# BAYSHORE JOINTURE COMMISSION 

Tinton Falls, New Jersey
County of Monmouth
Auditor's Management Report on Administrative Findings -
Financial, Compliance and Performance
for The Year Ended June 30, 2018

# MANAGEMENT REPORT ON ADMINISTRATIVE FINDINGS <br> FINANCIAL, COMPLIANCE AND PERFORMANCE 

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

Honorable President and Members
of the Board of Education
Bayshore Jointure Commission
County of Monmouth
Tinton Falls, New Jersey
We have audited, in accordance with generally accepted audit standards and Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the basic financial statements of the Bayshore Jointure Commission in the County of Monmouth for the year ended June 30, 2018, and have issued our report thereon dated February 8, 2018.

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

This report is intended for the information of the Bayshore Jointure Commission's management and the New Jersey Department of Education. However, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited.

Respectfully submitted,
HOLMAN FRENIA ALLISON, P.C.


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February 8, 2018

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## ADMINISTRATIVE FINDINGS FINANCIAL, COMPLIANCE AND PERFORMANCE

## Scope of Audit

The audit covered the financial transactions of the Board Secretary/School Business Administrator, the activities of the Board of Education, and the records of the various funds under the auspices of the Board of Education.

## Administrative Practices and Procedures

## Insurance

Fire insurance coverage was carried in the amounts as detailed on Exhibit J-20, Insurance Schedule contained in the School District's CAFR.

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

| Name | $\underline{\text { Position }}$ | $\underline{\text { Amount }}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Christopher Mullins | Board Secretary/School Business Administrator | $\$ 75,000$ |

## Tuition Charges

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

## Financial Planning, Accounting and Reporting

## Examination of Claims

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

## Payroll Account

The net salaries of sampled employees of the board were deposited in the Payroll Account. Employee's payroll deductions and employer's share of fringe benefits were deposited in the Payroll Agency Account.

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

## Financial Planning, Accounting and Reporting (continued)

## Payroll Account (continued)

Sampled salary withholdings were promptly remitted to the proper agencies, including health benefits premium amounts withheld due to the general fund.

Payrolls were delivered to the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary who then deposited with warrants in separate bank accounts for net payroll and withholdings.

## Employee Position Control Roster

A sample inquiry and subsequent review of the Position Control Roster found no inconsistencies between the payroll records, employee benefit records (e.g. pension reports and health benefit coverage reports), the general ledger accounts to where wages are posted (administrative versus instruction), and the Position Control Roster.

## Reserve for Encumbrances and Accounts Payable

A sample of outstanding issued purchase orders was made as of June 30 for proper classification of orders as reserve for encumbrances and accounts payable. No exceptions were noted.

## Classification of Expenditures

The coding of expenditures was tested for proper classification in accordance with N.J.A.C. 6A:23 A$16.29(\mathrm{f})$ as part of our test of transactions of randomly selected expenditure items. We also reviewed the coding of a sample of expenditures included in our compliance and single audit testing procedures. In addition to randomly selecting a test sample, our sample selection specifically targeted administrative coding classifications to determine overall reliability and compliance with N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-8.3. As a result of the procedures performed, a transaction error rate of $0 \%$ percent overall was noted and no additional procedures were deemed necessary to test the propriety of expenditure classification.

## Board Secretary's Records

Our review of the financial and accounting records maintained by the board secretary were found to be in satisfactory condition.

## Treasurer's Records

The School District does not maintain a Treasurer.

## T.P.A.F. Reimbursement

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

## T.P.A.F. Reimbursement to the State for Federal Salary Expenditures

The amount of the expenditure charged to the current year's Final Report(s) for all federal awards for the school district to reimburse the State for the TPAF/FICA payments made by the State on-behalf of the school district for those employees whose salaries are identified as being paid from federal funds was made prior to the end of the 90 day grant liquidation period required by the Office of Grants Management. The expenditure was reviewed subsequent to the reimbursement and no exceptions were noted.

## School Purchasing Programs

## Contracts and Agreements Requiring Advertisement for Bids

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

Current statute is posted on the New Jersey Legislature website at: http://lis.njleg.state.nj.us/cgibin/om_isapi.dll?clientID=1319801\&depth=2\&expandheadings=off\&headigswithhits=on\&infobase=stat utes.nfo\&softpage=TOC_Frame_Pg42

The bid thresholds in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-2 and 18A:18A-3(a) are $\$ 40,000$ (with a Qualified Purchasing Agent) and \$29,000 (without a Qualified Purchasing Agent), respectively. The law regulating bidding for public school student transportation contracts under N.J.S.A. 18A:39-3 is \$18,800 for 2017-18.

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

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

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

## Application for State School Aid (ASSA)

Our audit procedures included a sample test of information reported in the October 13, 2017 Application for State School Aid (A.S.S.A.) for on-roll and low-income. We also performed a review on a sample basis of the School District's procedures related to its completion. The information on the ASSA was compared to the School District workpapers without exception. The information that was included on the workpapers was verified without exception. The results of our procedures are presented in the Schedule of Audited Enrollments

The School District maintained workpapers on the prescribed state forms of their equivalent. The School District written procedures appear to be adequate for the recording of student enrollment data.

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

The school district submitted the annual Statement of Assurance to the Department of Education, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:26-12.4(g).

## Follow-up on Prior Year Findings

In accordance with audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, our procedures included a review of all prior year findings reported in the prior year's Auditor's Management Report on Administrative Findings - Financial, Compliance and Performance. There were no prior year findings.

## Office of Fiscal Accountability and Compliance (OFAC) Findings

There were no Office of Fiscal Accountability and Compliance (OFAC) audit reports issued during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

## Acknowledgment

We received the complete cooperation of all the officials of the school district and we greatly appreciate the courtesies extended to the members of the audit team.

Respectfully submitted,
HOLMAN FRENIA ALLISON, P.C.


Jerry W. Conaty
Certified Public Accountant
Public School Accountant, No. 2407

Freehold, New Jersey
February 8, 2018


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| AWARD AMOUNT | GRANT PERIOD | $\begin{gathered} \text { BALANCE } \\ \text { AT } \\ \text { JUNE 30, } \\ 2017 \end{gathered}$ | CASH RECEIVED | BUDGETARY EXPENDITURES | PASSED THROUGH TO SUB-RECIPIENT | JUNE 30, 2018 |  |  |
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FEDERAL
CFDA
NUMBER

FEDERAL GRANTOR
PASS-THROUGH GRANTOR
PROGRAM TITLE
Total Federal Awards

| GRANT OR |  |  | BALANCE |  |  |  | MEMO |  |
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SCHEDULE OF AUDITED ENROLLMENTS (1)

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APPLICATION FOR STATE SCHOOL AID SUMMARY
ENROLLMENT AS OF OCTOBER 13, 2017
SCHEDULE OF AUDITED ENROLLMENTS (2)


## SCHEDULE OF AUDITED ENROLLMENTS (3)

## BAYSHORE JOINTURE COMMISSION APPLICATION FOR STATE SCHOOL AID SUMMARY ENROLLMENT AS OF OCTOBER 13, 2017

| Resident LEP NOT Low Income |  |  | Sample for Verification |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Reported on | Reported on |  |  |  |  |  |
| A.S.S.A. as | Workpapers as |  |  | Sample | Verified to |  |
| NOT Low | NOT Low |  |  | Selected from | Application | Sample |
| Income | Income | Errors |  | Workpapers | \& Register | Errors |

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Subtotal

Special Ed - Elementary
Special Ed - Middle


Subtotal

Totals

Percentage Error


Recommendations:

1. Administrative Practices and Procedures

None
2. Financial Planning. Accounting and Reporting

None
3. School Purchasing Programs

None
4. School Food Service

None
5. Student Body Activities

None
6. Application for State School Aid

None
7. Pupil Transportation

None
8. Facilities and Capital Assets

None
9. Miscellaneous

None
10. Status of Prior Year Audit Findings/Recommendations

There were no prior year findings.

