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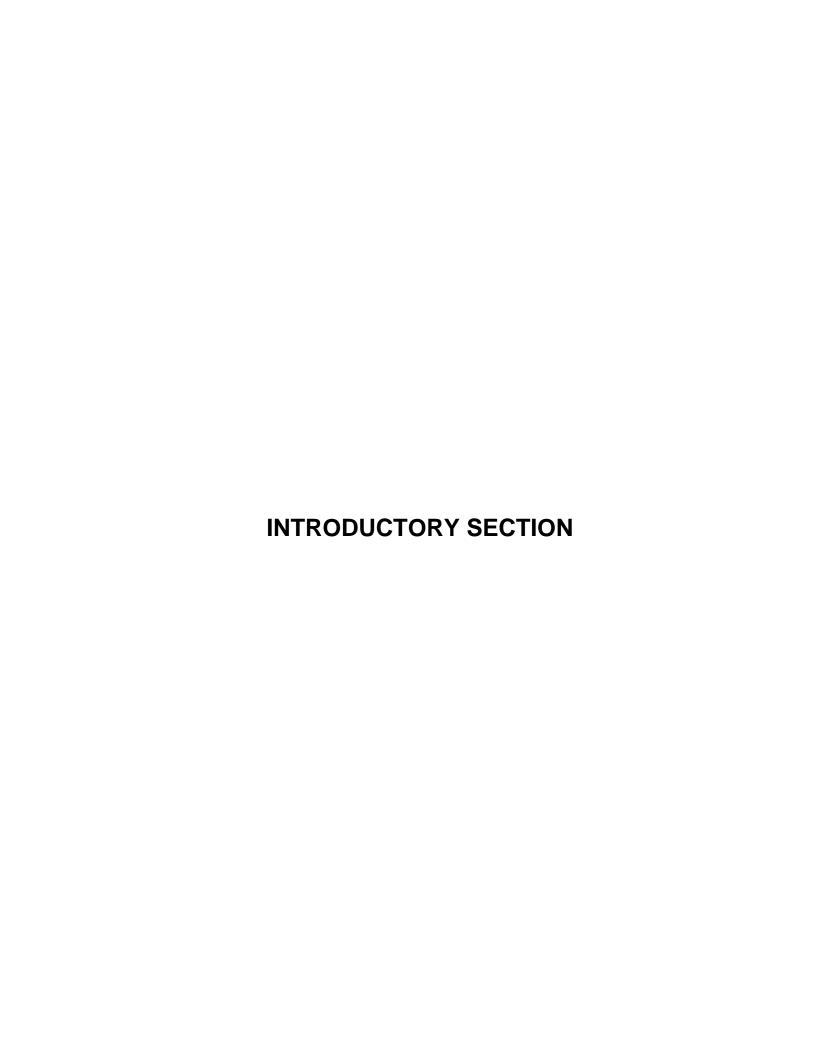
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Theresa Adubato Principal



February 25, 2019

Honorable President and Members of the Board of Trustees Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. County of Essex Newark, New Jersey

Dear Board Members:

The comprehensive annual financial report (CAFR) of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. (the "School" or "Academy") for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018, is hereby submitted. This CAFR includes the School's Basic Financial Statements prepared in accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement 34. Responsibility for both the accuracy of the data and completeness and fairness of the presentation, including all disclosures, rests with the management of the Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. Board of Trustees (the "Board"). 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 financial position and results of operations of the various funds of the School. All disclosures necessary to enable the reader to gain an understanding of the School'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 School's organizational chart, roster of officials, and a list of consultants and advisors. The financial section includes Management's Discussion and Analysis, the basic financial statements and notes providing an overview of the School's financial position and operating results, as well as the auditor's report thereon. The statistical section includes selected financial and demographic information, generally presented on a multi-year basis, as the information was available to us. The School is required to undergo an annual single audit in conformity with the provisions of the Single Audit Act of 1984, as amended, Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance) and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants, and State Aid. Information related to this single audit, including the auditor's report on the internal control and compliance with applicable laws, regulation, contracts and grants, along with findings and questioned costs, is included in the single audit section of this report.

Reporting Entity and Its Services

The School is an independent reporting entity within the criteria adopted by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. All funds of the School are included in this report. Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. and its two schools constitute the School's reporting entity.

The School provides a full range of educational services appropriate to grade levels K through 8. These include regular as well as special education for disabled youngsters.

Economic Condition and Outlook

The School area has remained constant. Business and residential areas are relatively the same as the prior year. The School's outlook remains good since its programs exceed those in surrounding areas.

Major Initiatives

Robert Treat Academy Charter School completed its twenty-first year of operation in June 2018.

Robert Treat Academy has two campuses. Our Stephen N. Adubato campus located at 443 Clifton Avenue has an enrollment of 450 students. Our Jackie Robinson campus located at 180 William Street has an enrollment of 223 students. Total enrollment is 673 students.

Both Robert Treat Academy campuses offer an eleven-month school year with a seven-hour instructional day and an eight hour professional day. Early care beginning at 7:30 a.m. and an extended school day (until 5:30 p.m.) accommodate working parents and provide time for extracurricular activities. Our remedial services in English/Language Arts and Math as well as remedial and guided reading, tutoring and homework help, take place during the extended day insuring that students do not miss classroom instructional time because they are receiving additional instruction.

The extended day program offers extracurricular enrichment activities including a Robotics Club and recreation (boys' and girls' basketball, golf, swimming, tennis), and arts programs (Instrumental Music Instruction, Chorus, Step Dancing, Arts and Crafts, and Creative Writing) as well as activities to address character education.

Parent participation continues to be a key element of our focus as witnessed by the high levels of attendance we consistently record at monthly parent meetings. Parents serve on the Board of Trustees, the Parent Teacher Organization, an autonomous organization, sponsors a variety of events for teachers, parents and students. Parent representatives also volunteer in other areas (coaching recreational activities, chaperoning students on trips, attending and assisting at school-wide events, plays and performances).

In the nine subject areas including English/Language Arts and Mathematics, Science (NJSLA for 4th and 8th grades), Social Studies, Technology, World Languages (Spanish), Visual and Fine Arts, Physical Education and Health, and 21st Century Life & Careers our curricula is aligned to the NJ Student Learning Standards.

In key subject areas, staff development remains crucial to meeting the Academy's overall mission. Our training schedule included workshops in math, English/language arts, reading, science, and behavior management. In the area of technology, staff development was offered to help teachers become more effective users of technology in the classroom.

Efforts to prepare our students for the PARCC test were a main area of attention and will continue to be foremost on our list of goals and a focus of staff development activities and Saturday Academy.

In June 2018, our fourteenth class of eighth grade students graduated from the Academy. Those students were prepared for the admissions process for secondary school by our High School Placement Program. The program is responsible for working with our students and their families to place graduates in the most appropriate setting for their secondary school education. Those graduates earned in excess of \$4 million dollars in financial aid and scholarships to attend some of the most prestigious private, independent schools in the nation.

Our first group of alumni to complete college graduated in 2013. We have maintained relationships with many of these students and will continue to maintain contact with them. Several graduates have joined the staff of the Academy as either instructional assistants/teachers or clerks and it is our hope that many of our former students will return to Newark as productive citizens of the community.

The Academy also continued its relationships with community-based organizations. These groups included the Academy's founding organization, The North Ward Center and Just One Soccer which made sports activities available, as well as the Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth which provided summer enrichment programs for students as well as online courses for more gifted students. The Academy also maintained its membership in the New Jersey Charter Schools Association and the New Jersey School Boards Association.

The major educational challenge continues to be maintaining the academic achievement and growth of our students measured by the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Career (PARCC) now known as the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA) test. When results are received, we begin the process of scrutinizing data to determine where and what curricular and instructional adjustments need to be made. Further, 'at risk' students are identified for inclusion in Title-1 services and other support services.

The overall long term goal for Academic Achievement set by the New Jersey Department of Education ESSA Accountability Profile is 80% of students achieving levels 4 or 5 in English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics by 2030. Each school is given targets based on previous year's performance until the long term goal of 80% is met. The Student Growth Percentile (SGP) standard is 40%-58.5% to meet target and 60% + to exceed target for all schools annually. In the 2017-2018 school year, Robert Treat Academy's target for Academic Achievement in ELA was 76.6%. Robert Treat Academy achieved a schoolwide proficiency of 83%. Target was met schoolwide and for all subgroups. The target for Mathematics was 77.2%. Robert Treat Academy achieved schoolwide proficiency of 78.2%. Target was met schoolwide and for all subgroups. The median SGP was met at 52% for ELA and 53% for mathematics.

The long term educational goal in ELA is to ensure instructional supports are in place for students to be successful readers and writers. In 2014, we introduced STEP (Strategic Teaching and Evaluation of Progress) along with strategic guided reading instruction. This initiative has proven effective in the targeted grades of Kindergarten through third. In 2017-2018, we introduced the Dynamic Indicators Basic Early Literacy Skills (DIBELS) and the Woodcock Johnson Reading Mastery Test. The DIBELS is given mid school year to all first graders. The Woodcock Johnson Reading Mastery Test is given to students who are 'flagged' for possible reading issues on the DIBELS and new students entering the Academy beyond 3rd grade.

The educational goal in mathematics is to eventually have the majority of our 8th grade students take Algebra 1 (usually taken freshman year in high school). Toward that goal we have leveled our 7th and 8th grade students. In our middle school grades we have grade level and advanced curriculum. In the 2017-2018 school year, twenty eight 8th grade students were placed in our Algebra 1 course and took Algebra 1 PARCC. Our 8th graders achieved 96.6% proficiency.

Small group targeted instruction continues to be the cornerstone of our instructional program. This is instruction based on data from a variety of sources. This data give teachers the information to personalize student learning, monitor their growth over time, and predict student proficiency on the NJSLA.

Internal Accounting Controls

Management of the School is responsible for establishing and maintaining a system of internal controls designed to ensure that the assets of the School are 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 accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The internal control system 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 awards and state financial assistance, the School also is responsible for ensuring that an adequate internal control system is in place to ensure compliance with applicable laws, regulations, contracts and grants related to those programs. The internal control system is also subject to periodic evaluation by the School's management.

As part of the School's single audit described earlier, tests are made to determine the adequacy of the internal control system, including that portion related to federal awards and state financial assistance programs, as well as to determine that the School has complied with applicable laws, regulations, contracts, and grants.

Budgetary Controls

In addition to internal accounting controls, the School maintains budgetary controls. The objective of these budgetary controls is to ensure compliance with legal provisions embodied in the annual appropriated budget approved by a vote of the Board of Trustees. Annual appropriated budgets are adopted for the General Fund and the Special Revenue Fund. Project-length budgets, if any, are approved for 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 re-appropriations of fund balance in the subsequent year. Those amounts to be re-appropriated are reported as committed or assigned fund balance at fiscal year end.

Accounting System and Reports

The School's accounting records reflect generally accepted accounting principles, as promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. The accounting system of the School is organized on the basis of funds. These funds are explained in "Notes to Financial Statements", Note 1.

Cash Management

The investment policy of the School is guided in large part by State Statute as detailed in the Notes to Financial Statements, Note 1. The School has adopted a cash management plan, which requires it to deposit public funds in public depositories protected from loss under provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act (GUDPA). GUDPA was enacted in 1970 to protect governmental units from loss of funds on deposit with failed banking institutions in New Jersey. The law requires governmental units to deposit public funds only in public depositories located in New Jersey, where funds are secured in accordance with the Act.

Risk Management

The School carries various forms of insurance, including but not limited to general liability, automobile liability, hazard and theft insurance on property and contents, and fidelity bonds. A schedule of insurance coverage is found in Exhibit J-20.

Other Information

Independent Audit - State statutes require an annual audit by independent certified public accountants. The audit firm of Smolin, Lupin & Co., P.A. was selected by the School. In addition to meeting the requirements set forth in State Statutes, the audit was also designed to meet the requirements of the Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, as required. 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 single audit section of this report.

<u>Acknowledgements</u>

We would like to express our appreciation to the members of the Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s Board for their concern in providing fiscal accountability to the citizens and taxpayers of the School 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,

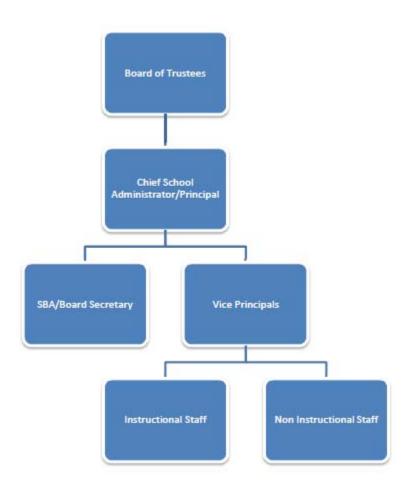
Theresa Adubato
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Administrator

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Board Secretary/School Business Administrator

Robert Treat Academy Charter School 2017-2018 Organizational Chart



ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. ROSTER OF OFFICIALS JUNE 30, 2018

Members of the Board of Trustees	Term Expires
Philip B. Alagia	June 2019
Robert R. Detore (President)	June 2019
Adrianne Davis (Vice President)	June 2019
Tahira Strand	June 2018
Karen Calderon	June 2018
Wilfredo Caraballo	June 2018
Emil Garruto	June 2020
John Clancy	Resigned February 15, 2018
Zarala Zabala de Kelly	June 2020

Other Officials

Theresa Adubato, Principal/Chief School Administrator

Lucy Bernardo, Recording Secretary

Nicholas Grieco, Board Attorney

Marcelino Trillo, Vice Principal

Paul Parada, Vice Principal

Sung Yi, Board Secretary/School Business Administrator

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. CONSULTANTS AND ADVISORS JUNE 30, 2018

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Independent Auditor's Report

The Honorable President and
Members of the Board of Trustees
Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.
County of Essex
Newark, New Jersey

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. (the "School"), in the County of Essex, State of New Jersey, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the School's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

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



Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc., in the County of Essex, State of New Jersey, as of June 30, 2018, 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.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 1 to the financial statements, in the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018, Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. adopted the provisions of Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions. Our opinions are not modified with respect to this matter.

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 pension and other postemployment benefits information as listed 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 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.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s basic financial statements. The introductory section, combining and individual fund financial statements, statistical section, schedule of expenditures of federal awards as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance), and schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance as required by New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The combining and individual fund financial statements, schedule of expenditures of federal awards and schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the 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 fund financial statements, schedule of expenditures of federal awards and schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

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

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated February 25, 2019 on our consideration of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

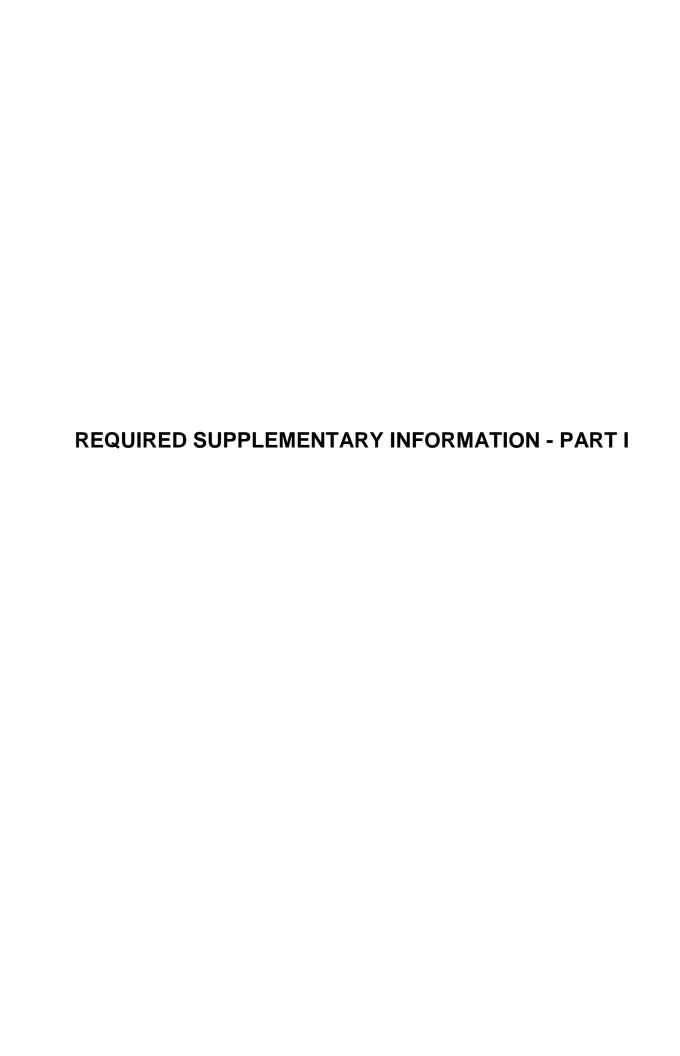
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Public School Accountant License #20CS00119300

Fairfield, New Jersey February 25, 2019



The discussion and analysis of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s (the "School") financial performance provides an overall review of the School's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the School's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the basic financial statements and notes to enhance their understanding of the School's financial performance. Certain comparative information between the current fiscal year (2017-2018) and the prior fiscal year (2016-2017) is presented in the Management's Discussion and Analysis.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for 2018 are as follows:

- In total, net position of governmental activities decreased by \$496,138, which represents a 25.78% decrease from 2017. Net position of business-type activities increased by \$62,811.
- General revenues accounted for \$9,696,637 in revenue, or 67.70% of all revenues. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services, operating grants and contributions accounted for \$4,625,386, or 32.30% of total revenues of \$14,322,023.
- Total assets of governmental activities increased by \$27,505, as cash decreased by \$789,855, receivables increased by \$579,055, other assets increased by \$6,625 and net capital assets increased by \$231,680.
- Among governmental funds, the General Fund had \$10,890,329 in revenues and \$11,221,998 in expenditures. The General Fund's fund balance decreased \$331,669 over 2017.
- Effective July 1, 2017, Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. adopted the provisions of GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions. As a result of this adoption, state source revenue and expenses for the year ended June 30, 2018, included an additional \$2,094,525 in state contributions for postemployment benefits. There was no effect on net position as of June 30, 2017.

Using this Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR)

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements and notes to those statements. These statements are organized so the reader can understand Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. as a financial whole, an entire operating entity. The statements then proceed to provide an increasingly detailed look at specific financial activities.

The Statement of Net position and Statement of Activities provide information about the activities of the whole School, presenting both an aggregate view of the School's finances and a longer-term view of those finances. Fund financial statements provide the next level of detail. For governmental funds, these statements tell how services were financed in the short-term as well as what remains for future spending. The fund financial statements look at all the School's funds. In the case of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc., the General Fund is by far the most significant fund.

Reporting the School as a Whole

Statement of Net position and the Statement of Activities

While this document contains the large number of funds used by the School to provide programs and activities, the view of the School as a whole looks at all financial transactions and asks the question, "How did we do financially during 2018?" The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities answer this question. These statements include all assets and deferred outflows and liabilities and deferred inflows using the accrual basis of accounting similar to the accounting used by most private-sector businesses. This basis of accounting takes into account all of the current year's revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid.

These two statements report the School's net position and changes in net position. This change in net position is important because it tells the reader that, for the School as a whole, the financial position of the School has improved or diminished. The causes of this change may be the result of many factors, some financial and some not. Non-financial factors include the City of Newark's property tax base, current laws in New Jersey restricting revenue growth, facility condition, required educational programs and other factors.

In the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities, the School is divided into two distinct kinds of activities:

- Governmental Activities The School's programs and services are reported here, including instruction, support services, operation and maintenance of plant facilities.
- Business-Type Activities These services are provided on a charge for goods or services basis
 to recover all the expenses of the goods or services provided. The Food Service and Before
 and After Care enterprise funds are reported as business-type activities.

Reporting the School's Most Significant Funds

Fund Financial Statements

Fund financial reports provide detailed information about the School's funds. The School uses many funds to account for a multitude of financial transactions. The School's governmental funds are the General Fund and Special Revenue Fund.

Governmental Funds

The School's activities are reported in Governmental Funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at year-end available for spending in the future years. These funds are reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting, which measures cash and all other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the School's general governmental operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental funds information helps the reader determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance educational programs. The relationship (or differences) between governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) and governmental funds is reconciled in the financial statements.

Reporting the School's Most Significant Funds (Continued)

Enterprise Fund

The enterprise fund uses the same basis of accounting as business-type activities; therefore, these statements are essentially the same.

The School as a Whole

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

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

Table 1 provides a summary of the School's net position at June 30.

TABLE 1
NET POSITION

		Govern Acti				Busine Activ				Te	otal				
		2018		2017		2018		2017		2018		2017		Amount Change	% Change
Assets: Current and Other Assets	\$	1,497,342	\$	1,701,517	\$	141,421	\$	233,672	\$	1,638,763	\$	1,935,189	\$	(296,426)	-15.32%
Capital Assets	_	454,092	_	222,412	_	111,970	_	117,789	_	566,062	_	340,201	_	225,861	66.39%
Total Assets	_	1,951,434		1,923,929		253,391		351,461		2,204,825		2,275,390		(70,565)	-3.10%
Deferred Outflows		2,264,509		1,785,700						2,264,509		1,785,700		478,809	26.81%
Liabilities: Long-term Liabilities		4,365,134		4,381,566						4,365,134		4,381,566		(16,432)	-0.38%
Other Liabilities		1,084,483		938,132	_	26,739		187,620	_	1,111,222	_	1,125,752	_	(14,530)	-1.29%
Total Liabilities		5,449,617	_	5,319,698		26,739	_	187,620	_	5,476,356	_	5,507,318	_	(30,962)	-0.56%
Deferred Inflows		885,147		12,614						885,147		12,614		872,533	6917.18%
Net Position: Investment in															
Capital Assets Restricted Unrestricted		454,092 75,000		222,412 75,000		111,970		117,789		566,062 75,000		340,201 75,000		225,861 -	66.39% 0.00%
- (deficit)	_	(2,647,913)		(1,920,095)		114,682		46,052	_	(2,533,231)		(1,874,043)		(659,188)	35.17%
Total Net Position	\$	(2,118,821)	\$	(1,622,683)	\$	226,652	\$	163,841	\$	(1,892,169)	\$	(1,458,842)	\$	(433,327)	-29.70%

The School's combined net position of \$(1,892,169) on June 30, 2018, results in a decrease of 29.70% from the prior year.

Reporting the School's Most Significant Funds (Continued)

The School as a Whole (continued)

Table 2 shows changes in net position for fiscal years 2018 and 2017.

TABLE 2
CHANGES IN NET POSITION

	011/	NACEO IIA IAE I	. 00	111011		
		2018		2017	 Amount Change	% Change
Revenues:						
Program Revenues:						
Charges for Services	\$	388,514	\$	321,649	\$ 66,865	20.79%
Operating Grants and Contributions		4,236,872		3,038,621	1,198,251	39.43%
General Revenues:						
Property Taxes		1,404,955		1,323,693	81,262	6.14%
Grants and Entitlements		8,286,189		8,572,049	(285,860)	-3.33%
Other		5,493		3,210	 2,283	71.12%
Total Revenues		14,322,023		13,259,222	 1,062,801	8.02%
Program Expenses:						
Instruction		7,863,199		7,199,835	663,364	9.21%
Administrative		2,087,608		2,033,720	53,888	2.65%
Support Services		3,963,836		3,536,994	426,842	12.07%
Unallocated depreciation		102,114		143,618	(41,504)	
Enterprise Fund		738,593		664,830	 73,763	11.10%
Total Expenses		14,755,350		13,578,997	1,176,353	8.66%
Decrease in Net Position	\$	(433,327)	\$	(319,775)	\$ (113,552)	-35.51%
			_			

Governmental Activities

Local tax levy made up 10.39% of revenues for governmental activities for the School for fiscal year 2018, and 10.57% for fiscal year 2017. Local tax levy revenues increased by \$81,262, which is a 6.14% increase over the prior year. The School's total governmental activity revenues were \$13,520,619 for the year ended June 30, 2018.

Governmental Funds

As demonstrated by the various statements and schedules included in the financial section of this report, the School continues to meet its responsibility for sound financial management. The following schedule presents a summary of the general fund revenues and special revenue fund revenues for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018:

Reporting the School's Most Significant Funds (Continued)

Governmental Funds (continued)

TABLE 3
GENERAL AND SPECIAL REVENUE FUND REVENUES

Revenues	 Amount	Percent of Total	-	([ncrease Decrease) From 2016-17	Percent of Increase (Decrease)
Tax Levy - Local Share	\$ 1,404,955	12.15	%	\$	81,262	6.14 %
Local Levy - State Share	8,519,431	73.68			(52,618)	(0.61)
Local Sources - Miscellaneous	5,493	0.05			2,283	71.12
State Sources	960,450	8.31			65,138	7.28
Federal Sources	 672,962	5.81	_		112,121	19.99
Total	\$ 11,563,291	100.00	%	\$	208,186	1.83 %

The following schedule presents a summary of general fund and special revenue fund expenditures for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018:

TABLE 4
GENERAL AND SPECIAL REVENUE FUND EXPENDITURES

Expenditures	 Amount	Percent of Total	Increase (Decrease) From 2016-17	Percent of Increase (Decrease)
Current Expense: Instruction	\$ 4,039,322	33.96 %	\$ (22,182)	(0.55) %
Undistributed Expenditures	6,848,882	57.58	259,835	3.94
Capital Outlay	333,794	2.81	304,372	1,034.50
Special Revenue	 672,962	5.65	 102,023	17.87
Total	\$ 11,894,960	100.00_%	\$ 644,048	5.72 %

Reporting the School's Most Significant Funds (Continued)

Business-Type Activities

Revenues for the School's business-type activities (Food Service Program and Before and After Care Program) were comprised of charges for services, and federal and state reimbursements.

- Food service revenues exceed expenses by \$62,811.
- Before and After Care revenues equaled expenses.
- Charges for services represent \$388,514 of revenues. This represents amounts paid by parents for sales and services.
- Federal and state reimbursement for meals, including payments for free and reduced lunches, breakfasts, and snacks was \$412,890.

Governmental Activities

Instruction expenses include activities directly dealing with the teaching of pupils and the interaction between teacher and student, including extracurricular activities.

Administrative and support services include expenses associated with administrative and financial supervision of the School.

The School's Funds

All Governmental Funds (i.e. General Fund and Special Revenue Fund presented in the fund-based statements) are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Total revenues amounted to \$11,563,291 and expenditures were \$11,894,960. The net decrease in fund balance for the year is \$(331,669).

As demonstrated by the various statements and schedules included in the financial section of this report, the School continues to meet its responsibility for sound financial management.

Expenditures are up \$644,048 over the prior year mostly due to increases in salaries, purchased professional educational services, employee benefits, and capital outlay projects. Expenditures exceeded revenues during the fiscal year, resulting in a decrease to fund balance. Federal grants increased by \$112,121.

General Fund Budgeting Highlights

The School's budget is prepared according to New Jersey law, and is based on accounting for certain transactions on a basis of cash receipts, disbursements, and encumbrances. The most significant budgeted fund is the General Fund.

Over the course of the year, the School revised the annual operating budget several times. Revisions in the budget were made for changes within budgetary line items for changes in school-based needs for salaries, programs supplies, other purchased services and repairs and maintenance.

Capital Assets

At the end of the fiscal year 2018, the School had \$566,062, net of depreciation, invested in equipment and improvements, which is an increase of \$231,680 in governmental activities and a decrease of \$5,819 in business-type activities from fiscal year 2017.

Table 5
Capital Assets (Net of Depreciation) at June 30,

	 2018	2017
Furniture and Equipment Leasehold Improvements	\$ 201,282 364,780	\$ 263,139 77,062
Total	\$ 566,062	\$ 340,201

Debt Administration

At June 30, 2018, the School had a net pension liability of \$4,365,134 and no liability for compensated absences.

For the Future

The School is presently in good financial condition, routinely monitors the rules and regulations for federal legislation for its grants to assess and ensure financial compliance.

Contacting the School's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide the School's parents and supporters with a general overview of the School's finances and to show the School's accountability for the resources it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional information, contact Sung Yi, School Business Administrator/Board Secretary at 443 Clifton Avenue, Newark, New Jersey 07104.



CHARTER SCHOOL-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The statement of net position and the statement of activities display information about the School. These statements include the financial activities of the School, except for fiduciary activities. Eliminations have been made to minimize the double-counting of internal activities. These statements distinguish between the governmental and business-type activities of the School.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Statement of Net Position June 30, 2018

		Governmental Activities	•	Business-type Activities	-	Total
ASSETS						
Cash	\$	466,070	\$	80,448	\$	546,518
Receivables, net	•	934,858	Ť	60,973	Ť	995,831
Other assets		21,414		,		21,414
Restricted assets:						·
Restricted cash		75,000				75,000
Capital assets						
Being depreciated	-	454,092	•	111,970	-	566,062
Total assets	-	1,951,434		253,391	-	2,204,825
Deferred outflows of resources:						
Deferred outflows related to pensions	-	2,264,509			-	2,264,509
Total deferred outflows of resources		2,264,509	•		-	2,264,509
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable		480,304		26,739		507,043
Salaries and benefits payable		413,544				413,544
Payroll deductions and withholdings		67,459				67,459
Due to Robert Treat Academy Parent Council		1,407				1,407
Intergovernmental payable:						
State		102,258				102,258
Federal		19,511				19,511
Noncurrent liabilities:						
Due beyond one year: Net pension liability		4,365,134				4,365,134
Net pension liability	-	4,303,134	•		-	4,303,134
Total liabilities		5,449,617		26,739	_	5,476,356
Deferred inflows of resources:						
Deferred inflows related to pensions	_	885,147				885,147
NET POSITION						
NET POSITION		454 000		444.070		500 000
Investment in capital assets		454,092		111,970		566,062
Restricted for: Charter school reserve		75,000				75,000
Unrestricted (deficit)		(2,647,913)		114,682		(2,533,231)
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Total net position	\$	(2,118,821)	\$	226,652	\$	(1,892,169)

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

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Statement of Activities For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

				Program Revenues		Net (E Cha	Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position	and on
Function/Programs	Expenses	Indirect Expenses Allocation	Charge for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
Governmental activities: Instruction Administrative Support services Unallocated depreciation	\$ 4,543,497 1,291,669 3,151,286 102,114	\$ 3,319,702 795,939 812,550		2,703,626 \$ 404,816 715,540	'	\$ (5,159,573) \$ (1,682,792) (3,248,296) (102,114)	· 	\$ (5,159,573) (1,682,792) (3,248,296) (102,114)
Total governmental activities	9,088,566	4,928,191		3,823,982		(10,192,775)		(10,192,775)
Business-type activities: Food services Before and After Care	445,070 293,523		94,991 293,523	412,890			62,811	62,811
Total business-type activities	738,593		388,514	412,890			62,811	62,811
Total primary government	\$ 9,827,159		\$ 388,514 \$	4,236,872 \$	1	(10,192,775)	62,811	(10,129,964)
		Ū	General revenues: Property taxes levied f Federal and State aid Miscellaneous income	neral revenues: Property taxes levied for general purposes, net Federal and State aid not restricted Miscellaneous income	poses, net	1,404,955 8,286,189 5,493		1,404,955 8,286,189 5,493
			Total general revenues	senues		9,696,637		9,696,637
			Change in net position	sition		(496,138)	62,811	(433,327)
			Net position - beginning	inning		(1,622,683)	163,841	(1,458,842)

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

(1,892,169)

226,652

(2,118,821) \$

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Net position - ending

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ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Balance Sheet Governmental Funds June 30, 2018

	_	General Fund		Special Revenue Fund		Total Governmental Funds
ASSETS						
Cash	\$	466,070	\$	-	\$	466,070
Restricted cash		75,000				75,000
Accounts receivable:		454.000				454 200
State Federal		154,300		672,962		154,300 672,962
Interfund		672,962		072,302		672,962
Other		107,596				107,596
Other Assets	_	21,414	_			21,414
Total assets	\$_	1,497,342	\$_	672,962	\$	2,170,304
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES						
Liabilities: Accounts payable	\$	282,189	Ф		\$	282,189
Salaries and benefits payable	Φ	413,544	φ	-	Φ	413,544
Payroll deductions and withholdings		67,459				67,459
Due to Robert Treat Academy Parent Council Intergovernmental payable:		1,407				1,407
State		102,258				102,258
Other		19,511				19,511
Interfund payables	_			672,962		672,962
Total liabilities	_	886,368	-	672,962		1,559,330
Fund balances:						
Restricted for:						
Charter school reserve		75,000				75,000
Committed:						
Year-end encumbrances		36,900				36,900
Unassigned	_	499,074				499,074
Total fund balances	_	610,974			-	610,974
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$_	1,497,342	\$_	672,962	=	
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement	of net position	(A-1) are diffe	erent	because:		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not finance reported in the funds. The costs of the assets are \$1,87			e, are	e not		
depreciation is \$1,423,040.						454,092
Deferred outflows related to pensions.						2,264,509
Accounts payable related to the April 1, 2019 required PERS liquidated with current financial resources.	t		(198,115)			
Deferred inflows related to pensions.						(885,147)
Net pension liability.					-	(4,365,134)
Net position of governmental activities					\$	(2,118,821)

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Governmental Funds

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

		General Fund		Special Revenue Fund		Total Governmental Funds	
REVENUES: Local sources: Local tax levy	\$	1,404,955	\$	_	\$	1,404,955	
Miscellaneous	_	5,493	· _		Ī	5,493	
Total revenues - local sources		1,410,448				1,410,448	
State sources Federal sources	_	9,479,881	. <u>–</u>	672,962	·	9,479,881 672,962	
Total revenues	_	10,890,329		672,962	,	11,563,291	
EXPENDITURES: Current expense:							
Instruction		4,039,322		504,175		4,543,497	
Administrative		3,767,114		99,269		3,866,383	
Support services		3,081,768		69,518		3,151,286	
Capital outlay	_	333,794	_		į	333,794	
Total expenditures	_	11,221,998		672,962	,	11,894,960	
Net change in fund balances		(331,669)				(331,669)	
Fund balances - July 1	_	942,643				942,643	
Fund balances - June 30	\$_	610,974	\$_	-	\$	610,974	

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

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

\$ (331,669)

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 depreciation exceeded capital outlays in the period.

Depreciation
Capital outlays

231,680

(102,114)

333,794

Governmental funds report School pension contributions as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of pension benefits earned is reported as pension expense. This is the amount by which pension benefits earned exceeded the School's pension contributions in the current period.

(396,149)

Change in net position of governmental activities

(496,138)

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Statement of Net Position Proprietary Funds June 30, 2018

Business-Type Activities -

		business-Type Activities -						
	_	Enterprise Funds						
		Food		Before and				
		Services		After Care		Total		
ASSETS	_		•					
Current assets:								
Cash	\$	80,448	\$	_	\$	80,448		
Accounts receivable	Ψ	00,440	Ψ	_	Ψ	00,440		
		000				000		
State		886				886		
Federal	_	60,087	-		_	60,087		
Total current assets	_	141,421	-		_	141,421		
Noncurrent assets:								
Furniture, machinery and equipment		127,217				127,217		
Less: accumulated depreciation		15,247				15,247		
2000. documento de production	_	10,211	•		_	10,217		
Total noncurrent assets	_	111,970	-			111,970		
Total assets	_	253,391	-			253,391		
LIADILITIES								
LIABILITIES								
Current liabilities:								
Accounts payable	_	26,739			_	26,739		
Total current liabilities		26,739	-		_	26,739		
NET POSITION								
Investment in capital assets		111,970				111,970		
Unrestricted		114,682				114,682		
Oniconicica	_	114,002	-		-	114,002		
Total net position	\$_	226,652	\$		\$	226,652		

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Position Proprietary Funds

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

Business-Type Activities -

		Enterprise Funds				
	_	Food		Before and		
	_	Services	_	After Care	_	Totals
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OPERATING REVENUES:						
Charges for services:	φ	75 400	φ		Φ	75 400
Daily sales - reimbursable programs	\$	75,438	\$	-	\$	75,438
Daily sales - non-reimbursable programs		19,553		202 522		19,553
Service fees	-		-	293,523	_	293,523
Total operating revenues	_	94,991	_	293,523	_	388,514
OPERATING EXPENSES:						
Salaries		121,007		270,175		391,182
Payroll taxes		16,686		23,348		40,034
Employee benefits		11,751		•		11,751
Management and administrative fees		15,300				15,300
Supplies		3,510				3,510
Purchased professional services		3,069				3,069
Repairs		22,297				22,297
Miscellaneous		2,395				2,395
Depreciation		5,819				5,819
Cost of sales - reimbursable programs		223,743				223,743
Cost of sales - non-reimbursable programs	_	19,493	-		_	19,493
Total operating expenses	_	445,070	_	293,523	_	738,593
Operating loss	_	(350,079)	_		<u> </u>	(350,079)
Nonoperating revenues:						
State sources:						
State School Lunch Program		5,448				5,448
Federal sources:		-,				2,112
School Breakfast Program		40,492				40,492
National School Lunch Program		268,540				268,540
After School Snack Program		71,829				71,829
Food Distribution Program	_	26,581	_		_	26,581
Total nonoperating revenues	_	412,890	_		_	412,890
Change in net position		62,811				62,811
Total net position - July 1	_	163,841	-		_	163,841
Total net position - June 30	\$_	226,652	\$	-	\$_	226,652

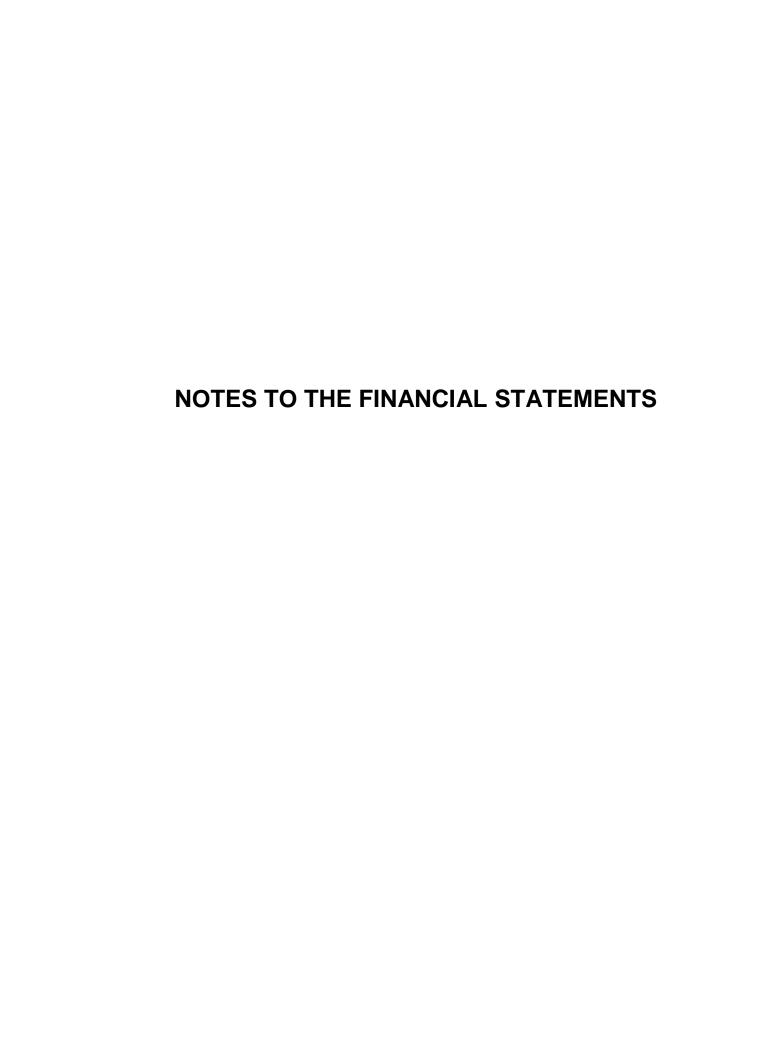
The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Statement of Cash Flows Proprietary Funds

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

Business-type Activities -

		Enterprise Funds				
	_	Food		Before and		
	_	Services	-	After Care	_	Totals
Cash flows from operating activities: Receipts from customers Payments to employees Payment for payroll taxes and employee benefits Payments to suppliers	\$	94,991 (121,007) (28,437) (424,107)	\$	293,523 (270,175) (23,348)	\$ 	388,514 (391,182) (51,785) (424,107)
Net cash used by operating activities	_	(478,560)	-		· <u>-</u>	(478,560)
Cash flows from noncapital financing activities: State sources Federal sources	_	5,502 390,450	-			5,502 390,450
Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities	_	395,952	-		. <u>-</u>	395,952
Net decrease in cash		(82,608)				(82,608)
Cash - July 1	_	163,056	-		. <u>-</u>	163,056
Cash - June 30	\$_	80,448	\$		\$_	80,448
Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash used by operating activities: Operating loss Adjustments not affecting cash:	\$_	(350,079)	\$_		\$_	(350,079)
Depreciation Donated commodities received during the year Change in assets and liabilities:		5,819 26,581				5,819 26,581
Increase in accounts payable	_	(160,881)	-		_	(160,881)
Total adjustments	_	(128,481)	-		_	(128,481)
Net cash used by operating activities	\$_	(478,560)	\$	-	\$_	(478,560)



NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. (the "School") have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP") as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB"). The GASB is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The more significant of the School's accounting policies are described below.

A. Reporting Entity:

The School is a not-for-profit corporation of the State of New Jersey, established to function as an educational institution. The Board of Trustees (the "Board") consists of nine trustees, who each serve three-year terms, and is responsible for the fiscal control of the School. A principal/chief school administrator is appointed by the Board and is responsible for the administrative control of the School. The purpose of the School is to educate students in grades K through 8.

The reporting entity is composed of the schools, component units, and other organizations that are included to ensure that the financial statements of the School are not misleading. The School consists of all funds, departments, boards and agencies that are not legally separate from the School. For Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc., this includes general operations, food service, before and after care, and student related activities of the School.

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the School is financially accountable. The School is financially accountable for an organization if the School appoints a voting majority of the organization's governing board and (1) the School is able to significantly influence the programs or services performed or provided by the organization; or (2) the School is legally entitled to or can otherwise access the organization's resources; or (3) the School is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the responsibility to finance the deficits of, or provide financial support to, the organization; or (4) the School is obligated for the debt of the organization. Component units may also include organizations that are fiscally dependent on the School in that the School approves the budget, the issuance of debt or the levying of taxes. Based on the foregoing criteria, the School has no component units. Furthermore, the School is not includable in any other reporting entity as a component unit.

B. Recent Accounting Standards:

During fiscal year 2018, the School adopted the following GASB statements:

- GASB No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions - effective with fiscal year ending June 30, 2018. The primary objective of this Statement is to improve accounting and financial reporting by state and local governments for postemployment benefits other than pensions (other postemployment benefits or OPEB). It also improves information provided by state and local governmental employers about financial support for OPEB provided by other entities.
- GASB No. 85, Omnibus 2017 effective with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018. The objective
 of this Statement is to address various issues related to blending component units, goodwill, fair
 value measurement, and the timing of measurement of postemployment benefits recognized in
 the financial statements.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

B. Recent Accounting Standards (Continued):

Other accounting standards that the School is currently reviewing for applicability and potential impact on the financial statements include:

- GASB No. 84, Fiduciary Activities will be effective with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020. The objective of this Statement is to improve guidance regarding the identification of fiduciary activities for accounting and financial reporting purposes and how those activities should be reported. This Statement establishes criteria for identifying fiduciary activities of all state and local governments. The focus of the criteria generally is on (1) whether a government is controlling the assets of the fiduciary activity and (2) the beneficiaries with whom the fiduciary relationship exists.
- GASB No. 87, Leases will be effective with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021. The objective
 of this Statement is to better meet the information needs of financial statement users by
 improving accounting and financial reporting for leases by governments. This Statement
 increases the usefulness of governments' financial statements by requiring recognition of certain
 lease assets and liabilities for leases that previously were classified as operating leases and
 recognized as inflows of resources or outflows of resources based on the payment provisions
 of the contract.

Management has not yet determined the impact of implementing these pronouncements.

C. Basis of Presentation:

The School's basic financial statements consist of Charter School-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.

Charter School-Wide Statements

The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities display information about the School as a whole. These statements include the financial activities of the School, except for fiduciary activities. Eliminations have been made to minimize the double-counting of internal activities. These statements distinguish between the governmental and business-type activity of the School. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other non-exchange transactions. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees charged to external parties.

The Statement of Net Position presents the financial condition of the governmental and business-type activities of the School at fiscal year-end. The Statement of Activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for the business-type activities of the School and for each function of the School's governmental activities. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a program or function and, therefore, are clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include (a) fees and charges paid by the recipients of goods or services offered by the programs and (b) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Revenues that are not classified as program revenue, including all taxes, are presented as general revenues. The comparison of direct expenses with program revenues identifies the extent to which each governmental function or business segment is self-financing or draws from the general revenues of the School.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

C. Basis of Presentation (Continued):

Fund Financial Statements

During the fiscal year, the School segregates transactions related to certain School 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 School's funds, including its fiduciary funds. Separate statements for each fund category - *governmental, proprietary,* and *fiduciary* are presented. The New Jersey Department of Education (NJ DOE) has elected to require New Jersey schools to treat each Governmental Fund as a major fund in accordance with the option noted in GASB No. 34, paragraph 76. The NJ DOE believes that the presentation of all funds as major is important for public interest and to promote consistency among school financial reporting models.

The School reports the following Governmental Funds:

General Fund: The General Fund is the general operating fund of the School and is used to account for all expendable financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund. Included are certain expenditures for vehicles and movable instructional or non-instructional equipment, which are classified in the capital outlay sub fund.

Special Revenue Fund: The Special Revenue Fund is used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue from State and Federal Governments (other than major capital projects, or the Proprietary 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). As of June 30, 2018, there was no Capital Projects Fund.

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, mortgage obligations to finance major property acquisition, construction and improvement programs. As of June 30, 2018, there was no Debt Service Fund.

The School reports the following Proprietary Funds:

Enterprise (Food Service and Before and After Care) Fund: The Enterprise Fund accounts for all revenues and expenses pertaining to the food service operations and the Before and After Care Program. The Enterprise Fund is utilized to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises. The stated intent is that the cost (i.e. expenses including depreciation and indirect costs) of providing goods or services to the students on a continuing basis are financed or recovered primarily through user charges.

The School reports the following Fiduciary Funds:

Trust and Agency Funds (Student Activity and Payroll Fund): The Trust and Agency Fund is used to account for the assets that the School holds on behalf of others as their agent. The Trust and Agency Fund is custodial in nature and does not involve measurement of results of operations. Agency funds include payroll and student activity funds. As of June 30, 2018, there was no Student Activity Fund.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

D. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting:

The accounting and financial reporting treatment is determined by the applicable measurement focus and basis of accounting. Measurement focus indicates the type of resources being measured such as current financial resources or economic resources. The basis of accounting indicates the timing of transactions or events for recognition in the financial statements.

Charter School-Wide, Proprietary, and Fiduciary Fund Financial Statements: The School-Wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the Proprietary Fund. The Fiduciary Fund's agency funds do not have a measurement focus. All assets, all liabilities, and all deferred outflows/inflows of resources associated with these operations (with the exception of the Fiduciary Funds) are included on the Statement of Net Position. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Local tax levy is recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental Funds Financial Statements: Governmental Fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under this method, revenues are recognized when measurable and available. "Measurable" means the amount of the transaction can be determined and "available" means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for principal and interest on long-term debt, claims and judgments, and compensated absences, which are recorded only when payment is due. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in Governmental Funds. Proceeds of general long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Local tax levy and unrestricted state aid associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. Entitlements (formula-type grants and aid) are recorded as revenues when all eligibility requirements are met, including any time requirements, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue source. Expenditure-driven grants and similar awards (reimbursement-type grants and awards) are recognized as revenue when the qualifying expenditures have been incurred and all other eligibility requirements imposed by the grantor or provider have been met, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue source. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the School.

E. Budgets/Budgetary Control:

Annual appropriated budgets are prepared each year for the General and Special Revenue Funds. The budgets are submitted to the New Jersey Department of Education after being voted upon at a monthly Board of Trustees meeting. Budgets are prepared using the modified accrual basis of accounting, except for the Special Revenue Fund as noted below. 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:23A-16.2(f)1.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

E. Budgets/Budgetary Control (Continued):

All budget amendments and transfers must be approved by Board resolution. All budget amounts presented in the accompanying supplementary information reflect the original budget and the amended budget (which have been adjusted for legally authorized revisions of the annual budgets during the year).

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 GAAP. 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.

F. Encumbrance Accounting:

Under encumbrance accounting, purchase orders, contracts and other commitments for the expenditure of resources are recorded to reserve a portion of the applicable appropriation. Encumbrances are a component of fund balance 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 Governmental Funds, other than the Special Revenue Fund, which have not been previously restricted, committed, or assigned, should be included within committed or assigned fund balance, as appropriate. Open encumbrances in the Special Revenue Fund for which the School 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.

G. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance:

Cash: Cash includes cash in banks. New Jersey schools 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 schools. Additionally, the School has adopted a cash management plan that requires it to deposit public funds in public depositories protected from loss under the provisions of New Jersey's 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 School's deposits are insured through the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) and GUDPA. The School is required to deposit their funds in a depository, which is protecting such funds pursuant to GUDPA. GUDPA requires all banks doing business in the State of New Jersey to pledge collateral equal to 5% of the average amount of its public deposits and 100% of the average amount of its public funds in excess of 75% of its capital funds for all deposits not covered by the FDIC. Bank balances are insured up to \$250,000 in aggregate by the FDIC for each bank.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

G. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued):

Receivables and Allowance for Uncollectible Accounts: All receivables are reported at their gross value and, where appropriate, are reduced by the estimated portion that is expected to be uncollectible. No allowance for uncollectible accounts has been recorded as all amounts are considered collectible.

Inventories: The cost of inventories of the Governmental Fund types are recorded as expenditures at the time individual inventory items are purchased.

Short-Term Interfund Receivables/Payables: Short-term interfund receivables/payables represent amounts that are owed, other than charges for goods or services rendered to/from a particular fund in the School and that are due within one year.

Capital Assets: Capital assets, which include property and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the Charter School-Wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the School as assets with an initial, individual cost of \$2,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are valued at acquisition value. The cost of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend assets' lives are not capitalized.

All reported capital assets of the School are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

	Estimated
Asset Class	Useful Lives
<u> </u>	
Leasehold Improvements	7 - 15
Furniture	7 - 10
Office & Computer Equipment	5 - 10
Instructional and Other Equipment	5 - 20

In the fund financial statements, capital assets used in Governmental Fund operations are accounted for as capital outlay expenditures in the Governmental Fund upon acquisition. Capital assets are not capitalized and related depreciation is not reported in the fund financial statements.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

G. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued):

Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources: In addition to assets, the Statement of Net Position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The School has one item which arises only under the accrual basis of accounting that qualifies for reporting in this category. The one item that qualifies for reporting in this category is the deferred amounts on net pension liability. Deferred amounts on net pension liability are reported in the Charter School-Wide Statement of Net Position and results from: (1) differences between expected and actual experience; (2) changes in assumptions; (3) net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments; (4) changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share of contributions; and (5) contributions made subsequent to the measurement date. These amounts are deferred and amortized over future years.

In addition to liabilities, the Statement of Net Position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The School has one item which arises only under the accrual basis of accounting that qualifies for reporting in this category. The one item that qualifies for reporting in this category is the deferred amounts on net pension liability. Deferred amounts on net pension liability are reported in the Charter School-Wide Statement of Net Position and results from: (1) differences between expected and actual experience; (2) changes in assumptions; (3) net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments; and (4) changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share of contributions. These amounts are deferred and amortized over future years.

Unearned Revenue: Unearned revenue arises when assets are recognized before revenue recognition criteria have been satisfied. Grants and entitlements received before the eligibility requirements are met are recorded as unearned revenue.

Accrued Liabilities and Long-term Obligations: All payables, accrued liabilities, and long-term obligations are reported on the Charter School-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, contractually required pension contributions and compensated absences that are paid from Governmental Funds are reported as liabilities on the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are due for payment during the current year.

Salaries and Benefits Payable: Certain School employees who provide services to the School over the eleven-month academic year have the option to have their salaries evenly disbursed during the entire twelve-month year. New Jersey statutes require that these earned but undisbursed amounts be retained in a separate bank account. As of June 30, 2018, the amount earned by these employees but not disbursed was \$413,544.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

G. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued):

Compensated Absences: School employees are granted vacation and sick leave in varying amounts under the School's personnel policies. It is the policy of the School that all full-time employees are allowed compensated sick leave of ten (10) working days per fiscal year. In addition, unused vacation and sick time carries over at the end of the school year. However, at the time of termination of employment, employees forfeit all accrued benefits except for vacation. The School has not recorded any liability for compensated absences at June 30, 2018.

Pension: In the Charter School-Wide financial statements, for purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the retirement systems sponsored and administered by the State of New Jersey and additions to/deductions from these retirement systems' fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the retirement systems. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

In the Governmental Fund financial statements, net pension liabilities represent amounts normally expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources for required pension contributions that are due and payable at year end. Pension expenditures are recognized based on contractual pension contributions that are required to be made to the pension plan during the fiscal year.

Charter School-Wide Net Position: Net position represents the difference between assets and liabilities. Net position invested in capital assets, net of related debt consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balance of any borrowing 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 School or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors, or laws or regulations of other governments. The School's policy is to first apply restricted resources when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position are available.

Fund Balance: Fund balance categories are designed to make the nature and extent of the constraints placed on the School's fund balance more transparent. These categories are comprised of a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which the School is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources reported in Governmental Funds.

<u>Restricted Fund Balance</u> - Amounts constrained to specific purposes by their providers (such as grantors, bondholders, and higher levels of government), through constitutional provisions, or by enabling legislation.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

G. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued):

<u>Committed Fund Balance</u> - Amounts constrained to specific purposes by an entity itself, using its highest level of decision-making authority; to be reported as committed, amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the entity takes the same highest level action to remove or change the constraint.

<u>Year-End Encumbrances</u> - Represents outstanding purchase orders at year end for contracts awarded by formal action of the Board of Trustee's for specific purposes from available resources of the current year for which the goods and materials have not yet been received or the services have not yet been rendered at June 30.

<u>Assigned Fund Balance</u> - Amounts the entity intends to use for a specific purpose; intent can be expressed by the Board of Trustees or by an official or body to which the Board of Trustees delegates the authority.

<u>Year-End Encumbrances</u> - Represent outstanding purchase orders for goods or services approved by management for specific purposes from available resources of the current year for which the goods and materials have not yet been received or the services have not yet been rendered at June 30.

<u>Unassigned Fund Balance</u> - Represents fund balance that has not been assigned to other funds and that has not been restricted, committed or assigned to specific purposes within the General Fund.

H. Revenues and Expenditures/Expenses:

Revenues from District of Residence: The School's primary source of revenue is from the district of residence from which its students are enrolled in the School. The amounts are calculated from the most recent budget data of the student's district.

Local Levy - Equalization Aid State and Local Share: The School's funding is pursuant to the School Funding Reform Act of 2008, which states the district of residence shall pay directly to the charter school, for each student enrolled in the charter school who resides in the district, an amount equal to 90% of the sum of the budget year equalization aid per pupil and the pre-budget year general fund tax levy per pupil inflated by the CPI rate most recent to the calculation.

Special Education / Security Aid / State Adjustment Aid - The district of residence shall pay directly to the School the security aid attributable to the student and a percentage of the district's special education categorical aid equal to the percentage of the district's special education students enrolled in the School. Additionally, the School receives Adjustment Aid and a portion of Equalization Aid and Security Aid directly from the State of New Jersey. Adjustment Aid is intended to maintain funding levels.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

H. Revenues and Expenditures/Expenses (Continued):

Interfund Transactions: Transfers between governmental and business-type activities on the Charter School-Wide statements are reported in the same manner as general revenues. Exchange transactions between funds are reported as revenues in the seller funds and as expenditures/expenses in the purchaser funds. Flows of cash or goods from one fund to another without a requirement for repayment are reported as interfund transfers. Interfund transfers are reported as other financing sources/uses in Governmental Funds and after non-operating revenues/expenses in the Enterprise Fund. Repayments from funds responsible for particular expenditures/expenses to the funds that initially paid for them are not presented on the financial statements.

Proprietary Funds, Operating and Nonoperating Revenues and Expenses: Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the food service enterprise fund and the before and after care program are charges to customers for sales and services. Operating expenses for enterprise funds include the cost of sales and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses.

- I. Allocation of Indirect Expenses: The School 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, pension, postemployment benefits, workers compensation and medical and dental benefits, were allocated based on salaries of that program. 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. Interest on long-term debt is considered an indirect expense and is reported separately on the Statement of Activities. The School has no long-term debt. Interest expense on short-term debt is included in administrative expenses. See Note 13.
- **J. Extraordinary and Special Items:** Extraordinary items are transactions or events that are unusual in nature and infrequent in occurrence. Special items are transactions or events that are within the control of management and are either unusual in nature or infrequent in occurrence. Neither of these types of transactions occurred during the fiscal year.
- **K. Management Estimates:** The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenditures/expenses. Such estimates primarily relate to unsettled transactions and events as of the date of the financial statements. Actual results may differ from estimated amounts.
- **L. Income Taxes:** The School operates as a tax-exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Therefore, no provision or liability for federal or state income taxes has been included in these financial statements. The tax returns of the Organization are subject to examination by certain taxing authorities, generally for three years after they were filed.

NOTE 2. EXPLANATION OF CERTAIN DIFFERENCES BETWEEN GOVERNMENTAL FUND STATEMENTS AND CHARTER SCHOOL-WIDE STATEMENTS

Due to differences in the measurement focus and basis of accounting used on the governmental fund statements and Charter School-Wide statements, certain financial transactions are treated differently. The basic financial statements contain a full reconciliation of these items.

NOTE 3. CASH

As of June 30, 2018, cash of the School consisted of \$546,518 in checking accounts. The School has no bank deposits that are uninsured, unregistered or uncollateralized, including any deposits that are collateralized with securities held by the pledging public depository or by its trust department or agent but not in the School's name.

<u>Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits:</u> Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the School's deposits may not be returned to it. The School has a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of June 30, 2018, the School's bank balances of \$585,261 was not exposed to custodial credit risk, as the School's deposits are primarily in public depositories protected from loss under the provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act. See Note 1.

NOTE 4. RESTRICTED CASH

On October 24, 2013, the Board of Trustees of the School authorized the creation of a \$75,000 escrow trust account as required by the New Jersey Department of Education to be utilized in the event of the dissolution of the charter granted to the School. The escrow trust account created is the Robert Treat Academy Charter School, New Jersey Department of Education Trust.

NOTE 5. RECEIVABLES

Receivables at June 30, 2018, consisted of intergovernmental receivables for local, Federal, and State activities. All receivables are considered collectible in full. A summary of the principal items of receivables follows:

	Amount		
Governmental Activities: General Fund:			
State	\$	154,300	
Local		107,596	
Federal		672,962	
Total Governmental Activities		934,858	
Business-type Activities: Food Services			
State		886	
Federal		60,087	
		60,973	
Total Receivables	\$	995,831	

NOTE 6. INTERFUND RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES, AND TRANSFERS

The following interfund balances remained on the fund financial statements at June 30, 2018:

	Interfund Receivable		_	Interfund Payable
General Fund Special Revenue Fund	\$	672,962	\$	- 672,962
	\$	672,962	\$	672,962

The receivable/payable between the General Fund and the Special Revenue Fund resulted from the loans made to the Special Revenue Fund to fund grants, until the Special Revenue Fund receives monies due from Federal grants.

There were no interfund transfers for the year ended June 30, 2018.

NOTE 7. CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital assets' activity for the year ended June 30, 2018, was as follows:

	Balance as of	•	older o	Recl		1	Balance as of
	 uly 1, 2017		Additions	Retire	nents	Ju	ne 30, 2018
Furniture and Equipment Leasehold Improvements	\$ 1,269,233 274,105	\$	8,434 325,360	\$	-	\$	1,277,667 599,465
Total at Historical Cost	1,543,338		333,794				1,877,132
Less Accumulated Depreciation for:							
Furniture and Equipment	1,123,884		64,472				1,188,356
Leasehold Improvements	197,042		37,642				234,684
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Total Accumulated Depreciation	 1,320,926		102,114				1,423,040
Governmental Activity Capital							
Assets, Net	\$ 222,412	\$	231,680	\$	-	\$	454,092
Business-type Activities:							
Equipment	\$ 127,217	\$		\$	-	\$	127,217
Less Accumulated Depreciation	9,428		5,819				15,247
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Business-type Activities Capital							
Assets, Net	\$ 117,789	\$	(5,819)	\$	-	\$	111,970

NOTE 7. CAPITAL ASSETS (CONTINUED)

Depreciation expense was charged to functions as follows:

Governmental Activities:

Unallocated \$ 102,114

Business Type Activities:

Food Services 5,819

Total \$ 107,933

NOTE 8. NET POSITION - UNRESTRICTED (DEFICIT)

As reflected on Exhibit A-1, Statement of Net Position, a deficit in unrestricted net position of \$2,647,913 existed as of June 30, 2018 for governmental activities. The primary cause of this deficit is the recognition of the net pension liability. In accordance with full accrual accounting, which is the basis of accounting for Exhibit A-1, Statement of Net Position, such liabilities are required to be recorded in the period in which they are incurred. However, in accordance with the rules and regulations that govern the School in the formulation of their annual budget (see Note 1), pension costs are recorded when due. Therefore, this deficit in unrestricted net position for governmental activities does not indicate that the School is facing financial difficulties.

The deficit is a result of the following:

Unassigned fund balance (Exhibit C-1)	\$ 499,074
Year-end encumbrances	36,900
State net pension liability and related deferred outflows and inflows	 (3,183,887)
Unrestricted net position (deficit) (Exhibit A-1)	\$ (2,647,913)

NOTE 9. FUND BALANCES

General Fund: Of the \$610,974 General Fund balance in the fund financial statements at June 30, 2018, \$75,000 is restricted as required by the New Jersey Department of Education, for the potential costs in the event of the dissolution of the charter granted to the School; \$36,900 is reserved for encumbrances; and \$499,074 is unassigned.

NOTE 10. PENSION PLANS

The State of New Jersey sponsors and administers the following contributory defined benefit public employee retirement systems covering substantially all eligible School employees: The Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) or the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS). TPAF 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 School and the system's other related non-contributing employers. PERS is considered a cost-sharing multiple-employer plan.

NOTE 10. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

Descriptions of Systems

Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund - The Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund was established in January 1955, under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 18A:66 to provide coverage, including post-retirement health care, to substantially all full time certified teachers or professional staff of the public school systems in the State. Membership is mandatory for such employees and vesting occurs after 10 years of service for pension benefits and 25 years for health care coverage. Age eligibility and benefit provisions were affected by Chapters 92 and 103, P.L. 2007, Chapter 89, P.L. 2008, Chapter 1, P.L. 2010, and Chapter 78, P.L. 2011. Members are classified into one of five tiers dependent upon the date of their enrollment. Tier 1, 2 and 3 members are eligible to retire at age 60. 60 and 62, respectively, with an annual benefit generally determined to be 1/55th of the average annual compensation for the highest three fiscal years' compensation for each year of membership during years of credited service. Tier 4 and 5 members are eligible to retire at age 62 and 65, respectively, with an annual benefit generally determined to be 1/60th of the average annual compensation for the highest five fiscal years' compensation for each year of membership during years of credited service. Anyone who retires early and is under their respective tier's retirement age receives retirement benefits as calculated in the above mentioned formulas but at a reduced rate in accordance with applicable New Jersey Statute based upon their tier.

Public Employees' Retirement System - The Public Employees' Retirement System was established as of January 1, 1955 under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:15A to provide coverage, including postretirement health care, to substantially all full time employees of the State, and to any county, municipality, school board, charter school, or public agency, provided the employee is not required to be a member of another state-administered retirement system. Age eligibility and benefit provisions were affected by Chapters 92 and 103, P.L. 2007, Chapter 89, P.L. 2008, Chapter 1, P.L. 2010, and Chapter 78, P.L. 2011. Members are classified into one of five tiers dependent upon the date of their enrollment. Tier 1, 2 and 3 members are eligible to retire at age 60, 60 and 62, respectively, with an annual benefit generally determined to be 1/55th of the average annual compensation for the highest three fiscal years' compensation for each year of membership during years of credited service. Tier 4 and 5 members are eligible to retire at age 62 and 65, respectively, with an annual benefit generally determined to be 1/60th of the average annual compensation for the highest five fiscal years' compensation for each year of membership during years of credited service. Anyone who retires early and is under their respective tier's retirement age receives retirement benefits as calculated in the above mentioned formulas but at a reduced rate in accordance with applicable New Jersey Statute based upon their tier.

The State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits, issued publicly available financial reports that include the financial statements and required supplementary information for TPAF and PERS. The financial reports may be obtained by writing to the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits, P.O. Box 295, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0295 or at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions. According to state law, all obligations of each retirement system will be assumed by the State of New Jersey should any retirement system be terminated.

The State of New Jersey also sponsors and administers the following defined contribution public employee retirement program covering certain state and local government employees, which include those School employees who are eligible for pension coverage.

NOTE 10. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

Descriptions of Systems (Continued)

Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP) - Established under the provisions of Chapter 92, P.L. 2007 and Chapter 103, P.L. 2008 to provide coverage to elected, certain appointed officials, and certain School employees not eligible for enrollment in PERS or TPAF. Effective July 1, 2007 membership is mandatory for such individuals with vesting occurring after one (1) year of membership. DCRP is a defined contribution pension plan.

Supplemental Annuity Collective Trust Fund (SACT) - The State established and administers a SACT, which is available to active members of the State-administered retirement systems to purchase annuities to supplement the guaranteed benefits provided by their retirement system. The state or local government employers do not appropriate funds to SACT.

Funding Policy

Employer and Employee Pension Contributions - The contribution policy is set by laws of the State of New Jersey and contributions are required by active members and participating employers. Plan member and employer contributions may be amended by State of New Jersey legislation with the amount of contributions by the State of New Jersey contingent upon the Annual Appropriations Act. As defined, the retirement systems require employee contributions based on 7.34% for PERS and 7.34% for TPAF. Additional increases will be phased in over the next few years that will bring the total pension contribution rate to 7.5% of employees' annual compensation. In the DCRP, employee contributions are 5.5% of employees' annual compensation.

Annual Pension Costs - For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018, the TPAF annual pension cost differs from the annual required contribution. For PERS, the annual pension cost equals contributions made. TPAF employer contributions are made annually by the State of New Jersey to the pension system on behalf of the School. PERS employer contributions are made annually by the School to the pension system in accordance with Chapter 114, P.L. 1997. In the DCRP, member contributions are matched by a 3% employer contribution.

During the fiscal years ended June 30, 2018, 2017, and 2016, the School was required to contribute for PERS and the State of New Jersey was required to contribute for TPAF, respectively for normal pension costs and accrued liability contributions (including non-contributory group life insurance (NCGI) the following amounts:

Fiscal						
Year Ended			(On-Behalf		
June 30,		PERS		TPAF	DCRP	
_	<u></u>					
2018	\$	173,716	\$	441,118	\$ _	
2017		131,428		355,273	_	
2016		106,280		246,256	_	

NOTE 10. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

Funding Policy (Continued)

In addition, for fiscal year ended June 30, 2018, the School contributed \$5,482 for PERS and the State contributed \$1,407 for TPAF for Long-Term Disability Insurance Premium (LTDI). The PERS contributions are recognized in the governmental fund financial statements (modified accrual basis) as an expenditure. The on-behalf TPAF contributions are recognized in the governmental fund financial statements (modified accrual basis) and the Charter School-Wide financial statements (accrual basis) as both a revenue and expenditure in accordance with GASB No. 85.

Also, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:66-66 the State of New Jersey reimbursed the School \$233,017 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018, for the employer's share of social security contributions for TPAF members as calculated on their base salaries. This amount has been recognized in the Charter School-Wide financial statements (accrual basis) and the governmental fund financial statements (modified accrual basis) as a revenue and expense/expenditure in accordance with GASB No. 85.

During the fiscal years ended June 30, 2018, 2017 and 2016, the School had no employer or employee contributions for DCRP.

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

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

Public Employee's Retirement System

At June 30, 2018, the School reported a liability of \$4,365,134 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2017, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation July 1, 2016, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2017. The School's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the School's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating employers, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2017, the School's proportion was .00892227%, which was an increase of .00149687% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2016.

NOTE 10. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

<u>Public Employee's Retirement System</u> (Continued)

For the year ended June 30, 2018, the School recognized full accrual pension expense of \$569,863 in the government-wide financial statements. At June 30, 2018, the School reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PERS from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows		Def	erred Inflows
Difference between expected and actual experience Changes of assumptions	\$	102,784 879,424	\$	- 876,200
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments Changes in proportion and differences between School		29,724		
contribution and proportionate share of contributions School contributions subsequent to the measurement date		1,054,462 198,115		8,947
Total	\$	2,264,509	\$	885,147

\$198,115 is reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from School contributions subsequent to the measurement date. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ending June 30,	
2018	\$ 1,137,884
2019	1,365,345
2020	811,009
2021	(1,084,273)
2022	 (850,603)
Total	\$ 1,379,362

Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability for the June 30, 2017 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2016, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2017. This actuarial valuation used the following key actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation rate	2.25%
Salary increases: Through 2026 Thereafter	1.65 - 4.15% Based on age 2.65 - 5.15%
	Based on age
Investment rate of return	7.00%

NOTE 10. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

<u>Public Employee's Retirement System</u> (Continued)

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2016 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2014. It is likely that the future experience will not exactly conform to these assumptions. To the extent that actual experience deviates from these assumptions, the emerging liabilities may be higher or lower than anticipated. The more the experience deviates, the larger the impact on future financial statements.

Mortality Rates

Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Male and Female Mortality Tables (setback 1 year for males and females) for service retirements and beneficiaries of former members and a one-year static projection based on mortality improvement Scale AA. Disability retirement rates used to value disabled retirees were based on the RP-2000 Disabled Mortality Tables (setback 3 years for males and set forward 1 year for females).

Long-Term Rate of Return

In accordance with State statue, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7.00% at June 30, 2017) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investments and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board trustees and the actuaries. The long-term expected rate of return was determined using a building block method in which best estimates ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in PERS's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2017 are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Absolute return/risk mitigation	5.00%	5.51%
Cash equivalents	5.50%	1.00%
U.S. Treasuries	3.00%	1.87%
Investment grade credit	10.00%	3.78%
Public high yield	2.50%	6.82%
Global diversified credit	5.00%	7.10%
Credit oriented hedge funds	1.00%	6.60%
Debt related private equity	2.00%	10.63%
Debt related real estate	1.00%	6.61%
Private real asset	2.50%	11.83%
Equity related real estate	6.25%	9.23%
U.S. equity	30.00%	8.19%
Non-U.S. developed markets equity	11.50%	9.00%
Emerging markets equity	6.50%	11.64%
Buyouts/venture capital	8.25%	13.08%
	100.00%	

NOTE 10. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

<u>Public Employee's Retirement System</u> (Continued)

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability for PERS was 5.00% as of June 30, 2017. This single blended discount rate was based on the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.00%, and a municipal bond rate of 3.58% as of June 30, 2017, based on the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index, which includes tax-exempt 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 contribution rate in the most recent fiscal year.

The State employer contributed 40% of the actuarially determined contributions and the local employers contributed 100% of their actuarially determined 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 2040.

Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to projected benefit payments through 2040, and the municipal bond rate was applied to projected benefit payments after that date in determining the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the School's proportionate share of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate

The following presents the School's proportionate share of the net pension liability as of June 30, 2017, calculated using the discount rate as disclosed above as well as what the School's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower (4.00%) or 1-percentage-point higher (6.00%) than the current rate:

	At 1% Decrease (4.00%)		At Current unt Rate (5.00%)	Incr	At 1% Increase (6.00%)		
Schools proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability	\$	5,237,107	\$ 4,365,134	\$	3,639,613		

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.

Additional Information

Collective balances at June 30, 2017 are as follows:

Collective deferred outflows of resources	\$ 9,501,490,051
Collective deferred inflows of resources	8,303,360,412
Collective net pension liability - local group	23,278,401,588
School's proportion	0.00892227%

NOTE 10. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

<u>Public Employee's Retirement System</u> (Continued)

The components of the net pension liability of the participating employers for PERS as of June 30, 2017, are as follows:

		State		Local	Total
Total pension liability Plan fiduciary net postion	\$	32,535,896,852 6,890,274,055	\$	44,852,367,051 21,573,965,463	\$ 77,388,263,903 28,464,239,518
	\$	25,645,622,797	\$	23,278,401,588	\$ 48,924,024,385
School's net pension liability	(as re	ported on June 30, 2	2017)		\$ 4,365,134

Collective pension expense for the Local Group for the measurement period ended June 30, 2017 is \$1,679,030,145.

The average of the expected remaining service lives of all employees that are provided with pension benefits through the pension plan (active and inactive employees) is 5.48, 5.57, 5.72 and 6.44 years for 2017, 2016, 2015 and 2014, respectively.

Teachers' Pensions and Annuity Fund

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 State's proportionate share of the TPAF net pension liability associated with the School as of June 30, 2017 was \$21,295,969. The School's proportionate share was \$0.

The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2017, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation July 1, 2016, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2017. The State's proportionate share of the net pension liability associated with the School was based on a projection of the State's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating school districts and charter schools, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2017, the State's proportionate share of the TPAF net pension liability associated with the School was .03158533%, which was an increase of .00082794% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2016.

For the year ended June 30, 2018, the School recognized on-behalf pension expense and revenue in the Charter School-Wide financial statements of \$1,475,277 for contributions incurred by the State.

NOTE 10. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

<u>Teachers' Pensions and Annuity Fund</u> (Continued)

Actuarial Assumptions

The actuarial valuation used the following assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement.

Inflation rate 2.25%

Salary increases:

2012-2021 Varies based on experience Varies based on experience

Investment rate of return 7.00%

Mortality Rates

Pre-retirement, post-retirement and disabled mortality rates were based on the experience of TPAF members reflecting mortality improvement on a generational basis based on a 60-year average of Social Security data from 1953-2013.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2016 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2015.

Long-Term Expected Rate of Return

In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7.00% at June 30, 2017) 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. The long-term expected rate of return was determined using a building block method in which best estimates ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation.

Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in TPAF's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2017, are summarized in the following table:

NOTE 10. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

<u>Teachers' Pensions and Annuity Fund</u> (Continued)

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Absolute return/risk mitigation Cash equivalents U.S. Treasuries Investment grade credit Public high yield Global diversified credit Credit oriented hedge funds Debt related private equity Debt related real estate	5.00% 5.50% 3.00% 10.00% 2.50% 5.00% 1.00% 2.00%	5.51% 1.00% 1.87% 3.78% 6.82% 7.10% 6.60% 10.63% 6.61%
Private real asset Equity related real estate U.S. equity Non-U.S. developed markets equity Emerging markets equity Buyouts/venture capital	2.50% 6.25% 30.00% 11.50% 6.50% 8.25%	11.83% 9.23% 8.19% 9.00% 11.64% 13.08%

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 4.25% as of June 30, 2017. This single blended discount rate was based on the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.00%, and a municipal bond rate of 3.58% as of June 30, 2017, based on the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index, which includes tax-exempt 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 contribution rate of the most recent fiscal year. 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 2036. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to projected benefit payments through 2036, and the municipal bond rate was applied to projected benefit payments after that date in determining the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the School's proportionate share of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate

The following presents the State's proportionate share of the net pension liability associated with the School as of June 30, 2017, calculated using the discount rate as disclosed above as well as what the State's proportionate share of the net pension liability associated with the School would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower (3.25%) or 1-percentage point higher (5.25%) than the current rate:

NOTE 10. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

<u>Teachers' Pensions and Annuity Fund</u> (Continued)

	Dec	At 1% rease (3.25%)	Disco	At Current unt Rate (4.25%)	At 1% Increase (5.25%)		
State's proportionate share of the net pension liability associated with the School	\$	25,300,279	\$	21,295,969	\$	17,997,201	

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

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

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

Additional Information

Collective deferred outflows of resources	\$ 14,353,461,035
Collective deferred inflows of resources	11,992,821,439
Collective net pension liability, nonemployer	67,423,605,859
School's proportion	0.03158533%

Collective pension expense for the plan measurement period ended June 30, 2017 is \$4,688,207,089.

NOTE 11. POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (OPEB)

General Information about the OPEB Plan:

Plan Description and Benefits Provided

P.L. 1987, c. 384 and P.L. 1990, c.6 required Teachers' Pensions and Annuity Fund (TPAF) and the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS), respectively, to fund post-retirement 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 post-retirement 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. The cost of these benefits is funded through contributions by the State in accordance with P.L. 1994, c.62. Funding of post-retirement medical benefits 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 c. 126, which provides employer paid health benefits to members of PERS and the Alternate Benefit Program (APB) who retired from a board of education or county college with 25 years of service.

The School Employees Health Benefits Program (SEHBP) Act is found in New Jersey Statutes Annotated, Title 52, Article 17.25 et. seq. Rules governing the operation and administration of the program are found in Title 17, Chapter 9 of the New Jersey Administrative Code.

NOTE 11. POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (CONTINUED)

No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASBS No. 75.

Plan Membership

Membership of the defined benefit OPEB plan consisted of the following at June 30, 2016:

Active plan members	223,747
Inactive plan members or beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	142,331
Inactive plan members entitled to but not yet receiving benefits	
	366,078

Post-Retirement Medical Benefits Contributions

At June 30, 2018, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

TPAF participant retirees - As of June 30, 2017, there were 112,966 retirees receiving post-retirement medical benefits, and the State contributed \$1.39 billion on their behalf.

PERS participant retirees - The State paid \$238.9 million toward Chapter 126 benefits for 20,913 eligible retired members in Fiscal Year 2017.

Total OPEB liability

The State, a nonemployer contributing entity, is the only entity that has a legal obligation to make employer contributions to OPEB for qualified retired PERS and TPAF participants. The School's proportionate share percentage determined under paragraphs 193 and 203 through 205 of GASB No. 75 is zero percent. Accordingly, the School did not recognize any portion of the collective net OPEB liability on the Statement of Net Position. Accordingly, the following OPEB liability note information is reported at the State's level and is not specific to the School. Note that actual numbers will be published in the NJ State's CAFR (https://www.nj.gov/treasury/omb/publications/acrhives.shtml).

Actuarial assumptions and other imputes

The total OPEB liability in the June 30, 2017 actuarial valuation reported by the State in the State's most recently issued CAFR was determined using the following actuarial assumptions and other inputs, applied to all periods included in the measurement, unless otherwise specified:

Inflation	2.50%		
Salary increases: Through 2026	TPAF/ABP 1.55%-4.55% based on years of service	PERS 2.15%-4.15% based on age	PFRS 2.10%-8.98% based on age
Thereafter	2.00%-5.45% based on years of service	3.15%-5.15% based on age	3.10%-9.98% based on age
Discount rate	3.58%		

NOTE 11. POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (CONTINUED)

The discount rate was based on the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index.

Health Care Trend Assumptions - For pre-Medicare preferred provider organization (PPO) medical benefits, this amount initially is 5.9% and decreases to a 5.0% long-term trend rate after nine years. For self-insured post-65 PPO medical benefits, the trend rate is 4.5%. For health maintenance organization (HMO) medical benefits, the trend rate is initially 5.9% and decreases to a 5.0% long-term trend rate after nine years. For prescription drug benefits, the initial trend rate is 10.5% decreasing to a 5.0% long-term trend rate after eight years. For the Medicare Part B reimbursement the trend rate is 5.0%. The Medicare Advantage trend rate is 4.5% and will continue in all future years.

Preretirement mortality rates were based on the RP-2014 Headcount-Weighted Healthy Employee Male/Female mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using the MP-2017 scale. Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the RP-2014 Headcount-Weighted Healthy Annuitant Male/Female mortality table with fully generational improvement projections from the central year using the MP-2017 scale. Disability mortality was based on the RP-2014 Headcount-Weighted Disabled Male/Female mortality table with fully generational improvement projections from the central year using the MP-2017 scale.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2016 valuation were based on the results of actuarial experience studies for the periods July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2015 and July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2014 for TPAF and PERS, respectively.

Retirees' share of benefit related cost 1.5% of projected health insurance premiums for retirees

Changes in the Total OPEB Liability reported by the State of New Jersey:

	_	Total OPEB Liability
Balance at June 30, 2016 Changes for the year:	\$	57,831,784,184
Service cost		2,391,878,884
Interest cost		1,699,441,736
Changes of benefit terms		-
Differences between expected and actual experience		-
Changes of assumptions		(7,086,599,129)
Contributions: members		45,748,749
Gross benefit payments		(1,242,412,566)
Balance at June 30, 2017	\$	53,639,841,858

There were no changes of assumptions in benefit terms.

Changes of assumptions and other inputs reflect a change in the discount rate from 2.85% percent in 2016 to 3.58% percent in 2017.

NOTE 11. POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (CONTINUED)

Sensitivity of the total OPEB liability to changes in the discount rate

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the State for schools' retirees, as well as what the State's total OPEB liability for schools would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower or 1-percentage point higher than the current discount rate:

	At 1%			At Current			At 1%		
	D	ecrease (2.58%)	D	Discount Rate (3.58%)		Increase (4.58%)			
Total OBEB liability (school retirees)	\$	63,674,362,200	\$	53,639,841,858		\$	45,680,364,953		

Sensitivity of the total OPEB liability to changes in the healthcare cost trends

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the State, as well as what the State's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using healthcare cost trend rates that are 1-percentage point lower or 1-percentage point higher than the current healthcare cost trend rates:

	1% Decrease Trend Rates		1% Increase					
Total OBEB liability (school retirees)	\$	44,113,584,560		\$	53,639,841,858		\$	66,290,599,457

OPEB Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB

For the year ended June 30, 2018, the School recognized OPEB revenue and expense of \$1,208,077 determined by the State as the total OPEB liability for benefits provided through a defined benefit OPEB plan that is not administered through a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASBS No. 75 and in which there is a special funding situation.

In accordance with GASBS No. 75 the School's proportionate share of school retirees OPEB is zero, and there is no recognition of the allocation of proportionate share of deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources. At June 30, 2017, the State reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to retired school employee's OPEB from the following sources:

	Deferred	Outflows	Deferred Inflows		
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$	-	\$	-	
Net difference between expected and actual earnings					
on OPEB plan investments Assumption changes		-	(6,34	- 13,769,032)	
Contributions made in fiscal year ending 2018 after June 30, 2017 measurement date	1,190	,373,242			
Total	\$ 1,190	,373,242	\$ (6,34	13,769,032)	

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to retired school employee's OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

NOTE 11. POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (CONTINUED)

Year Ending June 30,	
2018	\$ (742,830,097)
2019	(742,830,097)
2020	(742,830,097)
2021	(742,830,097)
2022	(742,830,097)
Thereafter	(2,629,618,547)
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Total	\$ (6,343,769,032)

NOTE 12. DEFERRED COMPENSATION

The School offers its employees a choice of deferred compensation plans created in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 403(b). The plans, which are administered by Valic, permit 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.

NOTE 13. COMMITMENTS

Line of Credit

The School has a demand line of credit from a bank in the amount of \$200,000, for working capital purposes. The interest rate on the line is at the Wall Street Journal Prime Rate, payable monthly. The line of credit expired February 18, 2019, and is currently in the process of being extended. The line of credit is collateralized by all personal property of the School. There were no borrowings outstanding against the line of credit at June 30, 2018. Borrowings during the year ended June 30, 2018, ranged from \$-0- to \$200,000, at interest rates that ranged from 4.25% to 5.00%.

Other Commitments

The School rents its facilities in Newark, NJ under one year operating leases from The North Ward Center, Inc., a related party not-for-profit organization. Rent expense for the year ended June 30, 2018, was \$1,263,500.

The School also had a fiscal service agreement with The North Ward Center, Inc. for \$48,000 for the period July 1, 2017 to December 31,, 2017. The School also had an agreement for a portion of the year with The North Ward Center, Inc. for \$17,500 to provide traffic control services. The School had a legal agreement for legal services with a law firm of approximately \$39,000 for the year ended June 30, 2018.

Future minimum commitment payments are as follows:

	Rent	 Legal	Total
June 30, 2019	\$ 1,298,000	\$ 49,000	\$ 1,347,000

The leases include rent for its Clifton Avenue School, playground and William Street School.

NOTE 14. RISK MANAGEMENT

The School 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, Liability, and Workers' Compensation Insurance

The School 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. The School also participates, together with other school districts, in a joint insurance workers compensation trust (See Note 15).

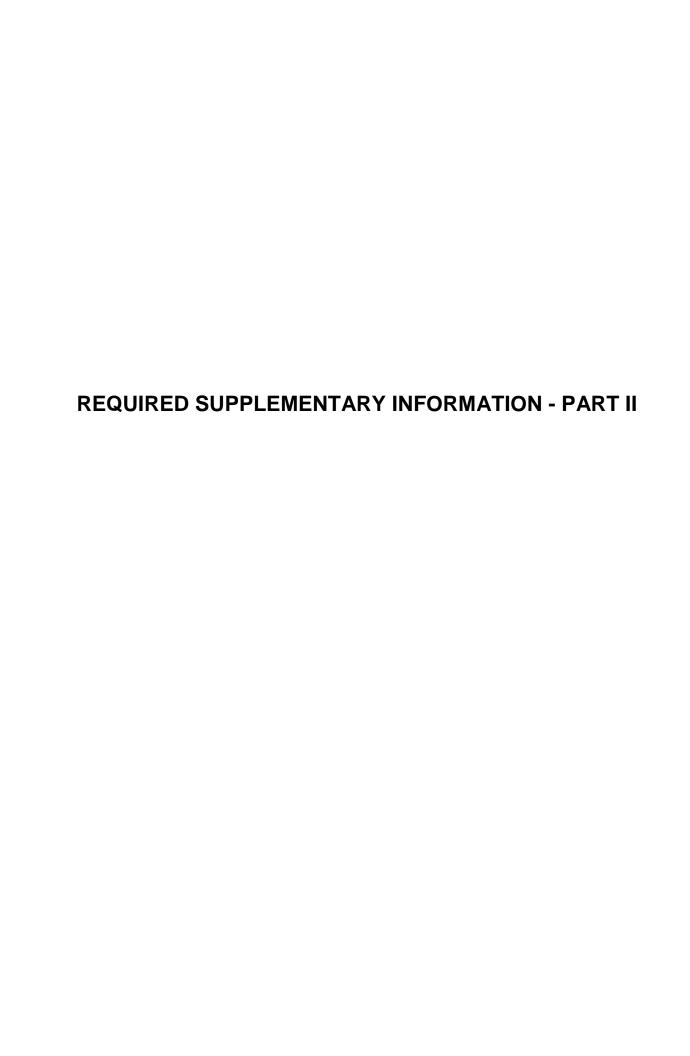
NOTE 15. CONTINGENCIES

The School is involved in claims incidental to its operations. In the opinion of the administration, the ultimate resolution of these matters will not have a material effect on the financial position of the School, or will be covered under the School's insurance policies.

The School is a participant, together with other school districts, in a joint insurance workers' compensation trust. In the event that claims against the trust exceed annual revenues, the School would be obligated to contribute its ratable share of the losses to pay the liability.

NOTE 16. OTHER MATTERS

The School participates in federal awards and state financial assistance grant programs. Expenditures financed by such assistance are subject to audit by the appropriate grantor government. If expenditures are disallowed due to noncompliance with grant program regulations, the School may be required to reimburse the grantor government. As of June 30, 2018, significant amounts of grant expenditures have not been audited, but the School believes that disallowed expenditures discovered in subsequent audits, if any, will not have a material effect on any of the individual funds or the overall financial position of the School. Management is not aware of any material items of noncompliance, which would result in the disallowance of program expenditures.





ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
General Fund
Budgetary Comparison Schedule
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

	Original Budget	Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual
	\$ 1,328,993	\$ 75,962 5,493	\$ 1,404,955	\$ 1,404,955	₩
	1,328,993	81,455	1,410,448	1,410,448	
	94,731 699,323 242,027 42,547	29,104 78,342 (8,785) (42,547)	123,835 777,665 233,242	123,835 777,665 233,242	
Equalization Aid On-behalf TPAF pension - normal contribution (non-budgeted) On-behalf TPAF pension - non-contributory insurance (non-budgeted) On-behalf TPAF - post retirement medical contributions (non-budgeted) On-behalf TPAF - long-term disability insurance (non-budgeted) Reimbursed TPAF social security contributions (non-budgeted)	7,516,765	(132,076)	7,384,689	7,384,689 430,667 10,451 284,908 1,407 233,017	430,667 10,451 284,908 1,407 233,017
	8,595,393	(75,962)	8,519,431	9,479,881	960,450
	9,924,386	5,493	9,929,879	10,890,329	960,450
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	1,095,213	135,446	1,230,659	1,230,649	10
	58,000 540,000	(199,800)	340,200	340,150	50 50
	270,000	(27,000)	243,000	242,910	06
	4,226,551	(186,246)	4,040,305	4,039,322	983

See Management's Discussion and Analysis section of this report for explanation of significant budget variances, original and final.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
General Fund
Budgetary Comparison Schedule
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual		Variance Final to Actual
Administrative: Salarias - administration	\$ 430 711 \$	52 600	483 311	483 211	¥	100
Salaries of secretarial and clerical assistants	390,550	(42,900))	61
Unallocated benefits	1,539,266	(23,684)	1,515,582	1,514,996		586
Purchased professional and technical services	278,740	(55,040)	223,700	186,800		36,900
Communications and telephone	25,000	15,000	40,000	39,938		62
General supplies Interest on current loans	162,000	69,500 2,706	231,500 2,706	231,424 2,706		9/
Total administrative	2,836,267	8,182	2,844,449	2,806,664		37,785
Support services:		,				;
Salaries of other professional staff Durchased professional adultoational sequines	687,893	149,200	837,093	837,035		28
other purchased services	225,000	125,600	351 100	349.938		1 162
Rental of land and buildings other than lease purchase agreements	1,229,000	34,500	1,263,500	1,263,500		1 2 - :
Insurance	40,000	3,000	43,000	42,866		134
Supplies and materials	11,000	2,850	13,850	13,754		96
Transportation - other than to/from school	000'9	5,100	11,100	11,010		06
Energy (electricity)	239,000	(25,800)	213,200	213,141		29
Other objects	20,000	11,500	61,500	61,488		12
Total support services	2,741,393	342,050	3,083,443	3,081,768		1,675
On-behalf TPAF pension - normal (non-budgeted)				430,667		(430,667)
On-behalf TPAF pension - non-contributory insurance (non-budgeted)				10,451		(10,451)
On-behalf TPAF -post retirement medical contributions (non-budgeted)				284,908		(284,908)
On-benait TPAF - long-term disability insurance (non-budgeted) Beimbursed TDAF social security contributions (non-budgeted)				1,407		(1,407)
reillibatsea ir Al social secality collitibations (ilotribadgetea)				10,002		(200,011)
				960,450		(960,450)
Total expenditures - current expense	9,804,211	163,986	9,968,197	10,888,204		(920,007)

See Management's Discussion and Analysis section of this report for explanation of significant budget variances, original and final.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
General Fund
Budgetary Comparison Schedule
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual
CAPITAL OUTLAY: Instruction equipment	I	\$ (30,000) \$	و ،	8	· 90
Total capital outlay	350,000	(12,600)	337,400	333,794	3,606
Total expenditures	10,154,211	151,386	10,305,597	11,221,998	(916,401)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	(229,825)	(145,893)	(375,718)	(331,669)	44,049
Fund balance - July 1	942,643		942,643	942,643	
Fund balance - June 30	\$ 712,818	\$ (145,893) \$	566,925	\$ 610,974	\$ 44,049
Restricted fund balance:				75,000	
Committed fund balance:					
Year-end encumbrances				36,900	
Unassigned fund balance				488,074	
Total fund balance				610,974	
Reconciliation to Governmental Funds Statements (GAAP): State aid payments not recognized on GAAP basis				1	
Fund balance per Governmental Funds (GAAP)				\$ 610,974	

See Management's Discussion and Analysis section of this report for explanation of significant budget variances, original and final.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.

Special Revenue Fund Budgetary Comparison Schedule For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

Original Budget Final Final Final to Budget Actual Actual	565,000 \$ 107,962 \$ 672,962 \$ 672,962 \$	565,000 107,962 672,962 672,962	394,900 (137,762) 257,138 257,138 246,937 246,937 246,937 100 100	395,000 109,175 504,175 504,175	70,000 (482) 69,518 69,518 100,000 (731) 99,269 99,269	170,000 (1,213) 168,787 168,787	565,000 107,962 672,962 672,962	\$ · \$ · \$ · \$
Ō	REVENUES: Federal sources	Total revenues 5	EXPENDITURES: Instruction: Salaries of teachers Other salaries for instruction General supplies	Total instruction 3	Support services: Salaries of other professional staff Personal services - employee benefits	Total support services	Total expenditures/outflows 5	Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under)

See Management's Discussion and Analysis section of this report for explanation of significant budget variances, original and final.

NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - Part II

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Notes to Required Supplementary Information Budget-to-GAAP Reconciliation For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

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

	_	General Fund	_	Special Revenue Fund
Sources/inflows of resources:				
Actual amounts (budgetary basis) "revenue"	Ф	40 000 000	ው	670.000
from the budgetary comparison schedule	\$	10,890,329	\$	672,962
Difference - budget to GAAP:				
Grant accounting budgetary basis differs from GAAP in that				
encumbrances are recognized as expenditures, and the				
related revenue is recognized:				
Current year				
Prior year	_			
Total revenues as reported on the statement of revenues, expenditures				
and changes in fund balances - governmental funds.	\$_	10,890,329	\$_	672,962
Uses/outflows of resources:				
Actual amounts (budgetary basis) "total outflows" from the				
budgetary comparison schedule	\$	11,221,998	\$	672,962
Differences - budget to GAAP:				
Encumbrances for goods and services ordered but not received				
are reported in the year the order is placed for budgetary				
purposes, but in the year the supplies are received for				
financial reporting purposes.				
Current year				
Prior year	_			
Total expenditures as reported on the statement of revenues,				
expenditures, and changes in fund balances - governmental funds	\$_	11,221,998	\$_	672,962

REQ	UIRED SUF	PPLEMENT	ARY INFO	RMATION -	PART III

SCHEDULES RELATED TO ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING FOR PENSIONS AND POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Schedule of the School's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability Public Employees Retirement System Last Five Years *

School's proportion of the net pension liability (asset) School's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) School's covered - employee payroll	φ φ	2014 0.00599815% 2,303,926 803,082	φ φ	2015 0.00575001% 2,233,868 849,075	φ	\$ 2,775,020 \$ \$ \$ 925,548 \$	0.00742540% \$ 4,381,566 \$ 1,100,895	ω ω	\$ 4,365,134 \$ 1,369,354
net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability (local)		286.89%		263.09%		299.82%	398.00%		318.77% 48.10%

However, until a full ten year trend is compiled, the School will only present information for This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. those years for which information is available. Note -

The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the previous fiscal year end.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
Schedule of School Contributions
Public Employees Retirement System
Last Five Years

				Fiscs	al Yea	Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	e 30,			
		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018
Contractually required contribution	↔	101,142	↔	98,360	↔	106,280	↔	131,428	↔	173,716
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution		(101,142)		(98,360)		(106,280)		(131,428)		(173,716)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	↔		↔	•	↔	•	↔		↔	•
School's covered employee payroll	↔	803,082	↔	849,075	↔	925,548	↔	\$ 1,100,895	↔	1,369,354
Contributions as a percentage of covered- employee payroll		12.59%		11.58%		11.48%		11.94%		12.69%

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, until a full ten year trend is compiled, the School will only present information for those years for which information is available. Note -

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
Schedule of the School's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability
Teachers' Pension and Annuity System
Last Five Years *

(Unaudited)

0.03158533% 21,295,969 3,103,502 686.19% 0.00% 25.41% छ 0.03075740% 24,195,725 2,901,438 833.92% 22.33% 0.00% 2017 \$ S Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 0.02727063% 17,236,202 3,128,921 550.87% 28.71% 0.00% 2016 \$ \$ 0.02670881% 14,274,990 3,079,579 463.54% 33.64% 0.00% 2015 छ S 0.02337043% 11,811,232 2,493,375 473.70% 33.76% 0.00% 2014 S Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the School's proportionate share of the net pension State's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) associated with the School ** liability (asset) associated to the School ** liability (asset) as a percentage of its School's proportion of the net pension State's proportion of the net pension School's covered - employee payroll covered-employee payroll ** total pension liability (local) liability (asset)

The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the previous fiscal year end.

TPAF is a special funding situation defined by GASB Statement No. 68 in which the State of New contribute directly to the plan there is no net pension liability to report in the financial statements Jersey is 100% responsible for contributions to the plan. Since the School (employer) does not of the School. *

However, until a full ten year trend is compiled, the School will only present information for This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. those years for which information is available. Note -

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Required Supplementary Information Schedule of Changes in the School's OPEB Liability and Related Ratios For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018 *

Total OPEB liability:

Service cost	\$	1,012,437
Interest		311,850
Changes in benefit terms		-
Differences between expected and actual experience		-
Changes of assumptions or other inputs		(1,586,381)
Member contributions		8,154
Benefit payments	_	(221,434)
Net change in total OPEB liability		(475,374)
Total OPEB liability - beginning		10,035,542
Total OPEB - ending	\$	9,560,168
Covered employee payroll	\$	4,472,856
Total OPEB liability as a percentage of covered employee payroll		214%

Notes to schedule:

No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB 75.

Note - This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, until a full ten year trend is compiled, the School will only present information for those years for which information is available.

^{*} The amounts presented for the fiscal year were determined as of the previous fiscal year end.

NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - PART III	•

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.

Notes to Required Supplementary Information - Part III
Schedule of the School's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability, Schedule of
School Contributions, and Schedule of Changes in the School's OPEB Liability and Related Ratios
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

A. PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Benefit	Changes	

There were none.

Changes of Assumptions

The discount rate changed from 3.98% as of June 30, 2016 to 5.00% as of June 30, 2017 in accordance with Paragraph 44 of GASB Statement No. 67.

B. TEACHERS PENSION AND ANNUITY FUND

Benefit Changes

There were none.

Changes of Assumptions

The discount rate changed from 3.22% as of June 30, 2016 to 4.25% as of June 30, 2017 in accordance with Paragraph 44 of GASB Statement No. 67.

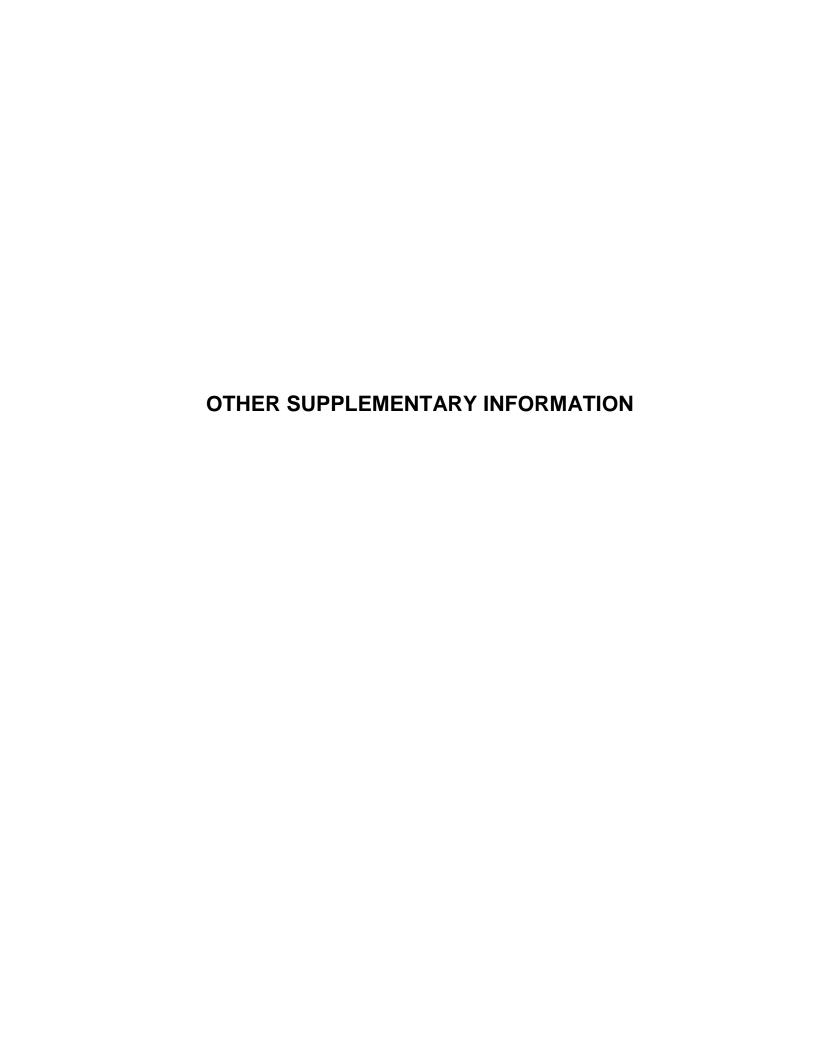
C. STATE HEALTH BENEFIT LOCAL EDUCATION RETIRED EMPLOYEES OPEB PLAN

Benefit Changes

There were none.

Changes of Assumptions

The discount rate changed from 2.85% as of June 30, 2016 to 3.58% as of June 30, 2017.



SPECIAL REVENUE FUND DETAIL STATEMENTS	
Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue source (other than expendable trusts or major capital projects) that are legally restricted expenditures for specific purposes.	ces to

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
Special Revenue Fund
Combining Schedule of Program Revenues and Expenditures - Budgetary Basis
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

	(Exh	(Exhibit E-1a) E.S.E.A.		I.D.E.A. Part B - Basic		I.D.E.A. Part B - Preschool		Totals
REVENUES: Federal sources	₩	543,133 \$	∨	127,428 \$	∨	2,401 \$	₩	672,962
Total revenues		543,133		127,428		2,401		672,962
EXPENDITURES: Instruction: Salaries of teachers Other salaries for instruction General supplies		176,226 246,937		80,912	ļ			257,138 246,937 100
Total instruction		423,163		81,012	ı			504,175
Support services: Salaries of other professional staff Personal services - employee benefits		49,079 70,891		18,563 27,853		1,876		69,518 99,269
Total support services		119,970		46,416		2,401		168,787
Total expenditures	₩	543,133 \$	₩	127,428 \$	∨	2,401 \$	∽	672,962

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
Special Revenue Fund
E.S.E.A.
Combining Schedule of Revenues and Expenditures - Budgetary Basis
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

	Totals	543,133	176,226 246,937	423,163	49,079 70,891	119,970	543,133
		↔	•	i	·		↔
Title II Part A	Current Year	54,721 \$			49,079 5,642	54,721	54,721 \$
		↔	l	l		ļ	⇔
Title I Part A	Current Year	488,412 \$	176,226 246,937	423,163	65,249	65,249	488,412 \$
		↔					₩
		REVENUES: Federal sources	EXPENDITURES: Instruction: Salaries of teachers Other salaries for instruction	Total instruction	Support services: Salaries of supervisors of instruction Personal services - employee benefits	Total support services	Total expenditures

CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND DETAIL STATEMENTS
The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for the acquisition and construction of major facilities and equipment purchases other than those financed by Proprietary Funds.
At June 30, 2018, there was no Capital Projects Fund.

PROPRIETARY FUNDS DETAIL STATEMENTS

Proprietary Funds are used to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to a private business enterprise - where the intent of the School is that the costs of providing goods or services be financed through user charges.

FOOD SERVICE FUND

This Fund provides for the operation of food services for the School.

BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE FUND

This Fund provides for the operation of before and after care services for the School.

THIS SECTION HAS ALREADY BEEN INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS B-4, B-5 AND B-6.

FIDUCIARY FUNDS DETAIL STATEMENTS
Agency Funds are used to account for assets when the School is functioning either as a trustee or as an agent for another party.
The School did not have any fiduciary funds.

LONG-TERM DEBT SCHEDULES

The Long-Term Debt Schedules are used to reflect the outstanding principal balances of the general long-term liabilities of the School. This includes mortgage obligations outstanding and obligations under capital leases.

At June 30, 2018, there were no Long-Term Debt.

The School did not have any mortgages payable or obligations under capital leases.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. STATISTICAL SECTION (UNAUDITED)

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Financial Tren	nds	
	These schedules contain trend information to help the reader understand how the School's financial performance and well being have changed over time.	67 - 72
Revenue Capa	acity	
	These schedules contain information to help the reader assess the School's most significant local revenue source, the property tax.	N/A
Debt Capacity		
	These schedules present information to help the reader assess the affordability of the School's current levels of outstanding debt and the School's ability to issue additional debt in the future.	N/A
Demographic	and Economic Information	
	These schedules offer demographic and economic indicators to help the reader understand the environment within which the School's financial activities take place.	N/A
Operating Info	These schedules contain service and infrastructure data to help the reader understand how the information in the School's financial report relates to the services the School provides and the activities it performs.	73 - 79

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
Net Position by Component
Last Ten Years
(accrual basis of accounting)
Unaudited

						Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	ided June 30,				
		2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Governmental activities: Investment in capital assets Restricted Innestricted (deficit)	↔	311,519 \$	525,305 \$	524,233 \$	464,870 \$	564,771	\$ 600,515 \$ 75,000	458,226 9 75,000	336,608 \$ 75,000	222,412 \$ 75,000	454,092 75,000 (2,647,913)
Total governmental activities net position	1 1	527,043	929,873	835,917	897,291	1,078,949	1,099,583	(1,055,838)	(1,228,230)	(1,622,683)	(2,118,821)
Business-type activities: Investment in capital assets Unrestricted	ļ			8,458	6,041	4,315	3,082	2,201	1,320 87,843	117,789 46,052	111,970 114,682
Total business-type activities net position				8,458	6,041	4,315	3,082	2,201	89,163	163,841	226,652
School wide: Investment in capital assets Restricted Unrestricted (deficit)		311,519	525,305 404,568	532,691	470,911	569,086	603,597 75,000 424,068	460,427 75,000 (1,589,064)	337,928 75,000 (1,551,995)	340,201 75,000 (1,874,043)	566,062 75,000 (2,533,231)
Total School net position	↔	527,043 \$	929,873 \$	844,375 \$	903,332 \$	1,083,264	\$ 1,102,665 \$	(1,053,637)	(1,139,067)	(1,458,842) \$	(1,892,169)

Source: Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s records.

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, the School adopted GASB No.'s 68 and 71, which require the School to record its proportionate share of the net pension liability and related deferred outflows and inflows of resources in the government-wide financial statements. Balances prior to June 30, 2015 are shown as originally reported and have not been restated for this adoption. Notes:

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
Changes in Net Position
Last Ten Years
(accute Jass of accounting)
Unaudited

		5009	2010	2011	2012	Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2013	une 30, 2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Expenses: Governmental activities: Instruction Administrative Support services Unallocated depreciation	∨	3,347,212 \$ 654,853 2,128,842 57,007	4,152,934 \$ 819,613 2,592,178 77,393	4,115,507 \$ 1,084,527 2,503,538 94,534	4,364,149 \$ 831,872 3,249,220 96,456	4,922,483 \$ 964,745 3,045,008 123,372	5,315,182 \$ 991,462 3,490,033 160,619	6,028,461 \$ 1,593,117 2,927,008 149,989	6,272,638 \$ 1,875,598 3,168,237 152,017	7,199,835 \$ 2,033,720 3,536,994 143,618	7,863,199 2,087,608 3,963,836 102,114
Total governmental activities expenses		6,187,914	7,642,118	7,798,106	8,541,697	9,055,608	9,957,296	10,698,575	11,468,490	12,914,167	14,016,757
Business-type activities: Food service Before and after care		189,538 136,154	232,176 159,314	257,501 125,374	301,627 164,330	266,350 157,277	238,504 202,143	249,005 218,557	383,723 213,170	446,254 218,576	445,070 293,523
Total business-type activities expense	ļ	325,692	391,490	382,875	465,957	423,627	440,647	467,562	596,893	664,830	738,593
Total school expenses	↔	6,513,606 \$	8,033,608 \$	8,180,981 \$	9,007,654 \$	9,479,235 \$	10,397,943 \$	11,166,137 \$	12,065,383 \$	13,578,997 \$	14,755,350
Program revenues: Governmental activities: Charges for services: Operating grants and contributions	₩	640,488 \$	916,617 \$	695,490 \$	804,915 \$	929,396 \$	980,304 \$	1,559,587 \$	1,898,605	2,620,762 \$	3,823,982
Total governmental activities program revenues		640,488	916,617	695,490	804,915	929,396	980,304	1,559,587	1,898,605	2,620,762	3,823,982
Business-type activities: Charges for services: Food service Operating grants and contributions Before and after care		31,581 157,957 136,154	42,101 190,075 159,314	62,159 193,932 125,374	37,532 222,573 164,330	25,795 207,934 157,277	21,808 209,392 202,143	25,070 218,750 218,557	85,999 384,686 213,170	103,073 417,859 218,576	94,991 412,890 293,523
Total business type activities program revenues	ļ	325,692	391,490	381,465	424,435	391,006	433,343	462,377	683,855	739,508	801,404
Total school program revenues	₩	966,180 \$	1,308,107 \$	1,076,955 \$	1,229,350 \$	1,320,402 \$	1,413,647 \$	2,021,964 \$	2,582,460 \$	3,360,270 \$	4,625,386
Net (expense)/revenue: Governmental activities Business-type activities	↔	(5,547,426)	(6,725,501) \$	(7,102,616) \$ 8,458	(7,736,782) \$ (41,522)	(8,126,212) \$ (32,621)	(8,976,992) \$	(9,138,988) \$	(9,569,885) \$	(10,293,405) \$ 74,678	(10,192,775) 62,811
Total school-wide net expense	↔	(5,547,426) \$	(6,725,501) \$	(7,094,158) \$	(7,778,304) \$	(8,158,833) \$	(8,984,296) \$	(9,144,173) \$	(9,482,923) \$	(10,218,727) \$	(10,129,964)

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
Changes in Net Position
Last Ten Years
(accual basis of accounting)
Unaudited

Source: Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s records.

Notes:

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, the School adopted GASB No.'s 68 and 71, which require the School to record its proportionate share of the net pension liability and related deferred outflows and inflows of resources in the government-wide financial statements. Balances prior to June 30, 2015 are shown as originally reported and have not been restated for this adoption.

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018, the School adopted GASB No. 75, which required the School to record its proportionate share of the net OPEB expenses and related revenue in the government-wide financial statements.

Balances prior to June 30, 2018, are shown as originally reported and have not been restated for this adoption.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
Fund Balances - Governmental Funds
Last Ten Years
(modified accrual basis of accounting)
Unaudited

							Fiscal Year Ended June 30.	ded June 30,					
		2009	2010	2011		2012	2013	2014	2015		2016	2017	2018
General fund:													
Reserved	s	33,500 \$	33,500 \$		↔	₽	1	,	s	\$	⇔	⇔ '	•
Unreserved		182,024	371,068										
Restricted:													
Charter school reserve								75,000	75,0	000	75,000	75,000	75,000
Committed				33,500		33,500	33,500	33,500	41,8	900	30,380	33,740	36,900
Assigned									57,5	502	66,481	90,684	
Unassigned				278,184		438,026	480,678	390,568	628,231	231	686,589	743,219	499,074
Total general fund	↔	215,524 \$	404,568 \$	311,684	₩	471,526 \$	514,178 \$	499,068	\$ 802,633	33 \$	838,450 \$	942,643 \$	610,974

Source: Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s records.

In accordance with GASB 54, effective for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011, the description and terminology utilized to identify fund balance was changed. Note:

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Changes in Fund Balances, Governmental Funds
Last Ten Years
(modified accrual basis of accounting)
Unaudited

2018	1,404,955 5,493 9,479,881 672,962	11,563,291	4,543,497 3,866,383 3,151,286 333,794	11,894,960	(331,669)			(331,669)	0.00%
2017	1,323,693 \$ 3,210 9,467,361 560,841	11,355,105	4,545,022 3,756,892 2,919,576 29,422	11,250,912	104,193			104,193 \$	0.00%
2016	1,273,255 \$ 10,946 8,947,427 551,523	10,783,151	4,415,022 3,518,881 2,783,032 30,399	10,747,334	35,817			35,817 \$	%00:0
2015	1,241,491 \$ 33,722 8,630,315 559,215	10,464,743	4,545,985 2,977,387 2,625,802 7,700	10,156,874	307,869	(4,304)	(4,304)	303,565	%00:0
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2013 2014	1,185,138 \$ 102,000 8,254,515 442,348	9,984,001	4,264,031 2,267,831 3,264,815 196,363	9,993,040	(6,039)	(6,071)	(6,071)	(15,110) \$	%00:0
Fiscal Year E	; 1,062,179 \$ 167,412 7,646,726 390,845	9,267,162	3,928,425 2,166,669 2,837,142 222,274	9,154,510	112,652	(70,000)	(70,000)	42,652 \$	0.00%
2012	945,662 \$ 253,795 7,076,161 366,558	8,642,176	3,490,811 1,943,350 3,011,080 37,093	8,482,334	159,842			159,842 \$	0.00%
2011	864,363 \$ 208,358 6,273,154 358,275	7,704,150	3,353,996 2,001,355 2,348,221 93,462	7,797,034	(92,884)			(92,884)	0.00%
2010	837,596 \$ 551,296 6,086,670 569,386	8,044,948	3,426,593 1,686,452 2,451,680 291,179	7,855,904	189,044			189,044 \$	0.00%
2009	\$ 753,578 \$ 8,263 5,192,305 337,046	6,291,192	2,749,722 1,395,019 1,986,166 251,355	6,382,262	(91,070)			\$ (91,070) \$	0.00%
	Revenues: Tax levy Miscellaneous State sources Federal sources	Total revenue	Expenditures: Instruction Administrative Support services Capital outlay	Total expenditures	Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	Other financing sources (uses): Transfers out	Total other financing sources (uses)	Net change in fund balances	Debt service as a percentage of noncapital expenditures

Source: Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s records.

Notes: Noncapital expenditures are total expenditures less capital outlay.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
General Fund - Other Local Revenue By Source
Last Ten Years
(modified accrual basis of accounting)
Unaudited

									Fis	Fiscal Year Ending June 30,	Jing Ju	une 30,								
		2009		2010		2011		2012		2013	2	2014	2(2015	2016	9	2017	17	2	2018
General Fund: Contributions	es	1,000	8	413,051	€9	206,222	မ	187,398	s	166,362 \$	-	00,250	r) LA	3,372 \$		\$ 968	"	2,510 8	40	2,000
Rentals		1,050		1,050 1,400 1,050		1,050		200		1,050		1,750		320		1,050		710		1,400
Prior year's refunds								254												2,093
Parent fees								10,543												
Miscellaneous		13	J			98		46												
Total General Fund	↔	2,063	₩	2,063 \$ 414,451 \$ 207,358	es S	207,358	8	253,795	8	167,412 \$		00,000 \$	8	33,722 \$		10,946 \$		3,220	8	5,493

2 Source: Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s records.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
Full-time Equivalent Charter School Employees by Function/Program
Last Ten Years
Unaudited

	2018		22	47	102
	2017		64	45	109
	2016		61	45	106
	2015		9	36	101
ded June 30,	2014		63	36	66
Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	2013		09	37	97
_	2012		28	32	93
	2011		22	35	06
	2009 2010 2011		49	33	82
	2009		41	31	72
		Employees	Certified	Other	Total

Source: Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s personnel records

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Operating Statistics Last Ten Years Unaudited

Student Attendance Percentage	%5'96	%9:96	%2'96	%8'.96	%8'56	%9:56	%0:96	%8'.96	95.8%	96.2%
% Change in Average Daily Enrollment	0.02%	11.11%	4.84%	5.02%	4.07%	4.64%	4.29%	4.00%	4.83%	-0.50%
Average Daily Attendance (ADA) b	434	483	202	530	549	573	009	626	653	652
Average Daily Enrollment (ADE) b	449.9	499.9	524.1	550.4	572.8	599.4	625.1	650.1	681.5	678.1
Percentage Change	12.75%	11.05%	-2.87%	4.39%	1.63%	4.81%	%99 :0-	1.53%	-0.12%	3.55%
Cost Per Pupil	\$ 13,627.27	15,132.48	14,698.67	15,343.82	15,593.99	16,344.14	16,236.08	16,485.06	16,465.87	17,049.60
Operating Expenditures ^a	\$ 6,130,907	7,564,725	7,703,572	8,445,241	8,932,236	9,796,677	10,149,174	10,716,935	11,221,490	11,561,166
Fiscal Year Ended June 30	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018

Source: Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s records.

a - Operating expenditures equal total expenditures less debt service and capital outlay. b - Average daily enrollment and average daily attendance are obtained from the School Register Summary (SRS).

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
Operating Statistics (Continued)
Last Ten Years
Teacher/Student Ratio
Unaudited

7 Grade 8	.5 01:12.75	.5 01:12.5	.5 01:12.5	.5 01:12.5	.5 01:12.5	.5 01:12.5	.5 01:12.5	.5 01:12.5	.5 01:12.5	.2 01:11.2
Grade 7	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.2
Grade 6	01:12.25	01:12.25	01:12.25	01:12.25	01:12.25	01:12.25	01:12.25	01:12.25	01:12.25	01:12.0
Grade 5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5
Grade 4	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.7
Grade 3	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.2
Grade 2	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:13.2
Grade 1	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:13.3
Kindergarten	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:12.5	01:13.0
Ended June 30,	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018

Source: Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s records.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. School Building Information Last Ten Years Unaudited

Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. rents 49,896 square feet of space and 21,000 square feet of space in school buildings from the North Ward Center, Inc. at 443 Clifton Avenue and 180 William Street, respectively.

172,967

253,941

266,713

1,990,696

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Schedule of Required Maintenance Expenditures by School Facilities Last Ten Years Unaudited

UNDISTRIBUTED EXPENDITURES - REQUIRED MAINTENANCE FOR SCHOOL FACILITIES 11-000-261-xxx

* School Facilities School # (s)

Fiscal

2016

2017

2018

Total School Facilities

Year Ended Central Total June 30, North 2009 \$ 77,251 \$ \$ 77,251 90,474 34,386 2010 124,860 2011 103,082 124,860 21,778 2012 402,794 366,137 36,657 2013 94,258 52,810 147,068 2014 183,324 53,499 236,823 2015 131,752 51,667 183,419

119,746

138,208

149,435

1,453,667

53,221

115,733

117,278

537,029

Source: Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s records.

^{*} School facilities as defined under EFCFA. (N.J.A.C. 6A:26-1.2 and N.J.A.C. 6A:26A-1.3)

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Insurance Schedule June 30, 2018 Unaudited

		Coverage		Deductible
Commercial Property and General Liability - New Jersey Schools Insurance Group:				
Personal Property/Fire Damage	\$	1,269,098	\$	1,000
General Liability:	Ψ	1,200,000	Ψ	1,000
Bodily Injury and Property Damage - each occurrence		11,000,000		
Products and Completed Operations - annual aggregate		11,000,000		
Sexual Abuse - per occurrence		11,000,000		
Personal Advertising Injury - per occurrence/annual aggregate		11,000,000		
Employee Benefits Liability - each claim/annual aggregate		11,000,000		1,000
Premises Medical Payments - per accident		10,000		1,000
Business Auto		11,000,000		1,000
Commercial Inland Marine/Blanket Hardware and Software		150,000		1,000
Boiler and Machinery		100,000,000		1,000
Environmental Liability		1,000,000		.,000
Privacy and Network Security Liability		2,000,000		10,000
Crime:		2,000,000		10,000
Employee Dishonesty		250,000		1,000
Public Official Bond (Board Secretary)		200,000		,,,,,,,
Money and Securities		25,000		500
Money Orders/Counterfeit		25,000		500
Forgery and Alteration		25,000		500
Computer Fraud		25,000		500
School Legal Liability - New Jersey Schools Insurance Group				
Coverage A		11,000,000		5,000
Workers Componentian New Jersey Schools Incurence Croup:				
Workers Compensation - New Jersey Schools Insurance Group: Statutory:				
Each Accident		2,000,000		
Disease - Policy Limit/Employee		2,000,000		
Disease - Policy Littliv Employee		2,000,000		
Compulsory Student Accident - Berkley Life and Health Insurance Company		1,000,000		
Catastrophic Student Accident - United States Fire Insurance Company		500,000		

Source: Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s records.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.
Charter School Performance Framework
Financial Performance, Fiscal Ratios
Unaudited

100	2010	7107	2018	
٦٥٥	Audit	Audit	Audit	Source
Cash	1,586,049	1,418,981	546,518	Audit: Exhibit A-1
Current Assets	270,669	441,208	1,017,245	Audit: Exhibit A-1
Total Assets	2,269,646	2,275,390	2,204,825	Audit: Exhibit A-1
Current Liabilities	1,136,853	1,125,752	1,111,222	Audit: Exhibit A-1
Total Liabilities	1,136,853	1,125,752	1,111,222	Audit: Exhibit A-1 ***
Net Position	(1,139,067)	(1,458,842)	(1,892,169)	Audit: Exhibit A-1
Total Revenue	11,979,953	13,259,222	14,322,023	Audit: Exhibit A-2
Total Expenses	12,065,383	13,578,997	14,755,350	Audit: Exhibit A-2
Change in Net Position	(85,430)	(319,775)	(433,327)	Audit: Exhibit A-2
Depreciation Expense	152,017	143,618	102,114	102,114 Financial Statements/Audit Workpapers
Interest Expense	•	1,188	2,706	Financial Statements/Audit Workpapers
Principal Payments	-	•	-	Financial Statements/Audit Workpapers
Interest Payments	•	1,188	2,706	Financial Statements/Audit Workpapers

Near Term	Near Term Indicators	2016	2017	2018	3 YR CUM	Source:
1a.	Current Ratio	1.63	1.65	1.41	1.56	Current Assets/Current Liabilities
1b.	Unrestricted Days Cash	47.98	38.14	13.52	33.21	Cash/(Total Expenses/365)
1c.	Enrollment Variance	100%	101%	100%	100%	Average Daily Enrollment/Budgeted Enrollment
1d.*	Default on Loans	No	No	No		Audit
Sustainab	Sustainability Indicators					
2a.	Total Margin	-0.71%	-2.41%	-3.03%	-2.120%	Change in Net Assets/Total Revenue
2b.	Debt to Asset	%60.03	49.48%	50.40%	0.50	Total Liabilities/Total Assets
2c. **	Cash Flow	362,742	(167,068)	(872,463)	(225,596)	Net change in cash flow from prior years
2d.	Debt Service Coverage Ratio	•	,			(Change in Net Assets + Depreciation + Interest Expense)/(Principal & Interest Payments)
; !	0					

Is school in default of loan covenant(s) and/or is delinquent with debt service payments? Yes or No 2018 = 2018 Cash - 2017 Cash; Cash 2017 = 2017 Cash - 2016 Cash; Cash - 2016 Cash - 2018 Liabilities without Net Pension Liability * * *

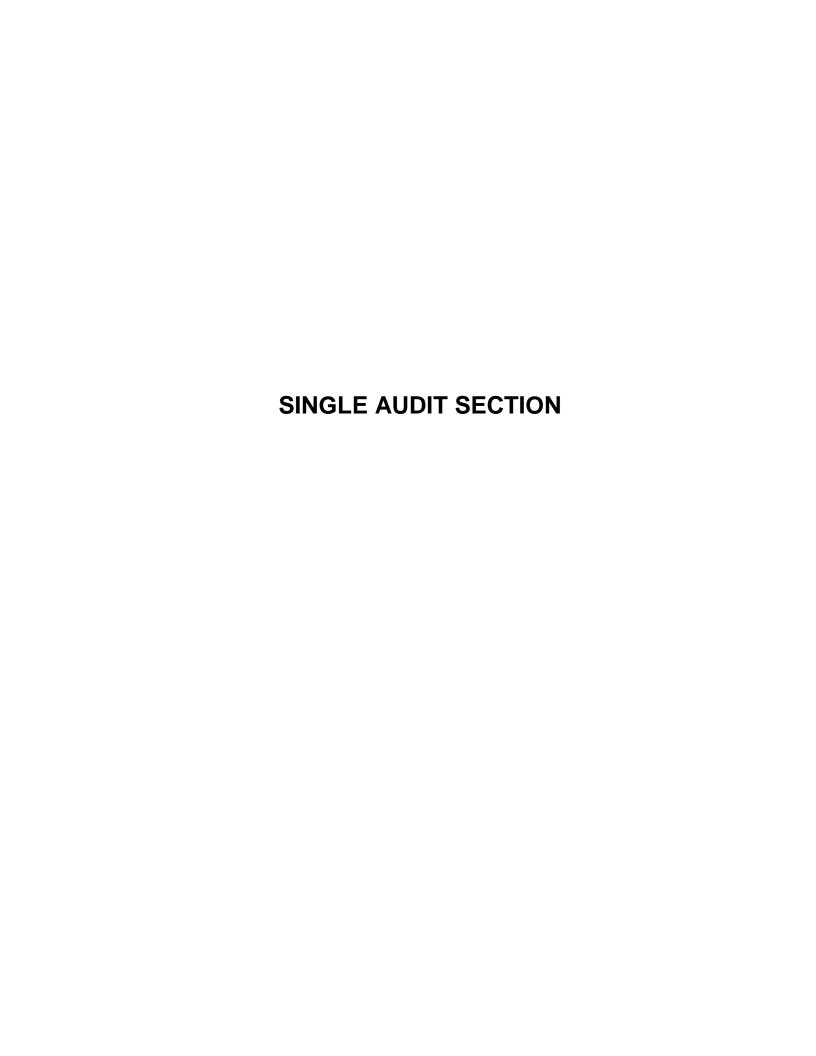
DOE Enrollment Reports Charter School Budget

628.09 675

681.50 675

650 650.10

Final Average Daily Enrollment March 30th Budgeted Enrollment





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

The Honorable President and
Members of the Board of Trustees
Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.
County of Essex
Newark, New Jersey

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, and audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc., in the County of Essex, State of New Jersey, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated February 25, 2019.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'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 Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'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 Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards* and audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey.

We noted certain matters that we have reported to the Board of Trustees of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. in a separate report entitled *Auditor's Management Report on Administrative Findings - Financial, Compliance and Performance* dated February 25, 2019.

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.

Smolin, Lupin & Co., P.A. Certified Public Accountants

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Susan T. White

Public School Accountant License #20CS00119300

Fairfield, New Jersey February 25, 2019



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL AND STATE PROGRAM AND REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE AND NEW JERSEY OMB'S CIRCULAR 15-08

The Honorable President and Members of the Board of Trustees Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. County of Essex Newark, New Jersey

Report on Compliance for each Major Federal and State Program

We have audited Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Compliance Supplement* and the *New Jersey State Aid/Grant Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s major federal and state programs for the year ended June 30, 2018. Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'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 federal and state statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal awards and state financial assistance applicable to its federal and state programs.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'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; audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey; Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance); and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, *Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid.* Those standards, the Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, 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 or state program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'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 Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s compliance.



Opinion on Each Major Federal and State Program

In our opinion, Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc., in the County of Essex, State of New Jersey, 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, 2018.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. 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 Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'s internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal or 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 the Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, 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 Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc.'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 or state program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal or 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 or 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.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Smolin, Lupin & Co., P.A. Certified Public Accountants

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Susan T. White

Public School Accountant License #20CS00119300

Fairfield, New Jersey February 25, 2019

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Exhibit	
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Schedule A

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

Repayment June 30, 2018	(43,540) (10,384)	(60,087)	(127,426)	(129,829) (488,412) (54,721)
Total Budgetary Adjust- Expenditures ments	(40,492) \$ (268,540) (71,829)	(407,442)	(127,428)	(129,829) (488,412) (54,721)
'arryover/ Nalkover Cash Amount Received	. \$ 34,329 \$ 623 225,000 47,689 26,681 61,445 15,335	417,031	50,703	175,190
Balance at Carryover/ June 30, Walkover 2017 Amount	\$ (6.623) (47,698) (15,355)	(69,676)	(50,703)	(51,670)
Grant Period From/To	7/1/17 - 6/30/18 7/1/16 - 6/30/17 7/1/17 - 6/30/17 7/1/16 - 6/30/18 7/1/17 - 6/30/18 7/1/17 - 6/30/18		7/1/17 - 6/30/18 7/1/16 - 6/30/17 7/1/17 - 6/30/18	7/1/17 - 6/30/18 7/1/16 - 6/30/17 7/1/17 - 6/30/18 7/1/16 - 6/30/18
Program or Award Amount	0 \$ 40,492 3,002 0 288,540 0 270,507 0 77,859 0 77,899 0 86,021		-18 127,428 -17 123,432 -18 2,401 -17 2,380	-18 488,412 1-17 421,521 1-18 54,721 18,907
Grant or State Project Number	999 18-007730 999 17-007730 999 18-007730 999 18-007730 999 18-007730		00 IDEA-7730-18 00 IDEA-7730-17 14 IDEA-7730-18	00 ESSA-7730-18 00 NCLB-7730-17 99 ESSA-7730-18
Federal FAIN Number	181NJ304N1099 171NJ304N1099 181NJ304N1099 171NJ304N1099 181NJ304N1099 181NJ304N1099		7 H027A170100 7 H027A160100 8 H173A170114 3 H173A160114	S010A170030 A S010A160030 A S367A170029 A S367A160029
Federal CFDA OFUMBER	riculture: 10.553 10.553 10.555 10.555 10.555 10.555 10.555 10.555		luster: 84.027 84.173 84.173 84.173	ciducation Cluster sic Programs: 84.010 84.010A eacher Quality: 84.367A 84.367A
Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/ Program Title	U.S. Department of Agriculture Passed-through State Department of Agriculture: Enterprise Fund: Child Nutrition Cluster: School Breakfast Program School Breakfast Program National School Lunch Program National School Lunch Program Non-Cash Assistance Food Distribution After School Snack Program After School Snack Program	Total Child Nutrition Cluster Total Enterprise Fund	U.S. Department of Education Passed-through State Department of Education: Special Revenue Fund: LD.E.A. Part B. Special Education Cluster: LD.E.A. Part B. Current Year Prior Year LD.E.A. Part B. Perschool: Current Year Prior Year Prior Year Prior Year	Total I.D.E.A Part B Special Education Cluster E.S.E.A. Title I Part A, Improving Basic Programs: Current Year Prior Year E.S.E.A. Title II Part A, Improving Teacher Quality: Current Year

- \$ (733,049) \$

. \$ 657,419 \$ (1,080,404) \$. \$

\$ (310,064) \$

Total Federal Awards

See accompanying notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance.

Schedule B

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. Schedule of Expenditures of State Financial Assistance For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2018

		Program	ı	As of June 30, 2017 Deferred), 2017				Adjustments/	Balano	Balance at June 30, 2018	ω	MEMO	<u>o</u>
State Grantor/Program Title	Grant or State Project Number	or Award Amount	Grant Period From/To	Revenue (Accounts Receivable)	Due to Grantor	Carryover/ Walkover Amount	GAAP Cash Received	Budgetary Expenditures	Repayment of Prior Years' Balances	Accounts Receivable	Deferred Revenue	Due to Grantor	Budgetary Receivable	Cumulative Total Expenditures
General Fund: State Department of Education State Aid - Public Cluster:														
Equalization Aid - State Share Forulization Aid - State Share	18-495-034-5120-078 17-495-034-5120-078	7,384,689	7/1/17 - 6/30/18 \$. \$ -	55 728	⇔ '	7,482,231 \$	(7,384,689) \$	\$ -	·	€	97,542 \$		\$ 7,384,689
Special Education Categorical Aid	18-495-034-5120-089	123,835	7/1/17 - 6/30/18	(5.5,5)	27,120		125,471	(123,835)	(02,1,00)			1,636		123,835
Special Education Categorical Aid	17-495-034-5120-089	92,541	7/1/16 - 6/30/17		289		236 300	(000 000)	(687)			000 6		070 000
Security Aid	17-495-034-5120-084	240,585	7/1/16 - 6/30/17	(673)	1,785		973	(200,542)	(1,785)			990,		242,002
Adjustment Aid	18-495-034-5120-085	777,665	7/1/17 - 6/30/18				687,988	(777,665)		(89,677)			89,677	777,665
Total State Aid - Public Cluster				(29,989)	58,200		8,562,001	(8,519,431)	(58,200)	(89,677)		102,258	89,677	8,519,431
Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contributions	18-495-034-5094-003	233,017	7/1/17 - 6/30/18				168,394	(233,017)		(64,623)			64,623	233,017
Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contributions	17-495-034-5094-003	231,851	7/1/16 - 6/30/17	(52,991)			52,991	i						
IPAF Pension - Normal Contribution TPAF Pension - Non-contributory Insurance	18-495-034-5094-002 18-495-034-5094-004	10.451	7/1/17 - 6/30/18				430,667 10.451	(430,667)						430,667
TPAF - Post-Retirement Medical Contributions	18-495-034-5094-001	284,908	7/1/17 - 6/30/18				284,908	(284,908)						284,908
TPAF - Long-Term Disability Insurance	18-495-034-5094-004	1,407	7/1/17 - 6/30/18		ĺ		1,407	(1,407)			Ī			
Total General Fund			ı	(82,980)	58,200		9,510,819	(9,479,881)	(58,200)	(154,300)		102,258	154,300	9,478,474
State Department of Agriculture: Enterprise Fund:														
National School Lunch Program (State Share) National School Lunch Program (State Share)	18-100-010-3350-023 17-100-010-3350-023	5,448 5,279	7/1/17 - 6/30/18 7/1/16 - 6/30/17	(940)			4,562 940	(5,448)		(886)			886	5,448
Total Enterprise Fund			ı	(940)			5,502	(5,448)		(886)			886	5,448
Total State Financial Assistance				(83,920)	58,200		9,516,321	(9,485,329)	(58,200)	(155,186)		102,258	155,186	9,483,922
State Financial Assistance Not Subject to Single Audit Determination: General Fund:														
TPAF Pension - Normal Contribution TPAF Pension - Non-contributory Insurance TPAF - Doct-Bettram ent Madical Contributions	18-495-034-5094-002 18-495-034-5094-004 18-405-034-5094-001	430,667 10,451 284 908	7/1/17 - 6/30/18 7/1/17 - 6/30/18 7/1/17 - 6/30/18				(430,667) (10,451)	430,667 10,451 284,908						(430,667) (10,451) (284,908)
TPAF - Long-Term Disability Insurance	18-495-034-5094-004	1,407	7/1/17 - 6/30/18				(1,407)	1,407	Ī					(201,000)
Total State Financial Assistance			69	(83,920) \$	58,200 \$	φ '	8,788,888 \$	(8,757,896) \$	(58,200) \$	(155,186) \$		\$ 102,258 \$	155,186	\$ 8,757,896

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. NOTES TO SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE JUNE 30, 2018

NOTE 1. GENERAL

The accompanying schedules of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance include federal and state award activity of Robert Treat Academy Charter School, Inc. (the "School"). The Board of Trustees is defined in Note 1 to the School's financial statements. All federal awards and state financial assistance received directly from federal and state agencies, as well as federal awards and state financial assistance passed through other government agencies are included on the schedules of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance.

NOTE 2. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The accompanying schedules of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance 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 basis of accounting are described in Note 1 to the School's financial statements. The information in these schedules are presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 *U.S. Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance) and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, *Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid.* Therefore, some amounts presented in these schedules may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the financial statements.

NOTE 3. RELATIONSHIP TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The 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 schedule on the modified accrual basis. 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.

There are no net adjustments to reconcile from the budgetary basis to the GAAP basis for the General Fund or Special Revenue Fund. See Exhibit C-3, Notes to Required Supplementary Information - Part II, for a reconciliation of the budgetary basis to the modified accrual basis of accounting for the General Fund and Special Revenue Fund. Federal awards and state financial assistance revenues are reported in the School's financial statements on a GAAP basis as follows:

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. NOTES TO SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE JUNE 30, 2018

NOTE 3. RELATIONSHIP TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

	 Federal	State	 Total
General Fund Special Revenue Fund Food Service Fund	\$ 672,962 407,442	\$ 9,479,881	\$ 9,479,881 672,962 412,890
Total Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance - GAAP Basis	1,080,404	9,485,329	10,565,733
Less: TPAF Pension Contributions - Normal Costs, and Post Retirement Medical Contributions, Disability Insurance and Non-Contributory Insurance		727,433	727.433
Total Per Schedules of Expenditures of Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance	\$ 1,080,404	\$ 8,757,896	\$ 9,838,300

NOTE 4. RELATIONSHIP TO FEDERAL AND STATE FINANCIAL REPORTS

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedules may not necessarily agree with the amounts reported in the related federal and state financial reports due to timing differences between the School's fiscal year and grant program years.

NOTE 5. OTHER

The amount reported as TPAF Pension - Normal Costs, Post-Retirement Medical Contributions, Disability Insurance, and Non-Contributory Insurance, represents the amount paid by the state on behalf of the School for the year ended June 30, 2018. Reimbursed 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, 2018.

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

On-behalf state programs for TPAF Pension - Normal Costs, Post-Retirement Medical Contributions, Disability Insurance, and Non-Contributory Insurance are not subject to a state single audit and, therefore, are excluded from major program determination. The schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance provides a reconciliation of state financial assistance reported in the School's basic financial statements and the amount subject to state single audit and major program determination.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. NOTES TO SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE JUNE 30, 2018

NOTE 7. DE MINIMIS INDIRECT COST RATE

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

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

SECTION I - SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS:

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and type B programs:

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?

SECTION 1 - SUMMARY OF	F AUDITOR 5 RESULTS:	•					
Financial Statements							
Type of Auditor's report issu	ied:	<u>Unmodif</u>	<u>Unmodified</u>				
Internal control over financia	al reporting:						
1) Material weakness(es) id	dentified?	Yes	X No				
 Significant deficiencies id not considered to be ma 		Yes	X None Reported				
Noncompliance material to l statements noted?	oasic financial	Yes	X No				
Federal Awards Section							
Internal control over major p	programs:						
1) Material weakness(es) ic	dentified:	Yes	X No				
Significant deficiencies id not considered to be mat		Yes	X None Reported				
Type of Auditor's report issufor major programs:	ied on compliance	<u>Unmodified</u>					
Any audit findings disclosed be reported in accordance 516 of Title 2 U.S. Code of Part 200, Uniform Adminis Cost Principles, and Audit Federal Awards (Uniform	e with Section If Federal Regulations Istrative Requirements, Requirements for	Yes	<u>X</u> No				
Identification of major progra	ams:						
CFDA Number(s)	FEIN Number(s)	Name of Federal Pro	gram or Cluster				
10.553 10.555	181NJ304N1099 181NJ304N1099	Child Nutrition Cluste School Breakfast P National School Lui	rogram				

\$ 750,000

X Yes

___ No

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

SECTION I - SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS: (continued)

18-495-034-5120-085

State Financial Assistance Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and type B programs: \$ <u>750,000</u> Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? X Yes No Internal control over major programs: 1) Material weakness(es) identified: ___Yes X No 2) Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses: Yes X None Reported Type of Auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs Unmodified Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08? X No Yes Identification of major programs: State Grant/Project Numbers(s) Name of State Program State Aid Public Cluster: 18-495-034-5120-078 **Equalization Aid** Special Education Categorical Aid 18-495-034-5120-089 Security Aid 18-495-034-5120-084 Adjustment Aid

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

SECTION II - FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS:

This section identifies the significant deficiencies, material weaknesses, fraud, illegal acts, violations of provisions of contracts and grant agreements and abuse related to the financial statements for which *Government Auditing Standards* requires reporting.

There are none.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

SECTION III - FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

This section identifies the significant deficiencies, material weaknesses, and instances of noncompliance, including questioned costs, related to the audit of major federal awards and state financial assistance programs, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08.

Current Year Federal Awards

There are none.

Current Year State Financial Assistance

There are none.

ROBERT TREAT ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC. SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR-YEAR AUDIT FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS AS PREPARED BY MANAGEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

This section identifies the status of prior-year findings related to the basic financial statements and federal awards and state financial assistance that are required to be reported in accordance with Chapter 6.12 of *Government Auditing Standards*, Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards,* and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08.

STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS

There were no prior-year audit findings.