietary Funds 

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015
Food ServiceProgram
Operating revenues:
Charges for services:
Daily sales - reimbursable programs ..... 173,533
Daily sales - non-reimbursable programs ..... 289,964
Special functions74,598
Total operating revenues ..... 538,095
Operating expenses:
Cost of sales ..... 250,147
Salaries ..... 217,504
Benefits ..... 58,773
Supplies and materials ..... 45,083
Purchased property services ..... 65,000
Cleaning repair \& maintenance ..... 53,362
Depreciation ..... 14,938
Total Operating Expenses ..... 704,807Operating income (loss)$(166,712)$
Nonoperating revenues (expenses):
State sources:
State school lunch program ..... 3,262
Federal sources:
National school lunch program ..... 61,352
Food distribution program ..... 34,966
Interest Income
Total nonoperating revenues (expenses)Income (loss) before contributions \& transfers99,604$(67,108)$
Change in net position ..... $(67,108)$
Total net position-beginning (restated) ..... 266,333
Total net position-ending ..... 199,225

The accompanying Notes to Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

## RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Statement of Cash Flows <br> Proprietary Funds <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015

## Food Service

Program

| CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Receipts from customers | 538,232 |
| Payments to suppliers | $(611,873)$ |
| Net cash provided by (used for) operating activities | $(73,641)$ |
| CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES |  |
| Local Sources | 81,397 |
| Net cash provided by (used for) non-capital financing activities | 81,397 |
| CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES |  |
| Interest and dividends | 24 |
| Net cash provided by (used for) investing activities | 24 |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | 7,780 |
| Balances-beginning of year | 66,665 |
| Balances-end of year | 74,445 |
| Reconciliation of operating income (loss) to net cash provided (used) by operating activities: |  |
| Operating income (loss) | $(166,712)$ |
| Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash provided by (used for) operating activities |  |
| (Increase) decrease in accounts receivable | $(21,760)$ |
| Depreciation and net amortization | 14,938 |
| Food Distribution Program | 34,966 |
| (Increase) decrease in inventories | $(1,727)$ |
| Increase (decrease) in accounts payable | 66,654 |
| Total adjustments | 93,071 |
| Net cash provided by (used for) operating activities | $(73,641)$ |

Payments to suppliers
Net cash provided by (used for) operating activities

## ASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES

Net cash provided by (used for) investing activities

Balances-beginning of year

The accompanying Notes to Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Statement of Fiduciary Net Position <br> Fiduciary Funds <br> June 30, 2015 

## ASSETS

Cash and cash equivalents
Interfund Receivable
Total assets

| Unemployment <br> Compensation <br> Trust Fund | Private <br> Purpose <br> Funds |  | Agency <br> Fund |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| 228,212 |  |  |  |
| 21,835 |  |  |  |
|  | 36,059 |  | $1,163,286$ |

## LIABILITIES

Payable to student groups $\quad 1,081,643$
Payroll deductions and withholdings 26,275
Contribution Pledged to Specific Awards 33,533
Due to State of NJ
Interfund Payable
4,816

Total liabilities

| 4,816 |
| :---: |
| 4,816 |

## NET POSITION

Held in trust for unemployment claims and other purposes
Reserved for scholarships

| 245,231 |  |
| :---: | :---: |
|  |  |

The accompanying Notes to Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

## RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position <br> Fiduciary Funds <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015

## ADDITIONS

Contributions:
Payroll withholdings
Total Contributions


Investment earnings:
Interest
Net investment earnings
Total additions


## DEDUCTIONS

Unemployment Claims
Total deductions
Change in net position
Net position-beginning of the year
Net position-end of the year

| 46,119 |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 46,119 |  |
| 4,513 |  |
| 240,718 | 36,059 |
| 245,231 | 36,059 |

The accompanying Notes to Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.


Borough of Ramsey School District<br>Notes to the Basic Financial Statements<br>for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 1. DESCRIPTION OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT AND REPORTING ENTITY

The Board of Education ("Board") of the Borough of Ramsey School District ("District") is an instrumentality of the State of New Jersey, established to function as an educational institution. The Borough of Ramsey School District is a Type II district located in the County of Bergen, State of New Jersey. As a Type II district, the School District functions independently through a Board of Education. The board is comprised of nine members elected to three-year terms. The purpose of the District is to educate students in grades $\mathrm{K}-12$. A superintendent is appointed by the Board and is responsible for the administrative control of the District. Under existing statutes, the Board's duties and powers include, but are not limited to, the development and adoption of a school program; the establishment, organization and operation of schools; and the acquisition, maintenance and disposition of school property.

The Board also has broad financial responsibilities, including the approval of the annual budget and the establishment of a system of accounting and budgetary controls.

The primary criterion for including activities within the District's reporting entity, as set forth in Section 2100 of the GASB Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards, is whether:

- the organization is legally separate (can sue or be sued in their own name)
- the Board holds the corporate powers of the organization
- the Board appoints a voting majority of the organization's board
- the Board is able to impose its will on the organization
- the organization has the potential to impose a financial benefit/burden on the Board
- there is a fiscal dependency by the organization on the Board

Based on the aforementioned criteria, the Board has no component units. Furthermore, the Board is not includable in any other reporting entity on the basis of such criteria.

## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

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

Borough of Ramsey School District<br>Notes to the Basic Financial Statements<br>for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## A. Basis of Presentation

The Board's basic financial statements consist of District-wide statements, including a statement of net position and a statement of activities, and fund financial statements which provide a more detailed level of financial information.

## District-wide Financial Statements

The statement of net position and the statement of activities display information about the Board as a whole. These statements include the financial activities of the overall District, except for the fiduciary funds. The statements distinguish between those activities of the Board that are governmental and those that are considered business-type activities.

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

## Fund Financial Statements

During the fiscal year, the School District segregates transactions related to certain School District functions or activities in separate funds in order to aid financial management and to demonstrate legal compliance. The fund financial statements provide information about the District's funds, including its fiduciary funds. Separate statements for each fund category - government, proprietary, and fiduciary - are presented. The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) has elected to require New Jersey districts to treat each governmental fund as a major fund in accordance with the option noted in GASB No. 34, paragraph 76. The NJDOE believes that the presentation of all funds as major is important for public interest and to promote consistency among district financial reporting models. The various funds of the Board are grouped into the categories governmental, proprietary and fiduciary.

Borough of Ramsey School District<br>Notes to the Basic Financial Statements<br>for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

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

General Fund - The General Fund is the general operating fund of the Board. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund. Included are certain expenditures for vehicles and movable instructional or noninstructional equipment which are classified in the Capital Outlay subfund.

As required by the New Jersey State Department of Education, the Board includes budgeted Capital Outlay in this fund. Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as they pertain to governmental entities state that General Fund resources may be used to directly finance capital outlays for long-lived improvements as long as the resources in such cases are derived exclusively from unrestricted revenues.

Resources for budgeted capital outlay purposes are normally derived from State of New Jersey Aid, District taxes and appropriated fund balance. Expenditures are those that result in the acquisition of or additions to fixed assets for land, existing buildings, improvements of grounds, construction of buildings, additions to or remodeling of buildings and the purchase of built-in equipment. These resources can be transferred from and to Current Expense by board resolution.

Special Revenue Fund - The Special Revenue Fund is used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue from State and Federal Government, (other than major capital projects, Debt Service or the Enterprise Funds) and local appropriations that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

Capital Projects Fund - The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for all financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by Proprietary Funds). The financial resources are derived from sale of bonds, lease purchases and other revenues.

Debt Service Fund - The debt service fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for and the payment of principal and interest on bonds issued to finance major property acquisition, construction and improvement programs.

Borough of Ramsey School District<br>Notes to the Basic Financial Statements<br>for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## PROPRIETARY FUNDS

The focus of Proprietary Fund measurement is upon determination of net income, changes in net position, financial position and cash flows. The accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America applicable are those similar to businesses in the private sector. Proprietary funds are classified as enterprise or internal service; the Board has no internal service funds. The following is a description of the Proprietary Funds of the Board:

Enterprise Funds - The Enterprise Funds are utilized to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises -- where the intent of the Board is that the costs (i.e. expenses including depreciation and indirect costs) of providing goods or services to the students on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges; or, where the Board has decided that periodic determination of revenues earned, expenses incurred, and/or net income is appropriate for capital maintenance, public policy, management control, accountability or other purposes.

The Board's Enterprise Fund is comprised of the Food Service Fund.

## FIDUCIARY FUNDS

Fiduciary Fund - Fiduciary Fund reporting focuses on net position and changes in net position. The Fiduciary Funds are used to account for assets held by the Board on behalf of individuals, private organizations, other governments and/or other funds. Fiduciary Funds include Unemployment Compensation Insurance, the Memorial Funds, Student Activities Fund and Payroll Agency Fund.

## B. Measurement Focus

## District-wide Financial Statements

The District-wide statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) are prepared using the economic resources measurements focus and the accrual basis of accounting. All assets and liabilities associated with the operation of the Board are included on the statement of net position, except for fiduciary funds.

Borough of Ramsey School District<br>Notes to the Basic Financial Statements<br>for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## B. Measurement Focus, (continued)

## Fund Financial Statements

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

Like the District-wide statements, all proprietary fund types are accounted for on a flow of economic resources measurement focus. All assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of these funds are included on the statement of net position. The statement of changes in fund net position presents increases (i.e., revenues) and decreases (i.e., expenses) in net total assets. The statement of cash flows provides information about how the Board finances and meets the cash flow needs of its proprietary activities.

## C. Basis of Accounting

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

## Revenues - Exchange and Non-exchange Transactions

Revenue resulting from exchange transactions, in which each party gives and receives essentially equal value, is recorded on the accrual basis when the exchange takes place. On a modified accrual basis, revenue is recorded in the fiscal year in which the resources are measurable and become available. Available means that the resources will be collected within the current fiscal year or are expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current fiscal year.

Borough of Ramsey School District Notes to the Basic Financial Statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## Revenues - Exchange and Non-exchange Transactions, (continued)

Nonexchange transactions, in which the Board receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include property taxes, grants, entitlements and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied. Revenue from grants, entitlements and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied. Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the year when the resources are required to be used or the year when use is first permitted, matching requirements, in which the Board must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the Board on a reimbursement basis. On a modified accrual basis, revenue from nonexchange transactions must also be available before it can be recognized. Under GAAP, in accordance with GASB No. 33, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Nonexchange Transactions, the last state aid payment is not considered revenue to the school district if the state has not recorded the corresponding expenditure, even though state law dictates recording the revenue.

Under the modified accrual basis, the following revenue sources are considered to be both measurable and available at year-end: ad valorem property taxes, tuition, unrestricted grants and interest.

## Expenses/Expenditures

On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred. The fair value of donated commodities used during the year is reported in the operating statement as an expense with a like amount reported as donated commodities revenue.

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

## D. Budgets/Budgetary Control

Annual appropriated budgets are adopted in the spring of the preceding year for the general, and special revenue funds. The budgets are submitted to the county superintendents office for approval. Budgets are prepared using the modified accrual basis of accounting, except for the special revenue fund as described later. The legal level of budgetary control is established at line item accounts within each fund. Line item accounts are defined as the lowest (most specific) level of detail as established pursuant to the minimum chart of accounts referenced in N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2(g)1. Transfers of appropriations may be made by School Board resolution at any time during the fiscal year. The Board of Education made additional appropriations of $\$ 230,695$ during the year for additional withdrawals from capital reserve.

Borough of Ramsey School District<br>Notes to the Basic Financial Statements<br>for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## D. Budgets/Budgetary Control, (continued)

Formal budgetary integration into the accounting system is employed as a management control device during the year. For governmental funds there are no substantial differences between the budgetary basis of accounting and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America with the exception of the legally mandated revenue recognition of the last state aid payment for budgetary purposes only and special revenue fund as noted below. Encumbrance accounting is also employed as an extension of formal budgetary integration in the governmental fund types. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at fiscal year end.

The accounting records of the special revenue fund are maintained on the grant accounting budgetary basis. The grant accounting budgetary basis differs from GAAP in that the grant accounting budgetary basis recognizes encumbrances as expenditures and also recognizes the related revenues, whereas the GAAP basis does not. Sufficient supplemental records are maintained to allow for the presentation of GAAP basis financial reports.

## E. Encumbrances

Under encumbrance accounting purchase orders, contracts and other commitments for the expenditure of resources are recorded to reserve a portion of the applicable appropriation. Open encumbrances in governmental funds, other than the special revenue fund, are reported as reservations of fund balances at fiscal year end as they do not constitute expenditures or liabilities but rather commitments related to unperformed contracts for goods and services.

Open encumbrances in the special revenue fund, for which the Board has received advances, are reflected in the balance sheet as unearned revenues at fiscal year end.

The encumbered appropriation authority carries over into the next fiscal year. An entry will be made at the beginning of the next fiscal year to increase the appropriation reflected in the certified budget by the outstanding encumbrance amount as of the current fiscal year end.

## F. Cash, Cash Equivalents and Investments

Cash and cash equivalents include petty cash, change funds, cash in banks and all highly liquid investments with a maturity of three months or less at the time of purchase and are stated at cost plus accrued interest. U.S. Treasury and agency obligations and certificates of deposit with maturities of one year or less when purchased are stated at cost. All other investments are stated at fair value.

New Jersey school districts are limited as to the types of investments and types of financial institutions they may invest in. New Jersey statute 18A:20-37 provides a list of permissible investments that may be purchased by New Jersey school districts.

Borough of Ramsey School District<br>Notes to the Basic Financial Statements<br>for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## F. Cash, Cash Equivalents and Investments, (continued)

Additionally, the Board has adopted a cash management plan that requires it to deposit public funds in public depositories protected from loss under the provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act ("GUDPA"). GUDPA was enacted in 1970 to protect Governmental Units from a loss of funds on deposit with a failed banking institution in New Jersey.
N.J.S.A. 17:9-41 et. seq. establishes the requirements for the security of deposits of governmental units. The statute requires that no governmental unit shall deposit public funds in a public depository unless such funds are secured in accordance with the Act. Public depositories include Savings and Loan institutions, banks (both state and national banks) and savings banks the deposits of which are federally insured. All public depositories must pledge collateral, having a market value at least equal to five percent of the average daily balance of collected public funds, to secure the deposits of Governmental Units. If a public depository fails, the collateral it has pledged, plus the collateral of all other public depositories, is available to pay the full amount of their deposits to the Governmental Units.

## G. Tuition Revenues/Receivable

Tuition charges were established by the Board of Education based on estimated costs. The charges are subject to adjustment when the final costs have been determined.

## H. Inventories

On District-wide financial statements, inventories are presented at cost, which approximates market on a first-in, first-out basis and are expensed when used.

On fund financial statements inventories are valued at cost, which approximates market, using the first-in-first-out (FIFO) method. Inventories of proprietary funds consist of food and goods held for resale, as well as supplies, and are expensed when used.

## I. Prepaid Items

Payments made to vendors for services that will benefit periods beyond June 30, 2015 are recorded as prepaid items using the consumption method. A current asset for the prepaid amount is recorded at the time of purchase and an expenditure/expense is reported in the year in which services are consumed.

Borough of Ramsey School District<br>Notes to the Basic Financial Statements<br>for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## J. Short-Term Interfund Receivables/Payables

On fund financial statements, receivables and payables resulting from short-term interfund loans are classified as "interfund receivables/payables." These amounts are eliminated in the governmental and business-type activities columns of the statement of net position, except for the net residual amounts due between governmental and business-type activities, which are presented as internal balances.

## K. Capital Assets

General capital assets are those assets not specifically related to activities reported in the enterprise fund. These assets generally result from expenditures in the governmental funds. These assets are reported in the governmental activities column of the district -wide statement of net position but are not reported in the fund financial statements. Capital assets utilized by the enterprise fund are reported both in the business-type activity column of the District-wide statement of net position and in the fund.

All capital assets acquired or constructed during the year are recorded at actual cost. Donated fixed assets are valued at their estimated fair market value on the date received. The capital assets acquired or constructed prior to June 30, 1993 are valued at cost based on historical records or through estimation procedures performed by an independent appraisal company. Donated capital assets are valued at their estimated fair market value on the date received. The Board maintains a capitalization threshold of $\$ 2,000.00$. The Board does not possess any infrastructure. Improvements are capitalized; the costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value fo the asset or materially extend an asset's life are not.

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

|  | Governmental <br> Activities <br> Description | Business-Type <br> Activity |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |$\quad$| Estimated Lives |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |

Borough of Ramsey School District<br>Notes to the Basic Financial Statements<br>for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## L. Compensated Absences

Compensated absences are those absences for which employees will be paid, such as vacation, sick leave, and sabbatical leave. A liability for compensated absences that are attributable to services already rendered, and that are not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the Board and its employees, is accrued as the employees earn the rights to the benefits. Compensated absences that relate to future services, or that are contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the Board and its employees, are accounted for in the period in which such services are rendered or in which such events take place.

For the District-wide Statements, the current portion is the amount estimated to be used in the following year. In accordance with GAAP, for the governmental funds, in the Fund Financial Statements, all of the compensated absences are considered long-term and therefore, are not a fund liability and represents a reconciling item between the fund level and District-wide presentations.

## M. Unearned Revenue

Unearned revenue arises when assets are recognized before revenue recognition criteria have been satisfied.
Unearned revenue in the special revenue fund represents cash that has been received but not yet earned. See Note 2(E) regarding the special revenue fund.

## N. Accrued Liabilities and Long-term Obligations

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

In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current financial resources, are reported as obligations of the funds. However, claims and judgements, compensated absences, special termination benefits and contractually required pension contributions that will be paid from governmental funds are reported as a liability in the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are due for payment in the current year. Bonds, long-term obligations, and capital leases that will be paid from governmental funds are recognized as a liability in the fund financial statements when due.

Borough of Ramsey School District<br>Notes to the Basic Financial Statements<br>for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## O. Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions:

In fiscal year 2015, the District implemented GASB 68. This Statement amends GASB Statement No. 27. It improves accounting and financial reporting by state and local governments for pensions. It also improves information provided by state and local government employers about financial support for pensions that is provided by other entities. This Statement results from a comprehensive review of the effectiveness of existing standards of accounting and financial reporting for pensions with regard to providing decision useful information, supporting assessments of accountability and interperiod equity, and creating additional transparency. This Statement replaces the requirement of Statement No. 27, Accountingfor Pension by State and Local Governmental Employers, as well as the requirements of Statement No. 50, Pension Disclosures, as they relate to pensions that are provided through pension plans administered as trusts or equivalent arrangements that meet certain criteria. The requirements of Statements 27 and 50 remain applicable for pensions that are not covered by the scope of this Statement. This statement is effective for periods beginning after June 15, 2014.

The District has also implemented GASB Statement 71, Pension Transition for Contributions made Subsequent to the Measurement Date-an amendment to GASB No. 68. The objective of this Statement is to address an issue regarding application of the transition provisions of Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions. The issue relates to amounts associated with contributions, if any, made by a state or local government employer or nonemployer contributing entity to a defined benefit pension plan after the measurement date of the government's beginning net pension liability.

Statement 68 requires a state or local government employer (or nonemployer contributing entity in a special funding situation) to recognize a net pension liability measured as of a date (the measurement date) no earlier than the end of its prior fiscal year. If a state or local government employer or nonemployer contributing entity makes a contribution to a defined benefit pension plan between the measurement date of the reported net pension liability and the end of the government's reporting period, Statement 68 requires that the government recognize its contribution as a deferred outflow of resources.

In addition, Statement 68 requires recognition of deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources for changes in the net pension liability of a state or local government employer or nonemployer contributing entity that arise from other types of events. At transition to Statement 68, if it is not practical for an employer or nonemployer contributing entity to determine the amounts of all deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, paragraph 137 of Statement 68 required that beginning balances for deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources not be reported. Consequently, if it is not practical to determine the amounts of all deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, contributions made after the measurement date of the beginning net pension liability could not have been reported as deferred outflows of resources at transition. This could have resulted in a significant understatement of an employer or nonemployer contributing entity's beginning net position and expense in the initial period of implementation.

Borough of Ramsey School District<br>Notes to the Basic Financial Statements<br>for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## O. Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions: (continued)

This Statement amends paragraph 137 of Statement 68 to require that, at transition, a government recognize a beginning deferred outflow of resources for its pension contributions, if any, made subsequent to the measurement date of the beginning net pension liability. Statement 68, as amended, continues to require that beginning balances for other deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions be reported at transition only if it is practical to determine all such amounts.

## P. Fund Balances

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

- Nonspendable fund balance includes amounts that are not in a spendable form (inventory, for example) or are required to be maintained intact (the principal of an endowment fund, for example).
- Restricted fund balance includes amounts that can be spent only for the specific purposes stipulated by external resource providers (for example, grant providers), constitutionally, or through enabling legislation (that is, legislation that creates a new revenue source and restricts its use). Effectively, restrictions may be changed or lifted only with the consent of resource providers.
- Committed fund balance includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action of the Board's highest level of decision-making authority. Commitments may be changed or lifted only by the government taking the same formal action that imposed the constraint originally.
- Assigned fund balance comprises amounts intended to be used by the Board for specific purposes. Intent can be expressed by the governing body or by an official or body to which the governing body delegates the authority. In governmental funds other than the general fund, assigned fund balance represents the amount that is not restricted or committed. This indicates that resources in other governmental funds are, at a minimum, intended to be used for the purpose of that fund.
- Unassigned fund balance is the residual classification for the general fund and includes all amounts not contained in the other classifications. Unassigned amounts are technically available for any purpose. If another governmental fund has a fund balance deficit, then it will be reported as a negative amount in the unassigned classification in that fund. Positive unassigned amounts will be reported only in the general fund.

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## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## Q. Net Position

Net position represents the difference between assets and deferred outflows of resources and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources. Net position invested in capital assets, net of related debt consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowings used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Net position is reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the Board or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments.

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

## R. Operating Revenues and Expenses

Operating revenues are those revenues that are generated directly from the primary activity of the proprietary funds. For the Board, these revenues are sales for food service. Operating expenses are necessary costs incurred to provide the good or service that is the primary activity of the fund.

## S. Extraordinary and Special Items

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

## T. Allocation of Indirect Expenses

The District reports all direct expenses by function in the Statement of Activities. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a function. Indirect expenses are allocated to functions but are reported separately in the Statement of Activities. Employee benefits, including the employer's share of social security, workers compensation, and medical and dental benefits, were allocated based on salaries of that program. TPAF on-behalf contributions and changes in compensated absences have not been allocated and have been reported as unallocated benefits on the Statement of Activities. Depreciation expense, where practicable, is specifically identified by function and is included in the indirect expense column of the Statement of Activities. Depreciation expense that could not be attributed to a specific function is considered an indirect expense and is reported separately on the Statement of Activities as unallocated depreciation. Interest on long-term debt is considered an indirect expense and is reported separately on the Statement of Activities.

## Borough of Ramsey School District Notes to the Basic Financial Statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## U. Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that effect certain reports, amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

## V. Recent Accounting Pronouncements

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) issued Statement No. 68, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions - an amendment of GASB Statement No. 27". This statement, which is effective for fiscal periods beginning after June 15, 2014 and was implemented by the District for the year ended June 30, 2015.

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) issued Statement No. 71 "Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date-an-amendment of GASB Statement No. 68". The provisions of this statement are required to be applied simultaneously with the provisions of Statement 68 which is effective for periods beginning after June 15, 2014 and was implemented by the District for the year ended June 30, 2015.

The Government Accounting Standards Board issued GASB Statement No. 72, Fair Value Measurement and Application. This Statement addresses accounting and financial reporting issues related to fair value measurements. The definition of fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. This Statement also provides guidance for determining a fair value measurement for financial reporting purposes. This Statement also provides guidance for applying fair value to certain investments and disclosures related to all fair value measurements. The District is currently reviewing what effect, if any, this Statement might have on future financial statements.

The Government Accounting Standards Board issued GASB Statement No. 73, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions and Related Assets That Are Not Within the Scope of GASB Statement 68 and Amendments to Certain Provisions of GASB Statements 67 and 68. This Statement is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2015 - except those provisions that address employers and governmental nonemployer contributing entities for pensions that are not within the scope of Statement 68, which are effective for financial statements for fiscal years beginning after June 15,2016 . The District is currently reviewing what effect, if any, this Statement might have on future financial statements.

The Government Accounting Standards Board issued GASB Statement No. 74, Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans. This Statement applies to OPEB plans and basically parallels GASB Statement 67 and replaces GASB Statement 43 and is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2016. The District is currently reviewing what effect, if any, this Statement might have on future financial statements.

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## NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

## V. Recent Accounting Pronouncements, (continued)

The Government Accounting Standards Board issued GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions. This Statement applies to government employers who provided OPEB plans to their employees and basically parallels GASB Statement 68 and replaces GASB Statement 45. The Statement is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2017. The District is currently reviewing what effect, if any, this Statement might have on future financial statements.

## NOTE 3. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AND INVESTMENTS

## Cash

## Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits may not be returned to it. The District's policy is based on New Jersey Statutes requiring cash be deposited only in New Jersey based banking institutions that participate in New Jersey Governmental Depository Protection Act (GUDPA) or in qualified investments established in New Jersey Statutes 18A:20-37 that are treated as cash equivalents. As of June 30, 2015, $\$ 3,724$ of the District's bank balance of $\$ 8,447,372$ was exposed to custodial credit risk.

## Investments

## Investment 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. However, New Jersey Statutes 18A:20-37 limits the length of time for most investments to 397 days.

## Credit Risk

New Jersey Statutes 18A:20-37 limits school district investments to those specified in the Statutes. The type of allowance investments are Bonds of the United States of America, bonds or other obligations of the school districts or bonds or other obligations of the local unit or units within which the school district is located: obligations of federal agencies not exceeding 397 days; government money market mutual funds; the State of New Jersey Cash Management Plan; local government investment pools; or repurchase of fully collateralized securities.

## Concentration of Credit Risk

The District places no limit on the amount the District may invest in any one issuer.

# Borough of Ramsey School District <br> Notes to the Basic Financial Statements <br> for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 

## NOTE 4. RECEIVABLES

Receivables at June 30, 2015, consisted of accounts and intergovernmental. All receivables are considered collectible in full. A summary of the principal items of receivables follows:

|  | Governmental Fund Financial Statements | Enterprise Fund | District Wid Financial Statements |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| State Aid | \$6,566,820 | \$305 | \$6,567,125 |
| Federal Aid | 244,459 | 5,735 | 250,194 |
| Other | 120,367 |  | 120,367 |
| Interfunds | 178,952 | 130,221 |  |
| Gross Receivables | 7,110,598 | 136,261 | 6,937,686 |
| Less: Allowance for Uncollectibles |  |  |  |
| Total Receivables, Net | \$7,110,598 | \$136,261 | \$6,937,686 |

## NOTE 5. INTERFUND BALANCES AND ACTIVITY

Balances due to/from other funds at June 30, 2015, consist of the following:
\$213 Due to the Debt Service Fund from the Capital Projects Fund for interest earned on investments in the Capital Projects Fund.

2,772 Due to the General Fund from the Special Revenue Fund for prior years Distance Learning Network Aid deferred revenue.

130,221 Due to the Food Service Fund from the General Fund for subsidy reimbursements received but not turned over and Board share of expenses paid.

175,967 Due to the General Fund from the Special Revenue Fund to cover deficit in cash.
$\$ 309,173$

It is anticipated that all interfunds will be liquidated during the fiscal year.
Interfund transfers for the year ended June 30, 2015 consisted of the following:
\$2,452,457 from the General Fund Capital Reserve to the Capital Projects Fund to provide resources to Fund the local Share of Capital Projects, $\$ 213$ from the Capital Projects Fund to the Debt Service Fund for interest earnings.

## Borough of Ramsey School District <br> Notes to the Basic Financial Statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 6. CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 was as follows:

|  | Restated Balance 6/30/14 | Additions | Deductions | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Balance } \\ & 6 / 30 / 15 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Governmental Activities |  |  |  |  |
| Capital Assets That Are Not Being |  |  |  |  |
| Depreciated: |  |  |  |  |
| Land | \$4,425,700 | \$ | \$ | \$4,425,700 |
| Total Capital Assets, Not Being Depreciated | 4,425,700 |  |  | 4,425,700 |
| Building and building improvements | 46,668,745 | 2,962,079 |  | 49,630,824 |
| Machinery and equipment | $\underline{10,006,097}$ | 52,674 |  | $\underline{10,058,771}$ |
| Totals at Historical Cost | 56,674,842 | 3,014,753 |  | 59,689,595 |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation For: |  |  |  |  |
| Buildings and Improvements | $(19,500,567)$ | $(1,518,281)$ |  | $(21,018,848)$ |
| Equipment | $(7,095,001)$ | $(588,009)$ |  | (7,683,010) |
| Total Accumulated Depreciation | $\underline{(26,595,568)}$ | (2,106,290) |  | (28,701,858) |
| Total Capital Assets, Being Depreciated, Net of Accumulated Depreciation | 30,079,274 | 908,463 |  | 30,987,737 |
| Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net | $\underline{\$ 34,504,974}$ | \$908,463 | \$ | \$35,413,437 |
|  | Restated <br> Balance <br> 6/30/14 | Additions | Deductions | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Balance } \\ & 6 / 30 / 15 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| Business-Type Activity |  |  |  |  |
| Equipment | 448,094 |  |  | 448,094 |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation For: |  |  |  |  |
| Equipment | (387,205) | $(14,938)$ |  | $(402,143)$ |
| Business-Type Activity Capital Assets, Net | $\underline{\underline{\$ 60,889}}$ | $\underline{(14,938)}$ | \$ | \$45,951 |

Depreciation expense was not allocated to governmental functions. It appears on the statement of activities as "unallocated depreciation".

Borough of Ramsey School District<br>Notes to the Basic Financial Statements<br>for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 7. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

## Advance and Current Refundings of Debt

On April 4, 2012, the District issued \$16,700,000 in School District Refunding Bonds having an interest rate of $2.00 \%$ to $5.00 \%$. These bonds were issued in order to advance refund certain principal maturities and certain interest payments of various School District Bonds of the District. The total bond principal defeased was $\$ 16,714,000$ and the total interest payments defeased was $\$ 1,271,630$. The net proceeds of $\$ 17,918,483$ (after payment of underwriting fees, insurance and other insurance costs) were used to purchase U.S. Government securities. Those securities were deposited in an irrevocable trust with an escrow agent to provide for all future debt service payments. As a result, the advance of refunding met the requirements of an in-substance debt defeasance and the refunded bond liability has been removed from the governmental activities column of the statement of net position. The reacquisition price exceeded the net carrying amount of the old debt by $\$ 172,427$. This amount is being netted against the new debt and amortized over the remaining life of the refunded debt, which is shorter than the life of the new debt issued.

Changes in long-term obligations for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 are as follows:

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ \text { June } 30,2014 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Issued | Retired | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ \text { June } 30,2015 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Amounts Due Within One Year | Long-term Portion |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Governmental Activities: Bonds payable: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General obligation debt | \$15,765,000 | \$ | \$(1,850,000) | \$13,915,000 | \$1,850,000 | \$12,065,000 |
| Total Bonds Payable | 15,765,000 |  | (1,850,000) | 13,915,000 | 1,850,000 | $\underline{12,065,000}$ |
| Other Liabilities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Compensated absences payable | 1,275,475 | 44,576 | $(315,253)$ | 1,004,798 |  | 1,004,798 |
| Net Pension Liability PERS | 14,418,540 | 137,937 |  | $\underline{14,556,477}$ |  | 14,556,477 |
| Total other liabilities | 15,694,015 | 182,513 | $(315,253)$ | 15,561,275 |  | 15,561,275 |
| Total Governmental Activities | \$31,459,015 | $\underline{\text { \$182,513 }}$ | $\underline{\underline{(\$ 2,165,253)}}$ | \$29,476,275 | $\underline{\$ 1,850,000}$ | \$27,626,275 |

## A. Bonds Payable:

Bonds are authorized in accordance with State law by the voters of the municipality through referendums. All bonds are retired in serial installments within the statutory period of usefulness. Bonds issued by the board are general obligation bonds.

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## NOTE 7. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS, (continued)

Outstanding bonds payable at June 30, 2015 consisted of the following:

| Issue | Amount Issued | Issue Date | Interest <br> Rates | Date of Maturity | Principal <br> Balance <br> June 30,2015 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Refunding School Bonds | \$16,700,000 | 4/4/2012 | 2.0\%-5.0\% | 1/15/2024 | \$13,915,000 |

Principal and interest due on serial bonds outstanding is as follows:

| Year Ending June 30, | Principal | Interest | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2016 | \$1,850,000 | \$474,000 | \$2,324,000 |
| 2017 | 1,865,000 | 437,000 | 2,302,000 |
| 2018 | 1,310,000 | 381,050 | 1,691,050 |
| 2019 | 1,355,000 | 341,750 | 1,696,750 |
| 2020 | 1,395,000 | 301,100 | 1,696,100 |
| 2021-2024 | 6,140,000 | 976,950 | 7,116,950 |
|  | \$13,915,000 | \$2,911,850 | \$16,826,850 |

## B. Bonds Authorized But Not Issued:

As of June 30, 2015 the Board has no authorized but not issued bonds.

## C. Capital Leases:

The District had no capital leases outstanding at June 30, 2015.

## NOTE 8. OPERATING LEASES

The District has commitments to lease certain office equipment under operating leases that expire in 2021. Total operating lease payments made during the year ended June 30, 2015 were $\$ 117,057$. Future minimum lease payments are as follows:

| Year ending June 30, | Amount |
| :---: | :---: |
| 2016 | \$73,042 |
| 2017 | 69,734 |
| 2018 | 64,913 |
| 2019 | 55,591 |
| 2020 | 26,331 |
| 2021 | 134 |
| fure minimum lease payments | \$289,745 |

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## NOTE 9. PENSION PLANS

Description of Plans - All required employees of the District are covered by either the Public Employees' Retirement System or the Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund which have been established by state statute and are administered by the New Jersey Division of Pension and Benefits (Division). According to the State of New Jersey Administrative Code, all obligations of both Systems will be assumed by the State of New Jersey should the Systems terminate. The Division issues a publicly available financial report that includes the financial statements and required supplementary information for the Public Employees Retirement System and the Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund. These reports may be obtained by writing to the Division of Pensions and Benefits, PO Box 295, Trenton, New Jersey, 08625 or reports can be accessed on the internet at: http://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/annrpts archive.htm.

Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) - The Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund was established as of January 1, 1955, under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 18A:66 to provide retirement benefits, death, disability and medical benefits to certain qualified members. The Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund is considered a cost-sharing multiple-employer plan with a special funding situation, as under current statute, all employer contributions are made by the State of New Jersey on behalf of the District and the system's other related non-contributing employers. Membership is mandatory for substantially all teachers or members of the professional staff certified by the State Board of Examiners, and employees of the Department of Education who have titles that are unclassified, professional and certified.

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) - The Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) was established as of January 1, 1955 under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:15A to provide retirement, death, disability and medical benefits to certain qualified members. The Public Employees' Retirement System is a cost-sharing multiple-employer plan. Membership is mandatory for substantially all full-time employees of the State of New Jersey or any county, municipality, school district, or public agency, provided the employee is not required to be a member of another state-administered retirement system or other state or local jurisdiction.

Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP) - The Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP) was established as of July 1, 2008 under the provisions of Chapter 92, P.L. 2008 and Chapter 103, P.L. 2008 (NJSA 43:15C-1 et seq). The DCRP is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined contribution pension fund. The DCRP provides eligible members, and their beneficiaries with a tax-sheltered, defined contribution retirement benefit, along with life insurance and disability coverage. Vesting and benefit provisions are established by NJSA 43:15C-1 et seq.

Contribution Requirements Fund Based Statements - The contribution policy is set by laws of the State of New Jersey and, in most retirement systems, contributions are required by active members and contributing employers. Plan member and employer contributions may be amended by State of New Jersey legislation. The pension funds provide for employee contributions based on $5.5 \%$ for PERS and $5.5 \%$ for TPAF of the employee's annual compensation. Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 78, P.L. 2011, this amount will increase to $6.5 \%$ plus an additional $1 \%$ phased in over 7 years beginning in the first year. For fiscal year 2012, the member rate will increase in October 2011. The phase in will take place on July 1 of

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## NOTE 9. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

each subsequent fiscal year. Employers are required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate in all Funds except the SACT. The actuarially determined employer contribution includes funding for cost-ofliving adjustments and noncontributory death benefits in the PERS and TPAF. In the PERS and TPAF, the employer contribution includes funding for post-retirement medical premiums.

During the year ended June 30, 2015 for TPAF, which is a cost sharing plan with special funding situations, annual pension cost equals annual required contribution. For PERS, which is a cost sharing multi-employer defined benefit pension plan, the annual pension cost differs from the annual required contribution due to the enactment of Chapter 114, P.L. 1997. TPAF employer contributions are made annually by the State of New Jersey to the pension system on behalf of the Board. PERS employer contributions are made annually by the Board to the pension system in accordance with Chapter 114, P.L. 1997.

The Board's contribution to PERS AND DCRP, equal to the required contributions for each year as reported in the fund based statements, were as follows:

| Year <br> Ending |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| $6 / 30 / 15$ | $\underline{\text { PERS }}$ | $\underline{\text { DCRP }}$ |
| $6 / 30 / 14$ | 5680,940 | $\$ 21,736$ |
| $6 / 30 / 13$ | 609,132 | 9,521 |
|  |  | 4,038 |

The State of New Jersey contribution to TPAF (paid on-behalf of the District) for normal and post retirement benefits have been included in the fund-based statements as revenues and expenditures in accordance with GASB 24, paragraphs 7 through 13, as follows:

| Year |  | Post-Retirement |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\underline{\text { Ending }}$ | Pension <br> Contributions | Medical <br> Contributions | NCGI |
| $\mathbf{6 / 3 0 / 1 5}$ | $\$ 1,313,105$ | $\$ 2,084,557$ | $\underline{\text { Premium }}$ |
| $6 / 30 / 13$ | 928,960 | $1,657,587$ | $\$ 88,131$ |
|  | $1,477,770$ | $1,758,902$ | 81,996 |
|  |  |  | 77,751 |

In addition, the post-retirement medical benefits are included in the district-wide financial statements.
Also, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:66-66 the State of New Jersey reimbursed the Board \$1,796,079 during the year ended June 30, 2015 for the employer's share of social security contributions for TPAF members as calculated on their base salaries. This amount has been included in the fund-based statements as revenues and expenditures in accordance with GASB 24, paragraphs 7 through 13.

Borough of Ramsey School District<br>Notes to the Basic Financial Statements<br>for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015

## NOTE 9. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

## ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL REPORTING FOR PENSION IN THE DISTRICT-WIDE STATEMENTS PER - GASB NO. 68

## Public Employees Retirement System (PERS)

At June 30, 2015, the District reported a liability of $\$ 14,556,477$ for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2014, 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 District's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating school districts, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2014, the District's proportion was .0777475999 percent, which was an increase of .0000230521 percent from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2013.

For the year ended June 30, 2015, the District recognized pension expense of $\$ 816,470$. At June 30, 2015, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PERS from the following sources:

|  | Deferred <br> Outflows of <br> Resources | Deferred <br> Inflows of <br> Resources |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Changes of assumptions <br> Net difference between projected and actual earnings <br> on pension plan investments | $\$ 457,734$ | $\$$ |
| Changes in proportion and differences between District <br> contributions and proportionate share of contributions | 372,160 | 867,487 |
| District contributions subsequent to the measurement <br> date | $\underline{693,030}$ | $\underline{\$ 1,522,924}$ |
| $\quad \underline{\underline{\$ 867,487}}$ |  |  |

The $\$ 693,030$ reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from school district contributions subsequent to the measurement date (i.e. for the school year ending June 30, 2015, the plan measurement date is June 30, 2014) will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2016. 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 ended June 30:

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## NOTE 9. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

## Additional Information

Local Group Collective balances at December 31, 2014 and 2013 are as follows:

Dec. 31, $2014 \quad \underline{\text { Dec. 31, } 2013}$

| Collective deferred outflows of resources | $\$ 952,194,675$ | Not Available |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Collective deferred inflows of resources | $1,479,224,662$ | Not Available |
| Collective net pension liability |  |  |
| District's Proportion | $18,722,735,003$ | $\$ 19,111,986,911$ |

## Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability for the June 30, 2014 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2013, which rolled forward to June 30, 2014. The total pension liability for the July 1, 2013 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2013. This actuarial valuation used the following assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement.

| Inflation | 3.01 Percent |
| :--- | :--- |
| Salary Increases: |  |
| $\quad$ 2012-2021 | 3.15-4.40 Percent (based on age) |
| $\quad$ Thereafter |  |
| Investment Rate of Return | 7.90 Percent |

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2013 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2011.

## $\underline{\text { Mortality Rates }}$

Mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Male and Female Mortality Tables (setback one year for females) with adjustments for mortality improvements from the base year of 2012 based on Projection Scale AA.

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## NOTE 9. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

## Long-Term Rate of Return

In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investments and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in PERS's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2014 are summarized in the following table:

| Asset Class | Target <br> Allocation | Long-Term <br> Expected Real <br> Rate of Return |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Cash | $6.00 \%$ | $0.80 \%$ |
| Core Bond | $1.00 \%$ | $2.49 \%$ |
| Intermediate Term Bonds | $11.20 \%$ | $2.26 \%$ |
| Mortgages | $2.50 \%$ | $2.17 \%$ |
| High Yield Bonds | $5.50 \%$ | $4.82 \%$ |
| Inflation Indexed Bonds | $2.50 \%$ | $3.51 \%$ |
| Broad U.S. Equities | $25.90 \%$ | $8.22 \%$ |
| Developed Foreign Markets | $12.70 \%$ | $8.12 \%$ |
| Emerging Market Equities | $6.50 \%$ | $9.91 \%$ |
| Private Equity | $8.25 \%$ | $13.02 \%$ |
| Hedge Funds/Absolute Returns | $12.25 \%$ | $4.92 \%$ |
| Real Estate (Property) | $3.20 \%$ | $5.80 \%$ |
| Commodities | $2.50 \%$ | $5.35 \%$ |
|  | $\underline{100.00 \%}$ |  |

## Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was $5.39 \%$ and $5.55 \%$ as of June 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively. This single blended discount rate was based on the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of $7.9 \%$, and a municipal bond rate of $4.29 \%$ and $4.63 \%$ as of June 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively, based on the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index which includes taxexempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers will be made based on the average of the last five years of contributions made in relation to the last five years of recommended contributions. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make projected future benefit payments of current plan members through 2033. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to projected benefit payments through 2033, and the municipal bond rate was applied to projected benefit payments after that date in determining the total pension liability.

## NOTE 9. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

## Sensitivity of the Collective Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the collective net pension liability of the participating employers as of June 30, 2014 respectively, calculated using the discount rate as disclosed above as well as what the collective net pension liability would be if it was calculated using a discount rate that is 1 -percentage point lower or 1-percentagepoint higher than the current rate:

|  | June 30, 2014 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $1 \%$ | At Current | $1 \%$ |
|  | Decrease | Discount Rate | Increase |
| District's proportionate share of <br> the pension liability | $\underline{4.39 \%}$ | $\underline{5.39 \%}$ | $\underline{6.39 \%}$ |
|  | $\$ 18,312,544$ | $\$ 14,556,477$ | $\$ 11,402,337$ |

## Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued Financial Report for the State of New Jersey Public Employees Retirement System (PERS).

## Teachers Pensions and Annuity Fund (TPAF)

The employer contributions for local participating employers are legally required to be funded by the State in accordance with N.J.S.A 18:66-33. Therefore, these local participating employers are considered to be in a special funding situation as defined by GASB Statement No. 68 and the State is treated as a nonemployer contributing entity. Since the local participating employers do not contribute directly to the plan (except for employer specific financed amounts), there is no net pension liability or deferred outflows or inflows to report in the financial statements of the local participating employers. However, the notes to the financial statements of the local participating employers must disclose the portion of the nonemployer contributing entities' total proportionate share of the net pension liability that is associated with the local participating employer.

The portion of the TPAF Net Pension Liability that was associated with the District recognized at June 30, 2015 was as follows:

## Net Pension Liability:

District's proportionate share
State's proportionate share associated with the District
\$ -0-
127,723,517
$\$ 127,723,517$

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## NOTE 9. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2014, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2013. The net pension liability associated with the District was based on a projection of the District's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating school districts and the State, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2014, the proportion of the TPAF net pension liability associated with the District was $.2389734233 \%$.

For the year ended June 30, 2015, the District recognized on-behalf pension expense and revenue of $\$ 6,872,724$ for contributions provided by the State in the District-Wide Financial Statements.

## Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability for the June 30, 2014 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2013, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2014. The total pension liability for the June 30, 2013 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2013. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

| Inflation rate | $2.50 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Salary Increases: | Varies based on experience |
| $2012-2021$ | Varies based on experience |
| Thereafter | $7.90 \%$ |
| Investment Rate of Return |  |

## Mortality Rates

Mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 Health Annuitant Mortality Table for Males or Females, as appropriate, with adjustments for mortality improvements based on Scale AA. Pre-retirement mortality improvements for active members are projected using Scale AA from the base year of 2000 until the valuation date plus 15 years to account for future mortality improvement. Post-retirement mortality improvements for non-disabled annuitants are projected using Scale AA from the base year of 2000 for males and 2003 for females until the valuation date plus 7 years to account for future mortality improvement. The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2013 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2009 to June 30, 2012.

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## NOTE 9. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

## Long-Term Expected Rate of Return

In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investments and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in TPAF's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2014 are summarized in the following table:

| Asset Class | Target <br> Allocation | Long-Term <br> Expected Real <br> Rate of Return |
| :--- | ---: | :---: |
| Cash | $6.00 \%$ | $0.50 \%$ |
| Core Fixed Income | $0.00 \%$ | $2.19 \%$ |
| Core Bonds | $1.00 \%$ | $1.38 \%$ |
| Short-Term Bonds | $0.00 \%$ | $1.00 \%$ |
| Intermediate-Term Bonds | $11.20 \%$ | $2.60 \%$ |
| Long-Term Bonds | $0.00 \%$ | $3.23 \%$ |
| Mortgages | $2.50 \%$ | $2.84 \%$ |
| High Yield Bonds | $5.50 \%$ | $4.15 \%$ |
| Non-US Fixed Income | $0.00 \%$ | $1.41 \%$ |
| Inflation-Indexed Bonds | $2.50 \%$ | $1.30 \%$ |
| Broad US Equities | $25.90 \%$ | $5.88 \%$ |
| Large Cap US Equities | $0.00 \%$ | $5.62 \%$ |
| Mid Cap US Equities | $0.00 \%$ | $6.39 \%$ |
| Small Cap US Equities | $0.00 \%$ | $7.39 \%$ |
| Developed Foreign Equities | $12.70 \%$ | $6.05 \%$ |
| Emerging Market Equities | $6.50 \%$ | $8.90 \%$ |
| Private Equity | $8.25 \%$ | $9.15 \%$ |
| Hedge Funds Absolute Return | $12.25 \%$ | $3.85 \%$ |
| Real Estate (Property) | $3.20 \%$ | $4.43 \%$ |
| Real Estate (REITS) | $0.00 \%$ | $5.58 \%$ |
| Commodities | $2.50 \%$ | $3.60 \%$ |
| Long Credit Bonds | $0.00 \%$ | $3.74 \%$ |
|  | $\underline{100.00 \%}$ |  |

## NOTE 9. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

## Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was $4.68 \%$ and $4.95 \%$ as of June 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively. This single blended discount rate was based on the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of $7.9 \%$, and a municipal bond rate of $4.29 \%$ and $4.63 \%$ as of June 30,2014 and 2013, respectively, based on the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index which includes taxexempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers will be made based on the average of the last five years. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make projected future benefit payments of current plan members through 2027. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to projected benefit payments through 2027, and the municipal bond rate was applied to projected benefit payments after that date in determining the total pension liability.

## Sensitivity of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

Because the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability is zero, consideration of potential changes in the discount rate is not applicable to the District.

## NOTE 10. POST-RETIREMENT BENEFITS

Chapter 384 of Public Laws 1987 and Chapter 6 of Public Laws 1990 required Teachers’ Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) and the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS), respectively, to fund postretirement medical benefits for those State employees who retire after accumulating 25 years of credited service or on a disability retirement. P.L. 2007, c. 103 amended the law to eliminate the funding of postretirement medical benefits through the TPAF and PERS. It created separate funds outside of the pension plans for the funding and payment of post-retirement medical benefits for retired State employees and retired educational employees. As of June 30, 2014, there were 103,432 retirees receiving post-retirement medical benefits, and the State contributed $\$ 1.04$ billion on their behalf. The cost of these benefits is funded through contributions by the State in accordance with P.L. 1994 Chapter 62. Funding of post-retirement medical premiums changed from a prefunding basis to a pay-as-you-go basis beginning in fiscal year 1994.

The State is also responsible for the cost attributable to P.L. 1992 Chapter 126, which provides employer paid health benefits to members of PERS and the Alternate Benefit Program who retired from a board of education or county college with 25 years of service. The State paid $\$ 165.8$ million toward Chapter 126 benefits for 18,122 eligible retired members in Fiscal Year 2014.

## NOTE 11. DEFERRED COMPENSATION

The Board offers its employees a choice of the following deferred compensation plans created in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 403(b). The plans, which are administered by the entities listed below, permits participants to defer a portion of their salary until future years. Amounts deferred under the plans are not available to employees until termination, retirement, death or unforeseeable emergency. The plan administrators are as follows:

AIM Fund Services<br>American United Life<br>Guardian Insurance<br>Mass Mutual<br>Metropolitan Life<br>Paul Revere<br>Valic

Equitable<br>MFS Funds<br>Lincoln<br>Merrill Lynch<br>Travlers<br>Union Central Life

## NOTE 12. RISK MANAGEMENT

The 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.

Property and Liability Insurance - The District maintains commercial insurance coverage for property, liability, student accident and surety bonds. A complete schedule of insurance coverage can be found in the Statistical Section of this Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

There has been no significant reduction in insurance coverage from the previous year nor have there been any settlements in excess of insurance coverages.

New Jersey Unemployment Compensation Insurance - The District has elected to fund its New Jersey Unemployment Compensation Insurance under the "Benefit Reimbursement Method". Under this plan, the District is required to reimburse the New Jersey Unemployment Trust Fund for benefits paid to its former employees and charged to its account with the State. The District is billed quarterly for amounts due to the State. The following is a summary of District contributions, employee contributions, reimbursements to the State for benefits paid and the ending balance of the District's expendable trust fund for the current and previous two years:

| Fiscal Year | Interest Earnings/ District Contributions | Employee Contributions | Amount Reimbursed | Ending Balance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2014-2015 | \$189 | \$50,443 | \$46,119 | \$245,231 |
| 2013-2014 | 235 | 49,476 | 58,009 | 240,718 |
| 2012-2013 | 195 | 47,248 | 19,974 | 249,016 |

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## NOTE 13. CAPITAL RESERVE ACCOUNT

A capital reserve account was established by the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education by inclusion of $\$ 502,000$ on September 26, 2000 for the accumulation of funds for use as capital outlay expenditures in subsequent fiscal years. The capital reserve account is maintained in the general fund and its activity is included in the general fund annual budget.

Funds placed in the capital reserve account are restricted to capital projects in the district's approved Long Range Facilities Plan (LRFP). A district may increase the balance in the capital reserve by appropriating funds in the annual general fund budget certified for taxes or by transfer by board resolution at year end of any unanticipated revenue or unexpended line-item appropriation amounts, or both. A district may also appropriate additional amounts when the express approval of the voters has been obtained either by a separate proposal at budget time or by a special question at one of the four special elections authorized pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:60-2. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-14.1(g), the balance in the account cannot at any time exceed the local support costs of uncompleted capital projects in its approved LRFP.

The activity of the capital reserve for the July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2015 fiscal year is as follows:

Beginning balance, July 1, 2014
Increased by:
Budget Appropriation
Budget Approved by Resolution - June 30, 2015
Decreased by:
Transfer to Capital Projects
Ending balance, June 30, 2015
\$4,837,630

$$
1,822,671
$$

$$
500,000
$$

2,452,457
\$4,707,844

## NOTE 14. FUND BALANCE APPROPRIATED

General Fund [Exhibit B-1] - Of the $\$ 10,887,274$ General Fund fund balance at June 30, 2015, \$5,038,219 is reserved as excess surplus in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:7F-7 (\$2,352,131 of the total reserve for excess surplus has been appropriated and included as anticipated revenue for the year ending June 30, 2016); $\$ 4,707,844$ has been reserved in the Capital Reserve Account; $\$ 186,080$ has been designated by the Board for subsequent year's expenditures; and $\$ 955,131$ is unreserved and undesignated.

Debt Service Fund - The Debt Service Fund fund balance at June 30, 2015 of $\$ 12,235$ is unreserved and undesignated.

## NOTE 15. CALCULATION OF EXCESS SURPLUS

In accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:7F-7, as amended by P.L. 2004, c. 73 (S1701) the designation for Reserved Fund Balance - Excess Surplus is a required calculation pursuant to the New Jersey Comprehensive Educational Improvement and Financing Act of 1996 (CEIFA). New Jersey school districts are required to reserve General Fund fund balance at the fiscal year end of June 30 if they did not appropriate a required minimum amount as budgeted fund balance in their subsequent years' budget. The excess fund balance at June 30, 2015 is $\$ 5,038,219$. Of this amount, $\$ 2,686,088$ is the result of current year operations.

## NOTE 16. INVENTORY

Inventory in the Food Service Fund at June 30, 2015 consisted of the following:

| Food | $\$ 4,534$ |
| :--- | ---: |
| Supplies | $\underline{4,688}$ |
|  | $\underline{\underline{\$ 9,222}}$ |

The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) commodity portion of the Food Service Fund inventory consists of food donated by USDA. It is valued at estimated market prices by USDA. The amount of unused commodities at year end is reported on Schedule A as deferred revenue.

## NOTE 17. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

Grant Programs - The school district participates in federally assisted grant programs. These programs are subject to program compliance audits by the grantors or their representatives. The school district is potentially liable for expenditures which may be disallowed pursuant to the terms of these grant programs. Management is not aware of any material items of noncompliance which would result in the disallowance of program expenditures.

Litigation - The District is a party defendant in some lawsuits, none of a kind unusual for a school district of its size and scope of operation. In the opinion of the Board's Attorney the potential claims against the District not covered by insurance policies would not materially affect the financial condition of the District.

## NOTE 18. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The District has evaluated subsequent events through October 14, 2015, the date which the financial statements were available to be issued and no other items were noted for disclosure.

# Borough of Ramsey School District <br> Notes to the Basic Financial Statements <br> for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 

## NOTE 19. RETROACTIVE RESTATEMENT DUE TO UPDATED FIXED ASSET SCHEDULE

During fiscal year 2015, the District's fixed asset report was updated by the outside service provider to reflect adjustments not made prior to the issuance of the June 30, 2014 audit report. In addition, net for June 30, 2014 was restated in the amount of $\$ 14,418,540$ to reflect the net pension liability at June 30, 2014 for the Public Employee Retirement System (PERS) as per Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") number 68. This resulted in the following restatements of net position and the capital asset schedule and the Statement of Net Position as of June 30, 2015.

|  | Balance June 30, 2014 | $\underline{\text { Restatement }}$ | Restated <br> Balance June 30, 2014 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Governmental Funds: |  |  |  |
| Assets: |  |  |  |
| Capital Assets Being Depreciates, Net | \$35,018,002 | \$(513, 028 ) | \$34,504,974 |
| Net Assets: |  |  |  |
| Net Investment in Capital Assets | 18,278,215 | $(513,028)$ | $\underline{17,765,187}$ |
| Total Net Position | 27,796,006 | $(513,028)$ | 27,282,978 |
| Prior Period Adjustment for Net Position |  |  |  |
| Liabilities |  |  | $(14,418,540)$ |
| Net Position at June 30, 2014 - Restated |  |  | \$12,864,438 |
| Business-Type Activities: |  |  |  |
| Assets: |  |  |  |
| Capital Assets Being Depreciates, Net | \$46,391 | \$14,498 | \$60,889 |
| Net Assets: |  |  |  |
| Net Investment in Capital Assets | 46,391 | 14,498 | 60,889 |
| Total Net Position | 251,835 | 14,498 | 266,333 |

## REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY

INFORMATION - PART II


| RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATIONBudgetary Comparison ScheduleGeneral Fund $\quad$ Exhibit C-1 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Original <br> Budget | Budget Transfers/ Adjustments | Final <br> Budget | Actual | Variance <br> Final to Actual |
| REVENUES: <br> General Fund: |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Revenues from Local Sources: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Local Tax Levy | 48,971,745 |  | 48,971,745 | 48,971,745 |  |
| Tuition | 40,000 |  | 40,000 | 172,799 | 132,799 |
| Tuition from Other LEAs Within the State | 1,288,000 |  | 1,288,000 | 1,733,507 | 445,507 |
| Transportation Fees from Individuals | 21,000 |  | 21,000 | 30,941 | 9,941 |
| Interest Earned on Capital Reserve Funds | 5,000 |  | 5,000 |  | $(5,000)$ |
| Other Restricted Miscellaneous Revenues | 65,000 |  | 65,000 |  | $(65,000)$ |
| Unrestricted Miscellaneous Revenues | 60,000 |  | 60,000 | 71,148 | 11,148 |
| Total - Local Sources | 50,450,745 |  | 50,450,745 | 50,980,140 | 529,395 |
| Revenues from State Sources: $\quad$ - - - - |  |  |  |  |  |
| Categorical Special Education Aid | 1,124,738 |  | 1,124,738 | 1,124,738 |  |
| Categorical Security Aid | 42,203 |  | 42,203 | 42,203 |  |
| Categorical Transportation Aid | 73,635 |  | 73,635 | 73,635 |  |
| Extraordinary Aid | 380,000 |  | 380,000 | 339,433 | $(40,567)$ |
| Nonpublic Transportation |  |  |  | 7,858 | 7,858 |
| Other State Aids | 53,440 |  | 53,440 | 53,440 |  |
| On-behalf TPAF Post Retirement Medical Contributions (non-budgeted) |  |  |  | 2,084,557 | 2,084,557 |
| On-behalf TPAF Pension (non-budgeted) |  |  |  | 1,224,974 | 1,224,974 |
| On-behalf TPAF NCGI Premium (non-budgeted) |  |  |  | 88,131 | 88,131 |
| Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contributions (non-budgeted) |  |  |  | 1,796,079 | 1,796,079 |
| Total - State Sources | 1,674,016 |  | 1,674,016 | 6,835,048 | 5,161,032 |
| Revenues from Federal Sources: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total - Federal Sources |  |  |  | 3,108 | 3,108 |
| TOTAL REVENUES | 52,124,761 |  | 52,124,761 | 57,818,296 | 5,693,535 |
| EXPENDITURES: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Current Expense: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Regular Programs - Instruction |  |  |  |  |  |
| Kindergarten - Salaries of Teachers | 480,369 | $(86,000)$ | 394,369 | 311,712 | 82,657 |
| Grades 1-5-Salaries of Teachers | 5,905,385 | $(173,000)$ | 5,732,385 | 5,731,318 | 1,067 |
| Grades 6-8-Salaries of Teachers | 4,203,807 | 88,000 | 4,291,807 | 4,282,261 | 9,546 |
| Grades 9-12-Salaries of Teachers | 7,050,623 | $(72,500)$ | 6,978,123 | 6,955,460 | 22,663 |
| Regular Programs - Home Instruction: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries of Teachers | 85,000 | 4,000 | 89,000 | 50,932 | 38,068 |
| Purchased Professional-Educational Services | 10,000 | 30,000 | 40,000 | 34,586 | 5,414 |
| General Supplies | 1,000 | (500) | 500 |  | 500 |
| Regular Programs - Undistributed Instruction |  |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased Professional-Educational Services | 112,900 | 335 | 113,235 | 76,254 | 36,981 |
| Other Purchased Services (400-500 series) | 68,608 | 690 | 69,298 | 63,096 | 6,202 |
| General Supplies | 395,113 | $(4,913)$ | 390,200 | 374,498 | 15,702 |
| Textbooks | 325,201 | $(6,553)$ | 318,648 | 303,647 | 15,001 |
| Other Objects | 6,213 |  | 6,213 | 3,722 | 2,491 |
| TOTAL REGULAR PROGRAMS - INSTRUCTION | 18,644,219 | $(220,441)$ | 18,423,778 | 18,187,486 | 236,292 |
| SPECIAL EDUCATION - INSTRUCTION |  |  |  |  |  |
| Learning and/or Language Disabilities |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries of Teachers | 903,024 | 8,000 | 911,024 | 908,532 | 2,492 |
| Other Salaries for Instruction | 667,310 | 113,000 | 780,310 | 780,182 | 128 |
| General Supplies | 7,200 |  | 7,200 | 6,433 | 767 |
| Total Learning and/or Language Disabilities | 1,577,534 | 121,000 | 1,698,534 | 1,695,147 | 3,387 |
| Multiple Disabilities |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries of Teachers | 251,332 |  | 251,332 | 249,870 | 1,462 |
| Other Salaries for Instruction | 135,651 | 30,000 | 165,651 | 154,124 | 11,527 |
| Other Purchased Services (400-500 Series) | 56 |  | 56 | 54 | 2 |
| General Supplies | 2,521 |  | 2,521 | 1,642 | 879 |
| Total Multiple Disabilities | 389,560 | 30,000 | 419,560 | 405,690 | 13,870 |
| Resource Room/Resource Center: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries of Teachers | 1,688,061 | $(40,200)$ | 1,647,861 | 1,621,121 | 26,740 |
| Other Salaries for Instruction | 30,078 |  | 30,078 | 19,075 | 11,003 |
| Other Purchased Services (400-500 Series) | 2,100 |  | 2,100 | 2,099 | 1 |
| General Supplies | 21,475 |  | 21,475 | 18,734 | 2,741 |
| Textbooks | 9,030 | $(1,232)$ | 7,798 | 5,758 | 2,040 |
| Total Resource Room/Resource Center | 1,750,744 | $(41,432)$ | 1,709,312 | 1,666,787 | 42,525 |



| RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Budgetary Comparison Schedule General Fund Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Original Budget | Budget Transfers/ Adjustments | Final Budget | Actual | Variance <br> Final to Actual |
| Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants | 143,531 |  | 143,531 | 137,412 | 6,119 |
| Other Purchased Professional and Technical Services | 75,000 | 84,000 | 159,000 | 91,764 | 67,236 |
| Misc. Pur Services (400-500 Series) | 13,476 |  | 13,476 | 10,953 | 2,523 |
| Supplies and Materials | 68,346 | (274) | 68,072 | 63,037 | 5,035 |
| Other Objects | 2,550 |  | 2,550 | 1,460 | 1,090 |
| Total Undist. Expend. - Child Study Teams | 1,469,617 | 83,726 | 1,553,343 | 1,415,794 | 137,549 |
| Undist. Expend. - Improvement of Instructional Services |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries of Supervisors of Instruction | 186,197 |  | 186,197 | 185,474 | 723 |
| Salaries of Other Professional Staff | 53,375 |  | 53,375 | 51,680 | 1,695 |
| Purchased Prof-Educational Services | 35,000 | 12,000 | 47,000 | 45,228 | 1,772 |
| Other Purch Prof. and Tech. Services | 9,000 |  | 9,000 |  | 9,000 |
| Supplies and Materials | 18,500 |  | 18,500 | 15,484 | 3,016 |
| Total Undist. Expend. - Improvement of Inst. Services | 302,072 | 12,000 | 314,072 | 297,866 | 16,206 |
| Undist. Expend. - Educational Media Serv./Sch. Library |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries | 1,045,755 | $(70,000)$ | 975,755 | 956,388 | 19,367 |
| Salaries of Technology Coordinators | 113,223 | 2,000 | 115,223 | 115,032 | 191 |
| Other Purchased Services (400-500) | 39,576 | $(4,807)$ | 34,769 | 31,835 | 2,934 |
| Supplies and Materials | 710,317 | 4,396 | 714,713 | 697,984 | 16,729 |
| Other Objects | 805 |  | 805 | 764 | 41 |
| Total Undist. Expend. - Educational Media Serv./Sch. Library | 1,909,676 | $(68,411)$ | 1,841,265 | 1,802,003 | 39,262 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries of Other Professional Staff | 6,000 |  | 6,000 | 1,200 | 4,800 |
| Purchased Professional - Educational Services | 15,000 |  | 15,000 | 8,958 | 6,042 |
| Other Purchased Services (400-500 Series) | 40,000 | (900) | 39,100 | 35,959 | 3,141 |
| Supplies and Materials | 1,000 |  | 1,000 | 425 | 575 |
| Other Objects | 7,765 | 900 | 8,665 | 8,659 | 6 |
| Total Undist. Expend. - Instructional Staff Training Serv. | 69,765 |  | 69,765 | 55,201 | 14,564 |
| Undist. Expend. - Supp. Serv. - General Administration |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries | 439,065 |  | 439,065 | 406,891 | 32,174 |
| Legal Services | 93,000 | 7,000 | 100,000 | 99,554 | 446 |
| Audit Fees | 29,500 |  | 29,500 | 29,000 | 500 |
| Architectural/Engineering Services | 80,000 |  | 80,000 | 77,959 | 2,041 |
| Other Purchased Professional Services | 117,000 | 23,000 | 140,000 | 139,671 | 329 |
| Purchased Technical Services | 25,000 |  | 25,000 | 10,955 | 14,045 |
| Communications/Telephone | 68,600 |  | 68,600 | 48,717 | 19,883 |
| BOE Other Purchased Services | 5,500 |  | 5,500 | 61 | 5,439 |
| Other Purch Services (400-500 Series) | 264,422 |  | 264,422 | 218,756 | 45,666 |
| General Supplies | 69,000 |  | 69,000 | 26,498 | 42,502 |
| Judgements Against The School District | 25,000 |  | 25,000 | 3,100 | 21,900 |
| Misc. Expenditures | 6,500 |  | 6,500 | 4,736 | 1,764 |
| BOE Membership Dues and Fees | 31,500 |  | 31,500 | 22,868 | 8,632 |
| Total Undist. Expend. - Supp. Serv. - General Administration | 1,254,087 | 30,000 | 1,284,087 | 1,088,766 | 195,321 |
| Undist. Expend. - Support Serv. - School Administration |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries of Principals/Assistant Principals | 1,128,862 |  | 1,128,862 | 1,058,356 | 70,506 |
| Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants | 628,592 | 5,000 | 633,592 | 631,949 | 1,643 |
| Purchased Professional and Technical Services | 9,012 | 1,300 | 10,312 | 8,946 | 1,366 |
| Other Purchased Services (400-500 series) | 86,695 | 1,387 | 88,082 | 77,712 | 10,370 |
| Supplies and Materials | 129,193 | $(10,166)$ | 119,027 | 104,668 | 14,359 |
| Other Objects | 7,237 | 3,116 | 10,353 | 9,183 | 1,170 |
| Total Undist. Expend. - Support Serv. - School Administration | 1,989,591 | 637 | 1,990,228 | 1,890,814 | 99,414 |
| Undist. Expend. - Central Services |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries | 435,004 |  | 435,004 | 429,518 | 5,486 |
| Purchased Professional Services | 8,500 | 3,000 | 11,500 | 10,375 | 1,125 |
| Purchased Technical Services | 3,000 |  | 3,000 |  | 3,000 |
| Misc. Pur Services (400-500 Series) | 21,600 |  | 21,600 | 14,440 | 7,160 |
| Supplies and Materials | 33,000 |  | 33,000 | 32,395 | 605 |
| Miscellaneous Expenditures | 2,000 |  | 2,000 | 1,434 | 566 |
| Total Undist. Expend. - Central Services | 503,104 | 3,000 | 506,104 | 488,162 | 17,942 |
| Undist. Expend. - Admin Info. TechnologyInformation Technology |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased Technical Services | 22,000 |  | 22,000 | 17,460 | 4,540 |
| Total Undist. Expend. - Support Serv. - Administrative |  |  |  |  |  |
| Information Technology | 22,000 |  | 22,000 | 17,460 | 4,540 |
| Undist. Expend. - Required Maint. for School Facilities (261) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries | 413,042 | 27,000 | 440,042 | 361,878 | 78,164 |
| Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services | 262,460 | $(61,000)$ | 201,460 | 201,450 | 10 |
| General Supplies | 41,300 |  | 41,300 | 27,177 | 14,123 |
| Total Undist. Expend. - Required Maint. for School Facilities | 716,802 | $(34,000)$ | 682,802 | 590,505 | 92,297 |
| Undist. Expend. - Oth. Oper. \& Maint. of Plant (262) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries | 1,536,983 | 2,000 | 1,538,983 | 1,376,925 | 162,058 |
| Salaries of Non-Instructional Aides | 255,501 | 25,000 | 280,501 | 271,498 | 9,003 |
| Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services | 253,114 | 117,000 | 370,114 | 369,158 | 956 |


| RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Budgetary Comparison Schedule General Fund Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Original Budget | Budget Transfers/ Adjustments | Final <br> Budget | Actual | Variance <br> Final to Actual |
| Other Purchased Property Services | 75,950 |  | 75,950 | 68,786 | 7,164 |
| Insurance | 312,000 | 59,400 | 371,400 | 371,274 | 126 |
| Miscellaneous Purchased Services | 6,240 |  | 6,240 | 5,392 | 848 |
| General Supplies | 221,310 | 61,400 | 282,710 | 281,822 | 888 |
| Energy (Natural Gas) | 363,480 | $(161,000)$ | 202,480 | 134,664 | 67,816 |
| Energy (Electricity) | 509,500 | $(35,000)$ | 474,500 | 385,577 | 88,923 |
| Other Objects | 37,181 | $(12,000)$ | 25,181 | 17,327 | 7,854 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries | 187,000 |  | 187,000 | 185,073 | 1,927 |
| Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services | 109,370 | 35,000 | 144,370 | 144,319 | 51 |
| General Supplies | 54,439 | 6,000 | 60,439 | 59,660 | 779 |
| Total Undist. Expend. - Care and Upkeep of Grounds | 350,809 | 41,000 | 391,809 | 389,052 | 2,757 |
| Undist. Expend. - Security (266) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries | 144,060 | 15,000 | 159,060 | 138,589 | 20,471 |
| Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services | 32,390 | 46,500 | 78,890 | 78,168 | 722 |
| General Supplies |  | 600 | 600 | 500 | 100 |
| Total Undist. Expend. - Security | 176,450 | 62,100 | 238,550 | 217,257 | 21,293 |
| Undist. Expend. - Student Transportation Services (270) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries for Pupil Trans (Bet Home \& Sch) - Regular | 69,700 |  | 69,700 | 39,873 | 29,827 |
| Salaries for Pupil Trans (Bet Home \& Sch) - Sp Ed | 114,347 | 2,000 | 116,347 | 115,419 | 928 |
| Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services | 30,000 | $(15,000)$ | 15,000 | 4,937 | 10,063 |
| Contract Services (Between Home \& School)-Vendors | 274,036 |  | 274,036 | 273,056 | 980 |
| Contract Services (Other than Between Home \& School)-Vendors | 128,278 | $(6,890)$ | 121,388 | 119,863 | 1,525 |
| Contract Services (Sp. Ed. Students)-Vendors | 730,000 | 51,000 | 781,000 | 780,417 | 583 |
| Contract Services - Aid in Lieu Pymts - NonPub Sch. | 50,000 |  | 50,000 | 27,404 | 22,596 |
| Misc. Purchased Services - Transportation | 4,200 |  | 4,200 | 1,179 | 3,021 |
| General Supplies | 37,336 | $(15,000)$ | 22,336 | 18,914 | 3,422 |
| Total Undist. Expend. - Student Transportation Services | 1,437,897 | 16,110 | 1,454,007 | 1,381,062 | 72,945 |
| UNALLOCATED BENEFITS (291) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Social Security Contributions | 650,000 |  | 650,000 | 605,574 | 44,426 |
| Other Retirement Contributions-PERS | 759,597 | $(118,656)$ | 640,941 | 640,940 | 1 |
| Workmen's Compensation | 240,700 | $(16,600)$ | 224,100 | 223,462 | 638 |
| Health Benefits | 5,767,206 | 39,756 | 5,806,962 | 5,293,250 | 513,712 |
| Tuition Reimbursement | 150,000 | $(7,000)$ | 143,000 | 90,718 | 52,282 |
| Other Employee Benefits | 80,000 |  | 80,000 | 41,827 | 38,173 |
| TOTAL UNALLOCATED BENEFITS | 7,647,503 | $(102,500)$ | 7,545,003 | 6,895,771 | 649,232 |
| On-behalf TPAF Post Retirement Medical (non-budgeted) |  |  |  | 2,084,557 | (2,084,557) |
| On-behalf TPAF Pension (non-budgeted) |  |  |  | 1,224,974 | $(1,224,974)$ |
| On-behalf TPAF NCGI Premium (non-budgeted) |  |  |  | 88,131 | $(88,131)$ |
| Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contributions (non-budgeted) |  |  |  | 1,796,079 | $(1,796,079)$ |
| TOTAL ON-BEHALF CONTRIBUTIONS |  |  |  | 5,193,741 | (5,193,741) |
| TOTAL PERSONAL SERVICES - EMPLOYEE BENEFITS | 7,647,503 | $(102,500)$ | 7,545,003 | 12,089,512 | $(4,544,509)$ |
| TOTAL UNDISTRIBUTED EXPENDITURES | 27,734,848 | 38,083 | 27,772,931 | 30,860,861 | $(3,087,930)$ |
| TOTAL GENERAL CURRENT EXPENSE | 52,384,295 | $(11,000)$ | 52,373,295 | 54,997,561 | $(2,624,266)$ |
| CAPITAL OUTLAY |  |  |  |  |  |
| Equipment |  |  |  |  |  |
| Regular Programs - Instruction: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Grades 1-5 | 4,932 |  | 4,932 | 4,932 |  |
| Total Equipment | 4,932 |  | 4,932 | 4,932 |  |
| Undistributed |  |  |  |  |  |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Instruction |  | 11,001 | 11,001 | 10,676 | 325 |
| Support Services - Child Study Teams | 5,000 | (500) | 4,500 |  | 4,500 |
| Custodial Services | 35,800 |  | 35,800 | 33,955 | 1,845 |
| Care and Upkeep of Grounds | 16,000 |  | 16,000 | 13,175 | 2,825 |
| School Administration |  | 4,000 | 4,000 | 3,995 | 5 |
| School Buses-Reg. | 57,000 | $(3,501)$ | 53,499 | 52,674 | 825 |
| Total Equipment | 113,800 | 11,000 | 124,800 | 114,475 | 10,325 |


| RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Budgetary Comparison Schedule General Fund Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 |  |  |  |  | Exhibit C-1 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Original <br> Budget | Budget Transfers/ Adjustments | Final <br> Budget | Actual | Variance <br> Final to Actual |
| Facilities Acquisition and Construction Services $\quad$ - |  |  |  |  |  |
| Construction Services | 162,300 |  | 162,300 | 131,990 | 30,310 |
| Assessment for Debt Service on SDA Funding | 8,551 |  | 8,551 | 8,551 |  |
| Total Facilities Acquisition and Construction Services | 170,851 |  | 170,851 | 140,541 | 30,310 |
| TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY | 289,583 | 11,000 | 300,583 | 259,948 | 40,635 |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES | 52,673,878 |  | 52,673,878 | 55,257,509 | $(2,583,631)$ |
| Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues |  |  |  |  |  |
| Over (Under) Expenditures | $(549,117)$ |  | $(549,117)$ | 2,560,787 | 3,109,904 |
| Other Financing Sources/(Uses): |  |  |  |  |  |
| Operating Transfers Out: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Capital Outlay - Transfer to Capital Projects |  |  |  |  |  |
| Capital Reserve - Transfer to Capital Projects | $(2,221,762)$ | $(230,695)$ | $(2,452,457)$ | $(2,452,457)$ |  |
| Total Other Financing Sources/(Uses): | (2,221,762) | $(230,695)$ | $(2,452,457)$ | (2,452,457) |  |
| Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources |  |  |  |  |  |
| Over (Under) Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses) | $(2,770,879)$ | $(230,695)$ | $(3,001,574)$ | 108,330 | 3,109,904 |
| Fund Balance, July 1 | 10,881,995 |  | 10,881,995 | 10,881,995 |  |
| Fund Balance, June 30 | 8,111,116 | $\underline{(230,695)}$ | 7,880,421 | 10,990,325 | 3,109,904 |
| Recapitulation of Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures Adjustment for Prior Year Encumbrances |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Increase in Capital Reserve: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Principal | 1,817,671 |  | 1,817,671 | 2,322,671 | 505,000 |
| Interest Deposit to Capital Reserve | 5,000 |  | 5,000 |  | $(5,000)$ |
| Withdrawal from Capital Reserve | $(2,221,762)$ | $(230,695)$ | $(2,452,457)$ | $(2,452,457)$ |  |
| Budgeted Fund Balance | $(2,371,788)$ |  | (2,371,788) | 238,116 | 2,609,904 |
|  | $\underline{(2,770,879)}$ | $\underline{(230,695)}$ | $\underline{(3,001,574)}$ | 108,330 | 3,109,904 |
| Recapitulation: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Restricted Fund Balance: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Excess Surplus - Current Year |  |  |  | 2,686,088 |  |
| Legally Restricted - Excess Surplus - Designated for Subsequent |  |  |  |  |  |
| Year's Expenditures |  |  |  | 2,352,131 |  |
| Capital Reserve |  |  |  | 4,707,844 |  |
| Assigned Fund Balance: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures |  |  |  | 186,080 |  |
| Unassigned Fund Balance |  |  |  | 1,058,182 |  |
| Total Fund Balance per Governmental Funds (Budgetary) |  |  |  | 10,990,325 |  |
| Recapitulation to Governmental Fund Statement (GAAP): |  |  |  |  |  |
| Less: Last State Aid Payment not Recognized GAAP Basis |  |  |  | 103,051 |  |
| Total Fund Balance per Governmental Funds (GAAP) |  |  |  | 10,887,274 |  |

Exhibit C-2


RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION

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 $\begin{array}{r}$| $\begin{array}{c}\text { Original } \\ \text { Budget }\end{array}$ |
| ---: |
| 327,848 |
| 812,089 |
| $1,139,937$ | <br>

\hline\end{array}
$\begin{array}{r}20,915 \\ 543,974 \\ 116,231 \\ 42,563 \\ \hline\end{array}$ $\stackrel{\substack{a \\ \underset{\sim}{2} \\ \underset{\sim}{2} \\ \\ \mid}}{ }$

Budgetary Comparison Schedule
Special Revenue Fund
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015



REVENUES:
State Sources
Total Revenues
:saynlianadxa
Instruction:
Salaries of Teachers
Salaries of Teachers
Otter Purchased Services (400-500 series)
General Supplies
Total instruction Total instruction
Support services:
Other Salaries for Instruction
Personal Services - Employee Benefits
Purchased Professional - Educational Services
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)

## Total support services

Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)
Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Required Supplementary Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule <br> Note to Required Supplementary Information - Part II Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 

## Note A - Explanation of Differences between Budgetary Inflows and Outflows and GAAP Revenues and Expenditures



## REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY

 INFORMATION - PART IIIExhibit L-1
RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION
Schedules of Required Supplementary Information
Schedule of District's Share of Net Pension Liability - PERS
Last 10 Fiscal Years**

$259.54 \%$

$52.08 \%$

* GASB requires that ten years of information be presented. However, since fiscal year 2015 was the first year of
GASB 68 implementation ten years is not presented. Each year thereafter, an additional year will be included until ten years of data is presented.

Exhibit L-2
Contractually required contribution
Contributions in relation to the RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION
Schedules of Required Supplementary Information
Schedule of District's Contributions - PERS
Last 10 Fiscal Years*


$$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ \quad 640,940.00 \\
\begin{array}{l}
\$(640,940.00) \\
\hline \$ \quad 5,608,577 \\
\\
\\
\\
\hline 1.43 \%
\end{array}
\end{array}
$$

* GASB requires that ten years of information be presented. However, since fiscal year 2015 was the first year of
GASB 68 implementation ten years is not presented. Each year thereafter, an additional year will be included until ten years of data is presented.

Exhibit L-3
RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION
Schedules of Required Supplementary Information
Schedule of District's Share of Net Pension Liability - TPAF
Last 10 Fiscal Years*

$3.00 \%$

* GASB requires that ten years of information be presented. However, since fiscal year 2015 was the first year of GASB 68 implementation ten years is not presented. Each year thereafter, an additional year will be included until ten years of data is presented.


## RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION Note to Required Schedules of Supplementary Information - Part III Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015

## PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (PERS)

Change in benefit terms

None

Change in assumptions

The calculation of the discount rate used to measure the total pension liability is dependent upon the long•term expected rate of return, and the municipal bond index rate. There was a change in the municipal bond index rate from the prior measurement date ( $4.63 \%$ ) to the current measurement date ( $4.29 \%$ ), resulting in a change in the discount rate from $5.55 \%$ to $5.39 \%$. This change in the discount rate is considered to be a change in actuarial assumptions under GASBS No. 68.

## TEACHERS PENSION AND ANNUITY FUND (TPAF)

Change in benefit terms

Change in assumptions

The calculation of the discount rate used to measure the total pension liability is dependent upon the long.term expected rate of return, and the municipal bond index rate. There was a change in the municipal bond index rate from the prior measurement date ( $4.63 \%$ ) to the current measurement date ( $4.29 \%$ ), resulting in a change in the discount rate from $4.95 \%$ to $4.68 \%$. This change in the discount rate is considered to be a change in actuarial assumptions under GASBS No. 68.


$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION } \\
& \text { Special Revenue Fund } \\
& \text { Combining Schedule of Program Revenues and Expenditures - Budgetary Basis } \\
& \text { Fiscal Year Ended June 30, } 2015
\end{aligned}
$$

Exhibit E-1

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\begin{aligned}
& \underset{\sim}{0}
\end{aligned}
$$

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> 몽
> $\begin{array}{r}- \\ - \\ 24,501 \\ 43,524 \\ \hline\end{array}$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \begin{array}{l}
\text { REVENUES } \\
\text { State Sources } \\
\text { Federal Sources } \\
\quad \text { Total Revenues } \\
\text { EXPENDITURES: } \\
\text { Instruction: } \\
\text { Salaries of Teachers } \\
\text { Other Purchased Services (400-500 series) } \\
\text { General Supplies } \\
\text { Textbooks } \\
\text { Total instruction }
\end{array} \\
& \text { Support services: } \\
& \text { Other Salaries for Instruction } \\
& \begin{array}{l}
\text { Other Salaries for Instruction } \\
\text { Personal Services - Employee B }
\end{array} \\
& \text { Purchased Professional - Educational Services } \\
& \text { Total support services } \\
& \text { Total Expenditures } \\
& \begin{array}{l}
\text { Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) } \\
\text { Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses) }
\end{array}
\end{aligned}
$$

Exhibit E-1a











$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { REVENUES } \\
& \text { State Sources } \\
& \text { Federal Sources } \\
& \quad \text { Total Revenues } \\
& \text { EXPENDITURES: } \\
& \text { Instruction: } \\
& \text { Salaries of Teachers } \\
& \text { Other Purchased Services (400-500 series) } \\
& \text { General Supplies } \\
& \text { Textbooks } \\
& \text { Total instruction }
\end{aligned}
$$

Support services:
Other Salaries for Instruction
Personal Services - Employee Benefits
Purchased Professional - Educational Services
Total support services
Total Expenditures
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)
Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)
Exhibit E－1b


| N．J．Nonpublic Handicapped Services， Chapter 193 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supplemental Instruction | Examination \＆ Classification | Corrective Speech |
| 22，992 | 69，358 | 22，883 |
| 22，992 | 69，358 | 22，883 |


| $\overline{\mathcal{E} \varepsilon z^{\prime} \subseteq} \mathrm{S} I$ | E88‘z | 8¢ع‘69 | 266‘zz |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ££で「SII | \＆88＇zて | 8¢ع｀69 | 266＇zz |
| $\overline{\mathcal{E} E Z^{\prime} \subseteq} \mathrm{SII}$ | E88＇zz | 8¢ع｀69 | 266＇zz | RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION Special Revenue Fund

Combining Schedule of Program Revenues and Expenditures－Budgetary Basis
Fiscal Year Ended June 30， 2015
N．J．Nonpublic Handicapped Services，






REVENUES State Sources Federal Sources Total Revenues
EXPENDITURES：
Instruction：
Salaries of Teachers
Other Purchased Serv
Other Purchased Services（400－500 series）
General Supplies
General Supplies
Textbooks
Total instruction
Support services：
Other Salaries for Instruction
Personal Services－Employee Benefits
Purchased Professional－Educational Services

> Total support services
Excess（Deficiency）of Revenues Over（Under） Expenditures and Other Financing Sources（Uses）


# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Capital Projects Fund Summary Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes <br> in Fund Balance-Budgetary Basis <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 

Revenues and Other Financing Sources
State Sources - SCC Grant681,175
Bond proceeds and transfersTransfers from Capital Reserve2,452,457
Transfers from Capital Outlay ..... -
Interest on Investments ..... 213
3,133,845
Expenditures and Other Financing UsesPurchased professional and technical services
Land and improvements
Construction services1,886,908
Equipment purchases ..... 906,971
Transfer to Capital Reserve-
Transfer to Debt Service Fund ..... 213
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures ..... 339,753
Fund balance - beginning ..... 152,984
Fund balance - ending ..... 492,737
Recapitulation:Unrestricted Fund Balance492,737
Reconciliation to Governmental Funds Statements (GAAP):
SDA Grant Receivable not Recognized on GAAP Basis ..... $(165,282)$
Fund Balance per Governmental Funds327,455

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Capital Projects Fund <br> Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balances and Project Status-Budgetary Basis Other Improvements <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 

|  | Prior Periods | Current Year | Totals | Revised Authorized Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues and Other Financing Sources |  |  |  |  |
| State Sources - SCC Grant | 367,522 |  | 367,522 | 367,522 |
| Bond proceeds and transfers | 945,536 |  | 945,536 | 945,536 |
| Transfers from Capital Reserve | - |  | - | - |
| Transfers from Capital Outlay | - |  | - | - |
|  | 1,313,058 | - | 1,313,058 | 1,313,058 |
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased professional and technical services | - |  | - | - |
| Land and improvements | - |  | - | - |
| Construction services | 1,302,981 |  | 1,302,981 | 1,302,981 |
| Equipment purchases | - |  | - | - |
| Transfer to Capital Reserve | 10,077 |  | 10,077 | 10,077 |
|  | 1,313,058 | - | 1,313,058 | 1,313,058 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures | - - | - | - | - |

## Additional project information:

Project number
Grant Date
Bond authorization date
Bonds authorized
Bonds issued
Original authorization cost
Additional authorized cost
Revised authorized cost

Percentage increase over original authorized cost
Percentage completion
Original target completion date
Revised target completion date

SP2502324
8/5/2002
N/A
N/A
N/A
1,313,059.00
1,313,059.00

June 2003
June 2003

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Capital Projects Fund Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balances and Project Status-Budgetary Basis Other Improvements Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 

|  | Prior Periods | Current Year | Totals | Revised Authorized Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues and Other Financing Sources |  |  |  |  |
| State Sources - SCC Grant | 309,491 |  | 309,491 | 309,491 |
| Bond proceeds and transfers | 2,057,660 |  | 2,057,660 | 2,057,660 |
| Transfers from Capital Reserve | - |  | - | - |
| Transfers from Capital Outlay | - |  | - | - |
|  | 2,367,151 | - | 2,367,151 | 2,367,151 |
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased professional and technical services | 227,772 |  | 227,772 | 227,772 |
| Land and improvements | - |  | - | - |
| Construction services | 2,139,379 |  | 2,139,379 | 2,139,379 |
| Equipment purchases | - |  | - | - |
| Transfer to Capital Reserve | - |  | - | - |
|  | 2,367,151 | - | 2,367,151 | 2,367,151 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures | - - | - | - | - |

Additional project information:

Project number
Grant Date
Bond authorization date
Bonds authorized
Bonds issued
Original authorization cost
Additional authorized cost
Revised authorized cost
Percentage increase over original authorized cost0.03

Percentage completion $100 \%$
Original target completion date
June 2005
Revised target completion date

June 2005

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Capital Projects Fund Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balances and Project Status-Budgetary Basis Other Improvements Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 

|  | Prior Periods | Current Year | Totals | Revised Authorized Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues and Other Financing Sources |  |  |  |  |
| State Sources - SCC Grant | 1,194,641 |  | 1,194,641 | 1,194,641 |
| Bond proceeds and transfers | 2,303,411 |  | 2,303,411 | 2,303,411 |
| Transfers from Capital Reserve | - |  | - | - |
| Transfers from Capital Outlay | - |  | - |  |
|  | 3,498,052 | - | 3,498,052 | 3,498,052 |
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased professional and technical services | 463,939 |  | 463,939 | 463,939 |
| Land and improvements | - |  | - | - |
| Construction services | 3,034,113 |  | 3,034,113 | 3,034,113 |
| Equipment purchases | - |  | - | - |
| Transfer to Capital Reserve | - |  | - | - |
|  | 3,498,052 | - | 3,498,052 | 3,498,052 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures | - | - | - | - |

Additional project information:

Project number
Grant Date
Bond authorization date
Bonds authorized
Bonds issued
Original authorization cost
Additional authorized cost
Revised authorized cost

Percentage increase over original authorized cost
Percentage completion
Original target completion date
Revised target completion date

100\%
October 2006
October 2006

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Capital Projects Fund Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balances and Project Status-Budgetary Basis Other Improvements Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 

|  | Prior Periods | Current Year | Totals | Revised Authorized Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues and Other Financing Sources |  |  |  |  |
| State Sources - SCC Grant | 552,603 |  | 552,603 | 552,603 |
| Bond proceeds and transfers | 4,671,696 |  | 4,671,696 | 4,671,696 |
| Transfers from Capital Reserve | - |  | - | - |
| Transfers from Capital Outlay | - |  | - | - |
|  | 5,224,299 | - | 5,224,299 | 5,224,299 |
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased professional and technical services | 424,331 |  | 424,331 | 424,331 |
| Land and improvements | - |  | - | - |
| Construction services | 4,787,641 |  | 4,787,641 | 4,799,968 |
| Equipment purchases | - |  | - | - |
|  | 5,211,972 | - | 5,211,972 | 5,224,299 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures | 12,327 | - | 12,327 | - |

Additional project information:
Project number
Grant Date
Bond authorization date
Bonds authorized
Bonds issued
Original authorization cost
Additional authorized cost
Revised authorized cost
4310-050-03-1051
9/23/2003
12/11/2003
23,434,000.00
23,434,000.00
4,542,187.00
682,112.00
5,224,299.00

Percentage increase over original authorized cost
0.15

Percentage completion
Original target completion date
100\%
Revised target completion date
September 2006
September 2006

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Capital Projects Fund Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balances and Project Status-Budgetary Basis Other Improvements Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 

|  | Prior Periods | Current Year | Totals | Revised Authorized Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues and Other Financing Sources |  |  |  |  |
| State Sources - SCC Grant | 3,706,560 |  | 3,706,560 | 3,706,560 |
| Bond proceeds and transfers | 14,401,458 |  | 14,401,458 | 14,401,458 |
| Transfers from Capital Reserve | - |  | - | - |
| Transfers from Capital Outlay | - |  | - | - |
|  | 18,108,018 | - | 18,108,018 | 18,108,018 |
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased professional and technical services | 1,486,120 |  | 1,486,120 | 1,486,120 |
| Land and improvements | - |  | - | - |
| Construction services | 16,621,898 |  | 16,621,898 | 16,621,898 |
| Equipment purchases | - |  | - | - |
| Transfer to Capital Reserve | - |  | - | - |
|  | 18,108,018 | - | 18,108,018 | 18,108,018 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures | - | - | - | - |

Additional project information:

Project number
Grant Date
Bond authorization date
Bonds authorized
Bonds issued
Original authorization cost
Additional authorized cost
Revised authorized cost

Percentage increase over original authorized cost
Percentage completion
Original target completion date
Revised target completion date

100\%
4310-055-03-1050
9/23/2003
12/11/2003
23,434,000.00
23,434,000.00
18,873,118.00
(765,100.00)
18,108,018.00

May 2006
May 2006

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Capital Projects Fund Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balances and Project Status-Budgetary Basis High School Building Partial Roof Replacement <br> <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 

 <br> <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015}

|  | Prior Periods | Current Year | Totals | Revised Authorized Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues and Other Financing Sources |  |  |  |  |
| State Sources - SCC Grant | 98,116 |  | 98,116 | 98,116 |
| Bond proceeds and transfers | - |  | - | - |
| Transfers from Capital Reserve | 200,574 |  | 200,574 | 200,574 |
| Transfers from Capital Outlay | - |  | - | - |
|  | 298,690 | - | 298,690 | 298,690 |
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased professional and technical services | - |  | - | - |
| Land and improvements | - |  | - | - |
| Construction services | 274,010 |  | 274,010 | 298,690 |
| Equipment purchases | - |  | - | - |
| Transfer to Capital Reserve | - |  | - | - |
|  | 274,010 | - | 274,010 | 298,690 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures | 24,680 | - | 24,680 | - |

Additional project information:

Project number
Grant Date
Bond authorization date
Bonds authorized
Bonds issued
Original authorization cost
Additional authorized cost
Revised authorized cost
4310-055-05-1000-NE 7/29/2005

N/A
N/A
N/A
298,690.00
298,690.00

Percentage increase over original authorized cost
Percentage completion
Original target completion date
Revised target completion date

92\%
August 2007
August 2007

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Capital Projects Fund Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balances and Project Status-Budgetary Basis High School PEC Sprinkler Systems <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 

|  | Prior Periods | Current Year | Totals | Revised Authorized Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues and Other Financing Sources |  |  |  |  |
| State Sources - SCC Grant | 41,384 |  | 41,384 | 41,384 |
| Bond proceeds and transfers | - |  | - | - |
| Transfers from Capital Reserve | 62,076 |  | 62,076 | 62,076 |
| Transfers from Capital Outlay | - |  | - | - |
|  | 103,460 | - | 103,460 | 103,460 |
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased professional and technical services | - |  | - | - |
| Land and improvements | - |  | - | - |
| Construction services | 89,000 |  | 89,000 | 103,460 |
| Equipment purchases | - |  | - | - |
|  | 89,000 | - | 89,000 | 103,460 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures | $\underline{14,460}$ | - | 14,460 | - |

Additional project information:

Project number
Grant Date
Bond authorization date
Bonds authorized
1310-050-090-1001-G02

Bonds issued N/A
Original authorization cost
103,460.00
Additional authorized cost
Revised authorized cost

Percentage increase over original authorized cost
Percentage completion
Original target completion date
Revised target completion date

86\%
103,460.00
-
October 2010
October 2010

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Capital Projects Fund Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balances and Project Status-Budgetary Basis High School Partial Roof Replacement and HVAC Upgrades <br> <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 

 <br> <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015}

|  | Prior Periods | Current Year | Totals | Revised Authorized Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues and Other Financing Sources |  |  |  |  |
| State Sources - SCC Grant | 127,108 |  | 127,108 | 127,108 |
| Bond proceeds and transfers | - |  | - | - |
| Transfers from Capital Reserve | 190,662 |  | 190,662 | 190,662 |
| Transfers from Capital Outlay | - |  | - | - |
|  | 317,770 | - | 317,770 | 317,770 |
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased professional and technical services | - |  | - | - |
| Land and improvements | - |  | - | - |
| Construction services | 216,253 |  | 216,253 | 317,770 |
| Equipment purchases | - |  | - | - |
|  | 216,253 | - | 216,253 | 317,770 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures | 101,517 | - | 101,517 | - |

## Additional project information:

Project number
Grant Date
Bond authorization date
Bonds authorized

> 4310-050-10-1001-G0PB

9/1/2010
N/A
N/A
Bonds issued
N/A
Original authorization cost 317,770.00
Additional authorized cost
Revised authorized cost
Percentage increase over original authorized cost
Percentage completion
Original target completion date
Revised target completion date

68\%
317,770.00

January 1, 2011
January 1, 2011

## RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION

## Capital Projects Fund

 Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balances and Project Status-Budgetary Basis Window Replacement at Tisdale Elementary School
## Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015

|  | Prior Periods | Current Year | Totals | Revised Authorized Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues and Other Financing Sources |  |  |  |  |
| State Sources - SCC Grant | - | 46,480 | 46,480 | 46,480 |
| Bond proceeds and transfers | - |  | - | - |
| Transfers from Capital Reserve | - | 69,720 | 69,720 | 69,720 |
| Transfers from Capital Outlay | - |  | - |  |
|  | - | 116,200 | 116,200 | 116,200 |
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased professional and technical services | - |  | - | - |
| Land and improvements | - |  | - | - |
| Construction services |  | 110,055 | 110,055 | 116,200 |
| Equipment purchases | - |  | - | - |
|  | - | 110,055 | 110,055 | 116,200 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures | - | 6,145 | 6,145 | - |

Additional project information:

Project number
Grant Date
Bond authorization date
Bonds authorized
Bonds issued
Original authorization cost
Additional authorized cost
Revised authorized cost

Percentage increase over original authorized cost
Percentage completion
Original target completion date
Revised target completion date

4310-080-14-1004
Sept. 3, 2013
N/A
N/A
N/A
116,200.00
116,200.00

95\%
July 11, 2014
July 11, 2014

## RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION

## Capital Projects Fund

 Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balances and Project Status-Budgetary Basis Boiler Replacement at Eric Smith School
## Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015

|  | Prior Periods | Current Year | $\underline{\text { Totals }}$ | Revised Authorized Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues and Other Financing Sources |  |  |  |  |
| State Sources - SCC Grant | - | 344,600 | 344,600 | 344,600 |
| Bond proceeds and transfers | - |  | - | - |
| Transfers from Capital Reserve | - | 516,900 | 516,900 | 516,900 |
| Transfers from Capital Outlay | - |  | - | - |
|  | - | 861,500 | 861,500 | 861,500 |
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased professional and technical services | - |  | - | - |
| Land and improvements | - |  | - | - |
| Construction services | - | 570,417 | 570,417 | 861,500 |
| Equipment purchases | - |  | - | - |
|  | - | 570,417 | 570,417 | 861,500 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures | - | 291,083 | 291,083 | - |

Additional project information:

Project number
Grant Date
Bond authorization date
Bonds authorized
Bonds issued
Original authorization cost
Additional authorized cost
Revised authorized cost

Percentage increase over original authorized cost
Percentage completion
Original target completion date
Revised target completion date

4310-055-14-1003
September 3, 2013
N/A
N/A
N/A
861,500.00
861,500.00
-
66\%
July 11, 2014
July 11, 2014

## RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION

## Capital Projects Fund

 Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balances and Project Status-Budgetary Basis HVAC Replacement in Gyms at Ramsey High SchoolFiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015

|  | Prior Periods | Current Year | Totals | Revised Authorized $\underline{\text { Cost }}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues and Other Financing Sources |  |  |  |  |
| State Sources - SCC Grant | - | 290,095 | 290,095 | 290,095 |
| Bond proceeds and transfers | - |  | - | - |
| Transfers from Capital Reserve | - | 665,837 | 665,837 | 665,837 |
| Transfers from Capital Outlay | - |  | - | - |
|  | - | 955,932 | 955,932 | 955,932 |
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased professional and technical services | - |  | - | - |
| Land and improvements | - |  | - | - |
| Construction services | - | 955,932 | 955,932 | 955,932 |
| Equipment purchases | - |  | - | - |
|  | - | 955,932 | 955,932 | 955,932 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures |  | - | - | - |
| Additional project information: |  |  |  |  |
| Project number | 4310-050-14-2000 |  |  |  |
| Grant Date | January 6, 2014 |  |  |  |
| Bond authorization date | N/A |  |  |  |
| Bonds authorized | N/A |  |  |  |
| Bonds issued | N/A |  |  |  |
| Original authorization cost | 955,932.00 |  |  |  |
| Additional authorized cost |  |  |  |  |
| Revised authorized cost | 955,932.00 |  |  |  |
| Percentage increase over original authorized cost | - |  |  |  |
| Percentage completion | 100\% |  |  |  |
| Original target completion date | July 12, 2014 |  |  |  |
| Revised target completion date | Aug. 31, 2015 |  |  |  |

## RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION

## Capital Projects Fund

Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balances and Project Status-Budgetary Basis Sports Field Upgrade, Turf/Lights/Stormwater Control at Ramsey High School

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015

|  | Prior Periods | Current Year | $\underline{\text { Totals }}$ | Revised Authorized Cost |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues and Other Financing Sources |  |  |  |  |
| State Sources - SCC Grant | - |  | - | - |
| Bond proceeds and transfers | - |  | - | - |
| Transfers from Capital Reserve | - | 1,200,000 | 1,200,000 | 1,200,000 |
| Transfers from Capital Outlay | - |  | - | - |
|  | - | 1,200,000 | 1,200,000 | 1,200,000 |
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses |  |  |  |  |
| Purchased professional and technical services | - |  | - | - |
| Land and improvements | - |  | - | - |
| Construction services | - | 250,504 | 250,504 | 200,000 |
| Equipment purchases | - | 906,971 | 906,971 | 1,000,000 |
|  | - | 1,157,475 | 1,157,475 | 1,200,000 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures | - | 42,525 | 42,525 | - |

Additional project information:
Project number
4310-050-14-2000
Grant Date
Bond authorization date
April 9, 2014
Bonds authorized N/A
N/A
Bonds issued N/A
Original authorization cost
1,200,000.00
Additional authorized cost
Revised authorized cost
1,200,000.00
Percentage increase over original authorized cost
Percentage completion
96\%
Original target completion date Aug. 31, 2014
Revised target completion date
Aug. 31, 2014

Exhibit F-2
Date
August 5, 2002
September 23, 2003
September 23, 2003
September 23, 2003
September 23, 2003
July 29, 2005
June 19, 2009
September 1, 2010
September 3, 2013
September 3, 2013
January 6, 2014
April 9, 2014
t

| PROPRIETARY FUNDS |
| :---: |

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Combining Statement of Net Position <br> Enterprise Funds <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 

|  | Food Service Program | Totals |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ASSETS |  |  |
| Current assets: |  |  |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 74,445 | 74,445 |
| Accounts receivable: |  |  |
| State | 305 | 305 |
| Federal | 5,735 | 5,735 |
| Interfund - General Fund | 130,221 | 130,221 |
| Inventories | 9,222 | 9,222 |
| Total current assets | 219,928 | 219,928 |

Noncurrent assets:
Capital assets:

| Equipment <br> Less accumulated depreciation | $\begin{array}{r} 448,094 \\ (402,143) \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 448,094 \\ (402,143) \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total capital assets (net of accumulated depreciation) | 45,951 | 45,951 |
| Total assets | 265,879 | 265,879 |

## LIABILITIES

Current liabilities:
Accounts payable
Total current liabilities

| 66,654 |
| ---: | :--- |
| 66,654 |

## NET POSITION

| Net investment in capital assets | 45,951 | 45,951 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Unrestricted | 153,274 | 153,274 |
| Total net position | 199,225 | 199,225 |

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Net Position Enterprise Funds <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 

|  | Food <br> Service <br> Program |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| Operating revenues: |  |  |  |
| Charges for services: | 173,533 |  | 173,533 |
| Daily sales - reimbursable programs | 289,964 | 289,964 |  |
| Daily sales - non-reimbursable programs | 74,598 | 74,598 |  |
| Special functions |  | 538,095 | 538,095 |
| $\quad$ Total operating revenues |  |  |  |

Operating expenses:

| Cost of sales | 250,147 | 250,147 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Salaries | 217,504 | 217,504 |
| Benefits | 58,773 | 58,773 |
| Supplies and materials | 45,083 | 45,083 |
| Purchased property services | 65,000 | 65,000 |
| Cleaning repair \& maintenance | 53,362 | 53,362 |
| Depreciation | 14,938 | 14,938 |
| Total Operating Expenses | 704,807 | 704,807 |
| Operating income (loss) | $(166,712)$ | $(166,712)$ |

Nonoperating revenues (expenses):
State sources:

| State school lunch program | 3,262 | 3,262 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Federal sources: |  |  |
| National school lunch program | 61,352 | 61,352 |
| Food distribution program | 34,966 | 34,966 |
| Interest Income | 24 | 24 |
| Total nonoperating revenues (expenses) | 99,604 | 99,604 |
| Income (loss) before contributions \& transfers | $(67,108)$ | $(67,108)$ |
| net position-beginning (restated) | 266,333 | 266,333 |
| net position-ending | 199,225 | 199,225 |

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION 

## Combining Statement of Cash Flows

Enterprise Funds
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015

| Food Service Program | Totals |
| :---: | :---: |
| 538,232 | 538,232 |
| $(611,873)$ | $(611,873)$ |
| $(73,641)$ | $(73,641)$ |

## CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES

Local Sources
Net cash provided by (used for) non-capital financing activities

| 81,397 |
| ---: |
| 81,397 |

## CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES

Interest and dividends
Net cash provided by (used for) investing activities

Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents
Balances-beginning of year
Balances-end of year

| 24 |  | 24 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  | 24 |
| 7,780 |  | 7,780 |
| 66,665 |  |  |
|  |  | 66,665 |
| 74,445 | 74,445 |  |

## Reconciliation of operating income (loss) to net cash provided

 (used) by operating activities:Operating income (loss)
(166,712)
$(166,712)$
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash provided by (used for) operating activities
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable

| $(21,760)$ | $(21,760)$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 14,938 | 14,938 |  |
| 34,966 | 34,966 |  |
| $(1,727)$ | $(1,727)$ |  |
| 66,654 |  | 66,654 |
|  |  | 93,071 |



# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION Combining Statement of Fiduciary Net Position <br> Fiduciary Funds <br> June 30, 2015 

Payroll deductions and withholdings 26,275

## ASSETS

Cash and cash equivalents
Interfund Receivable
Total assets

## LIABILITIES

Payable to student groups
Contributions Pledged to Specific Awards
Due to State of NJ
Interfund Payable
Total liabilities

## NET Position

Held in trust for unemployment claims and other purposes
Reserved for scholarships
Res.

| Unemployment <br> Compensation <br> Trust Fund |  | Private <br> Purpose <br> Funds |  | Agency <br> Funds |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| 228,212 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 36,059 |  | $1,163,286$ |  |
| 2250,047 |  | 36,059 |  | $1,163,286$ |


| 4,816 |
| :---: |
| 4,816 |

245,231
245,231

RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION

## Combining Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position

Fiduciary Funds
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015

| Unemployment | Private |
| :---: | :---: |
| Compensation |  |
| Trust Fund | Purpose |
|  |  |

## ADDITIONS

Contributions:
Payroll withholdings Total Contributions


Investment earnings:
Interest
Net investment earnings
Total additions


## DEDUCTIONS

Unemployment Claims
Total deductions
Change in net position
Net position-beginning of the year
Net position-end of the year

| 46,119 |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 46,119 |  | - |
|  |  | -513 |
| 240,718 |  |  |
|  |  | 36,059 |
| 245,231 |  | 36,059 |

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION 

Student Activity Agency Fund
Schedule of Receipts and Disbursements
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015

|  |  | Balance July 1, 2014 | Cash Receipts | Cash Disbursed | Balance June 30, 2015 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Elementary Schools: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wesley D. Tisdale School |  | 7,962 | 23,755 | 18,886 | 12,831 |
| Mary A. Hubbard School |  | 3,219 | 20,769 | 22,444 | 1,544 |
| John Y. Dater School |  | 1,847 | 17,627 | 17,517 | 1,957 |
| Total Elementary Schools |  | 13,028 | 62,151 | 58,847 | 16,332 |
| Middle School: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Eric S. Smith School |  | 23,957 | 86,994 | 86,927 | 24,024 |
| Total Middle Schools |  | 23,957 | 86,994 | 86,927 | 24,024 |
| High School: |  |  |  |  |  |
| High School |  | 215,120 | 364,745 | 352,791 | 227,074 |
| Student Fund |  |  | 77,011 | 71,286 | 5,725 |
| Total High Schools |  | 215,120 | 441,756 | 424,077 | 232,799 |
| Athletic Departments: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Athletic Department |  | 1,511 | 128,407 | 128,408 | 1,510 |
| Total Athletic Department |  | 1,511 | 128,407 | 128,408 | 1,510 |
| Adult Education: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Due to Nonsupportive Enrichment Adult Program |  | 768,957 | 1,397,242 | 1,359,221 | 806,978 |
| Total Adult Education |  | 768,957 | 1,397,242 | 1,359,221 | 806,978 |
| Total All Schools | \$ | 1,022,573 | 2,116,550 | 2,057,480 | $\underline{\text { 1,081,643 }}$ |

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION <br> Payroll Agency Fund <br> Schedule of Receipts and Disbursements <br> Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 

|  | Balance <br> July 1, 2014 | Cash Receipts | Cash Disbursed | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ \text { June } 30,2015 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Payroll | - | 20,425,286 | 20,423,814 | 1,472 |
| Payroll Deductions and Withholdings | 223,227 | 17,185,524 | 17,399,595 | 9,156 |
| Flexible Spending Account | 18,982 | 78,934 | 82,269 | 15,647 |
| Interfund Payable - UCI | 12,667 | 13,530 | 4,362 | 21,835 |
|  | 254,876 | 37,703,274 | 37,910,040 | 48,110 |

# RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION 

Contributions Pledged to Specific Awards Schedule of Receipts and Disbursements Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015

|  | Balance July 1, 2014 | Cash <br> Receipts | Cash Disbursed | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ \text { June 30, } 2015 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Contributions Pledged to Specific Awards | 19,133 | 62,407 | 48,007 | 33,533 |
| Total Contributions Pledged to Specific Awards | 19,133 | 62,407 | 48,007 | 33,533 |


| LONG-TERM DEBT |
| :---: |


RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION
General Long-Term Debt Account Group
Schedule of Serial Bonds
June 30, 2015
$\begin{gathered}\text { Interest } \\ \text { Rate }\end{gathered}$

$2.00 \%$
$3.00 \%$
$3.00 \%$
$3.00 \%$
$3-4 \%$
$3.000 \%$
$4.00 \%$
$4.00 \%$
$5.00 \%$




Refunding Bond
Exhibit I-3










RAMSEY BOARD OF EDUCATION
Budgetary Comparison Schedule
Debt Service Fund
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015

| Original <br> Budget |
| :--- |
|  |
| $2,278,081$ |
| $2,278,081$ |
| $\mathbf{2 , 2 7 8 , 0 8 1}$ |


1



[^0] (114,083) $\begin{array}{r}(114,083) \\ 126,105 \\ \hline 12,022 \\ \hline\end{array}$
Recapitulation of Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures
Fund Balance, July 1
令

> Total Other Financing Sources Other Financing Sources:
Operating Transfers In:
Interest Earned in Capital Project Fund
Interest
Redemption of Principal
Total Regular Debt Service
Total expenditures

Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other
Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures
Interest Earned in Capital Project Fund

| Statistical section |
| :---: |

## STATISTICAL SECTION (UNAUDITED)

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These schedules contain information to help the reader assess the district's most significant local revenue sources, the property tax.

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## Demographic and Economic Information

These schedules offer demographic and economic indicators to help the reader understand the environment within which the district's financial activities take place.

## Operating Information

These schedules contain service and infrastructure data to help the reader understand how the information in the district's financial report relates to the services the district provides and the activities it performs.

Sources: Unless otherwise noted, the information in these schedules is derived from the comprehensive annual financial reports (CAFR) for the relevant year. The district implemented GASB Statement 34 in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004; schedules presenting district-wide information include information beginning in that year.
Exhibit J-1

|  | 2006 |  | 2007 |  | 2008 |  | Fiscal Year Ending June 30, |  |  | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
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|  |  |  | 2009 | 2010 |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  |  |
| Governmental activities |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Invested in capital assets, net of related debt | \$ | 5,532,794 |  |  | \$ | 12,143,452 | \$ | 13,530,024 | \$ 13,954,258 | \$ 14,217,638 | \$ 15,273,557 | \$ 14,628,397 | \$ 17,432,803 | \$ 17,765,187 | \$20,645,498 |
| Restricted |  | 7,451,798 |  | 2,499,439 |  | 1,727,240 | 2,550,026 | 3,510,123 | 4,375,566 | 6,911,478 | 7,794,779 | 9,794,237 | 10,271,833 |
| Unrestricted |  | $(74,303)$ |  | 132,624 |  | (134,265) | $(450,212)$ | $(264,084)$ | $(165,952)$ | $(17,482)$ | $(295,447)$ | $(276,446)$ | $(14,860,987)$ |
| Total governmental activities net position | \$ | 12,910,289 | \$ | 14,775,515 | \$ | 15,122,999 | \$16,054,072 | \$17,463,677 | \$ 19,483,171 | \$21,522,393 | \$24,932,135 | \$27,282,978 | \$ 16,056,344 |
| Business-type activities |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Invested in capital assets, net of related debt Restricted | \$ | 11,200 | \$ | 182,956 | \$ | 182,951 | \$ 160,821 | \$ 142,242 | \$ 172,449 | \$ 181,888 | \$ 34,829 | \$ 60,889 | \$ 45,951 |
| Unrestricted |  | 167,834 |  | 230,380 |  | 269,281 | 297,565 | 290,411 | 268,288 | 239,353 | 230,668 | 205,444 | 153,274 |
| Total business-type activities net position | \$ | 179,034 | \$ | 413,336 | \$ | 452,232 | \$ 458,386 | \$ 432,653 | \$ 440,737 | \$ 421,241 | \$ 265,497 | \$ 266,333 | \$ 199,225 |
| District-wide |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Invested in capital assets, net of related debt | \$ | 5,543,994 | \$ | 12,326,408 | \$ | 13,712,975 | \$ 14,115,079 | \$ 14,359,880 | \$ 15,446,006 | \$ 14,810,285 | \$ 17,467,632 | \$ 17,826,076 | \$ 20,691,449 |
| Restricted |  | 7,451,798 |  | 2,499,439 |  | 1,727,240 | 2,550,026 | 3,510,123 | 4,375,566 | 6,911,478 | 7,794,779 | 9,794,237 | 10,271,833 |
| Unrestricted |  | 93,531 |  | 363,004 |  | 135,016 | $(152,647)$ | 26,327 | 102,336 | 221,871 | $(64,779)$ | $(71,002)$ | (14,707,713) |
| Total district net position | \$ | 13,089,323 | \$ | 15,188,851 | \$ | 15,575,231 | \$16,512,458 | \$17,896,330 | \$ 19,923,908 | \$21,943,634 | \$25,197,632 | \$27,549,311 | \$ 16,255,569 |

Source: CAFR Scehdule A-1

*     - GASB Statement No. 63 became effective for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013






Ramsey Board of Education
Changes in Net Assets/Position*, Last Ten Fiscal Years
(accrual basis of accounting)









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Support Services:
Tuition
Student \& instruction related services
General administrative services
School administrative services
Central services
Administrative information tech.
Plant operations and maintenance
Pupil transportation
Unallocated Benefits
Capital outlay - non-depreciable
Interest on long-term debt
Unallocated depreciation
Capital lease obligations and amortization
Total governmental activities expenses
Business-type activities:
Food service
Total business-type activities expense
Total district expenses Special education
Other special education Other instruction

Program Revenues
Governmental activities:
Charges for services:
Operating grants and contributions









Ramsey Board of Education
Changes in Net Assets／Position＊，Last Ten Fiscal Years
（accrual basis of accounting）

## $\begin{array}{r} \\ \hline 2013 \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ 997,772 \\ \hline 6915 \\ \hline \$ \quad 1,813,687 \\ \hline \hline\end{array}$ <br> 



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& \text { Business-type activities: } \\
& \quad \text { Charges for services } \\
& \quad \text { Food service } \\
& \text { Operating grants and contributions } \\
& \text { Capital grants and contributions } \\
& \text { Total business type activities program revenues } \\
& \text { Total district program revenues }
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＊－GASB Statement No． 63 became effective for the fiscal year ended June 30， 2013

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& \text { General Fund } \\
& \text { Reserved } \\
& \text { Unreserved } \\
& \text { Restricted } \\
& \text { Committed } \\
& \text { Assigned } \\
& \text { Unassigned } \\
& \text { Total general fund }
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\text { Ramsey Board of Education } \\
\text { Fund Balances, Governmental Funds, }
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| $\$$ | $1,624,145$ |
|  | $1,311,080$ |



Source：CAFR Schedule B－1
Ramsey Board of Education
Changes in Fund Balances, Governmental Funds,

|  | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 |  | 2010 |  | 2011 |  | 2012 |  | 2013 |  | 2014 |  | 2015 |
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| \$ | 38,508,544 | \$ 41,201,779 | \$ 42,832,966 | \$ 44,055,282 | \$ | 45,799,326 | \$ | 48,736,464 | \$ | 49,511,517 | \$ | 50,087,164 | \$ | 50,710,126 | \$ | 51,249,826 |
|  | 1,573,144 | 1,667,528 | 1,330,514 | 1,726,885 |  | 1,690,798 |  | 1,547,116 |  | 1,510,925 |  | 1,329,177 |  | 1,859,684 |  | 1,906,306 |
|  | 26,951 | 13,301 | 14,081 | 23,916 |  | 15,830 |  | 22,297 |  | 24,562 |  | 23,677 |  | 27,216 |  | 30,941 |
|  | 143,649 | 174,815 | 163,313 | 68,529 |  | 39,893 |  | 51,977 |  | 185 |  | 216 |  | 7,141 |  | 213 |
|  | 64,376 | 121,476 | 52,217 | 876,956 |  | 232,558 |  | 357,943 |  | 33,214 |  | 37,429 |  | 88,594 |  | 71,148 |
|  | 6,032,572 | 7,552,265 | 7,513,801 | 6,064,521 |  | 5,572,289 |  | 4,217,899 |  | 5,635,968 |  | 7,094,532 |  | 6,685,950 |  | 7,708,229 |
|  | 618,990 | 756,755 | 781,995 | 824,293 |  | 1,515,080 |  | 917,375 |  | 941,950 |  | 852,086 |  | 829,135 |  | 860,056 |
|  | 46,968,226 | 51,487,919 | 52,688,887 | 53,640,382 |  | 54,865,774 |  | 55,851,071 |  | 57,658,321 |  | 59,424,281 |  | 60,207,846 |  | 61,826,719 |






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Exhibit J-5

| Cancellation <br> of Prior <br> Year Payable | Misc. |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | :--- |
|  |  | Total |  |
| - | 40,706 |  | $1,808,120$ |
| - | 98,147 |  | $1,977,120$ |
| - | 31,549 |  | $1,560,125$ |
| 613,138 | 57,110 |  | $2,678,836$ |
| - | 136,820 |  | $1,977,184$ |
| - | 93,709 |  | $1,783,297$ |
| - | 28,969 |  | $1,564,456$ |
| - | 22,202 |  | $1,375,056$ |
| - | 65,645 |  | $1,970,613$ |
| - | 71,148 |  | $2,008,395$ |

Ramsey Board of Education
General Fund Other Local Revenue by Source
Last Ten Fiscal Years
Unaudited Refund of


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Source：Municipal Tax Assesso
NOTE：Real property is required to be assessed at some percentage of true value（fair or market value）established by each county board of taxation
Reassessment occurs when ordered by the County Board of Taxation
a Taxable Value of Machinery，Implements and Equipment of Telephone，Telegraph and Messenger System Companies
b Tax rates are per $\$ 100$
Exhibit J-7


> NJSA 18A:7F-5d limits the amount that the district can submit for a general fund tax levy. The levy when added to other components of the district's net budget may not exceed the prebudget year net budget by more than the spending growth limitation calculated as follows: the prebudget year net budget increased by the cost of living or 2.5 percent, whichever is greater, plus any spending growth adjustments.
> a The district's basic tax rate is calculated from the A4F form which is submitted with the budget and the Net valuation taxable.
b Rates for debt service are based on each year's requirements.
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| 2015 |  |  |  |
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|  | Taxable Assessed Value | Rank ［Optional］ |  |
| \＄ | 62，217，600 | 1 | 2．18\％ |
| \＄ | 32，675，000 | 2 | 1．15\％ |
| \＄ | 27，500，000 | 3 | 0．96\％ |
| \＄ | 20，625，300 | 4 | 0．72\％ |
| \＄ | 15，075，600 | 5 | 0．53\％ |
| \＄ | 14，400，000 | 6 | 0．50\％ |
| \＄ | 12，860，000 | 7 | 0．45\％ |
| \＄ | 9，125，000 | 8 | 0．32\％ |
| \＄ | 9，002，600 | 9 | 0．32\％ |
| \＄ | 9，000，000 | 10 | 0．32\％ |
| \＄ | 212，481，100 |  | 7．45\％ |


Ramsey Interstate CTR LLC
Commercial Realty Enterprises
Minolta Corp. C/O Tax Mgr
Krisujen Realty L.P.
Realty Associates Fund VIII LP
Sopris Mgmt LLC
Triangle 17 Center LLC
Minolta Corp. C/O Tax Mgr
Adventures in Recreation, Inc.
Ferncroft C/O H.W. Young \& Assoc., Inc.
Kislevitz, C/O Hunter Group
Gabrellian Associates
BRE/ESA Properties LLC
Total
Source：Municipal Tax Assessor．
Exhibit J-9
 Ramsey Board of Education
Property Tax Levies and Collections
Last Ten Years

Source: Municipal Tax Collector
b Includes Early Retirement Incentive Plan (ERIP) refunding
Exhibit J-11

Details regarding the district's outstanding debt can be found in the notes to the financial statements. a See Exhibit NJ J-6 for property tax data.
b Population data can be found in Exhibit NJ J-14.
Note:
Exhibit J-12


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& \$ 31,475,321 \\
& \hline \$ 45,390,321 \\
& \hline
\end{aligned}
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Sources: Ramsey Municipal Finance Officer / Bergen County Treasurer's Office
Note: Overlapping governments are those that coincide, at least in part, with the geographic boundaries of the District.
For debt repaid with property taxes, the percentage of overlapping debt applicable is estimated using taxable assessed property values. Applicable percentages were estimated by determining the portion of another governmental unit's taxable value that is within the district's boundaries and dividing it by each unit's total taxable value.
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| $\$$ | $14,178,409$ |
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| $\$$ | $17,296,912$ |


Direct Debt of School District as of June 30, 2015
Net overlapping debt of School District:
Town of Ramsey
Total direct and overlapping debt This schedule estimates the portion of the outstanding debt of those overlapping governments that is borne by the residents and businesses of Ramsey. This process recognizes that, when considering the District's ability to issue and repay long-term debt, the entire debt burden borne by the residents and businesses should be taken into account. However this does not imply that
every taxpayer is a resident, and therefore responsible for repaying the debt, of each overlapping payment.

## Governmental Unit




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\text { Ramsey Board of Education } \\
\text { Ratios of Overlapping Governmental Activities Debt } \\
\text { As of June 30, } 2015
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\begin{aligned}
& \text { Average equalized valuation of taxable property } \\
& \text { Debt limit (4\% of average equalization value) } \\
& \text { Net bonded school debt } \\
& \text { Legal debt margin }
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Ramsey Board of Education
Demographic and Economic Statistics
Last Ten Fiscal Years
${ }^{\mathrm{d}}$ Unemployment data provided by the NJ Dept of Labor and Workforce Development

## Exhibit J-15



Source: Town of Ramsey

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& \text { Function/Program } \\
& \text { Instruction } \\
& \text { Regular } \\
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& \text { Vocational } \\
& \text { Other instruction } \\
& \text { Nonpublic school programs } \\
& \text { Adult/continuing education programs } \\
& \text { Support Services: } \\
& \text { Tuition } \\
& \text { Student \& instruction related services } \\
& \text { General adminsitrative services } \\
& \text { School administrative services } \\
& \text { Business adminsitrative services } \\
& \text { Plant operations and maintenance } \\
& \text { Pupil transportation } \\
& \text { Special Schools } \\
& \text { Food Service } \\
& \text { Child Care } \\
& \text { Total }
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Exhibit J-17


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| Fiscal | Enrollment | Operating | Cost Per | Percentage | Teaching | Pupil/Teacher Ratio |  | High School |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Elementary | Middle School |  |
| 2006 | 3,064 | 45,055,791 | 14,705 | 11.47\% | 293 | 13:1 | 10:1 | 10:6 |
| 2007 | 3,126 | 48,387,179 | 15,479 | 12.57\% | 296 | 11:0 | 10:2 | 10:2 |
| 2008 | 3,132 | 50,743,820 | 16,202 | 10.18\% | 296 | 11:0 | 10:3 | 10:0 |
| 2009 | 3,108 | 50,425,805 | 16,225 | 4.82\% | 297 | 12:0 | 10:8 | 10:1 |
| 2010 | 3,102 | 51,057,540 | 16,462 | 6.35\% | 290 | 11:7 | 9:8 | 10:2 |
| 2011 | 3,073 | 51,922,301 | 16,896 | 4.29\% | 282 | 11:2 | 9:5 | 10:3 |
| 2012 | 3,020 | 52,441,811 | 17,365 | 7.03\% | 280 | 13:7 | 11:8 | 11:9 |
| 2013 | 2,971 | 54,386,401 | 18,306 | 11.20\% | 284 | 13.3 | 10:5 | 11:9 |
| 2014 | 2,942 | 54,336,367 | 18,467 | 9.29\% | 285 | 13:7 | 10:5 | 11:9 |
| 2015 | 2,878 | 56,181,238 | 19,521 | 12.42\% | 285 | 13:7 | 10:5 | 11:9 |
| Sources | istrict records, | A and Schedul | -12, J-14 |  |  |  |  |  |


Ramsey Board of Education
Last Ten Fiscal Years
Note: Enrollment based on annual October district count for all students attending school facilities.

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Source：District records，ASSA


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## Ramsey Board of Education

Insurance Schedule
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015 Unaudited

| Company | Type of Coverage | Coverage | Deductible |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| School Alliance Insurance Fund | Property Blanket Building \& ContentsReplacement Cost Values | 7,700,000,000 | 2,500 |
|  | General Liability | 5,000,000 |  |
|  | Comprehensive Automobile Liability | 5,000,000 |  |
|  | Employee Benefit Liability | 5,000,000 | 1,000 |
|  | Umbrella Liability | 5,000,000 |  |
|  | First Layer Catastrophe |  |  |
|  | Electronic Data Processing Equipment | Included in Blan | imit |
|  | Boiler \& Machinery - Umbrella policy | Included in Blan | imit |
|  | School Board Legal Liability - |  |  |
|  | Directors and Officers Policy | 5,000,000 | 15,000 |
|  | Student Accident Liability |  |  |
|  | Public Employees' Faithful Performance Blanket <br> Position Bond - Board Secretary <br> Position Bond - Assistant Board Secretary |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | Blanket Dishonesty Bond | 500,000 | 1,000 |

Source: District Records

| Single audit Section |
| :---: |

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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 

Honorable President and
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Borough of Ramsey School District
County of Bergen, New Jersey
We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey; 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, the business-type activities and each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Board of Education of the Borough of Ramsey School District, in the County of Bergen, New Jersey, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated October 14, 2015.

## Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit on the financial statements, we considered the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education's internal control.

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

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

## Compliance and Other Matters

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

We noted certain matters that were required to be reported to the Board of Education of the Borough of Ramsey School District in the separate Auditors' Management Report on Administrative Findings Financial, Compliance and Performance dated October 14, 2015.

## Purpose of this Report

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

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133 AND N.J. OMB CIRCULAR 04-04 

Honorable President and
Members of the Board of Education
Borough of Ramsey School District
County of Bergen, New Jersey

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

We have audited the Board of Education of the Borough of Ramsey School District in the County of Bergen, New Jersey, compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the $O M B$ Circular A-133 Compliance Supplements and the New Jersey State Aid/Grant Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education's major federal and state programs for the year ended June 30, 2015. The Borough of Ramsey Board of Education's major federal and state programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

## Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to its federal and state programs.

## Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education's major federal and state programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations and Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid. Those standards, OMB Circular A-133 and N.J. OMB Circular 04-04 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain
reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal and state program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal and state program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education's compliance.

## Opinion on Each Major Federal and State Program

In our opinion, the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal and state programs for the year ended June 30, 2015.

## Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education's internal control over compliance with the type of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal and state program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal and state program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133 and N.J. OMB Circular 04-04, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Borough of Ramsey Board of Education's internal control over compliance.

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

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of OMB Circular A-133 and N.J. OMB Circular 04-04. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

## Report on Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards Required by OMB Circular A133

We have audited the financial statements of the Borough of Ramsey Board of Education as of and for the year ended June 30, 2015, and have issued our report there dated October 14, 2015 which contained an unmodified opinion on those financial statements. Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal and state awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by OMB Circular A-133 and N.J. OMB Circular 04-04 and is not a required part of the 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 financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditure of federal and state awards is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

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October 14, 2015

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BOROUGH OF RAMSEY SCHOOL DISTRICT Schedule of Expenditures of State and Local Financial Awards
Year ended June 30, 2015
Balance at June 30, 2014
Grant Period $\quad \begin{gathered}\text { Revenue } \\ \text { Due to }\end{gathered}$
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| State Grantor/Program Titles | Grant or State <br> Project Number |
| :---: | :---: |
| Capital Projects Fund |  |
| State School Building Aid - EDA Grant |  |
| High School Building Renovation Project | SP \# 202361 |
| Tisdale Elementary School Building Additions | SP \# 202324 |
| Mary A. Hubbard Elementary School Building Additions \& Renovations | 4310-070-03-1049 |
| Eric S. Smith Middle School Building Additions \& Renovations | 4310-055-03-1048 |
| Ramsey High School Building Additions \& |  |
| Renovations | 4310-050-03-1051 |
| John Y. Dater Elementary School Additions, Renovation \& Construction of New School | 4310-060-03-1050 |
| Ramsey High School Building Partial Roof Replacement | 4190-050-05-1000-NE |
| Ramsey High School PEC Sprinkler Systems | 4310-050-090-1001-G02 |
| Ramsey High School Partial Roof Replacement and HVAC Upgrades | 4310-050-09-1001-G0PB |
| Tisdale Elementary School Window Replacement | 4310-080-14-1004 |
| Eric S. Smith Middle School Boiler Replacement | 4310-055-14-1003 |
| Ramsey High School HVAC Replacement in Gym | 4310-050-14-1001 |
| Total Capital Projects Fund |  |
| Enterprise Fund |  |
| State Department of Agriculture |  |
| National School Lunch Program (State Share) | 14-100-010-3350-023 |
| National School Lunch Program (State Share) | 13-100-010-3350-023 |
| Total Enterprise Fund |  |
| Total State Financial Assistance Subject to OMB 04-0. |  |
| On Behalf TPAF Contributions Not Subject to OMB 04-04 |  |
| On Behalf TPAF - Post Retirement Medical | 15-495-034-5094-001 |
| On Behalf TPAF Pension | 15-495-034-5094-006 |
| On Behalf TPAF NCGI Premium | 15-495-034-5094-007 |
| Total State Financial Assistanc |  |

## NOTE 1. GENERAL

The accompanying Schedules of Expenditures of Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance include the activity of all federal and state award programs of the Board of Education, Borough of Ramsey School District. The Board of Education is defined in Note 1 to the Board's basic financial statements. All federal and state awards received directly from federal and state agencies, as well as federal and state awards passed through other government agencies is included on the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance.

## NOTE 2. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The accompanying Schedules of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards are presented on the budgetary basis of accounting with the exception of programs recorded in the food service fund, which are presented using the accrual basis of accounting. These bases of accounting are described in Notes 2(C) and 2(D) to the Board's basic financial statements. The information in these schedules is presented in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations." Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ in amounts presented in or used in the preparation of the basic financial statements.

## NOTE 3. RELATIONSHIP TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The basic financial statements present the general fund and special revenue fund on a GAAP basis. Budgetary comparison statements or schedules (RSI) are presented for the general fund and special revenue fund to demonstrate finance-related legal compliance in which certain revenue is permitted by law or grant agreement to be recognized in the audit year, whereas for GAAP reporting, revenue is not recognized until the subsequent year or when expenditures have been made.

The general fund is presented in the accompanying schedules on the modified accrual basis with the exception of the revenue recognition of the last state aid payment in the current budget year, which is mandated pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:22-44.2. For GAAP purposes, that payment is not recognized until the subsequent budget year due to the state deferral and recording of the last state aid payment in the subsequent year. The special revenue fund is presented in the accompanying schedules on the grant accounting budgetary basis which recognizes encumbrances as expenditures and also recognizes the related revenues, whereas the GAAP basis does not. The special revenue fund also recognizes the last state aid payment in the current budget year, consistent with N.J.S.A. 18A:22-44.2.

## NOTE 3. RELATIONSHIP TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, (continued)

The net adjustment to reconcile from the budgetary basis to the GAAP basis is $\$(15,832)$ for the general fund and $\$-0$ - for the special revenue fund. See the Notes to Required Supplementary Information for a reconciliation of the budgetary basis to the modified accrual basis of accounting for the general and special revenue funds. Awards and financial assistance revenues are reported in the Board's basic financial statements on a GAAP basis as follows:

|  | Federal | State | Total |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| General Fund | $\$ 3,108$ | $\$ 6,819,216$ | $\$ 6,822,324$ |
| Special Revenue Fund | 856,948 | 326,729 | $1,183,677$ |
| Food Service Fund | 96,318 | 3,262 | 99,580 |
| Capital Projects Fund |  | $\underline{562,284}$ | $\underline{562,284}$ |
| Total Financial Awards | $\underline{\$ 956,374}$ | $\underline{\underline{\$ 7,711,491}}$ | $\underline{\underline{\$ 8,667,865}}$ |

## NOTE 4. RELATIONSHIP TO FEDERAL AND STATE FINANCIAL REPORTS

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedules agree with the amounts reported in the related federal and state financial reports.

## NOTE 5. OTHER

Revenues and expenditures reported under the U.S.D.A. Food Distribution Program represent current year value received and current year distributions respectively. The amount reported as TPAF Social Security Contributions represents the amount reimbursed by the state for the employer's share of social security contributions for TPAF members for the year ended June 30, 2015.

## NOTE 6. ON-BEHALF PROGRAMS NOT SUBJECT TO STATE SINGLE AUDIT

On-behalf State Programs for TPAF Pension and Post-Retirement Medical Benefits Contributions are not subject to a State single audit and, therefore, the amount of $\$ 3,485,793$ of on-behalf payments is excluded from major program determination.

# BOROUGH OF RAMSEY SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 

## Section I - Summary of Auditor's Results

## Financial Statements

Type of auditor's report issued: unmodified
Internal control over financial reporting:

1. Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? $\qquad$ yes $\qquad$ none reported
2. Material weakness(es) identified? $\qquad$ yes $\qquad$ no

Noncompliance material to basic financial statements noted? $\qquad$ yes $\qquad$ no

## Federal Awards

Internal Control over major programs:

1. Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? $\qquad$ yes $\qquad$ none reported
2. Material weakness(es) identified? $\qquad$ yes $\qquad$ no

Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs:
$\underline{\text { unmodified }}$
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to
be reported in accordance with section .510 (a) of Circular A-133? $\qquad$ yes $\qquad$ no

Identification of major programs:

CFDA Number(s)
84.027/84.173

## Name of Federal Program or Cluster

IDEA, Part B-Basic/IDEA, Part B-Preschool

Note: (A) - Tested as Major Type A Program.
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs: $\quad \$ \underline{300,000}$
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? $\qquad$ yes $\qquad$ no

# BOROUGH OF RAMSEY SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS <br> FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 (continued) 

## Section I - Summary of Auditor's Results, (continued)

## State Awards

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs: $\quad \underline{300,000}$
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? $\qquad$ yes $\qquad$
X no

Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs:
unmodified

Internal Control over major programs:

1. Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? $\qquad$ yes $\qquad$ none reported
2. Material weakness(es) identified? $\qquad$ yes $\qquad$ no

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with NJ OMB Circular Letter 04-04? $\qquad$ yes $\qquad$ no

Identification of major programs:

## GMIS Number(s)

| $495-034-5094-003$ |
| :---: |
| $495-034-5120-089 /$ |
| $495-034-5120-084 /$ |
| $495-034-5120-098 /$ |
| $495-034-5120-097 /$ |
| $100-034-5120-473$ |
| $4310-055-14-1003$ |

Name of State Program
(A)
(A)
(A)
(A)

| Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contribution |
| :---: |
| Special Education Categorical Aid/Security |
| Aid/PARCC Readiness Aid/Per Pupil Growth |
| Aid |
| Extraordinary Aid |
| State School Building Aid-EDA Grant |

Note: (A) - Tested as Major Type A Program.

## Section II - Financial Statement Findings

None

# SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE BOROUGH OF RAMSEY SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 

Section III - Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance Findings and Questioned Costs

FEDERAL AWARDS
None

STATE AWARDS
None

# BOROUGH OF RAMSEY SCHOOL DISTRICT SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS <br> <br> FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015 

 <br> <br> FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015}

## STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS

Finding \# 2014-001

## Condition

Several student applications were submitted to the program using intensive services which were not mandated by their IEP for the period.

Current Status
Corrective action was taken for the current year application.


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[^1]:    

[^2]:    a Operating expenditures equal total general fund and special revenue fund expenditures less debt service and capital outlay; Schedule J-4
    b
    T Teaching staff includes only full-time equivalents of certificated staff
    c Average daily enrollment and average daily attendance are obtained from the School Register Summary (SRS)

