BOARD OF EDUCATION
TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT
COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER
AUDITOR'S MANAGEMENT REPORT ON
ADMINISTRATIVE FINDINGSFINANCIAL, COMPLIANCE AND PERFORMANCE
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED
JUNE 30, 2017

#### TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT

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## AUDITOR'S MANAGEMENT REPORT ON ADMINISTRATIVE FINDINGS - FINANCIAL, COMPLIANCE, AND PERFORMANCE

Honorable President and Members of the Board of Education Township of Franklin School District County of Gloucester Franklinville, New Jersey 08322

We have audited, in accordance with generally accepted audit standards and <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the basic financial statements of the Board of Education of the Township of Franklin School District in the County of Gloucester for the year ended June 30, 2017, and have issued our report thereon dated November 20, 2017.

As part of our audit, we performed procedures required by the Division of Administration and Finance, New Jersey Department of Education, and the findings and results thereof are disclosed on the following pages, as listed in the accompanying table of contents.

This report is issued in conjunction with the Comprehensive Annual Financial report of the Board of Education of the Township of Franklin School District, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2017 and is intended for the information of the School District's management and the New Jersey Department of Education. However, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited.

Respectfully submitted,

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November 20, 2017

## ADMINISTRATIVE FINDINGS - FINANCIAL, COMPLIANCE AND PERFORMANCE

#### **Scope of Audit**

The audit covered the financial transactions of the Board Secretary/School Business Administrator and District Personnel entrusted with duties formally under the auspices of the Treasurer of School Monies, the activities of the Board of Education, the records of the Student Activity Fund, Food Service Fund and Special Revenue Fund under the auspices of the Board of Education.

#### **Administrative Practices and Procedures**

#### Insurance

Fire insurance coverage was carried in the amounts as detailed on Exhibit J-20, Insurance Schedule, contained in the district's <u>CAFR</u>

#### Official's Bonds (N.J.S.A. 18A:17-26, 18A:17-32, 18A:13-13)

Name	Position	Amount		
Elizabeth A. Dipietro Frank Domin	School Business Administrator / Board Secretary Interim School Business Administrator (From October 18, 2017)	\$	225,000	

#### **Tuition Charges**

A comparison of tentative tuition charges and actual certified tuition charges was made. The actual costs were more than estimated costs. The board made a proper adjustment to the billings to sending districts for the increases in per pupil costs in accordance with N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-17.1(f) 3.

#### <u>District Internal Control Policies</u>

District boards of education and administration are responsible for developing internal controls policies and procedures and maintaining a strong internal control environment. N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-6.4 requires that the district's internal control policies include specific requirements at N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-6.5 through 6.13.

All Internal Control Policies were found in accordance with N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-6.5 through 6.13.

#### Financial Planning, Accounting and Reporting

#### **Examination of Claims**

An examination of claims paid during the period under did not indicate any discrepancies with respect to signatures, certification or supporting documentation.

#### **Payroll Account**

The net salaries of all employees of the Board were deposited in the Payroll Account. Employees' payroll deductions and employer's share of fringe benefits were deposited in the Payroll Agency Account.

All payrolls were approved by the Superintendent and were certified by the President of the Board and the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary, and the Chief School Administrator.

Salary withholdings were promptly remitted to the proper agencies, including health benefits withholding due to the general fund.

Payrolls were delivered to the secretary of the board who then deposited with warrants in separate bank accounts for net payroll and withholdings.

#### **Employee Position Control Roster**

An inquiry and subsequent review of the Position Control Roster did not find any discrepancies between the payroll records, employee benefit records, the general ledger accounts to where wages are posted, and the Position Control Roster.

#### **Certification of Income Tax Compliance**

The required certification (E-CERT1) of compliance with requirements for income tax on compensation of administrators (Superintendent and Business Administrator) to the N.J. Department of Treasury appeared to be filed by the March 15 due date.

#### Reserve for Encumbrances and Accounts Payable

A review of outstanding issued purchase orders was made as of June 30, 2017 for goods not yet received or services not yet rendered, and it was determined that no blanket purchase orders were included in the balance of the reserves for encumbrances. Also, unpaid purchase orders included in the balance of accounts payable were reviewed for proprietary and to determine that goods were received and services were rendered as of June 30, 2017.

## <u>Obligations of Federal Grant Awards and Requests for Reimbursement of Expenditures</u> against Those Federal Grants Awards

No exceptions were noted.

#### Financial Planning, Accounting and Reporting (Continued)

#### Classification of Expenditures

The coding of expenditures was tested for proper classification in accordance with **N.J.A.C.** 6A:23A-16.2(f) as part of our test of transactions of randomly selected expenditure items. We also reviewed the coding of all expenditures included in our compliance and single audit testing procedures. In addition to randomly selecting a test sample, our sample selection specifically targeted administrative coding classifications to determine overall reliability and compliance with **N.J.A.C.** 6A:23A-8.3. As a result of the procedures performed, no errors were noted and no additional procedures were deemed necessary to test the propriety of expenditure classification.

- A. General Classification Findings None
- B. Administrative Classification Findings None

#### **Board Secretary's Records**

The financial records, books of accounts maintained by the Secretary were in satisfactory condition.

Acknowledgment of the Board's receipt of the Board Secretary and Treasurer's monthly financial reports was included in the minutes.

Monthly financial certificates of the Board Secretary and Board of Education for positive line item account status certifications (**N.J.A.C**. 6:2-2.13) were performed. Budgetary line item account transfers were approved monthly to cover any anticipated deficits.

Purchase orders were charged to the appropriate line item accounts in accordance with the State prescribed <u>Uniform Minimum Chart of Accounts (2R2) for New Jersey Public</u> School.

The general fixed asset records were updated for the additions and disposals of general fixed assets made during the year.

An estimate of the tuition reimbursement for homeless children was accrued as of June 30, 2017.

#### <u>Treasurer's Records – Board Secretary's Office</u>

The Treasurer prepared cash reconciliations for the general operating account, payroll account and payroll agency account per **N.J.S.A**.18A:17-9.

All cash receipts were promptly deposited. (N.J.S.A.18A:17-34, 18A:17-9.1)

The Treasury records were in agreement with the records of the Board Secretary.

The Treasurer reports were filed in a timely manner.

#### Financial Planning, Accounting and Reporting (Continued)

## Elementary and Secondary Education Act (E.S.E.A.)/Improving America's Schools Act (IASA) as reauthorized by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 (NCLB)

The E.S.E.A./NCLB financial exhibits are contained within the Special Revenue Section of the <u>CAFR</u>. This section of the <u>CAFR</u> documents the financial position pertaining to the projects under Titles I and VI of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act as amended and reauthorized.

Our audit of E.S.E.A. funds, on a test basis, indicated that obligations and expenditures were incurred during the fiscal year or project period for which the project was approved. The study of compliance for E.S.E.A. indicated no areas of noncompliance and/or questionable costs.

#### Other Special Federal and/or State Projects

The District's special projects were approved as listed on Schedule A and Schedule B located in the CAFR.

Our audit of the federal and state funds, on a test basis, indicated that obligations and expenditures were incurred during the fiscal year or project period for which the project was approved.

The financial exhibits are contained within the Special Revenue Section of the <u>CAFR</u>. This section of the <u>CAFR</u> documents the financial position pertaining to the aforementioned special projects.

The study of compliance for special projects indicated no areas of noncompliance.

#### T.P.A.F. Reimbursement

Our audit procedures included a test of the biweekly reimbursement forms filed with the Department of Education for district employees who are members of the Teachers Pension and Annuity Fund. No exceptions were noted.

#### TPAF Reimbursement to the State for Federal Salary Expenditures

#### **Finding 2017-1**

The reimbursement to the State for the amount of the expenditure charged to the current year's Final Reports for all federal awards for the school district to reimburse the State for the TPAF/FICA payments made by the State on-behalf of the school district for those employees whose salaries are identified as being paid from federal funds was made subsequent to the 90 days required by N.J.S.A. 18A:66-90. Accordingly, the expenditure was not in accordance with State law (90 days).

#### Recommendation:

The district should adopt internal control procedures designed to ensure that reimbursements of TPAF/FICA paid by the State on-behalf of TPAF employees charged to federal grants are remitted within the statutory 90 day liquidation period.

#### **School Purchasing Programs**

#### **Contracts and Agreements Requiring Advertisement for Bids**

**N.J.S.A.** 18A:18A-1 et seq. (Public School Contracts Law), the associated rules and related information on the statute, and school contracts in general are available on the website: http://www.state.nj.us/dca/divisions/dlgs/programs/ps\_contracts.html.

The current statue is posted on the New Jersey Legislature website at: http://lis.njleg.state.nj.us/cgi-bin/om\_isapi.dll ?clientID=1319801&depth=2&expandheadings =off&headingswithhits=on&infobase=statutes.nfo&softpage=TOC\_Frame\_pg42

The bid thresholds in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-2 and 18A:18A-3(a) are \$40,000 (with a Qualified Purchasing Agent) and \$29,000 (without a Qualified Purchasing Agent), respectively. The law regulating bidding for public school student transportation contracts under N.J.S.A. 18A:39-3 is currently \$18,800 for 2016-17.

The District Board of Education has the responsibility of determining whether the expenditures in any category will exceed the statutory thresholds within the contract year. Where question arises as to whether any contract or agreement might result in violation of the statute, the Solicitor's opinion should be sought before a commitment is made.

Inasmuch as the system of records did not provide for an accumulation of payments for categories for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies, the results of such an accumulation could not reasonably be ascertained. Disbursements were reviewed, however, to determine whether any clear-cut violations existed.

Based on the results of our examination, we did not note any individual payments, contracts, or agreements made for the performance of any work or goods or services, in excess of the statutory thresholds where there had been no advertising for bids in accordance with the provisions of N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-4.

Resolutions were adopted authorizing the awarding of contracts or agreements for "Professional Services" per **N.J.S.A**. 18A:18A-5.

The system of records did not provide for an accumulation of purchases for which the school board used contracts entered into by the State Department of Purchase and Property pursuant to Ch. 114, P.L. 1977; therefore, the extent of such purchases could not reasonably be ascertained. Our examination did reveal, however, that one state contract for flooring was approved during the 2016-17 School Year.

The review of contracts and agreements did not disclose any areas of statutory noncompliance.

#### **Contracts and Agreements Requiring Advertisement for Bids (Continued)**

Although a particular contract is exempt from the formal requirements of public advertising and competitive bidding, N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-37 requires that quotations be obtained, whenever practical, for any contract less than the bid threshold but 15% or more of that amount, except for contracts for professional services. All contracts and agreements, which are subject to quotations, shall be awarded on the basis of the lowest responsible quotation received, which is most advantageous to the Board of Education, price and other factors considered.

#### **School Food Service**

The school food service program was not selected as a major federal and/or State program. However, the program expenditures exceeded \$100,000 in federal and/or State support. Accordingly, we inquired of school management, or appropriate school food service personnel, as to whether the SFA had any Child Nutrition Program reimbursement overclaims or underclaims. No exceptions were noted.

We also inquired of school management, or appropriate school food service personnel, as to whether the SFA's expenditures of school food service revenues were limited to allowable direct and indirect costs. No exceptions were noted.

The Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Net Assets (CAFR Schedule B-5) does separate program and non-program revenue and program and non-program cost of goods sold.

#### **Body Activities**

The Board has a policy, which clearly established the regulation of student activity funds.

All receipts were promptly deposited.

A monthly report of student activity funds is being submitted to the Board.

Cash receipts and disbursements books were maintained in good condition.

Vouchers and supporting invoices were maintained for the student activity fund purchases. All disbursements appeared to be supported by appropriate documentation.

#### **Unemployment Compensation Insurance Trust Fund**

The Board has adopted the direct reimbursement method and has established an Unemployment Compensation Insurance Trust Fund.

#### **Application for State School Aid**

Our audit procedures included a test of information reported in the October 14, 2016 Application for State School Aid (A.S.S.A.) for on-roll, private schools for the handicapped, low-income and bilingual. We also performed a review of the District procedures related to its completion. The information on the A.S.S.A. was compared to the District workpapers without exception. The information that was included on the workpapers was verified without exception. The results of our procedures are presented in the Schedule of Audited Enrollment.

The District maintained workpapers on the prescribed state forms or their equivalent. The District has adequate written procedures for the recording of student enrollment data.

#### **Pupil Transportation**

Our audit procedures included a test of on roll status reported in the 2016-2017 District Report of Transported Resident Students (DRTRS). The information that was included on the DRTRS was verified to the DRTRS Eligibility Summary Report without exception. The results of our procedures are presented in the Schedule of Audited Enrollments.

Our procedures included a review of transportation related contracts and purchases. Based on our review, the district complied with proper bidding procedures and award of contracts. The bid specifications for the purchase of buses were in compliance with applicable statutes. No exceptions were noted in our review of transportation related purchases of goods and services.

#### **Facilities and Capital Assets**

Our procedures included a review of the SDA grant agreements, if any, for consistency with recording SDA revenue, transfer of local funds from the general fund or from the capital reserve account, and awarding of contracts for eligible facilities construction. There were no new NJSDA grant agreements approved during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017. No exceptions were noted in the recording of project transactions. There was a balance due at June 30, 2017 of \$1,254,576.05.

#### **Finding 2017-2**

While the district maintains fixed asset records, the updated report was not available for examination in a timely manner and accordingly, the current year amounts were determined and adjusted as part of the audit, based on the previous report.

#### Recommendation:

Additions and deletions of fixed assets made during the year should be recorded in a timely manner, in order to acquire updated fixed asset information for inclusion in the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report. In addition, a physical inventory of fixed assets is suggested, in order to verify the accuracy of the assets reflected in the subsidiary ledger on file.

#### Testing for Lead of all Drinking Water in Educational Facilities

The school district adhered to all the requirements of NJAC 26-1.2 and 12.4 related to the testing for lead of all drinking water in educational facilities.

The test results were posted on the district's website as well as being available at the school facility.

#### Follow-up on Prior Years' Findings

In accordance with government auditing standards, our procedures included a review of all prior year recommendations. There were no prior year findings.

#### <u>Acknowledgment</u>

We received the complete cooperation of all the officials of the School District, and we greatly appreciate the courtesies extended to the members of the audit team.

Respectfully submitted,

NIGHTLINGER, COLAVITA & VOLPA, P.A.

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#### SCHEDULE OF AUDITED ENROLLMENTS

## FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT APPLICATION OR STATE SCHOOL AID SUMMARY ENROLLMENT AS OF OCTOBER 14, 2016

	2017	7-2018 APPL	FOR STAT	DL AID		SAMPLE FOR VERIFICATION							PRIVATE SCHOOLS FOR DISABLED				
	A.S	Reported On Reported On A.S.S.A. Workpapers		rrors	Selecte		Sample Selected From Workpapers		Verified per n Registers On Roll		Errors per Registers On Roll		Reported On A.S.S.A. as Private Sample for		Cample		
_	Full	Shared	Full	Shared	Full	Shared		Full	Shared	Full	Shared	Full	Shared		Verification		Sample Errors
Half Day Preschool 3 yr.	8		8					1		1							
Half Day Preschool 4 yr.	8		8					1		1							
Full Day Kindergarten	172		172					32		32							
One	150		150					28		28							
Two	189		189					35		35	i						
Three	185		185					34		34							
Four	176		176					32		32							
Five	179		179					- 33		33	ı						
Six	196		196					36		36	i						
Subtotal	1,263	0	1,263	0	0	0	-	232		232	0	C	) 0	0	0		0
Special Ed - Elementary	137		137					25		25	ı			5	1	1	
Special Ed - Middle Special Ed - High	31		31					6		6				2			
Subtotal =	168	0	168	0	0	0		31	0	31	0	(	) 0	7	1	1	0
Totals =	1,431	0	1,431	0	0	0		263	0	263	0		) 0	7	1	1	0
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#### SCHEDULE OF AUDITED ENROLLMENTS

Percentage Error

## FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT APPLICATION OR STATE SCHOOL AID SUMMARY ENROLLMENT AS OF OCTOBER 14, 2016

	Resi	dent Low Income		Samp	Sample for Verification			dent LEP Low Inc	ome	Sample for Verification			
	Reported On A.S.S.A. as Low Income	Reported On Workpapers as Low Income	Errors	Sample Selected From Workpapers	Verified to Application and Register	Sample Errors	Reported on A.S.S.A. as LEP Low Income	Reported on Workpapers as LEP Low Income	Errors	Sample Selected From Workpapers	Verified to Test Score and Register	Sample Errors	
Half Day Preschool 3 yr. Half Day Preschool 4 yr.													
Full Day Kindergarten	58	58		24	24		2			2	2		
One	54	54		23	23		3	3		2	2		
Two	56	56		24	24								
Three	54	54		23	23		1	1		1	1		
Four	49	49		21	21		2	2		2	2		
Five	50	50		21	21								
Six	55	55		23	23		1	1		1	1		
Subtotal	376	376	0	159	159	0	9	9	0	8	8	0	
Special Ed - Elementary	77	77			0		4	4	0	3	3		
Special Ed - Middle Special Ed - High	16	16			0				•	·	_		
Subtotal	93	93	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	3	3	0	
Co. Voc Regular Co. Voc. Ft. Post Sec.													
Totals	469	469	0	159	159	0	13	13	0	11	11	0	
Percentage Error			0.00%		-	0.00%		-	0.00%			0.00%	

			TRANSPO	RTATION					
	Reported on DRTRS by DOE/County	Reported on DRTRS by District	Errors	Tested	Verified	Errors			
Reg Public Schools	937	937		198	198				
Reg Special Ed.	70	70		15	15				
Transported - Non-Public		0			0		Avg. Mileage - Regular Including Grade PK Students	Reported 5.1	Re-Calculated
Aid in Lieu - Non-Public	99	99		21	21		Avg. Mileage - Regular Excluding Grade PK Students Avg. Mileage - Special Ed with Special Needs	5.1 4.9	
Special Needs - Public Totals	96 1,202	96 1,202	0	20 254	20 254	0			

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#### **SCHEDULE OF AUDITED ENROLLMENTS**

Percentage Error

# FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT APPLICATION OR STATE SCHOOL AID SUMMARY ENROLLMENT AS OF OCTOBER 14, 2016

	Resident I	EP NOT Low Inc	Sample for Verification					
	Report On A.S.S.A. as NOT Low Income	Report On Workpapers as NOT Low Income	Errors	Sample Selected From Workpapers	Verified to Application and Register	Sample Errors		
Half Day Preschool 3 yr. Half Day Preschool 4 yr. Half Day Kindergarten One Two Three Four Five	1 1	1		1 0	1 0			
Six Subtotal	2	2		1	1	0		
Special Ed - Elementary Special Ed - Middle Special Ed - High	2	2	Ü	'	'	U		
Subtotal	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Co. Voc Regular Co. Voc. Ft. Post Sec.								
Totals	2	2	0	1	1	0		

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0.00%

### TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT EXCESS SURPLUS CALCULATION

#### SECTION 1

A. 2% Calculation of Excess Surplus	
2016-17 Total General Fund Expenditures per the CAFR	\$ 24,372,430 (B)
Increased by:	
Transfer from Capital Outlay to Capital Projects Fund	(B1a)
Transfer from Capital Reserve to Capital Projects Fund	(B1b)
Transfer from General Fund to SRF for PreK-Regular	(B1c)
Transfer from General Fund to SRF for PreK-Inclusion	(B1d)
Decreased by:	
On-Behalf TPAF Pension & Social Security	2,280,368 (B2a)
Assets Acquired Under Capital Leases	169,452 (B2b)
Adjusted 16-17 General Fund Expenditures [(B)+(B1s)-(B2s)]	<u>21,922,609</u> (B3)
2% of Adjusted 2016-17 General Fund Expenditures	
[(B3) times .02]	429 452 (DA)
Enter Greater of (B4) or \$250,000	438,452 (B4) 438,452 (B5)
Increased by: Allowable Adjustment*	57,159 (K)
northway of the month of the factories	57,139 (K)
Maximum Unassigned/Undesignated-Unreserved Fund Balance[(B5)+(K)]	\$495,611_(M)
SECTION 2	
Total General Fund - Fund Balances @ 6-30-17	
(Per CAFR Budgetary Comparison Schedule C-1)	\$ 4,463,822 (C)
Decreased by:	
Year-end Encumbrances	70,141 (C1)
Legally Restricted - Designated for Subsequent Year's	
Expenditures	2,461,971 (C2)
Legally Restricted - Excess Surplus - Designated for Subsequent Year's	<u></u>
Expenditures**	163,403 (C3)
Other Restricted Fund Balances****	1,246,186 (C4)
Assigned Fund balance Unreserved - Designated for Subsequent Year's	
Expenditures	26,509 (C5)
Additional Assigned Fund Balance - Unreserved - Designated	
for Subsequent Year's July 1, 2017 - August - 1, 2017	(C6) *****
Total Unassigned Fund Balance [(C)-(C1)-(C2)-(C3)-(C4)-(C5)-(C6)]	\$ <u>495,611</u> (U1)

	TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT  EXCESS SURPLUS CALCULATION			
SECT	ION 3			
	ted Fund Balance- Excess Surplus*** [(U1)-(M)] IF NEGATIVE ENTER -0-	\$		(12)
	itulation of Excess Surplus as of June 30, 2017	³ <b>-</b> -		= <sup>(E)</sup>
Metap	ntulation of Excess Surplus as of June 30, 2017			
Reserv	red Excess Surplus - Designated for Subsequent Year's  Expenditures**		163,403	(C3)
Reserv	red Excess Surplus ***[(E)]		105,405	(C3) (E)
Total I	Excess Surplus [(C3) + (E)]	\$ <u></u>	163,403	(D)
Footno	<u>stes:</u>			
*	Allowable adjustment to expenditures on line K must be detailed as follows. This adjustment line (as detailed below) is to be utilized when applicable for:  (H) Federal Impact Aid. The passage of P.L. 2016, c.46 amended N.J.S.A. 18A:7F-41 to permit a board of education to appropriate federal impact aid funds to establish or supplement a federal impact aid legal reserve in the general fund. Accordingly, effective for the year ending June 30, 2016 the Federal Impact Aid adjustment to expenditures is limited to the portion of Federal Impact Aid Section 8002 and Section 8003 received during the fiscal year and recognized as revenue on the General Fund Budgetary Comparison Schedule, but not transferred to the Federal Impact Aid Reserve-General (8002 or 8003) by board resolution during June 1 to June 30 of the fiscal year under audit. Amounts transferred to the reserve are captured on line (C4);  (I) Sale & Lease-Back (Refer to the Audit Program Section II, Chapter 10);  (J1) Extraordinary Aid;  (J2) Additional Nonpublic School Transportation Aid;  (J3) Recognized current year School Bus Advertising Revenue; and  (J4) Family Crisis Transportation Aid.  Notes to auditor: Refer to the Audit Program Section II, Chapter 10 for restrictions on the inclusion of Extraordinary Aid, Family Crisis Transportation Aid, and Additional Nonpublic School Transportation Aid.			
	Detail of Allowable Adjustments			
	Impact Aid Sale & Lease-Back Extraordinary Aid Additional Nonpublic School Transportation Aid Current Year School Bus Advertising Revenue Recognized Family Crisis Transportation Aid	\$	39,933 17,226	. ` ′
	Total Adjustments $[(H) + (I) + (J1) + (J2) + (J3) + (J4)]$	\$	57,159	
**	This amount represents the June 30, 2017 Excess Surplus (C3 above) and must be included in the Audit Summary Worksheet Line 90031.			•
***	Amounts must agree to the June 30, 2017 CAFR and must agree to Audit Summary Worksheet Line 90030.			
****	Amount for Other Reserved Fund Balances must be detailed for each source. Use in the excess surplus calculation of any legal reserve that is not state mandated or that is not legally imposed by an other type of government, such as the judicial branch of government, must have Departmental approval. District requests should be submitted to the Division of Finance and Regulatory Compliance prior to September 30.			
****	Increase in Assigned Fund Balance - Unreserved - Designated for Subsequent Year's expenditures July 1, 2017 to August 1, 2017 resulting from decrease in state aid after adoption of 2017-18 district budget. Refer to Commissioner's <a href="https://example.com/Broadcast">Broadcast</a> and to page 1-4.2 of this Audit Program.			
	Detail of Other Restricted Fund Balance			
	Statutory restrictions:	•		
	Approved unspent separate proposal Sale/lease-back reserve	\$		
	Capital reserve Maintenance reserve		878,386	
	Emergency Reserve		367,800	

Temel Calle

\$ 1,246,186 (C4)

Other state/government mandated reserve [Other Restricted Fund Balance not noted above] \*

Total Other Restricted Fund Balance

School Bus Advertising 50% Fuel Offset Reserve - Current Year School Bus Advertising 50% Fuel Offset Reserve - Prior Year Impact Aid General Fund Reserve (Sections 8007 and 8008) Impact Aid General Fund Reserve (Sections 8002 and 8003)

Tuition reserve

#### AUDIT RECOMMENDATIONS SUMMARY

## For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017 Township of Franklin School District

#### Recommendations:

- 1. Administrative Practices and Procedures None
- 2. Financial Planning. Accounting and Reporting

#### **Finding 2017-1**

#### **Recommendation:**

The district should adopt internal control procedures designed to ensure that reimbursements of TPAF/FICA paid by the State on-behalf of TPAF employees charged to federal grants are remitted within the statutory 90 day liquidation period.

- 3. School Purchasing Programs None
- 4. School Food Service None
- 5. <u>Student Body Activities</u> None
- 6. Application for State School Aid None
- 7. Pupil Transportation None
- 8. Facilities and Capital Assets

#### **Finding 2017-2**

#### Recommendation:

Additions and deletions of fixed assets made during the year should be recorded in a timely manner, in order to acquire updated fixed asset information for inclusion in the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report. In addition, a physical inventory of fixed assets is suggested, in order to verify the accuracy of the assets reflected in the subsidiary ledger on file.

- 9. Miscellaneous None
- 10. Status of Prior Year Audit Findings/Recommendations

A review was performed on the prior year recommendations and corrective action was taken on all prior year findings.