### **SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION**

## COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

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of the

**Secaucus Board of Education** 

Secaucus, New Jersey

For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

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INTRODUCTORY SECTION



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October 21, 2019

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#### Dear Board Members:

State Department of Education statutes require that all School District's prepare a complete set of financial statements presented in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United State of America (GAAP) and audited in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America by a firm of licensed certified public accountants. Pursuant to that requirement, we hereby issue the comprehensive annual financial report (CAFR) of the Secaucus Board of Education for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019.

This report consists of management's representations concerning the finances of the Secaucus Board of Education. Consequently, management assumes full responsibility for the completeness and reliability of all of the information presented in this report. To provide a reasonable basis for making these representations, management of the Secaucus Board of Education has established a comprehensive internal control framework that is designed both to protect the school district's assets from loss, theft, or misuse and to compile sufficient reliable information for the preparation of the Secaucus Board of Education's financial statements in conformity with GAAP. Because the cost of internal controls should not outweigh their benefits, the Secaucus Board of Education's comprehensive framework of internal controls has been designed to provide reasonable rather than absolute assurance that the financial statements will be free from material misstatement. As management, we assert that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, this financial report is complete and reliable in all material respects

The Secaucus Board of Education's financial statements have been audited by Lerch, Vinci & Higgins, LLP, a firm of licensed certified public accountants and public-school accountants. The goal of the independent audit was to provide reasonable assurance that the financial statements of the Secaucus Board of Education for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019, are free of material misstatement. The independent audit involved examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made/by management; and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. The independent auditor concluded, based upon the audit, that there was a reasonable basis for rendering an unmodified opinion

that the Secaucus Board of Education's financial statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019, are fairly presented in conformity with GAAP. The independent auditor's report is presented as the first component of the financial section of this report.

The independent audit of the financial statements of the Secaucus Board of Education was part of a broader, federal and state mandated "Single Audit" designed to meet the special needs of federal and state grantor agencies. The standards governing Single Audit engagements require the independent auditor to report not only on the fair presentation of the financial statements, but also on the audited government's internal control and compliance with legal requirements, with special emphasis on internal controls and legal requirements involving the administration of federal awards and state financial assistance. These reports are available in the Single Audit Section of the Secaucus Board of Education's CAFR.

GAAP requires that management provide a narrative introduction, overview, and analysis to accompany the basic financial statements in the form of Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A). This letter of transmittal is designed to complement MD&A and should be read in conjunction with it. The Secaucus Board of Education's MD&A can be found immediately following the report of the independent auditors.

1). REPORTING ENTITY AND ITS SERVICES: Secaucus Board of Education is an independent reporting entity within the criteria adopted by the Governmental Accounting Standard Board (GASB). All funds of the District are included in this report. The Secaucus Board of Education and all its schools constitute the District's reporting entity.

The District provides a full range of educational services appropriate to grade levels PK through 12. These include regular, vocational as well as special education for handicapped youngsters. The District completed the 2018-2019 fiscal year with an enrollment of 2,272 students. The following details the changes in the student enrollment of the District over the last ten (10) years.

Fiscal	Student	Percent
Year	Count	Change
2018-2019	2,272	3.4
2017-2018	2,197	3.9
2016-2017	2,114	(0.3)
2015-2016	2,120	(3.0)
2014-2015	2,185	0.1
2013-2014	2,183	(.1)
2012-2013	2,185	1.8
2011-2012	2,146	(2.3)
2010-2011	2,196	2.5
2009-2010	2,143	1.1

2). ECONOMIC CONDITION AND OUTLOOK: The Town of Secaucus continues with a significant increase in residential construction. This is due to the continuation of the housing units being built in various parts of town. Current construction has yielded an additional 121 students and continues to rise. Future construction could continue to impact the student population. The additional rateable's will continue to assist in stabilizing the tax rate. This in turn will provide revenues which will enable the Town of Secaucus to continue providing services that were the basis for Secaucus being considered a very good place to live in New Jersey. The town, for the third year in a row, was able to absorb the school tax increase without increasing the property tax rate. For all these reasons, Secaucus will continue to prosper economically, and its residents will continue to enjoy a high quality of life.

3).MAJOR INITIATIVES: The Secaucus School District has continued to strive toward the improvement of instruction through implementation of high-quality professional development, adoption of a challenging writing initiative, the infusion of technology into all aspects of instruction, and the planning of facility improvements, expansions, and/or additions to accommodate our increased student population. Specific measures completed in the school year include:

• Offering our faculty and staff modified "Ed Camps", presented by our highly trained in-house staff, focusing primarily on the proper use of technology and special education mandates

• Partnering with the Teachers College Reading and Writing Program for grades K-2 in both elementary schools

• The completion of a 1:1 technology initiative for students in grades 8-12.

• The reorganization of physical space and teaching staff to best accommodate our growing student population. Many existing offices within the school buildings were converted to educational spaces/classrooms to accommodate increased enrollment and additional staff hired.

The following information provided is reflective of the continuing improvement of the educational program provided by the Secaucus Board of Education:

- > 92% of Secaucus High School Graduates went onto further their education
- > 77%went onto 4-year college
- > 13% went onto 2-year college
- > 2% went onto trade school
- > 6% work force
- > 2% Military

4).INTERNAL ACCOUNT CONTROLS: Management of the District is responsible for establishing and maintaining an internal control structure designed to ensure that the assets of the District 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 generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). The internal control structure is designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that these objectives are met. The concept of reasonable assurance recognizes that: (1) the cost of a control should not exceed the benefits likely to be derived; and (2) the valuation of costs and benefits requires estimates and judgments by management.

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

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

5). BUDGETARY CONTROLS: In addition to internal accounting controls, the District maintains budgetary controls. The objective of these budgetary controls is to ensure compliance with legal provisions embodied in the annual appropriated budget approved by the voters of the municipality. Annual appropriated budgets are adopted for the general fund, special revenue fund and debt service fund. Project-length budgets are approved for the capital improvements accounted for in the capital projects fund. The final budget amount as amended for the fiscal year is reflected in the financial section.

An encumbrance accounting system is used to record outstanding purchase commitments on a line item basis. Open encumbrances at year-end are either canceled or are included as a re-appropriation of fund balance in the subsequent year. Those amounts to be re-appropriated are reported as reservations of fund balance at June 30, 2019.

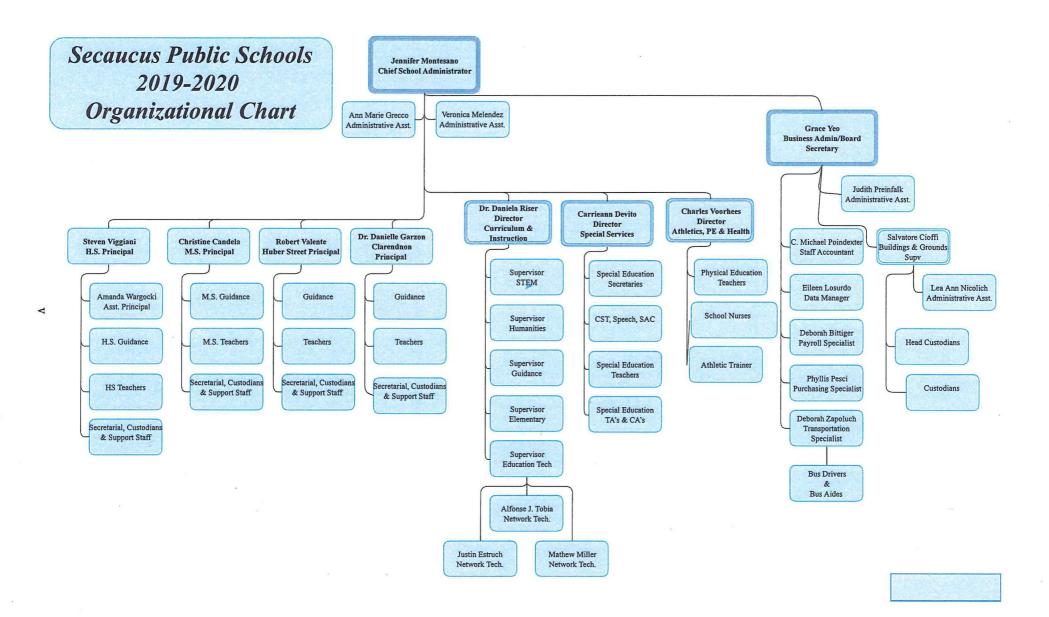
- <u>6). ACCOUNTING SYSTEM AND REPORTS:</u> The District's accounting records reflect generally accepted accounting principles, as promulgated by the Government Accounts Standards Board (GASB). The accounting system of the District is organized on the basis of funds. These funds are explained in the "Notes to the Financial Statements".
- 7). DEBT ADMINISTRATION: As of June 30, 2019, the District's outstanding debt issues included \$23,595,000 of general obligation and refunding bonds.
- 8). CASH MANAGEMENT: The investment policy of the District is guided in large part by state statute as detailed in the "Notes to the Financial Statements". The District has adopted a cash management plan which requires it to deposit public funds in public depositories protected from loss under the provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act (GUDPA). GUDPA was enacted in 1970 to protect Governmental Units from loss of funds on deposit with a failed banking institution in New Jersey. The law requires governmental units to deposit public funds only in public depositories located in New Jersey where the funds are secured in accordance with the Act.
- <u>9). RISK MANAGEMENT</u>: The Board carries various forms of insurance, including but not limited to general liability, automobile liability and comprehensive/collision, hazard and theft insurance on property and contents, and fidelity bonds.
- 10). OTHER INFORMATION: State statutes require an annual audit by independent certified public accountants or registered municipal accountants. The accounting firm of Lerch Vinci & Higgins, LLP was selected by the Secaucus Board of Education. In addition to meeting the requirements set forth in state statutes, the audit also was designed to meet the single audit requirements of the U.S. Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08. The auditor's report on the basic financial statements, the individual fund statements and schedules is included in the financial section of this report. The auditor's report related specifically to the single audit is included in the single audit section of this report.
- 11). ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS: We would like to express our appreciation to the members of the Secaucus Board of Education for their concern in providing fiscal accountability to the citizens and taxpayers of the school district and thereby contributing their full support to the development and maintenance of our financial operation. The preparation of this report could not have been accomplished without the efficient and dedicated services of our financial and accounting staff.

Respectfully submitted,

Grace yeo

Grace Yeo

Business Administrator/Board Secretary



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### **Secaucus Board of Education**

## June 30, 2019

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Joan Cali, President	2021
John McStowe, Vice President	2019
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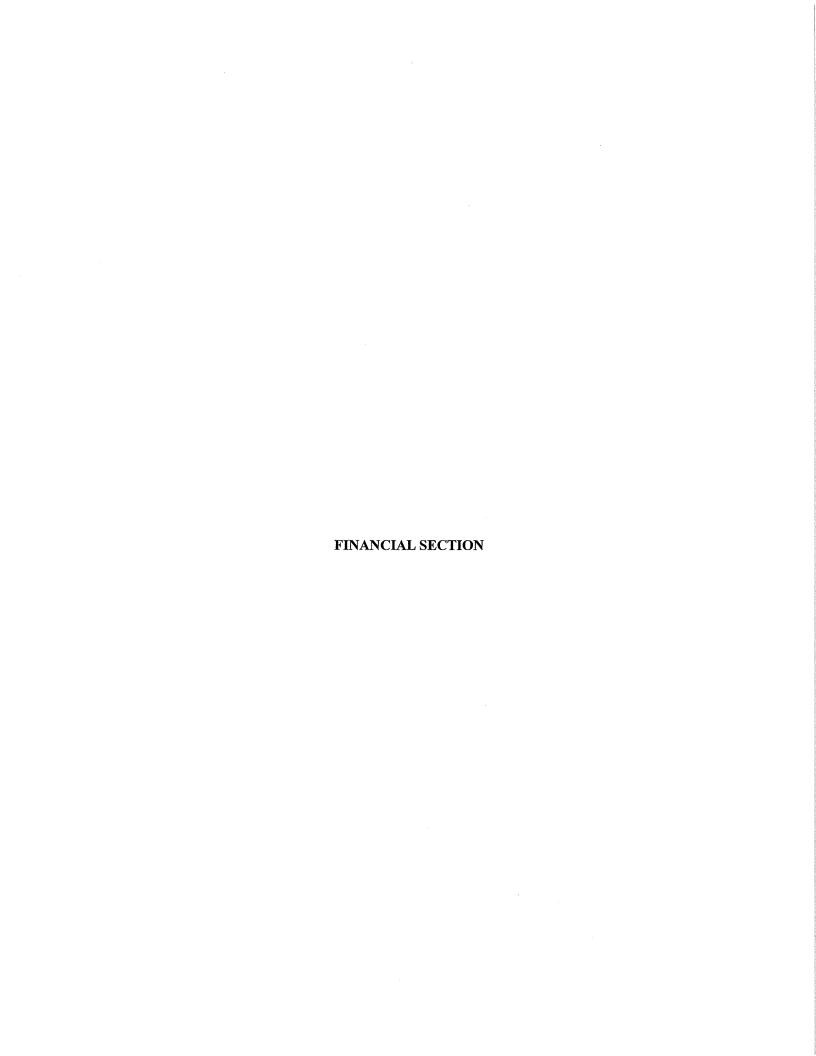
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#### Report on the Financial Statements

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 the Secaucus Board of Education as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019 and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Board of Education'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 the <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, 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 the Secaucus Board of Education as of June 30, 2019, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the fiscal year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### Other Matters

#### Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, budgetary comparison information, pension information and other postemployment benefits information 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 the Secaucus Board of Education's basic financial statements. The introductory section, combining fund financial statements, financial schedules, 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 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 of the Secaucus Board of Education.

The combining 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 fund financial statements, schedules of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

The introductory section, financial schedules 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 <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, we have also issued our report dated November 14, 2019 on our consideration of the Secaucus Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Secaucus Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> in considering the Secaucus Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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Fair Lawn, New Jersey November 14, 2019  ${\bf REQUIRED\ SUPPLEMENTARY\ INFORMATION-PART\ I}$ 

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

The discussion and analysis of the Secaucus Board of Education's financial performance provides an overall review of the District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the District's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the transmittal letter, notes to the financial statements as well as the financial statements themselves to enhance their understanding of the District's financial performance.

#### Financial Highlights

- The assets and deferred outflows of resources of the District exceeded its liabilities and deferred inflows of resources at the close of the most recent fiscal year by \$17,373,583 (net position).
- ➤ General revenues accounted for \$37,540,903 in revenue or 73 percent of all revenues. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services and grants and contributions accounted for \$13,701,486 or 27 percent of total revenues of \$51,242,389.
- Total net position of governmental activities amounted to \$16,345,223 as of June 30, 2019.
- The District had \$49,056,546 in expenses related to governmental activities; only \$13,701,486 were offset by program specific charges for services, grants or contributions. General revenues (primarily taxes) of \$37,540,903 were adequate to provide for these programs.
- Among governmental funds, the General Fund had \$43,544,105 in revenues and other financing sources and \$42,866,752 in expenditures. The General Fund's fund balance increased \$677,353 or 11 percent from the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

#### Using the 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 Secaucus Board of Education 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 District, presenting both an aggregate view of the District'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 also look at the district's most significant funds. In the case of the Secaucus Board of Education, the General Fund is by far the most significant fund.

#### Reporting the District as a Whole

One of the most important questions asked about the District is "How did we do financially during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019?" The Statement of Net position and the Statement of Activities, which appear first in the District's financial statements, report information on the District as a whole and its activities in such a way as to answer this question. These statements include all assets and deferred outflows of resources and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources using the accrual basis of accounting, which is similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. 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 District's net position and changes in those assets. This change in net position is important because it tells the reader that, for the District as a whole, the financial position of the District 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 District'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 District is divided into two distinct kinds of activities:

- ➤ Governmental Activities most of the District's programs and services are reported here including instruction, support services, operation and maintenance of plant, pupil transportation and extra-curricular activities.
- ➤ Business-Type Activities These services are provided on a charge for goods or services basis to recover all of the expenses of the goods and services provided. The District's food service program is reported as a business-type activity.

#### Reporting the School District's Most Significant Funds

#### **Fund Financial Statements**

Fund financial reports provide detailed information about the District's major funds. The District uses many funds to account for a multitude of financial transactions. The District's governmental funds are the General Fund, Special Revenue Fund, Capital Projects Fund and Debt Service Fund. The Enterprise Fund includes the District's Food Service Fund.

#### **Governmental Funds**

The District's activities are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of these funds and the balances left at year-end available for spending in the future years. These funds are reported using the *modified accrual accounting method*, which measures cash and all other financial assets that can be readily converted into cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the District's general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund 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.

#### **Enterprise Fund**

The Enterprise Fund uses the same basis of accounting as business-type activities; therefore, these statements will essentially match the information provided in statements for the District as a whole.

#### **Notes to the Financial Statements**

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

#### The District as a Whole

The Statement of Net position provides the perspectives of the District as a whole, showing assets and deferred outflows of resources and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources and the difference between them (net position). Net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position.

Table 1 provides a summary of the District's net position as of June 30, 2019 and 2018.

	Govern Activ	nmental vities		ess-Type ivities	Total		
	2019	<u>2018</u>	2019	2018	2019	2018	
Assets			<del></del>				
Current Assets	\$ 7,305,110	\$ 6,658,115	\$ 846,963	\$ 876,585	\$ 8,152,073	\$ 7,534,700	
Capital Assets	46,988,086	48,122,394	198,407	193,493	47,186,493	48,315,887	
Total Assets	54,293,196	54,780,509	1,045,370	1,070,078	55,338,566	55,850,587	
Deferred Outflows of Resources							
Deferred Amount on Net Pension Liability	2,056,637	3,103,465	-		2,056,637	3,103,465	
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	2,056,637	3,103,465	•		2,056,637	3,103,465	
Liabilities							
Other Liabilities	638,480	635,000	16,306	18,707	654,786	653,707	
Long-Term Liabilities	35,395,911	38,983,747			35,395,911	38,983,747	
Total Liabilities	36,034,391	39,618,747	16,306	18,707	36,050,697	39,637,454	
Deferred Inflows of Resources							
USDA Commodities			704	672	704	672	
Deferred Amount on Net Pension Liability	3,970,219	<u>2,95</u> 8,028	_		3,970,219	2,958,028	
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	3,970,219	2,958,028	704	672	3,970,923	2,958,700	
Net Position:							
Net/Investment in Capital Assets	23,627,355	23,569,792	198,407	193,493	23,825,762	23,763,285	
Restricted	5,336,500	4,349,830	•	•	5,336,500	4,349,830	
Unrestricted	(12,618,632)	(12,612,423)	829,953	857,206	(11,788,679)	(11,755,217)	
Total Net Position	\$ 16,345,223	\$ 15,307,199	\$ 1,028,360	\$ 1,050,699	\$ 17,373,583	\$ 16,357,898	

The District's combined net position was \$17,373,583 and \$16,357,898 on June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively. This was an increase of \$1,015,685 or 6 percent from the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

Table 2 shows changes in net position for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018.

Table A-2
Changes in Net Position
For the Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 2019 and 2018

	Govern	ımental	Busines	ss-Type		
	<u>Acti</u>	<u>vities</u>	<u>Activ</u>	<u>vities</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>otal</u>
	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>
Revenues						
Program Revenues						
Charges for Services	\$ 87,780	\$ 124,950	\$ 717,140	\$ 722,056	\$ 804,920	\$ 847,006
Grants and Contributions	12,407,342	14,501,964	430,679	413,109	12,838,021	14,915,073
Capital Grants and Contributions	58,545				58,545	
General Revenues						
Property Taxes	36,915,403	37,194,115			36,915,403	37,194,115
State Aid	414,008	537,158			414,008	537,158
Other	211,492	334,090			211,492	334,090
Total Revenues	50,094,570	52,692,277	1,147,819	1,135,165	51,242,389	53,827,442
Program Expenses						
Instruction	30,078,032	30,819,269			30,078,032	30,819,269
Support Services						
Student and Instruction Related	4,877,420	5,246,723			4,877,420	5,246,723
General Administration	1,208,780	1,277,129			1,208,780	1,277,129
School Administration	2,815,991	2,866,244			2,815,991	2,866,244
Central Services	1,254,064	1,434,535			1,254,064	1,434,535
Operations and Maintenance of						
Facilities	6,035,771	6,150,870			6,035,771	6,150,870
Pupil Transportation	1,994,340	1,924,270			1,994,340	1,924,270
Interest on Debt	792,148	832,525			792,148	832,525
Food Service			1,170,158	1,062,094	1,170,158	1,062,094
Total Expenses	49,056,546	50,551,565	1,170,158	1,062,094	50,226,704	51,613,659
Change in Net Position	1,038,024	2,140,712	(22,339)	73,071	1,015,685	2,213,783
Net Position, Beginning of Year	15,307,199	13,166,487	1,050,699	977,628	16,357,898	14,144,115
Net Position, End of Year	\$ 16,345,223	\$ 15,307,199	\$ 1,028,360	\$ 1,050,699	\$ 17,373,583	\$ 16,357,898

#### **Governmental Activities**

The District's total governmental activities revenues were \$50,094,570 and \$52,692,777 for the years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively. Property taxes made up 74 and 71 percent of revenues for governmental activities for the Secaucus Board of Education for fiscal years 2019 and 2018, respectively. Federal, state and local grants accounted for 24 and 29 percent of revenue for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively.

The total cost of all programs and services was \$49,056,546 and \$50,551,565 for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively. Instruction comprises 61 percent of governmental program expenses for both years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively. Support services expenses make up 37 and 38 percent of governmental expenses for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively. The *Statement of Activities* shows the cost of program services and the charges for services and grants offsetting those services. Table 3 shows, for government activities, the total cost of services and the net cost of services. That is, it identifies the cost of these services supported by tax revenue and unrestricted State entitlements.

Table A-3
Total and Net Cost of Services
for the Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 2019 and 2018

		Cost of vices	Net Cost of Services		
	2019	2018	2019	2018	
Instruction	\$ 30,078,032	\$ 30,819,269	\$ 20,648,784	\$ 19,468,734	
Support Services					
Student and Instruction Related	4,877,420	5,246,723	3,771,901	3,781,774	
General Administration, School Admin.,					
Central Services	5,278,835	5,577,908	4,433,499	4,476,457	
Operation and Maintenance of Facilities	6,035,771	6,150,870	5,751,133	5,836,484	
Pupil Transportation	1,994,340	1,924,270	1,341,407	1,704,139	
Interest on Debt	792,148	832,525	556,155	657,063	
Total	\$ 49,056,546	\$ 50,551,565	\$ 36,502,879	\$ 35,924,651	

#### **Business-Type Activities**

The only business-type activity is the food service operation. The program had revenues of \$1,147,819 and \$1,135,165 and expenses of \$1,170,158 and \$1,062,094 in fiscal years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively. Of the revenues, \$717,140 and \$722,056 was charges for services paid by patrons for daily food service; \$430,679 and \$413,109 was from State and Federal reimbursements for the years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively.

#### The School District's Funds

All governmental funds (i.e., general fund, special revenue fund, capital projects fund and debt service fund presented in the fund-based statements) are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Total revenues amounted to \$46,238,753 and \$45,298,400 and expenditures were \$46,136,514 and \$44,770,250 for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively. The net change in the fund balance for the year was an increase of \$625,874 mainly as the result of the decrease of expenditures of the Capital Projects Fund referendum approved by the voters net of the excess results of operations in the General Fund.

As demonstrated by the various statements and schedules included in the financial section of this report, the District continues to meet its responsibility for sound financial management. The following schedules present a summary of the revenues of the governmental funds for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2019 and 2018.

	Years I			<u>led</u>	4	Amount of Increase	Percent	
Revenue		<u>2019</u>		<u>2018</u>	9	Decrease)	<b>Change</b>	
Local Sources	\$	37,214,675	\$	37,653,155	\$	(438,480)	-1.16%	
State Sources		7,961,112		6,858,840		1,102,272	16.07%	
Federal Sources		1,062,966		786,495	_	276,471	35.15%	
Total Governmental Fund Revenues	\$	46,238,753	\$	45,298,490	\$	940,263	2.08%	

The following schedule represents a summary of the governmental funds expenditures for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2019 and 2018.

, ,	·	Years Ended			F	Amount of Increase	Percent
		<u>2019</u>		<u>2018</u>	(	Decrease)	<b>Change</b>
Current Expense							
Instruction	\$	27,520,853	\$	25,237,878	\$	2,282,975	9.05%
Support Services		15,848,762		15,119,510		729,252	4.82%
Capital Outlay		499,827		1,223,759		(723,932)	-59.16%
Debt Service							
Principal		1,457,283		2,329,472		(872,189)	-37.44%
Interest	<del></del>	809,789		859,631		(49,842)	-5.80%
Total Expenditures	\$	46,136,514	\$	44,770,250	\$	1,366,264	3.05%

#### **General Fund Budgeting Highlights**

The District'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 budget fund is the General Fund.

During the course of the year, the District revised the annual operating budget several times. Revisions in the budget were made to prevent over-expenditures in specific line item accounts.

#### **Capital Assets**

At the end of fiscal years 2019 and 2018, the District had \$46,988,086 and \$198,407 and \$48,122,394 and \$193,493 invested in land, buildings, furniture and equipment and vehicles and construction in progress for governmental activities and business type activities net of accumulated depreciation, respectively. Overall capital assets for governmental activities decreased \$1,134,308 and capital assets of business type activities increased \$4,914 from the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018 to fiscal year ended June 30, 2019. Table A-4 and A-5 shows capital assets and the related depreciation for governmental activities and business type activities at June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively.

Table A-4
Capital Assets
as of June 30, 2019 and 2018
Governmental Activities

	<u>Total</u>			
	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>		
Land	\$ 533,623	\$ 533,623		
Improvements Other Than Buildings	1,256,979	1,251,802		
Construction in Progress	151,650			
Buildings and Building Improvements	64,723,877	64,511,800		
Machinery and Equipment	5,422,136	5,232,668		
	72,088,265	71,529,893		
Less Accumulated Depreciation	25,100,179	23,407,499		
Net	\$ 46,988,086	\$ 48,122,394		

#### **Capital Assets (Continued)**

# Table A-5 Capital Assets as of June 30, 2019 and 2018 Business Type Activities

	<u>Total</u>					
		<u>2019</u>		<u>2018</u>		
Machinery and Equipment Less Accumulated Depreciation	\$	427,844 229,437	\$	396,923 203,430		
Net	\$	198,407	\$	193,493		

Additional information about the District's capital assets can be found in Note 3 of this report.

#### **Long-Term Liabilities**

At June 30, 2019 and 2018, the District had \$35,395,911 and \$38,983,747 of long-term liabilities. Of this amount, \$957,581 and \$1,531,237 is for compensated absences; and \$23,595,000 and \$24,990,000 of bonds payable; \$476,975 and \$-0- for capital leases payable; \$79,970 and \$95,593 for deferred pension obligations, and \$10,286,385 and \$12,366,917 for net pension liability, respectively.

Additional information about the District's Long-Term Debt can be found in Note 3 of this report.

#### For the Future

Secaucus Board of Education demonstrated strengths in developing and implementing budgets was a major factor in the successes of the 2018-2019 school year. The process is broad based and includes the staff, administration and Board of Education. All effort in the development of a budget are directed at achieving district goals. As we look forward, the administration and staff are prepared to face the new economic realities of no increases in state aid and 2% caps on tax increases. In these difficult times improvement of student achievement will always be our paramount consideration.

#### Contacting the District's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide the citizens, taxpayers, investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to show the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional information, contact Grace Yeo, Business Administrator/Board Secretary at Secaucus Board of Education, 685 Fifth Street, Secaucus, New Jersey 07094.

DISTRICT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AS OF JUNE 30, 2019

,	Governmental	Business-type	
	Activities	Activities	Total
ASSETS			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 6,857,752	\$ 766,537	\$ 7,624,289
Receivables, Net	447,358	74,342	521,700
Inventory		6,084	6,084
Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated	685,273		685,273
Capital Assets, Being Depreciated, net	46,302,813	198,407	46,501,220
Total Assets	54,293,196	1,045,370	55,338,566
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Deferred Amount on Net Pension Liability	2,056,637	-	2,056,637
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	2,056,637		2,056,637
Total Assets and Deferred Outflows of Resources	56,349,833	1,045,370	57,395,203
LIABILITIES			
Accounts Payable and Other Current Liabilities	339,635	2,374	342,009
Accrued Interest Payable	295,245	<b>,-</b>	295,245
Unearned Revenue	3,600	13,932	17,532
Noncurrent Liabilities	,	<b>,</b>	,
Due Within One Year	1,622,130		1,622,130
Due Beyond One Year	33,773,781	-	33,773,781
Total Liabilities	36,034,391	16,306	36,050,697
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
USDA Commodities		704	704
Deferred Amount on Net Pension Liability	3,970,219	-	3,970,219
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	3,970,219	704	3,970,923
Total Liabilities and Deferred Inflows of Resources	40,004,610	17,010	40,021,620
NET POSITION			
Net Investment in Capital Assets	23,627,355	198,407	23,825,762
Restricted for	23,021,333	170,40/	23,023,102
Capital Projects	4,811,500		4,811,500
Maintenance	525,000		525,000
Unrestricted	(12,618,632)	829,953	(11,788,679)
Total Net Position	\$ 16,345,223	\$ 1,028,360	\$ 17,373,583

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

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#### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

			Program Revenu	ies	00, 2013	Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position						
Functions/Programs	<b>Expenses</b>	harges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	_	Capital  Grants and ontributions		vernmental <u>Activities</u>		iness-Type ctivities		<u>Total</u>	
Governmental Activities												
Instruction												
Regular	\$ 21,507,249	\$ 87,780	\$ 6,223,215			\$	(15,196,254)			\$	(15,196,254)	
Special Education	6,686,059		2,629,388				(4,056,671)				(4,056,671)	
Other Instruction	434,110		101,447				(332,663)				(332,663)	
School Sponsored Activities and Athletics	1,398,894		385,481				(1,013,413)				(1,013,413)	
Community Services	51,720		1,937				(49,783)				(49,783)	
Support Services												
Student and Instruction Related Services	4,877,420		1,105,519				(3,771,901)				(3,771,901)	
School Administration Services	2,815,991		646,804				(2,169,187)				(2,169,187)	
General Administration Services	1,208,780		102,516				(1,106,264)				(1,106,264)	
Plant Operations and Maintenance	6,035,771		284,638				(5,751,133)				(5,751,133)	
Pupil Transportation	1,994,340		594,388	\$	58,545		(1,341,407)				(1,341,407)	
Central Services	1,254,064		96,016				(1,158,048)				(1,158,048)	
Interest on Long Term Debt	 792,148	 	235,993		_		(556,155)		- -		(556,155)	
Total Governmental Activities	 49,056,546	 87,780	12,407,342		58,545		(36,502,879)		_		(36,502,879)	
Business-Type Activities												
Food Service	1,170,158	717,140	430,679		-		_	\$	(22,339)		(22,339)	
Total Business-Type Activities	 1,170,158	 717,140	430,679	•	-		-	<u> </u>	(22,339)		(22,339)	
Total Primary Government	\$ 50,226,704	\$ 804,920	\$ 12,838,021	\$	58,545	\$	(36,502,879)	\$	(22,339)	\$	(36,525,218)	

#### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

#### Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position

	Governmental <u>Activities</u>	Business-Type <u>Activities</u>	<u>Total</u>				
General Revenues							
Property Taxes Levied for General Purposes	\$ 35,360,770		\$ 35,360,770				
Property Taxes Levied for Debt Service	1,554,633		1,554,633				
State Aid Restricted for Debt Service	409,149		409,149				
State Aid-Unrestricted	4,859		4,859				
Miscellaneous Income	211,492		211,492				
Total General Revenues							
and Transfers	37,540,903		37,540,903				
Change in Net Position	1,038,024	\$ (22,339)	1,015,685				
Net Position, Beginning of Year	15,307,199	1,050,699	16,357,898				
Net Position, End of Year	\$ 16,345,223	\$ 1,028,360	\$ 17,373,583				

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET AS OF JUNE 30, 2019

		General <u>Fund</u>		Special Revenue <u>Fund</u>		Capital Projects <u>Fund</u>		Debt Service <u>Fund</u>	G	Total overnmental <u>Funds</u>
ASSETS										
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	6,471,833			\$	385,919			\$	6,857,752
Other Accounts Receivable		2,393	\$	9,873						12,266
Due from Other Funds Receivables from Other Governments		251,724 87,851		347,241						251,724 435,092
Total Assets	\$	6,813,801	\$_	357,114	\$_	385,919	<u>\$</u>	•	<u>\$</u>	7,556,834
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES										
Liabilities									_	
Accounts Payable	\$	227,952	\$	101,790					\$	329,742
Accrued Salaries & Wages		9,893		261 724						9,893
Due to Other Funds Unearned Revenue		_		251,724 3,600		_				251,724 3,600
			_	357,114			-			594,959
Total Liabilities		237,845		337,114						394,939
Fund Balances Restricted										
Capital Projects					\$	385,919				385,919
Excess Surplus		100,000			Ψ	303,717				100,000
Excess Surplus-Designated for		,								,
Subsequent Year's Expenditures		200,000								200,000
Maintenance Reserve		525,000								525,000
Emergency Reserve		300,000								300,000
Capital Reserve		3,286,350								3,286,350
Capital Reserve-Designated for										
Subsequent Year's Expenditures		1,525,150								1,525,150
Assigned Year End Encumbrances		133,733								133,733
Unassigned		505,723								505,723
Total Fund Balances		6,575,956				385,919		-		6,961,875
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$	6,813,801	\$	357,114	\$	385,919	<u>\$</u>	-	\$	7,556,834
Total Fund Balances-governmental Funds (Exhibit B-1)									\$	6,961,875
Amounts reported for <i>governmental activities</i> in the statement of net position (A-1) are different because:										
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds. The cost of the assets is \$72,088,265 and the accumulated depreciation										
is \$25,100,179.										46,988,086
The District has financed capital assets through the issuance of serial bonds. The interest accrual at year end is:										(295,245)
Certain amounts resulting from the measurement of the net pension reported as either deferred inflows of resources or deferred outflows on the statement of net position and deferred over future years.	•									
		erred Outflows					\$	2,056,637 (3,970,219)		
	2010	AIIAIOTTO U						(3,710,219)		(1,913,582)
Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported as liabilities in the funds. These items are as follows:										(1,913,382)
	Capi Defe Net	ds Payable tal Leases Paya erred Pension C Pension Liabili	Obliga ty					(23,595,000) (476,975) (79,970) (10,286,385)		
	Com	pensated Abse	nces	Payable				(957,581)		(35 305 011)
Not position of governmental activities									<u> </u>	(35,395,911)
Net position of governmental activities  The Accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements are an I	ntagral	Dart of this Sta	tama	nt					<u> </u>	16,345,223

#### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

#### STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	General Fund	Special Revenue Fund	Capital Projects <u>Fund</u>	Debt Service <u>Fund</u>	Total Governmental <u>Funds</u>
REVENUES			<del></del>		
Local Sources					
Property Tax Levy	\$ 35,360,	770		\$ 1,554,633	\$ 36,915,403
Tuition	87,	780			87,780
Rents and Royalties	66,	514			66,514
Unrestricted Miscellaneous Revenues	144,	978 -			144,978
Total - Local Sources	35,660,	042 -	-	1,554,633	37,214,675
State Sources	7,315,	970		645,142	7,961,112
Federal Sources		458 \$ 1,018,508	•	013,112	1,062,966
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Total Revenues	43,020,	1,018,508	•	2,199,775	46,238,753
EXPENDITURES					
Current					
Regular Instruction	19,040,	325 459,379			19,499,704
Special Education Instruction	5,887,	553 415,046			6,302,599
Other Instruction	399,	678			399,678
School Sponsored Activities and Athletics	1,268,	059			1,268,059
Community Services	50,	813			50,813
Support Services					
Student and Instruction Related Services	4,380,				4,524,357
School Administration Services	2,570,9				2,570,976
General Administration Services	1,172,				1,172,461
Plant Operations and Maintenance	4,572,2				4,572,205
Pupil Transportation	1,817,				1,817,242
Central Services	1,191,	521			1,191,521
Debt Service					
Principal	62,2			1,395,000	1,457,283
Interest and Other Charges		)14	e 51.450	804,775	809,789
Capital Outlay	448,2	348	\$ 51,479		499,827
Total Expenditures	42,866,	752 1,018,508	51,479	2,199,775	46,136,514
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues					
Over (Under) Expenditures	153,7	718	(51,479)		102,239
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)					
Capital Lease Proceeds (Non Budget)	523,6		-		523,635
Total Other Financing Sources and Uses	523,6	535 -	-		523,635
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Net Change in Fund Balances	677,3	-	(51,479)	-	625,874
Fund Balance, Beginning of Year	5,898,6	-	437,398	-	6,336,001
Fund Balance, End of Year	\$ 6,575,9	956 \$ -	\$ 385,919	<u> </u>	\$ 6,961,875

EXHIBIT B-3

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES WITH THE DISTRICT-WIDE STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

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

\$ 625,874

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:

Capital outlays to purchase or build capital assets are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, for governmental activities those costs are shown in the statement and allocated over their estimated useful lives as annual depreciation expense. This is the amount by which depreciation exceeds capital outlay in the current period.

Capital Outlay
Depreciation Expense

499,827 (1,692,680)

1,395,000

15,623

46,660

(1,192,853)

The net effect of various miscellaneous transactions involving capital assets (i.e., sales, disposals and donations) is to increase net position. These transactions are not reported in the governmental funds financial statements.

**Donated Capital Assets** 

58,545

The issuance of long-term debt (e.g. bonds, leases) provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position. This amount is the net effect of these differences in the treatment of long-term debt and related items.

Debt Issued

Capital Lease Proceeds

(523,635)

Principal Repayments

Bond Principal
Deferred Pension Obligation - Net
Capital Lease Principal

1,457,283

Interest on long-term debt in the statement of activities differs from the amount reported in the governmental funds because interest is recorded as an expenditure in the funds when it is due, and thus requires the use of current financial resources. In the statement of activities, however, interest expense is recognized as the interest accrues, regardless of when it is due.

Decrease in accrued interest

17,641

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

Decrease in Pension Expense
Decrease in Compensated Absences

21,513

573,656

595,169

Change in net position of governmental activities(Exhibit A-2)

\$ 1,038,024

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION PROPRIETARY FUNDS STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AS OF JUNE 30, 2019

	Business-Type Activities <u>Enterprise Fund</u> <u>Food Service</u>				
ASSETS					
Current Assets					
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 766,537				
Intergovernmental Receivable	1.922				
State	1,822 72,520				
Federal Inventory	6,084				
inventory	0,00				
Total Current Assets	846,963				
Capital Assets					
Machinery and Equipment	427,844				
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(229,437)				
Total Capital Assets, Net of Accumulated Depreciation	198,407				
Total Assets	1,045,370				
LIABILITIES					
Current Liabilities					
Accounts Payable	2,374				
Unearned Revenue	13,932				
Total Current Liabilities	16,306				
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES					
U.S.D.A Commodities	704				
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	704				
Total Liabilities and Deferred Inflows of Resources	17,010				
NET POSITION					
Investment in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt	198,407				
Unrestricted	829,953				
Total Net Position	\$ 1,028,360				

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION PROPRIETARY FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	Business-Type Activities <u>Enterprise Fund</u> <u>Food Service</u>
OPERATING REVENUES	
Charges for Services	
Daily Sales - Reimbursable Programs	\$ 300,394
Daily Sales - Non-Reimbursable Programs	416,746
Total Operating Revenues	717,140
OPERATING EXPENSES	
Cost of Sales - Reimbursable Programs	368,837
Cost of Sales - Non-Reimbursable Programs	229,553
Salaries and Employee Benefits	401,787
Other Purchased Professional Services	30,666
Management Fee	78,750
General Supplies	26,670
Miscellaneous Expenditures	7,888
Depreciation Expense	26,007
Total Operating Expenses	1,170,158
Operating Loss	(453,018)
NONOPERATING REVENUES	
State Sources	
School Lunch Program	9,140
Federal Sources	·
National School Lunch Program	76,278
Food Distribution Program	46,905
National School Breakfast Program	298,356
Total Nonoperating Revenues	430,679
Net Income	(22,339)
Change in Net Position	(22,339)
Total Net Position, Beginning of Year	1,050,699
Total Net Position, End of Year	\$ 1,028,360

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION PROPRIETARY FUNDS STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	Business-Type Activities <u>Enterprise Fund</u> Food Service
Cash Flows from Operating Activities	
Cash Received from Customers	\$ 715,274
Cash Payments to Employees' Salaries and Benefits Cash Payments to Suppliers for Goods and Services	(401,787) (693,022)
Net Cash Used for Operating Activities	(379,535)
Cash Flows from Noncapital Financing Activities Cash Received from State and Federal Subsidy Reimbursements	381,233
Net Cash Provided by Noncapital Financing Activities	381,233
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities	
Acquisition of Capital Assets	(30,921)
Net Cash Used for Noncapital Financing Activities	(30,921)
Net Decrease in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(29,223)
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Year	795,760
Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Year	\$ 766,537
Reconciliation of Operating Loss to Net Cash	
Used for Operating Activities	
Operating Loss	\$(453,018)
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Loss to	
Net Cash Used by Operating Activities	
Depreciation	26,007
Non-Cash Federal Assistance - Food Distribution - National	
School Lunch Program	46,905
Change in Assets and Liabilities	
(Increase)/Decrease in Inventory	337
(Increase)/Decrease in Other Receivables	2,635
Increase/(Decrease) in Unearned Revenue Increase/(Decrease) in Accounts Payable	(4,501) 2,100
Total Adjustments	73,483
Net Cash Used for Operating Activities	\$ (379,535)
Non-Cash Financing Activities	
National School Lunch (Food Distribution Program)	\$ 46,937

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION FIDUCIARY FUNDS STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION AS OF JUNE 30, 2019

	Unemployment <u>Compensation Tr</u>		Scholars	hip Fund	Agency Fund		
ASSETS							
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	37,048	\$	309	\$	320,674	
Due from Other Funds		36,305				-	
Total Assets		73,353		309	\$	320,674	
LIABILITIES							
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings					\$	33,001	
Accrued Salaries and Wages						910	
Payable to State Government		1,139					
Due to Other Funds						36,305	
Due to Student Groups					-	250,458	
Total Liabilities		1,139			\$	320,674	
NET POSITION							
Reserved for Scholarships			<u>\$</u>	309			
Held in Trust for Unemployment							
Claims and Other Purposes	\$	72,214			f		

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION FIDUCIARY FUNDS STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	nployment nsation Trust	Scholarship Fund		
ADDITIONS			-	
Contributions				
Other		\$	1,629	
Board Contributions	\$ 500			
Employee Contributions	 51,433		, .	
Total Additions	 51,933		1,629	
DEDUCTIONS				
Scholarships Awarded			1,500	
Unemployment Claims and Contributions	35,114		-	
Other	 *		24	
Total Deductions	 35,114		1,524	
Change in Net Position	16,819		105	
Net Position, Beginning of the Year	 55,395		204	
Net Position, End of the Year	\$ 72,214	\$	309	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### A. Reporting Entity

The Secaucus Board of Education (the "Board" or the "District") is an instrumentality of the State of New Jersey, established to function as an education institution. The Board consists of nine elected officials and is responsible for the fiscal control of the District. A superintendent is appointed by the Board and is responsible for the administrative control of the District. Under existing statutes, the Board's duties and powers include, but are not limited to, the development and adoption of a school program; the establishment, organization and operation of schools; and the acquisition, maintenance and disposition of school property.

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

The reporting entity is composed of the primary government, component units, and other organizations that are included to ensure that the financial statements of the District are not misleading. The primary government consists of all funds, departments, boards and agencies that are not legally separate from the District. For the Secaucus Board of Education this includes general operations, food service, and student related activities of the District.

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

#### **B.** New Accounting Standards

During fiscal year 2019, the District adopted the following GASB statement as required:

• GASB No. 88, Certain Disclosures Related to Debt, Including Direct Borrowings and Direct Placements. The primary objective of this Statement is to improve the information that is disclosed in notes to government financial statements related to debt, including direct borrowings and direct placements. It also clarifies which liabilities governments should include when disclosing information related to debt. This Statement will improve financial reporting by providing users of financial statements with essential information that currently is not consistency provided. In addition, information about resources to liquidate debt and the risks associated with changes in terms association with debt will be disclosed.

Other accounting standards that the District 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 established criteria for identifying fiduciary activities of all state and local governments.

### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### B. New Accounting Standards (Continued)

- 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.
- GASB No. 89, Accounting for Interest Costs Incurred Before the End of a Construction Period, will be effective beginning with the year ending June 30, 2020. The objectives of this Statement are (1) to enhance the relevance and comparability of information about capital assets and the cost of borrowing for a reporting period and (2) to simplify accounting for interest cost incurred before the end of a construction period. This Statement requires that interest cost incurred before the end of a construction period be recognized as an expense in the period in which the cost is incurred for financial statements prepared using the economic resources measurement focus. As a result, interest cost incurred before the end of a construction period will not be included in the historical cost of a capital asset reported in a business-type activity or enterprise fund.

#### C. Basis of Presentation - Financial Statements

The financial statements include both district-wide financial statements (based on the District as a whole) and fund financial statements (based on specific District activities or objectives). Both the district-wide and fund financial statements categorize activities as either governmental activities or business-type activities. While separate district-wide and fund financial statements are presented, they are interrelated. In the district-wide financial statements, the governmental activities column incorporates data from governmental funds, while business-type activities incorporate data from the District's enterprise funds. Fiduciary funds are excluded from the district-wide financial statements.

## **District-Wide Financial Statements**

The district-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the Board of Education. All fiduciary activities are reported only in the fund financial statements. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by property taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. In the statement of net position, both the governmental and business-type activities columns (a) are presented on a consolidated basis by column, and (b) reflect on a full accrual economic resource basis, which incorporates long-term assets and receivables as well as long-term debt and obligations.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. Program revenues include 1) charges to customers or other governmental entities, including other school districts, who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods or services provided by a given function or segment and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Property taxes, unrestricted state aid, and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

As a general rule the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the district-wide financial statements. Exceptions to this general rule are charges between the Board's proprietary and fiduciary funds since elimination of these charges would distort the direct costs and program revenues reported for the various functions concerned.

#### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

# C. Basis of Presentation - Financial Statements (Continued)

#### **Fund Financial Statements**

Separate fund financial statements are provided for governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary activities, even though the latter are excluded from the district-wide financial statements. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major individual governmental and enterprise funds, each reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. All remaining governmental and enterprise funds are aggregated and reported as nonmajor funds. The District considers all of its governmental and enterprise funds to be major funds.

The District reports the following major governmental funds:

The *general fund* is the School District's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the District, except those to be accounted for in another fund.

The *special revenue fund* accounts for the proceeds of specific revenue sources legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes. This fund accounts for federal, state and local financial programs, with the exception of grants for major capital projects and the child nutrition programs.

The *capital projects fund* accounts for the proceeds from the sale of bonds, lease purchases and other revenues used for the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets, other than those financed by the proprietary funds.

The *debt service fund* accounts for the accumulation of resources that are restricted, committed or assigned for the payment of principal and interest on long-term general obligation debt of governmental funds.

The District reports the following major proprietary fund which is organized to be self-supporting through user charges:

The *food service fund* accounts for the activities of the school cafeteria, which provides food service to students as well as a la carte and catering services for teachers and special events.

Additionally, the government reports the following fund types:

The *fiduciary trust funds* are used to account for resources legally held in trust for state unemployment insurance claims and for private donations for scholarship awards. All resources of the funds, including any earnings on invested resources, may be used to support the intended purpose. There is no requirement that any portion of these resources be preserved as capital.

The *fiduciary agency funds* account for assets held by the District as an agent for student activities and for payroll deductions and withholdings. The funds for the student activities fund are solely for noninstructional student activities that are supported and controlled by student organizations and clubs for which school administration does not have management involvement. The payroll funds are held to remit employee withholdings to respective state, federal and other agencies.

Activity between funds that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year are referred to as either "due to/from other funds" (i.e., the current portion of interfund loans) or "advances to/from other funds" (i.e., the non-current portion of interfund loans). All other outstanding balances between funds are reported as "due to/from other funds". Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and business-type activities are reported in the district-wide financial statements as "internal balances".

#### Reclassifications

Certain amounts presented in the prior year data may have been reclassified in order to be consistent with the current year's presentation.

#### 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.

The district-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements with the exception of the agency fund which does 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. Property taxes are 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 fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when susceptible to accrual (i.e. when they are both measurable and available). Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the Board considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days after year-end. Expenditures are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual basis of accounting, with the exception of debt service expenditures as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments which are recorded only when payment is due. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Issuance of long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Property taxes, tuition, unrestricted state aid, and interest 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 District.

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the Board's policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

#### E. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance

# 1. Cash, Cash Equivalents and Investments

Cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

Investments are reported at fair value and are limited by N.J.S.A. 18A:20-37.

#### 2. Receivables

All receivables are reported at their gross value, and where appropriate, are reduced by the estimated portion that is expected to be uncollectible.

#### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

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

#### 3. Inventories

The cost of inventories of the governmental fund types are recorded as expenditures at the time individual inventory items are purchased.

Food Service Fund inventories, exclusive of the federal commodities, are valued at cost, using the first-in first-out (FIFO) method and consist of food and expendable supplies. The cost of such inventories is recorded as expenses when consumed rather than when purchased. The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) commodity portion of the Food Service Fund inventory consists of food donated by the USDA. It is valued at estimated market prices by the USDA. The amount of unused commodities inventory at year-end is reported as deferred inflows of resources.

#### 4. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the district-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the Board as assets with an initial, individual cost of \$2,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. The District was able to estimate the historical cost for the initial reporting of these capital assets through back trending. As the District constructs or acquires additional capital assets each period, they are capitalized and reported at historical cost. Donated capital assets are recorded at acquisition value at the date of donation. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend its useful life are not capitalized.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed. Interest incurred during the construction phase of capital assets of business-type activities is included as part of the capitalized value of the assets constructed.

Land and construction in progress are not depreciated. The other property, plant, and equipment of the District is depreciated using the straight line method over the following estimated useful lives:

Assets	<u>Years</u>
Improvements Other Than Buildings	20
Buildings and Building Improvements	20-50
Machinery and Equipment	5-20

# 5. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The Board has one item which arises only under the accrual basis of accounting that qualify 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 district-wide statement of net position and result 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.

#### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

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

#### 5. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources (Continued)

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The Board has two types which arise only under the accrual basis of accounting that qualify 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 district-wide statement of net position and result 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. The other item is deferred commodities revenue, reported in both the district-wide and the proprietary funds statements of net position. The deferred commodities revenue represents the estimated market value of the donated and unused Federal commodities inventory at year end. This amount is deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period the commodities are consumed.

#### 6. Compensated Absences

It is the District's policy to permit employees to accumulate (with certain restrictions) earned but unused vacation, personal, and sick leave benefits. A long-term liability of accumulated vacation, personal and sick leave and salary related payments has been recorded in the governmental activities in the district-wide financial statements, representing the Board's commitment to fund such costs from future operations. A liability is reported in the governmental funds only to the amount actually due at year end as a result of employee resignations and retirements.

#### 7. Pensions

In the district-wide financial statements and proprietary fund types in the fund 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.

# 8 Long-Term Obligations

In the district-wide financial statements, and proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund type statement of net position.

#### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

- E. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued)
- 9. Net Position/Fund Balance

#### **District-Wide Statements**

In the district-wide statements, there are three classes of net position:

- Net Investment in Capital Assets consists of net capital assets (cost less accumulated depreciation) reduced by outstanding balances of related debt obligations from the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources attributable to the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets or related debt also should be included.
- Restricted Net Position reports net position when constraints placed on the residual amount of noncapital assets are either externally imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments, or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- Unrestricted Net Position any portion of net position not already classified as either net investment in capital assets or net position restricted is classified as net position unrestricted.

#### **Governmental Fund Statements**

Fund balance categories are designed to make the nature and extent of the constraints placed on the District's fund balance more transparent. These categories are comprised of a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which the District 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.

<u>Capital Projects</u> – Represents fund balance restricted specifically for capital acquisitions and improvements in the Capital Projects Fund.

<u>Excess Surplus</u> – This restriction was created in accordance with NJSA 18A:7F-7 to represent the June 30, 2019 audited excess surplus that is required to be appropriated in the 2020/2021 original budget certified for taxes.

<u>Excess Surplus – Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures</u> - This restriction was created in accordance with NJSA 18A:7F-7 to represent the June 30, 2018 audited excess surplus that was appropriated in the 2019/2020 original budget certified for taxes.

<u>Maintenance Reserve</u> – This restriction was created by the Board in accordance with NJAC 6A:23A-14.2 to accumulate funds for the required maintenance of school facilities in accordance with the EFCA (NJSA 18A:7G-9) for a thorough and efficient education. (See Note 2).

<u>Emergency Reserve</u> – This restriction was created in accordance with NJAC 6A:23A-14.4(A)1 to accumulate funds in accordance with State statute to finance unanticipated general fund expenditures required for a thorough and efficient education. (See Note 2).

<u>Capital Reserve</u> – This restriction was created by the District in accordance with NJAC 6A:23A-14.1 to fund future capital expenditures (See Note 2).

<u>Capital Reserve - Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures</u> – This designation was created to dedicate the portion of capital reserve fund balance appropriated in the adopted 2019/2020 District budget certified for taxes.

#### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

- E. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued)
- 9. Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued)

#### **Governmental Fund Statements (Continued)**

<u>Assigned Fund Balance</u> – Amounts a government intends to use for a specific purpose; intent can be expressed by the governing body or by an official or body to which the governing body 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 restricted, committed or assigned to specific purposes within the governmental funds.

In the general operating fund and other governmental funds (capital projects and debt service fund types), it is the District's policy to consider restricted resources to have been spent first when an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted (i.e., committed, assigned or unassigned) fund balances are available, followed by committed and then assigned fund balances. Unassigned amounts are used only after the other resources have been used.

#### 10. Fund Balance Policies

Fund balance of governmental funds is reported in various categories based on the nature of any limitations requiring the use of resources for specific purposes. The government itself can establish limitations on the use of resources through either a commitment (committed fund balance) or an assignment (assigned fund balance).

The committed fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action of the government's highest level of decision-making authority. The Board of Trustees is the highest level of decision-making authority for the government that can, by adoption of a resolution or formal Board action prior to the end of the fiscal year, commit fund balance. Once adopted, the limitation imposed by the resolution remains in place until a similar action is taken (the adoption of another resolution) to remove or revise the limitation. The District has no committed fund balances at year end.

Amounts in the assigned fund balance classification are intended to be used by the government for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as committed. The Board has authorized the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary to assign fund balance. The Board may also assign fund balance as it does when appropriating fund balance to cover a gap between estimated revenue and appropriations in the subsequent year's appropriated budget. Unlike commitments, assignments generally only exist temporarily. In other words, an additional action does not normally have to be taken for the removal of an assignment. Conversely, as discussed above, an additional action is essential to either remove or revise a commitment.

#### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### F. Revenues and Expenditures/Expenses

#### 1. Program Revenues

Amounts reported as program revenues in the district-wide statement of activities include 1) charges to customers or applicants for goods or services, provided, 2) operating grants and contributions, and 3) capital grants and contributions. Internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues. Likewise, general revenues include all property taxes, unrestricted state aid, investment earnings and miscellaneous revenues.

#### 2. Property Taxes

Property taxes are levied pursuant to law and are collected by the municipality and are transferred to the District as requested. Property tax revenues are recognized in the year they are levied and become available. Property taxes collected in advance of the year-end for which they are levied and transferred to the District are reported as deferred inflows of resources. The tax bills are mailed annually in June by the municipal tax collector and are levied and due in four quarterly installments on August 1, November 1, February 1 and May 1 of the fiscal year. When unpaid, taxes or any other municipal lien, or part thereof, on real property, remains in arrears on April 1<sup>st</sup> in the year following the calendar year levy when the same became in arrears, the tax collector of the municipality shall, subject to the provisions of New Jersey Statute, enforce the lien by placing the property on a tax sale. The municipality may institute annual "in rem" tax foreclosure proceedings to enforce the tax collection or acquisition of title to the property.

## 3. Tuition Revenues and Expenditures

<u>Tuition Revenues</u> - Tuition charges were established by the Board of Education based on estimated costs. The charges are subject to adjustment when the final costs are determined and certified by the State Department of Education.

<u>Tuition Expenditures</u> - Tuition charges for the fiscal years 2017-2018 and 2018-2019 were based on rates established by the receiving district. These rates are subject to change when the actual costs have been certified by the State Department of Education.

#### 4. 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 is charges to customers for sales and services. Operating expenses for the enterprise fund includes 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. Federal and State subsidies for the food service operation are considered nonoperating revenues.

#### NOTE 2 STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

# A. Budgetary Information

In accordance with the requirements of the New Jersey Department of Education ("the Department"), the District annually prepares its operating budget for the forthcoming year. The budget, except for the general fund and special revenue fund, which is more fully explained below and in the notes to the required supplementary information, is prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and serves as a formal plan for expenditures and the proposed means for financing them.

The annual budget is adopted in the spring of the preceding year for the general, special revenue and debt service funds. The District is not required to adopt an annual budget for the capital projects fund. The budget is submitted to the county superintendent for review and approval prior to adoption. Prior to the 2012/2013 budget year, the annual budget was required to be voted upon at the annual school election held on the third Tuesday in April. On January 17, 2012, Chapter 202 of the Laws of P.L. 2011 was approved which established procedures for moving the date of a school district's annual school election from April to the general election in November. Under the new law, districts that have their school board members elected in November no longer have to submit their budgets that meet levy cap requirements for voter approval beginning with the 2012/2013 budget year. Only a school board decision to exceed the tax levy cap would require voter approval for the additional amount on the November ballot. On January 22, 2015, the Board adopted a resolution to move its annual election to the date of the general elections in accordance with the law; therefore voter approval of the annual budget is not required.

Budget adoptions and amendments are recorded in the District's board minutes. The budget is amended by the Board of Trustees as needed throughout the year. The budget for revenues, other resources, other uses, and fund balances is prepared by fund source and amount. The budget for expenditures is prepared by fund, program, function, object and amount. The legal level of budgetary control is established at the line item account 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. 6:20-2A.2(m)1. The Board approved several budget transfers during 2018/2019. Also, during 2018/2019 the Board increased the original budget by \$1,272,463. The increase was funded by additional state aid, additional grant awards and the reappropriation of prior year general fund encumbrances and the appropriation of a portion of the maintenance reserve.

Formal budgetary integration into the accounting system is employed as a management control device during the year. For governmental funds there are no substantial differences between the budgetary basis of accounting and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, with the exception of the legally mandated revenue recognition of certain state aid payments for budgetary purposes only and the treatment of encumbrances in the special revenue fund as described in the Notes to Required Supplementary Information (RSI). Encumbrance accounting is also employed as an extension of formal budgetary integration in the governmental fund types. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at fiscal year end.

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

#### **B.** Excess Expenditures Over Appropriations

The following is a summary of expenditures in excess of available appropriations. The overexpended appropriations resulted in unfavorable variances.

	Final <u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Unfavorable <u>Variance</u>
General Fund			
Support Services – General Administration Judgements Against the School District Unallocated Benefits – Employee Benefits	\$5,555	\$34,493	\$28,938
Social Security Contributions	503,910	505,901	1,991

The above variances were offset with other available resources.

# NOTE 2 STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY (Continued)

#### C. Capital Reserve

A capital reserve account was established by the District. The accumulation of funds will be used for capital outlay expenditures in subsequent fiscal years. The capital reserve is maintained in the general fund and its activity is included in the general fund annual budget.

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

The activity of the capital reserve for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019 is as follows:

Balance, July 1, 2018		\$	4,149,830
Increased by: Deposits Approved by Board Resolution Unexpended Balances in District Budget	\$ 863,128 270,042		
Total Increases			1,133,170
Decreased by:			5,283,000
Approved in District Budget			471,500
Balance, June 30, 2019		<u>\$</u>	4,811,500

The withdrawals from the capital reserve were for use in a department approved facilities project, consistent with the district's Long Range Facilities Plan. \$1,525,150 of the capital reserve balance at June 30, 2019 was designated and appropriated for use in the 2019/2020 original budget certified for taxes.

#### D. Maintenance Reserve

A maintenance reserve account was established by the District. The accumulation of funds will be used for required maintenance of school facilities expenditures in subsequent fiscal years. The maintenance reserve is maintained in the General Fund and its activity is included in the General Fund annual budget.

Funds placed in the maintenance reserve are restricted to required maintenance activities for a school facility as reported in the comprehensive maintenance plan. A District may appropriate funds into the maintenance reserve in the annual General Fund budget certified for taxes or by transfer by board resolution at year end of any unanticipated revenue or unexpended line item appropriation amounts or both. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-14.2(g), the balance in the reserve cannot at any time exceed four percent of the replacement cost of the school district's school facilities for the current year.

#### NOTE 2 STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY (Continued)

#### D. Maintenance Reserve (Continued)

The activity of the maintenance reserve for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019 is as follows:

Balance, July 1, 2018 \$ 200,000

Increased by:
Deposits Approved by Board Resolution
Unexpended Balances in District Budget
Total Increases \$ 525,000

Pecreased by:
Approved by Board Resolution \$ 200,000

The June 30, 2019 comprehensive maintenance plan indicated a maximum maintenance reserve amount of \$2,114,398.

#### E. Emergency Reserve

Balance, June 30, 2019

An emergency reserve account was established by the District. The accumulation of funds will be used to finance unanticipated General Fund current expenditures required for a thorough and efficient education in subsequent fiscal years.

525,000

Funds placed in the emergency reserve are restricted to finance reasonably unforeseeable costs and shall not include additional costs due to poor planning. A District may appropriate funds into the emergency reserve in the annual General Fund budget certified for taxes or by transfer by board resolution at year end of any unanticipated revenue or unexpended line item appropriation amounts or both. Withdrawals from the reserve require the approval of the Commissioner unless the withdrawal is necessary to meet an increase in total health care costs in excess of four percent or the withdrawal is included in the original budget certified for taxes to finance school security improvements to school facilities pursuant to 18A:7G-6(c)1. Pursuant to NJAC 6A:23A-14.4(A), the balance in the reserve cannot at any time exceed the greater of \$250,000 or one percent of the school district's General Fund budget as certified for taxes up to a maximum of \$1,000,000.

The activity of the emergency reserve for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019 is as follows:

Balance, July 1, 2018 \$ 250,000

Increased by
Deposits Approved by Board Resolution 50,000

Balance, June 30, 2019 \$ 300,000

#### NOTE 2 STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY (Continued)

#### F. Calculation of Excess Surplus

In accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:7F-7, as amended, the restricted fund balance for Excess Surplus is a required calculation pursuant to the New Jersey Comprehensive Educational Improvement and Financing Act of 1996 (CEIFA). New Jersey school districts are required to restrict General Fund fund balance in excess of 2% of budget expenditures at the fiscal year end of June 30 if they did not appropriate a required minimum amount as budgeted fund balance in their subsequent year's budget. The excess fund balance at June 30, 2019 is \$300,000. Of this amount, \$200,000 was designated and appropriated in the 2019/2020 original budget certified for taxes and the remaining amount of \$100,000 will be appropriated in the 2020/2021 original budget certified for taxes.

#### NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS

#### A. Cash Deposits and Investments

#### **Cash Deposits**

The Board's deposits are insured through either the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund (NCUSIF), Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC) or New Jersey's Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act (GUDPA). The Board is required to deposit their funds in a depository which is protecting such funds pursuant to GUDPA. The New Jersey Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act requires all banks doing business in the State of New Jersey to pledge collateral equal to at least 5% of the average amount of its public deposits and 100% of the average amount of its public funds in excess of the lesser of 75% of its capital funds or \$200 million for all deposits not covered by the FDIC and NCUSIF.

Bank balances are insured up to \$250,000 in the aggregate by the FDIC for each bank. NCUSIF insures credit union accounts up to \$250,000 in the aggregate for each financial institution. SIPC replaces cash claims up to a maximum of \$250,000 for each failed brokerage firm. At June 30, 2019, the book value of the Board's deposits were \$7,982,320 and bank and brokerage firm balances of the Board's deposits amounted to \$10,932,527. The Board's deposits which are displayed on the various fund balance sheets as "cash and cash equivalents" are categorized as:

#### **Depository Account**

Insured \$ 10,932,527

<u>Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits</u> – Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits may not be returned to it. The Board does not have a policy for custodial credit risk. As of June 30, 2019 none of the Board's bank balances were exposed to custodial credit risk.

#### NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

#### A. Cash Deposits and Investments (Continued)

#### **Investments**

The Board is permitted to invest public funds in accordance with the types of securities authorized by N.J.S.A. 18A:20-37. Examples of the allowable investments are bonds or other obligations of the United States or obligations guaranteed by the United States of America; Government Money Market Mutual Funds; any obligation that a federal agency or a federal instrumentality has issued in accordance with an act of Congress, which security has a maturity date not greater than 397 days from the date of purchase, provided that such obligations bear a fixed rate of interest not dependent on any index or other external factor; bonds or other obligations of the school district or bonds or other obligations of the local unit or units within which the school district is located; Bonds or other obligations, having a maturity date of not more than 397 days from the date of purchase, issued by New Jersey school districts, municipalities, counties, and entities subject to the "Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law," (C.40A:5A-1 et seq.); Other bonds or obligations having a maturity date not more than 397 days from the date of purchase may be approved by the Division of Investment in the Department of the Treasury for investment by school districts; Local Government investment pools; deposits with the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund established pursuant to section 1 of P.L. 1977, c.281 (C.52:18A-90.4); and agreements for the repurchase of fully collateralized securities, if transacted in accordance with the above statute.

As of June 30, 2019, the Board had no outstanding investments.

<u>Interest Rate Risk</u> – The Board does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

<u>Credit Risk</u> – State law limits investments as noted above (N.J.S.A. 18A:20-37). The District does not have an investment policy that would further limit its investment choices.

<u>Concentration of Credit Risk</u> – The Board places no limit in the amount the District may invest in any one issuer.

Investment and interest earnings in the Capital Projects Fund are assigned to the General Fund in accordance with Board policy.

#### **B.** Receivables

Receivables as of June 30, 2019 for the district's individual major funds in the aggregate, including the applicable allowances for uncollectible accounts, are as follows:

General Receivables: Intergovernmental-		<u>General</u>	Special Revenue		Food Service		<u>Total</u>	
Federal			\$	347,241	\$	72,520	\$	419,761
State	\$	87,851				1,822		89,673
Other	************	2,393		9,873		-		12,266
Gross Receivables Less: Allowance for		90,244		357,114		74,342		521,700
Uncollectibles				-		-	_	-
Net Total Receivables	\$	90,244	\$	357,114	\$	74,342	\$	521,700

# NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

# C. Unearned Revenue

Governmental funds report unearned revenue in connection with resources that have been received, but not yet earned. At the end of the current fiscal year, the various components of unearned revenue reported in the governmental funds were as follows:

Special Revenue Fund	
Grant Draw Downs Reserved for Encumbrances	\$ 3,600
Total Unearned Revenue for Governmental Funds	\$ 3,600

#### D. Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019 was as follows:

	Balance, July 1, 2018	Increases	Decreases	Balance, June 30, 2019
Governmental Activities:				
Capital Assets, Not Being Depreciated:				
Land	\$ 533,623			\$ 533,623
Construction in Progress		\$ 151,650	-	151,650
Total Capital Assets, Not Being Depreciated	533,623	151,650	-	685,273
Capital Assets, Being Depreciated:				
Buildings and Building Improvements	64,511,800	212,077		64,723,877
Improvements Other Than Buildings	1,251,802	5,177		1,256,979
Machinery and Equipment	5,232,668	189,468	-	5,422,136
Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated	70,996,270	406,722	_	71,402,992
Less Accumulated Depreciation for:				
Buildings and Building Improvements	(18,818,688)	(1,358,376)		(20,177,064)
Land Improvements	(887,954)	(21,223)		(909,177)
Machinery and Equipment	(3,700,857)	(313,081)	-	(4,013,938)
Total Accumulated Depreciation	(23,407,499)	(1,692,680)	-	(25,100,179)
Total Capital Assets, Being Depreciated, Net	47,588,771	(1,285,958)		46,302,813
Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net	\$ 48,122,394	\$ (1,134,308)	\$ -	\$ 46,988,086

# NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

# D. Capital Assets (Continued)

	Balance, <u>July 1, 2018</u>	Inc	creases	Decreases		Balance, e 30, 2019
Business-Type Activities: Capital Assets, Being Depreciated:						
Machinery and Equipment Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated	\$ 396,923 396,923	\$	30,921 30,921		\$	427,844 427,844
Less Accumulated Depreciation for: Machinery and Equipment Total Accumulated Depreciation	(203,430) (203,430)		(26,007) (26,007)			(229,437) (229,437)
Total Capital Assets, Being Depreciated, Net	193,493		4,914	_	<del></del>	198,407
Business-Type Activities Capital Assets, Net	\$ 193,493	\$	4,914	\$ -	\$	198,407
Depreciation expense was charged to functions/p	rograms of the Dis	strict as	follows:			
Governmental Activities:						
Instruction Regular				\$	51	,258
Total Instruction					51	,258
Support Services Student and Instruction Related Services					22	001
School Administrative Services						,881 ,752
Plant Operations and Maintenance					1,416	
Pupil Transportation						,056
Central Services & Info. Technology					26	,465
Total Support Services					1,641	,422
Total Depreciation Expense - Governmental Act	ivities			\$	1,692	,680
Business-Type Activities: Food Service Fund				\$	26	,007
Total Depreciation Expense-Business-Type Activ	vities			\$	26	,007

# NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

#### E. Interfund Receivables, Payables, and Transfers

The composition of interfund balances as of June 30, 2018, is as follows:

# **Due To/From Other Funds**

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	Amount		
General Fund Unemployment Compensation Trust	Special Revenue Fund Agency Fund	\$	251,724 36,305	
Total		\$	288,029	

The above balances are the result of revenues earned received in one fund which are due to another fund and/or to cover cash balances which were in an overdraft position.

The District expects all interfund balances to be liquidated within one year.

#### F. Leases

# **Capital Leases**

The District is leasing Chromebook and phone system upgrades totaling \$523,635 under capital leases. The leases are for terms of 4 to 5 years.

The future minimum lease obligations and the net present value of these minimum lease payments as of June 30, 2019 were as follows:

Fiscal	Gov	ernmental
Year Ending June 30	<u>A</u>	ctivities
2020	\$	129,117
2021		134,697
2022		134,697
2023		83,022
2024		33,484
2025		5,581
Total minimum lease payments		520,598
Less: amount representing interest		(43,623)
Present value of minimum lease payments	\$	476,975

# NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

#### G. Long-Term Debt

#### **General Obligation Bonds**

The Board issued general obligation bonds to provide funds for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities and other capital assets and other purposes permitted by statute. The full faith and credit of the Board are irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal of the bonds and the interest thereon.

Bonds payable at June 30, 2019 are comprised of the following issues:

\$2,910,000, 2009 Refunding Bonds, due in annual installments of \$270,000 to \$275,000 through July 15, 2020, interest at 4.00%

\$ 545,000

\$27,400,000, 2014 School Bonds, due in annual installments of \$1,140,000 to \$1,870,000 through August 15, 2034, interest at 3.00% to 4.00%

23,050,000

Total \$23,595,000

The Board's schedule of principal and interest for long-term debt issued and outstanding is as follows:

# **Governmental Activities:**

Fiscal				
Year Ending	<u>Serial</u>	Bon	<u>ıds</u>	
June 30,	<u>Principal</u>		Interest	Total
2020	\$ 1,415,000	\$	759,875	\$ 2,174,875
2021	1,435,000		714,400	2,149,400
2022	1,195,000		673,601	1,868,601
2023	1,220,000		637,375	1,857,375
2024	1,255,000		600,250	1,855,250
2025-2029	6,895,000		2,400,354	9,295,354
2030-2034	8,310,000		1,166,900	9,476,900
2035	 1,870,000		37,400	 1,907,400
	\$ 23,595,000	\$	6,990,155	\$ 30,585,155

#### **Statutory Borrowing Power**

The Board's remaining borrowing power under N.J.S. 18A:24-19, as amended, at June 30, 2019 was as follows:

4% of Equalized Valuation Basis (Municipal)

Less: Net Debt

\$ 205,510,487 23,595,000

Remaining Borrowing Power

\$ 181,915,487

# NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

#### G. Other Long-Term Liabilities

#### **Deferred Pension Obligation**

During the 2009/2010 school year the Board elected to contribute only 50% of its normal and accrued liability components of the Public Employee Retirement System (PERS) obligations and deferred the remaining 50% in accordance with P.L. 2009, c.19. The deferred amount totaled \$139,317 and is being paid back with interest over 15 years beginning in the 2011/2012 fiscal year. The District is permitted to payoff the deferred PERS pension obligations at any time. It is estimated that the total deferred liability including accrued interest (at 7.00% effective July 1, 2017), at June 30, 2019 is \$79,970.

#### **Changes in Long-Term Liabilities**

Long-term liability activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019, was as follows:

	<u>J</u>	Balance, uly 1, 2018	<u>A</u>	Additions	<u>F</u>	Reductions	<u>Jı</u>	Balance, ine 30, 2019	Due Within One Year
Governmental Activities:									
Bonds Payable	\$	24,990,000			\$	1,395,000	\$	23,595,000	\$ 1,415,000
Net Pension Liability		12,366,917				2,080,532		10,286,385	
Capital Leases			\$	523,635		46,660		476,975	111,372
Compensated Absences		1,531,237				573,656		957,581	95,758
Deferred Pension Obligation		95,593		6,394		22,017		79,970	 
Governmental Activity									
Long-Term Liabilities	\$	38,983,747	\$	530,029	\$	4,117,865	\$	35,395,911	\$ 1,622,130

For the governmental activities, the liabilities for compensated absences, deferred pension obligations and net pension liability are generally liquidated by the general fund.

#### **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION**

#### A. Risk Management

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to property, general liability, automobile coverage, theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; student accident; termination of employees and natural disasters. The Board has obtained commercial insurance coverage to guard against these events to minimize the exposure to the District should they occur. A complete schedule of insurance coverage can be found in the statistical section of this Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

The District is a member of the School Alliance Insurance Fund (SAIF). The Group is a risk sharing public entity pool, established for the purpose of insuring against worker's compensation claims.

#### NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

#### A. Risk Management (Continued)

The relationship between the Board and the insurance Group is governed by a contract and by-laws that have been adopted by resolution of each unit's governing body. The Board is contractually obligated to make all annual and supplementary contributions to the Group, to report claims on a timely basis, cooperate with the management of the Group, its claims administrator and attorneys in claims investigation and settlement, and to follow risk management procedures as outlined by the Group. Members have a contractual obligation to fund any deficit of the Group attributable to a membership year during which they were a member.

SAIF provides its members with risk management services, including the defense of and settlement of claims and to establish reasonable and necessary loss reduction and prevention procedures to be followed by the members. Complete financial statements of the Group are on file with the School's Business Administrator.

There has been no significant reduction in insurance coverage from the previous year nor have there been any settlements in excess of insurance coverage's in any of the prior three years.

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

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	istrict ributions	nployee tributions	Amount imbursed	Ending Balance
2019	\$ 500	\$ 51,433	\$ 35,114	\$ 72,214
2018	47,000	61,298	121,850	55,395
2017	55,750	35,085	55,355	67,623

# B. Contingent Liabilities

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

<u>Federal and State Awards</u> – The Board participates in a number of federal and state programs that are fully or partially funded by grants received from other governmental units. Expenditures financed by grants are subject to audit by the appropriate grantor government. If expenditures are disallowed due to noncompliance with grant program regulations, the Board may be required to reimburse the grantor government. As of June 30, 2019, significant amounts of grant expenditures have not been audited by the various grantor agencies but the Board believes that disallowed expenditures, if any, based on subsequent audits will not have a material effect on any of the individual governmental funds or the overall financial position of the District.

#### **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)**

#### C. Federal Arbitrage Regulations

The District is subject to Section 148 of the Internal Revenue Code as it pertains to the arbitrage rebate on all tax-exempt obligations, both long and short-term debt. Under the 1986 Tax Reform Act, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) required that all excess earnings from investment proceeds be rebated to the IRS. Arbitrage, for purposes of these regulations, is defined as the difference between the yield on the investment and the yield on the obligations issued. If there are excess earnings, this amount may be required to be rebated to the IRS. At June 30, 2019, the District has not estimated its arbitrage earnings due to the IRS, if any.

#### D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans

# Plan Descriptions and Benefits Provided

The State of New Jersey sponsors and administers the following contributory defined benefit public employee retirement systems (retirement systems) covering substantially all Board employees who are eligible for pension coverage:

**Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)** – Established in January 1955, under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:15A to provide coverage to substantially all full time employees of the State or any county, municipality, school district, or public agency provided the employee is not a member of another State-administered retirement system. Membership is mandatory for such employees. PERS is a cost sharing multiple employer defined benefit pension plan. For additional information about PERS, please refer to the State Division of Pension and Benefits (Division's) Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) which can be found at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions.

The vesting and benefit provisions are set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A. PERS provides retirement, death, and disability benefits. All benefits vest after ten years of service, except for medical benefits, which vest after 25 years of service or under the disability provisions of PERS.

The following represents the membership tiers for PERS:

Tier	<b>Definition</b>
1	Members who were enrolled prior to July 1, 2007
2	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after July 1, 2007 and prior to November 2, 2008
3	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after November 2, 2008 and prior to May 22, 2010
4	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after May 22, 2010 and prior to June 28, 2011
5	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after June 28, 2011

Service retirement benefits of 1/55<sup>th</sup> of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tier 1 and 2 members upon reaching age 60 and to tier 3 members upon reaching age 62. Service retirement benefits of 1/60<sup>th</sup> of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tier 4 members upon reached age 62 and tier 5 members upon reaching age 65. Early retirement benefits are available to tier 1 and 2 members before reaching age 60, tier 3 and 4 members with 25 or more years of service credit before age 62, and tier 5 members with 30 or more years of service credit before age 65. Benefits are reduced by a fraction of a percent for each month that a member retires prior to the age at which a member can receive full early retirement benefits in accordance with their respective tier. Tier 1 members can receive an unreduced benefit from age 55 to age 60 if they have at least 25 years of service. Deferred retirement is available to members who have at least ten years of service credit and have not reached the service retirement age for the respective tier.

#### **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)**

# D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

**Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF)** – Established in January 1955, under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 18A:66 to provide coverage to substantially all full time certified teachers or professional staff of the public school systems in the State. Membership is mandatory for such employees. TPAF is a cost sharing multiple- employer defined benefit pension plan with a special funding situation, by which the State is responsible to fund 100% of local employer contributions, excluding any local employer early retirement incentive (ERI) contributions. For additional information about TPAF, please refer to the State Division of Pension and Benefits (Division's) Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) which can be found at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions.

The vesting and benefit provisions are set by N.J.S.A. 18A:66. TPAF provides retirement, death, and disability benefits. All benefits vest after ten years of service, except for medical benefits, which vest after 25 years of service or under the disability provisions of TPAF. Members are always fully vested for their own contributions and, after three years of service credit, become vested for 2% of related interest earned on the contributions. In the case of death before retirement, members' beneficiaries are entitled to full interest credited to the members' accounts.

The following represent the membership tiers for TPAF:

Tier	Definition
1	Members who were enrolled prior to July 1, 2007
2	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after July 1, 2007 and prior to November 2, 2008
3	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after November 2, 2008 and prior to May 22, 2010
4	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after May 22, 2010 and prior to June 28, 2011
5	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after June 28, 2011

Service retirement benefits of 1/55<sup>th</sup> of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tier 1 and 2 members upon reaching age 60 and to tier 3 members upon reaching age 62. Service retirement benefits of 1/60<sup>th</sup> of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tier 4 members upon reached age 62 and tier 5 members upon reaching age 65. Early retirement benefits are available to tier 1 and 2 members before reaching age 60, tier 3 and 4 members with 25 or more years of service credit before age 62, and tier 5 members with 30 or more years of service credit before age 65. Benefits are reduced by a fraction of a percent for each month that a member retires prior to the retirement for his/her respective tier. Deferred retirement is available to members who have at least ten years of service credit and have not reached the service retirement age for the respective tier.

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

**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 and certain appointed officials, effective July 1, 2007 and employees enrolled in PERS on or after July 1, 2007 who earn in excess of established annual maximum compensation limits (equivalent to annual maximum wage for social security deductions). This provision was extended by Chapter 1, P.L. 2010, effective May 21, 2010, to new employees (Tier 2) of the PFRS and new employees who would otherwise be eligible to participate in PERS and do not earn the minimum salary required or do not work the minimum required hours but earn a base salary of at least \$5,000 are eligible for participation in the DCRP. Membership is mandatory for such individuals with vesting occurring after one (1) year of membership. DCRP is a defined contribution pension plan.

#### **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)**

#### D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

#### **Other Pension Funds**

The State established and administers a Supplemental Annuity Collective Trust Fund (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.

The cost of living increase for PERS and TPAF, are funded directly by each of the respective systems but are currently suspended as a result of reform legislation.

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, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits ("Division"), issues publicly available financial reports that include the financial statements and required supplementary information of each of the above systems. The financial reports may be accessed via the New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits, website at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions.

#### Plan Amendments

The authority to amend the provisions of the above plans rests with new legislation passed by the State of New Jersey. Pension reforms enacted pursuant to Chapter 78, P.L. 2011 included provisions creating special Pension Plan Design Committees for TPAF and PERS, once a Target Funded Ratio (TFR) is met. The Pension Plan Design Committees will have the discretionary authority to modify certain plan design features, including member contribution rate; formula for calculation of final compensation of final salary; fraction used to calculate a retirement allowance; age at which a member may be eligible and the benefits for service or early retirement; and benefits provided for disability retirement. The committees will also have the authority to reactivate the cost of living adjustment (COLA) on pensions. However, modifications can only be made to the extent that the resulting impact does not cause the funded ratio to drop below the TFR in any one year of a 30-year projection period.

#### Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the retirement systems are prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governmental organizations. In doing so, the Division adheres to reporting requirements established by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB).

The accrual basis of accounting is used for measuring financial position and changes in net position of the pension trust funds. Under this method, contributions are recorded in the accounting period in which they are legally due from the employer or plan member, and deductions are recorded at the time the liabilities are due and payable in accordance with the terms of each plan. The accounts of the Division are organized and operated on the basis of funds. All funds are accounted for using an economic resources measurement focus.

#### **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)**

#### D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

#### **Investment Valuation**

The Division of Investment, Department of the Treasury, State of New Jersey (Division of Investment) manages and invests certain assets of the retirement systems. Prudential retirement is the third-party administrator for the DCRP and provides record keeping, administrative services and investment options. Investment transactions are accounted for on a trade or investment date basis. Interest and dividend income is recorded on the accrual basis, with dividends accruing on the exdividend date. The net increase or decrease in the fair value of investments includes the net realized and unrealized gains or losses on investments.

The State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Investment issues publicly available financial reports that include the financial statements of the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund. The financial reports may be obtained in writing to the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Investment, P.O. Box 290, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0290 or at <a href="https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/doinvest.">www.state.nj.us/treasury/doinvest.</a>

# **Collective Net Pension Liability**

The collective net pension liability of the participating employers for local PERS at June 30, 2018 is \$19.7 billion and the plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability is 53.60%. The collective net pension liability of the State funded TPAF at June 30, 2018 is \$63.81 billion and the plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of total pension liability is 26.49%.

The total pension liabilities were determined based on actuarial valuations as of July 1, 2017 which were rolled forward to June 30, 2018.

#### **Actuarial Methods and Assumptions**

In the July 1, 2017 PERS and TPAF actuarial valuation, the actuarial assumptions and methods used in these valuations were described in the Actuarial Assumptions and Methods section of the Actuary's report and are included here in this note to the financial statements. The pension systems selected economic and demographic assumptions and prescribed them for use for purposes of compliance with GASB Statement No. 68. The Actuary provided guidance with respect to these assumptions, and it is their belief that the assumptions represent reasonable expectations of anticipated plan experience.

# **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 members 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 7.50% for PERS, 7.50% for TPAF and 5.50% for DCRP of the employee's annual compensation for fiscal year 2019.

#### **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)**

#### D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

#### **Employer and Employee Pension Contributions (Continued)**

PERS employers' and TPAF State's nonemployer contributions are based on actuarially determined amounts, which include the normal cost and unfunded accrued liability. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019 for TPAF, which is a cost sharing multiple employer defined benefit pension plan with a special funding situation, the State's annual pension contribution was less than this actuarial determined amount. For PERS, which is a cost sharing multiple employer defined benefit pension plan, the annual pension contributions were equal to the actuarial determined amounts. TPAF nonemployer contributions are made annually by the State of New Jersey to the pension system on behalf of the Board. PERS employer contributions are made annually by the Board to the pension system in accordance with Chapter 114, P.L. 1997. In the DCRP, which is a defined contribution plan, member contributions are matched by a 3% employer contribution. All PERS and DCRP contributions made by the Board for fiscal years 2019, 2018 and 2017 were equal to the required contributions.

During the fiscal years ended June 30, 2019, 2018 and 2017 the Board was required to contribute for PERS and DCRP and the State of New Jersey, as a nonemployer contributing entity, contributed for TPAF, respectively for normal cost pension and accrued liability contributions (including non-contributory group life insurance (NCGI)) the following amounts:

Fiscal				
Year Ended			On-behalf	
<u>June 30,</u>	•	<u>PERS</u>	<u>TPAF</u>	<u>DCRP</u>
2019	\$	519,649	\$ 2,962,514	\$ 23,713
2018		492,157	2,234,392	20,064
2017		495,236	1,666,197	17,078

In addition for fiscal years 2019, 2018 and 2017 the District contributed \$1,643, \$5,307 and \$1,677, respectively for PERS and the State contributed \$4,074, \$4,457 and \$4,941, respectively 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) as both a revenue and expenditure in accordance with GASB Statement No. 85, *Omnibus 2017* (GASB No. 85). The DCRP contributions are recognized in the governmental fund financial statements (modified accrual basis) as an expenditure, as well as, the district-wide financial statements (accrual basis) as an expense.

Also, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:66-66 the State of New Jersey reimbursed the Board \$1,222,037 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019 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 district-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.

#### **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)**

# D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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

#### **Public Employees Retirement System (PERS)**

GASB Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, (GASB No. 68) requires participating employers in PERS to recognize their proportionate share of the collective net pension liability, collective deferred outflows of resources, collective deferred inflows of resources and collective pension expense. The employer allocation percentages presented are based on the ratio of the contributions as an individual employer to total contributions to the PERS during the measurement period July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018. Employer allocation percentages have been rounded for presentation purposes.

Although the NJ Division of Pensions and Benefits ("Division") administers one cost-sharing multiple employer defined benefit pension plan, separate (sub) actuarial valuations are prepared to determine the actuarial determined contribution rate by group. Following this method, the measurement of the collective net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources, deferred inflows of resources and pension expense are determined separately for each individual employer of the State and local groups of the plan.

To facilitate the separate (sub) actuarial valuations, the Division maintains separate accounts to identify additions, deductions, and fiduciary net position applicable to each group. The allocation percentages are presented for each group. The allocation percentages for each group as of June 30, 2018 are based on the ratio of each employer's contribution to total employer contributions of the group for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

At June 30, 2019, the District reported in the statement of net position (accrual basis) a liability of \$10,286,385 for its proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2018 and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The District's proportionate share of the net pension liability was based on the District's share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all participating governmental entities, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2018, the District's proportionate share was .05224 percent, which was a decrease of .00089 percent from its proportionate share measured as of June 30, 2017 of .05313 percent.

#### **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)**

#### D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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

#### Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) (Continued)

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019, the District recognized in the district-wide statement of activities (accrual basis) pension expense of \$498,136 for PERS. The pension contribution made by the District during the current 2018/2019 fiscal year is the contribution that is applied to the net pension liability reported at the end of the current fiscal year of June 30, 2019 with a measurement date of the prior fiscal year end of June 30, 2018. Since the State of New Jersey applies the current year pension contribution towards the calculation of the net pension liability reported at the end of the current fiscal year, which has a measurement date of the preceding fiscal year end, there is no deferred outflows of resources reported as of June 30, 2019 for contributions made subsequent to the measurement date. At June 30, 2019, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PERS pension from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources		Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Difference Between Expected and				
Actual Experience	\$	196,163	\$	53,040
Changes of Assumptions		1,695,026		3,289,039
Net Difference Between Projected and Actual				
Earnings on Pension Plan Investments				96,487
Changes in Proportion and Differences Between				
District Contributions and Proportionate Share				
of Contributions		165,448		531,653
Total	\$	2,056,637	\$	3,970,219

At June 30, 2019, the amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PERS pension will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year	
Ending	
<u>June 30,</u>	<u>Total</u>
2020	\$ 20,549
2021	(158,683)
2022	(841,020)
2023	(716,708)
2024	(217,720)
Thereafter	 -
	\$ (1,913,582)

# **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)**

#### D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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

Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) (Continued)

#### **Actuarial Assumptions**

The District's total pension liability for the June 30, 2018 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2017, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2018. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

	<u>PERS</u>
Inflation Rate	2.25%
Salary Increases:	
Through 2026	1.65-4.15% Based on Age
Thereafter	2.65-5.15% Based on Age
Investment Rate of Return	7.00%
Mortality Rate Table	RP-2000

Assumptions for mortality improvements are based on Society of Actuaries Scale AA.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2017 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2014.

#### **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)**

#### D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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

Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) (Continued)

#### Long-Term Expected Rate of Return

In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7% at June 30, 2018) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investment and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and actuaries. The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rate of return (expected returns, net of pension plans 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 the pension plans' target asset allocation as of June 30, 2018 are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Target <u>Allocation</u>	Long-Term Expected Real <u>Rate of Return</u>
Risk Mitigation Strategies	5.00%	5.51%
Cash Equivalents	5.50%	1.00%
U.S. Treasuries	3.00%	1.87%
Investment Grade Credit	10.00%	3.78%
US Equities	30.00%	8.19%
Non-US Developed Markets Equity	11.50%	9.00%
Emerging Market Equities	6.50%	11.64%
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 Estate	2.50%	11.83%
Equity Related Real Estate	6.25%	9.23%
Buyouts/Venture Capital	8.25%	13.08%

#### Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liabilities of the PERS plan was as follows:

#### **Fiscal**

<u>Year</u>	Measurement Date	Discount Rate	
2019	June 30, 2018	5.66%	
2018	June 30, 2017	5.00%	

#### NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

#### D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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

#### Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) (Continued)

#### Discount Rate (Continued)

The following table represents the crossover period, if applicable, for the PERS defined benefit plan:

Period of Projected Benefit

Payments for which the Following

Rates were Applied:

Long-Term Expected Rate of Return

Through June 30, 2046

Municipal Bond Rate \*

From July 1, 2046 and Thereafter

#### Sensitivity of Net Pension Liability

The following presents the District's proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 5.66%, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (4.66 percent) or 1-percentage-point higher (6.66 percent) than the current rate:

	1%	Current	1%
	Decrease 4.66%	Discount Rate 5.66%	Increase 6.66%
District's Proportionate Share of the PERS Net Pension Liability	\$ 12,933,944	\$ 10,286,385	\$ 8,065,252

The sensitivity analysis was based on the proportionate share of the District's net pension liability at June 30, 2018. A sensitivity analysis specific to the District's net pension liability at June 30, 2018 was not provided by the pension system.

#### Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the PERS pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued financial report from the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pension and Benefits. The financial report may be accessed via the New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits, website at <a href="https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions">www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions</a>.

<sup>\*</sup> The municipal bond return rate used is 3.87% as of the measurement date of June 30, 2018. The source is 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.

#### NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

#### D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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

#### **Teachers Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF)**

GASB No. 68, requires participating employers in TPAF to recognize their proportionate share of the collective net pension liability, collective deferred outflows of resources, collective deferred inflows of resources and collective pension expense. The non-employer allocation percentages presented are based on the ratio of the State's contributions made as an employee and non-employer adjusted for unpaid early retirement incentives to total contributions to TPAF during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018. Non-employer allocation percentages have been rounded for presentation purposes.

The contribution policy for TPAF is set by N.J.S.A. 18A:66 and requires contributions by active members and non-employer contributions by the State. State legislation has modified the amount that is contributed by the State. The State's pension contribution is based on an actuarially determined amount which includes the employer portion of the normal cost and an amortization of the unfunded accrued liability. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018, the State's pension contribution was less than the actuarial determined amount.

In accordance with GASB No. 68, the District is not required to recognize a net pension liability for TPAF. The State of New Jersey, as a nonemployer contributing entity, is the only entity that has a legal obligation to make employer contributions to TPAF on behalf of the District. Accordingly, the District's proportionate share percentage determined under Statement No. 68 is zero percent and the State's proportionate share is 100% of the net pension liability attributable to the District for TPAF. Therefore, in addition, the District does not recognize any portion of the TPAF collective deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources.

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019, the District recognized in the district-wide statement of activities (accrual basis) pension expense of \$5,493,748 for TPAF. This amount has been included in the district-wide statement of activities (accrual basis) as both a revenue and expense in accordance with GASB No. 85.

At June 30, 2019 the State's proportionate share of the net pension liability attributable to the District is \$94,238,041. The nonemployer allocation percentages are based on the ratio of the State's contributions made as an employer and nonemployer adjusted for unpaid early retirement incentives to total contributions to TPAF during the year ended June 30, 2018. At June 30, 2018, the State's share of the net pension liability attributable to the District was .14813 percent, which was no change from its proportionate share measured as of June 30, 2017 of .14813 percent.

#### NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

#### D. <u>Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans</u> (Continued)

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

Teachers Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) (Continued)

#### **Actuarial Assumptions**

The total pension liability for the June 30, 2018 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2017, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2018. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement.

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	<b>TPAF</b>
Inflation Rate	2.25%
Salary Increases: 2011-2026	1.55-4.55%
Thereafter	2.00-5.45%
Investment Rate of Return	7.00%
Mortality Rate Table	RP-2006

Assumptions for mortality rates were based on the experience of TPAF members reflecting mortality improvement on a generational bases based on a 60-year average of Social Security data from 1953 to 2013.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2017 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2015.

#### **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)**

#### D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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

Teachers Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) (Continued)

#### **Long-Term Expected Rate of Return**

In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7% at June 30, 2018) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investment and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and actuaries. The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rate of return (expected returns, net of pension plans 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 the pension plans' target asset allocation as of June 30, 2018 are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Target <u>Allocation</u>	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Risk Mitigation Strategies	5.00%	5.51%
Cash Equivalents	5.50%	1.00%
U.S. Treasuries	3.00%	1.87%
Investment Grade Credit	10.00%	3.78%
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 Estate	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%

#### NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

#### D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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

#### Teachers Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) (Continued)

#### Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liabilities of the TPAF plan was as follows:

Fiscal <u>Year</u>	Measurement Date	Discount Rate
2019	June 30, 2018	4.86%
2018	June 30, 2017	4.25%

The following table represents the crossover period, if applicable, for the TPAF defined benefit plan:

Period of Projected Benefit

Payments for which the Following

Rates were Applied:

Long-Term Expected Rate of Return

Through June 30, 2040

Municipal Bond Rate \*

From July 1, 2040

and Thereafter

#### Sensitivity of Net Pension Liability

The following presents the State's proportionate share of the TPAF net pension liability attributable to the District calculated using the discount rate of 4.86%, as well as what the State's proportionate share of the TPAF net pension liability attributable to the District that would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (3.86 percent) or 1-percentage-point higher (5.86 percent) than the current rate:

	1%	Current	1%
	Decrease	<b>Discount Rate</b>	Increase
	<u>(3.86%)</u>	<u>(4.86%)</u>	<u>(5.86%)</u>
State's Proportionate Share of			
the TPAF Net Pension Liability			
Attributable to the District	<u>\$ 111,387,575</u>	\$ 94,238,041	\$ 80,021,495

The sensitivity analysis was based on the State's proportionate share of the net pension liability attributable to the District at June 30, 2018. A sensitivity analysis specific to the State's proportionate share of the net pension liability attributable to the District at June 30, 2018 was not provided by the pension system.

<sup>\*</sup> The municipal bond return rate used is 3.87% as of the measurement date of June 30, 2018. The source is 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.

#### **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)**

#### D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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

Teachers Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) (Continued)

#### Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the TPAF pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued financial report from the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pension and Benefits. The financial report may be accessed via the New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits, website at <a href="https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions">www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions</a>.

#### E. Post-Retirement Medical Benefits

The State of New Jersey sponsors and administers the post-retirement health benefit program plan for school districts.

As a result of implementing GASB Statement No. 74, Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other than Pension Plans, the post-retirement health benefit program plan is reported in an Agency Fund in the New Jersey Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018. Therefore, the plan has no assets accumulated in a trust. In accordance with GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pension (GASB No. 75), the plan is classified as a single employer defined benefit OPEB plan with a special funding situation that is not administered through a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB No. 75.

#### Plan Description and Benefits Provided

The State of New Jersey sponsors and administers the following post-retirement health benefit program plan covering certain local school district employees, including those Board employees and retirees eligible for coverage.

State Health Benefit Program Fund – Local Education Retired Employees Plan (including Prescription Drug Program Fund) – N.J.S.A. 52:14-17.32f provides medical coverage, prescription drug benefits and Medicare Part B reimbursement to qualified retired education employees and their covered dependents. The State of New Jersey provides employer-paid coverage to members of the TPAF who retire from a board of education or county college with 25 years of service or on a disability retirement. Under the provisions of Chapter 126, P.L. 1992, the State also provides employer-paid coverage to members of the PERS and Alternate Benefits Program (ABP) who retire from a board of education or county college with 25 years of service or on a disability retirement if the member's employer does not provide this coverage. Certain local participating employers also provide post-retirement medical coverage to their employees. Retirees who are not eligible for employer paid health coverage at retirement can continue in the program if their employer participates in this program or if they are participating in the health benefits plan of their former employer and are enrolled in Medicare Parts A and B by paying the cost of the insurance for themselves and their covered dependents.

Pursuant to Chapter 78, P.L. 2011, future retirees eligible for postretirement medical coverage who have less than 20 years of creditable service on June 28, 2011 will be required to pay a percentage of the cost of their health care coverage in retirement provided they retire with 25 or more years of pension service credit. The percentage of the premium for which the retiree will be responsible will be determined based on the retiree's annual retirement benefit and level of coverage.

#### **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)**

#### E. Post-Retirement Medical Benefits (Continued)

The State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits, issues publicly available financial reports that include the financial statements and required supplementary information of the above Fund. The financial reports may be accessed via the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits, website at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions.

#### Plan Membership

Membership of the defined benefit OPEB plan consisted of the following at June 30, 2017:

Active Plan Members	217,131
Inactive Plan Members or Beneficiaries Currently Receiving Benefits	145,050
Inactive Plan Members Entitled to but not yet Receiving Benefits	
Total	362,181

#### **Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting**

The financial statements of the post-employment health benefit plans are prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governmental organizations. In doing so, the Division adheres to reporting requirements established by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB).

The accrual basis of accounting is used for measuring financial position and changes in net position of the post-employment health benefit plans. Under this method, contributions are recorded in the accounting period in which they are legally due from the employer or plan member, and deductions are recorded at the time the liabilities are due and payable in accordance with the terms of each plan. The accounts of the Division are organized and operated on the basis of funds. All funds are accounted for using an economic resources measurement focus.

#### **Investment Valuation**

Investments are reported at fair value. Investments that do not have an established market are reported at estimated fair value. Fair value is the amount at which a financial instrument could be exchanged in a current transaction between willing parties, other than in a forced or liquidation sale.

#### Collective Net OPEB Liability

The collective net OPEB liability of the State, as the non-employer contributing entity, of the plan at June 30, 2018 is \$46.1 billion, and the plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability is zero percent.

The total OPEB liabilities were determined based on actuarial valuations as of June 30, 2017 which were rolled forward to June 30, 2018.

#### NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

#### E. Post-Retirement Medical Benefits (Continued)

#### **Actuarial Methods and Assumptions**

In the June 30, 2017 OPEB actuarial valuation, the actuarial assumptions and methods used in these valuations were described in the Actuarial Assumptions and Methods section of the Actuary's report and are included here in this note to the financial statements. The Plan selected economic and demographic assumptions and prescribed them for use for purposes of compliance with GASB Statement No. 75. The Actuary provided guidance with respect to these assumptions, and it is their belief that the assumptions represent reasonable expectations of anticipated plan experience.

#### **Post-Retirement Medical Benefits Contributions**

The funding policy of the OPEB plan is pay as you go basis; therefore, there is no prefunding of the liability. Contributions to pay for the health benefit premiums of participating employees in the OPEB plan are made by the State, as a non-employer contributing entity, under a special funding situation in accordance with State statutes as previously disclosed. The State as a non-employer contributing entity made contributions of \$1.23 billion to the OPEB plan in fiscal year 2018.

The State sets the contribution rate based on a pay as you go basis rather than the actuarial determined contribution an amount actuarially determined in accordance with the parameters of GASB Statement 75. The actuarial determined contribution represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal cost each year and any unfunded actuarial liabilities (or funding excess) of the plan using a systematic and rational method over a closed period equal to the average of the expected remaining service lives of all employees that are provided with OPEB through the Plan. The State's contributions, as a nonemployer contributing entity, to the State Health Benefits Program Fund – Local Education Retired Employees Plan for retirees' post-retirement benefits on behalf of the School District for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2019, 2018 and 2017 were \$1,343,791, \$1,443,146 and \$1,388,321, respectively, which equaled the required contributions for each year. The State's contributions to the State Health Benefits Program Fund – Local Education Retired Employees Plan for PERS retirees' post-retirement benefits on behalf of the School District was not determined or made available by the State of New Jersey. The on-behalf OPEB contributions are recognized in the governmental fund financial statements (modified accrual basis) as both a revenue and expenditure in accordance with GASB No. 85.

# OPEB Liabilities, OPEB Expenses and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB

GASB Statement No. 75 requires participating employers in the State Health Benefit Program Fund – Local Education Retired Employees Plan to recognize their proportionate share of the collective OPEB liability, collective deferred outflows of resources, collective deferred inflows of resources and collective OPEB expense. The nonemployer allocation percentages presented are based on the ratio of the State's contributions made as a nonemployer toward the actuarially determined contribution amount to total contributions to the plan during the measurement period July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018. Nonemployer allocation percentages have been rounded for presentation purposes.

In accordance with GASB No. 75, the District is not required to recognize an OPEB liability for the post-employment health benefit plan. The State of New Jersey, as a nonemployer contributing entity, is the only entity that has a legal obligation to make employer contributions to the plan on behalf of the District. Accordingly, the District's proportionate share percentage determined under Statement No. 75 is zero percent and the State's proportionate share is 100% of the OPEB liability attributable to the District. Therefore, in addition, the District does not recognize any portion of the collective deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to the plan.

#### NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

#### E. Post-Retirement Medical Benefits (Continued)

# OPEB Liabilities, OPEB Expenses and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB (Continued)

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019, the District recognized in the district-wide statement of activities (accrual basis) OPEB expense of \$2,609,830. This amount has been included in the district-wide statement of activities (accrual basis) as a revenue and expense in accordance with GASB No. 85.

At June 30, 2019 the State's proportionate share of the OPEB liability attributable to the District is \$58,966,397. The nonemployer allocation percentages are based on the ratio of the State's proportionate share of the OPEB liability attributable to the District at June 30, 2018 to the total OPEB liability of the State Health Benefit Program Fund – Local Education Retired Employees Plan at June 30, 2018. At June 30, 2018, the state's share of the OPEB liability attributable to the District was .12788 percent, which was a decrease of .00001 percent from its proportionate share measured as of June 30, 2017 of .12789 percent.

#### **Actuarial Assumptions**

The OPEB liability for the June 30, 2018 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2017, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2018. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement.

Inflation Rate 2.50%

Salary Increases \*

Initial Fiscal Year Applied Through
Rate
2026
1.55% to 4.55%

Rate Thereafter 2.00% to 5.45%

Mortality

Preretirement mortality rates were based on the RP-2006 Headcount-Weighted Healthy Employee Male/Female mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using the MP-2017 scale. Postretirement mortality rates were based on the RP-2006 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-2006 Headcount-Weighted Disable Male/Female mortality table with fully generational improvement projections from the central year using the MP-2017 scale.

Long-Term Rate of Return

1.00%

Healthcare cost trend rates for pre-Medicare Preferred Provider Organization (PPO) medical benefits, this amount initially is 5.8 percent and decreases to a 5.0 percent long-term trend rate after eight years. For self-insured post-65 PPO medical benefits, the trend rate is 4.5 percent. For health maintenance organization (HMO) medical benefits, the trend rate is initially 5.8 percent and decreases to a 5.0 percent long-term trend rate after eight years. For prescription drug benefits, the initial trend rate is 8.0 percent and decreases to a 5.0 percent long-term trend rate after seven years. For the Medicare Part B reimbursement, the trend rate is 5.0 percent. This reflects the known underlying cost of the Part B premium. The Medicare Advantage trend rate is 4.5 percent and will continue in all future years.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2017 valuation were based on the results of the TPAF and PERS actuarial experience studies for the period July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2015 and July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2014, respectively.

<sup>\*</sup>Salary increases are based on the defined benefit plan that the individual is enrolled in and his or her year of service for TPAF or his or her age for PERS.

#### **NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)**

#### E. Post-Retirement Medical Benefits (Continued)

OPEB Liabilities, OPEB Expenses and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB (Continued)

#### **Long-Term Expected Rate of Return**

As the OPEB plan only invests in the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund, the long-term expected rate of return on OPEB investments was based off the best-estimate ranges of future real rates of return (expected returns, net of OPEB plan investment expense and inflation) for cash equivalents, which is 1.00% as of June 30, 2018.

#### **Discount Rate**

The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liabilities of the plan was as follows:

Fiscal <u>Year</u>	Measurement Date	Discount Rate
2019	June 30, 2018	3.87%
2018	June 30, 2017	3.58%

The discount rate represents the municipal bond return rate as chosen by the Division. The source is 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. As the long-term rate of return is less than the municipal bond rate, it is not considered in the calculation of the discount rate, rather the discount rate is set at the municipal bond rate.

#### **Changes in the Total OPEB Liability**

The change in the State's proportionate share of the OPEB liability attributable to the District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019 (measurement date June 30, 2018) is as follows:

Total OPER

	1	otal OPED
		Liability
	(Stat	e Share 100%)
Balance, June 30, 2017 Measurement Date	\$	68,601,365
Changes Recognized for the Fiscal Year:		
Service Cost		2,443,853
Interest on the Total OPEB Liability		2,516,410
Differences Between Expected and Actual Experience		(6,306,297)
Changes of Assumptions		(6,766,689)
Gross Benefit Payments		(1,576,740)
Contributions from the Member		54,495
Net Changes	\$	(9,634,968)
Balance, June 30, 2018 Measurement Date	\$	58,966,397

Changes of assumptions and other inputs reflect a change in the discount rate from 3.58 percent in 2017 to 3.87 percent in 2018.

The change in the total OPEB liability was based on the State's proportionate share of the OPEB liability attributable to the District at June 30, 2018. A change in the total OPEB liability specific to the State's proportionate share of the OPEB liability attributable to the District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018 was not provided by the pension system.

#### NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

#### E. Post-Retirement Medical Benefits (Continued)

OPEB Liabilities, OPEB Expenses and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB (Continued)

#### Sensitivity of OPEB Liability

Sensitivity of the total OPEB liability to changes in the discount rate. The following presents the State's proportionate share of the OPEB liability attributable to the District calculated using the discount rate of 3.87%, as well as what the State's proportionate share of the OPEB liability attributable to the District that would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (2.87 percent) or 1-percentage-point higher (4.87 percent) than the current rate:

	1%	Current	1%
	Decrease (2.87%)	Discount Rate (3.87%)	Increase (4.87%)
State's Proportionate Share of	(2.07 70)	(5.87 78)	(4.87 70)
the OPEB Liability			
Attributable to the District	\$ 69,710,285	\$ 58,966,397	\$ 50,426,116

Sensitivity of the total OPEB liability to changes in the healthcare cost trend rates. The following presents the State's proportionate share of the OPEB liability attributable to the District 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	Healthcare		
			1% <u>Increase</u>		
Total OPEB Liability (School Retirees)	\$ 48,739,161	\$	58,966,397	\$	72,492,308

The sensitivity analyses were based on the State's proportionate share of the OPEB liability attributable to the District at June 30, 2018. Sensitivity analyses specific to the State's proportionate share of the OPEB liability attributable to the District at June 30, 2018 were not provided by the pension system.

#### F. Tax Abatements

As defined by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB), a tax abatement is an agreement between a government and an individual or entity in which the government promises to forgo tax revenues and the individual or entity promises to subsequently take a specific action that contributes to economic development or otherwise benefits the government or its citizens. School districts are not authorized by New Jersey statute to enter into tax abatement agreements. However, the county or municipality in which the school district is situated may have entered into tax abatement agreements, and that potential school tax revenue must be disclosed in these financial statements. If the county or municipality entered into tax abatement agreements, those agreements will not directly affect the school district's local tax revenue because N.J.S.A. 54:4-75 and N.J.S.A. 54:4-76 require that amounts so forgiven must effectively be recouped from other taxpayers and remitted to the school district.

For Secaucus Board of Education, the District's share of abated taxes resulting from the municipality having entered into a tax abatement agreement is indeterminate.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - PART II

**BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULES** 

		Budgeted						Variance	
		Original Budget	Α	djustments	Final Budget		Actual		Final To Actual
REVENUES			•						
Local Sources									
Local Tax Levy	\$	35,360,770			\$ 35,360,770	\$	35,360,770		
Tuition from Individuals		112,500			112,500		87,780	\$	(24,720)
Rents and Royalties		53,000			53,000		66,514	•	13,514
Unrestricted Miscellaneous Revenue		60,000			60,000		144,978		84,978
State Sources									
Extraordinary Aid		145,000			145,000		204,271		59,271
Additional Non Public Transportation Aid					ĺ		27,840		27,840
Categorical Special Education Aid		905,004			905,004		905,004		,-
Categorical Security Aid		75,507	\$	115,663	191,170		191,170		
Categorical Transportation Aid		279,529	•	266,870	546,399		546,399		
On-behalf TPAF Non-Contributory Insurance		_,,,,		200,070	0.0,5		0.0,555		
Contribution (Nonbudgeted) On-behalf TPAF Long Term Disability Insurance							60,742		60,742
Contribution (Nonbudgeted) On-behalf TPAF Normal Cost and Accrued Liability							4,074		4,074
Contribution (Nonbudgeted) On-Behalf TPAF Post Retirement Medical							2,901,772		2,901,772
Benefit Contribution (Nonbudgeted)							1,343,792		1,343,792
Reimbursed TPAF Soc. Sec. Contr. (Nonbudgeted)							1,222,037		1,222,037
Federal Sources									
Medical Assistance Program (SEMI)		36,064			 36,064		44,458		8,394
Total Revenues	_	37,027,374	_	382,533	 37,409,907	_	43,111,601		5,701,694
EXPENDITURES									
CURRENT EXPENDITURES									
Regular Programs - Instruction									•
Salaries of Teachers									
Preschool		243,612		(27,138)	216,474		216,473		1
Kindergarten		577,445		(12,390)	565,055		565,055		•
Grades 1-5		4,268,293		70,251	4,338,544		4,331,892		6,652
Grades 6-8		2,870,753		(300,634)	2,570,119		2,554,464		15,655
Grades 9-12		3,722,960		15,963	3,738,923		3,736,948		1,975
Regular Programs - Home Instruction		-,,.		17,700	5,750,725		3,130,710		1,773
Salaries of Teachers		25,000		4,829	29,829		28,493		1,336
Purchased Professional/Educational Services		,		1,800	1,800		1,800		1,550
Regular Programs - Undistributed Instruction				2,000	1,000		1,000		
Other Salaries for Instruction				3,943	3,943		3,943		
Purchased Professional/Educational Services		391,050		50,118	441,168		435,380		5,788
Other Purchased Services		78,404		24,292	102,696		94,700		3,788 7,996
General Supplies		352,878		22,849	375,727				
Supplies Acquired Under Capital Lease (Non Budget)		224,010		22,043	313,141		254,487		121,240
Textbooks		135,800		(57 910)	77 000		371,985		(371,985)
Other Objects		155,600		(57,818) 1,655	 77,982 1,655	_	68,334 1,140		9,648 515
Total Regular Programs		12,666,195		(202,280)	 12,463,915		12,665,094		(201,179)

	Budgeted				Variance
	Original Budget	Adjustments	Final Budget	Actual	Final To Actual
EXPENDITURES					
CURRENT EXPENDITURES (Continued)					
Special Education (Continued)					
Learning and/or Language Disabilities					
Salaries of Teachers	\$ 409,967	\$ 60,942	\$ 470,909	\$ 443,202	\$ 27,707
Other Salaries for Instruction	315,974	21,927	337,901	317,446	20,455
General Supplies	9,000	(4,500)	4,500	2,224	2,276
Total Learning and/or Language Disabilities	734,941	78,369	813,310	762,872	50,438
Multiple Disabilities					
Salaries of Teachers	142,443	(140,440)	2,003	1,260	743
Purchased Professional/Educational Services	186,500	9,653	196,153	193,886	2,267
General Supplies	5,000	(1,058)	3,942	2,891	1,051
Total Multiple Disabilities	333,943	(131,845)	202,098	198,037	4,061
Resource Room/Resource Center					
Salaries of Teachers	1,156,143	369,946	1,526,089	1,526,087	2
Other Salaries for Instruction	105,250	1,965	107,215	107,215	
Purchased Professional/Educational Services	349,548	15,106	364,654	359,525	5,129
General Supplies	8,350	(3,806)	4,544	3,881	663
Total Resource Room/Resource Center	1,619,291	383,211	2,002,502	1,996,708	5,794
Preschool Disabilities - Part Time					
Salaries of Teachers	63,820	17,840	81,660	81,659	1
Total Preschool Disabilities - Part Time	63,820	17,840	81,660	81,659	1
Preschool Disabilities - Full Time					
Salaries of Teachers	63,573	-	63,573	63,573	
Other Salaries for Instruction	139,380	-	139,380	135,832	3,548
General Supplies	6,000	(5,000)	1,000	200	800
Total Preschool Disabilities - Full Time	208,953	(5,000)	203,953	199,605	4,348

	Budgeted				Variance
	Original Budget	Adjustments	Final Budget	Actual	Final To Actual
EXPENDITURES					
CURRENT EXPENDITURES (Continued)					
Special Education (Continued)					
Home Instruction:					
Salaries of Teachers	\$ 37,000	\$ (28,025)	\$ 8,975	\$ 7,302	\$ 1,673
Total Home Instruction	37,000	(28,025)	8,975	7,302	1,673
Total Special Education	2,997,948	314,550	3,312,498	3,246,183	66,315
Basic Skills/Remedial					
Salaries of Teachers	124,281	(63,136)	61,145	61,027	118
General Supplies	2,200	(95)	2,105	999	1,106
Total Basic Skills/Remedial	126,481	(63,231)	63,250	62,026	1,224
Bilingual Education					
Salaries of Teachers	199,107	776	199,883	139,773	60,110
General Supplies	2,700		2,700	893	1,807
Total Bilingual Education	201,807	776	202,583	140,666	61,917
School Sponsored Co-Curricular Activities					
Salaries	270,375	(520)	269,855	219,459	50,396
Supplies and Materials	14,400	(2,000)	12,400	6,709	5,691
Total School Sponsored Co-Curricular Activities	284,775	(2,520)	282,255	226,168	56,087
School Sponsored Athletics					
Salaries	506,738	(30,000)	476,738	456,451	20,287
Purchased Services	91,000	(10,214)	80,786	77,850	2,936
Supplies and Materials	78,300	2,900	81,200	73,837	7,363
Other Objects	10,503	30,877	41,380	41,339	41
Total School Sponsored Athletics	686,541	(6,437)	680,104	649,477	30,627
Other Instructional Programs					
Salaries	87,099	872	87,971	87,099	872
Supplies and Materials	3,500	(2,650)	850	549	301
Other Objects		150	150	150	
Total Other Instructional Programs	90,599	(1,628)	88,971	87,798	1,173

		Budgeted_			Variance	
	Original Budget	Adjustments	Final Budget	Actual	Final To Actual	
EXPENDITURES						
CURRENT EXPENDITURES (Continued)						
Community Services Programs/Operations Salaries	\$ 31,500	3,524	\$ 35,024	\$ 35,023	\$ 1	
Total Community Services Programs/Operations	31,500	3,524	35,024	35,023	1	
Total - Instruction	17,085,846	\$ 42,754	17,128,600	17,112,435	16,165	
Undistributed Expenditures						
Instruction Tuition to CSSD & Reg Day Schools	141,000	296,000	437,000	437,000		
Tuition to Private Schools for the	141,000	270,000	437,000	437,000		
Disabled Within the State	771,456	(2,799)	768,657	750,259	18,398	
Tuition - State Facilities	4,500	-	4,500	4,500	,	
Tuition - Other	240,000	(180,000)	60,000	29,012	30,988	
Total Undistributed Expenditures - Instruction	1,156,956	113,201	1,270,157	1,220,771	49,386	
Health Services						
Salaries	330,615	15,703	346,318	346,318		
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	48,500	2,250	50,750	44,995	5,755	
Other Purchased Services Supplies and Materials	23,450	212 (1,961)	212 21,489	211 17,544	1 3,945	
Total Health Services	402,565	16,204	418,769	409,068	9,701	
Speech, OT, PT & Related Services						
Salaries	190,842	(7,255)	183,587	173,708	9,879	
Purchased Professional- Educational Services	132,000	52,105	184,105	184,104	1	
Supplies and Materials	4,000		4,000	3,502	498	
Total Speech, OT, PT & Related Services	326,842	44,850	371,692	361,314	10,378	
Other Support Services - Students - Extra Services						
Purchased Professional - Educational Services	342,000	72,336	414,336	409,649	4,687	
Other Objects	-	750	750	375	375	
Total Other Support Services - Students - Extra Serv.	342,000	73,086	415,086	410,024	5,062	

	Budgeted				Variance	
	Original Budget	Adjustments	Final Budget	Actual	Final To Actual	
EXPENDITURES						
CURRENT EXPENDITURES (Continued) Undistributed Expenditures (Continued) Guidance						
Salaries of Other Prof. Staff	\$ 574,813	\$ 27,344	\$ 602,157	\$ 602,153	\$ 4	
Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	169,442	-	169,442	125,590	43,852	
Purchased Professional - Educational Services	7,000	-	7,000	4,860	2,140	
Other Purchased Prof. and Technical Services	2,850	188	3,038	2,688	350	
Supplies and Materials	14,925	(8,440)	6,485	4,485	2,000	
Other Objects	160		160	160	-	
Total Guidance	769,190	19,092	788,282	739,936	48,346	
Child Study Teams						
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	763,425	(31,839)	731,586	731,586		
Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	100,417		100,417	100,417		
Purchased Professional - Educational Services	18,000	(14,500)	3,500	3,207	293	
Other Purchased Prof. and Technical Services	10,000	(4,754)	5,246	5,100	146	
Other Purchased Services	7,000	-	7,000	6,780	220	
Miscellaneous Purchased Services	2,000	(300)	1,700	1,512	188	
Supplies and Materials	10,000	(5,186)	4,814	4,565	249	
Other Objects	1,500	1,500	3,000	2,603	397	
Total Child Study Teams	912,342	(55,079)	857,263	855,770	1,493	
Improvement of Instructional Services						
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	64,000	13,465	77,465	57,779	19,686	
Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	36,067	27	36,094	36,094	,	
Purchased Professional-Educational Services	7,500	(3,305)	4,195	1,966	2,229	
Other Purchased Services	17,565	-	17,565	12,625	4,940	
Supplies and Materials		3,278	3,278	3,130	148	
Total Improvement of Instructional Services	125,132	13,465	138,597	111,594	27,003	
Educational Media Services/School Library						
Salaries	209,755	350	210,105	210,105		
Other Purchased Services	4,300	(1,600)	2,700	1,088	1,612	
Supplies and Materials	27,487	(622)	26,865	23,050	3,815	
Total Educational Media Services/School Library	241,542	(1,872)	239,670	234,243	5,427	

	Budgeted							Variance	
	Original Budget		Adjustments		Final Budget		Actual		Final To Actual
EXPENDITURES	<u> </u>								
CURRENT EXPENDITURES (Continued) Undistributed Expenditures (Continued)									
Instructional Staff Training Services									
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	\$ 8,00	00	\$ (7,272)	\$	728	\$	727	\$	1
Purchased Professional - Educational Services	8,00	00	(242)		7,758		4,283		3,475
Other Purchased Prof. and Technical Services	7,35	50	(7,325)		25				25
Other Purchased Services	8,00	00	1,285	_	9,285	_	6,955		2,330
Total Instructional Staff Training Services	31,35	50	(13,554)	_	17,796	_	11,965	_	5,831
Support Services General Administration									
Salaries	407,92	28	(15,145)		392,783		392,765		18
Legal Services	110,00	00	31,105		141,105		134,798		6,307
Audit Fees	39,00	00	1,566		40,566		40,566		
Architectural/Engineering Services	20,00	00	50,000		70,000				70,000
Other Purchased Professional Services	45,00	00	(254)		44,746		43,957		789
Communications/Telephone	179,25	50	(38,741)		140,509		124,804		15,705
BOE Other Purchased Services	6,00	00	530		6,530		5,627		903
Miscellaneous Purchased Services	111,65	50	11,199		122,849		117,256		5,593
General Supplies	3,50	00	(100)		3,400		2,077		1,323
BOE In-House Training/Meeting Supplies	4,00	00	(1,180)		2,820		2,326		494
Judgements Against the School District			5,555		5,555		34,493		(28,938
Miscellaneous Expenditures	4,60	0	6,565		11,165		9,123		2,042
BOE Membership Due and Fees	18,00	00	(2,840)		15,160	_	15,035	~	125
Total Support Services General Administration	948,92	<u>.8</u>	48,260		997,188		922,827		74,361
Support Services School Administration									
Salaries of Principals/Asst. Principals	622,30	0	20,500		642,800		642,800		
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	510,74	6	133,007		643,753		595,608		48,145
Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	359,89	1	22,814		382,705		382,421		284
Other Purchased Services	30,50	0	(1,383)		29,117		28,653		464
Supplies and Materials	93,70		(16,735)		76,971		69,070		7,901
Other Objects	6,00	10	890	_	6,890	_	6,610		280
Total Support Services School Administration	1,623,14	3	159,093		1,782,236		1,725,162		57,074
Central Services									
Salaries	441,42	8	(4,545)		436,883		436,883		
Miscellaneous Purchased Services	156,95	0	7,605		164,555		67,962		96,593
Supplies and Materials	20,00	0	500		20,500		15,434		5,066
Miscellaneous Expenditures	2,00	0	1,000		3,000		<u> </u>		3,000
Total Central Services	620,37	8	4,560		624,938		520,279		104,659
Supplies and Materials Miscellaneous Expenditures	20,00 2,00	0	500 1,000		20,500 3,000		15,434		5,066 3,000

		Budgeted						Variance		
		Original Budget	A	djustments		Final Budget	,	Actual		Final To Actual
EXPENDITURES										
CURRENT EXPENDITURES (Continued) Undistributed Expenditures (Continued)										
Admin. Info.Techology										
Salaries	\$	284,556	\$	(96,596)	\$	187,960	\$	187,960		
Other Purchased Services		135,300		30,895		166,195		135,066	\$	31,129
Supplies and Materials	·	77,500		23,751		101,251		90,254		10,997
Total Admin. Info. Technology		497,356		(41,950)	_	455,406	_	413,280		42,126
Required Maintenance for School Facilities										
Salaries		145,000		(27,263)		117,737		116,271		1,466
Cleaning, Repairs & Maintenance Service		234,500		265,109		499,609		438,356		61,253
Lead Testing of Drinking Water		2,500		<u>-</u>		2,500				2,500
General Supplies		57,500		15,715		73,215		67,050		6,165
Other Objects		1,500		25,000		26,500		1,499		25,001
Total Required Maintenance for School Facilities		441,000		278,561		719,561		623,176	_	96,385
Custodial Services										
Salaries		1,617,454		(75,046)		1,542,408		1,481,803		60,605
Cleaning, Repairs & Maintenance Service		60,000		-		60,000		57,091		2,909
Rental of Land & Buildings Other Than Leases		75,000		(1,000)		74,000		73,702		298
Other Purchased Property Services		43,000		(1,100)		41,900		35,556		6,344
Insurance		164,800		(3,600)		161,200		161,141		59
Miscellaneous Purchased Services		1,000		-		1,000		959		41
General Supplies		99,500		(580)		98,920		98,126		794
Energy (Natural Gas)		152,000		19,414		171,414		167,763		3,651
Energy (Electricity) Other Objects		580,000 10,000		31,134 (1,892)		611,134 8,108		603,575 7,717		7,559 391
Total Custodial Services		2,802,754		(32,670)		2,770,084		2,687,433		82,651
Security										
Salaries		275,040		(47,988)		227,052		227,052		
Purchased Professional and Technical Services		5,000		195,000		200,000		200,000		
General Supplies		30,000		(6,500)		23,500		23,435	_	65
Total Security		310,040		140,512		450,552		450,487	~	65
Student Transportation Services										
Salaries of Non-Instructional Aides		355,101		(31,402)		323,699		280,412		43,287
Salaries for Pupil Transportation								,		•
(Between Home and School) - Regular Salaries for Pupil Transportation		233,553		-		233,553		199,241		34,312
(Between Home and School) - Special Ed		361,142		30,132		391,274		391,261		13
Salaries for Pupil Transportation										
(Other than Between Home and School) -		74,000		(16,976)		57,024		56,827		197
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Svcs. Contracted Services (Between Home and		116,008		24,669		140,677		133,257		7,420
School) - Vendors		142,000		80,606		222,606		219,476		3,130
Contracted Services (Spec Ed)-ESC & CTSA		17,714		4,000		21,714		16,437		5,277
Miscellaneous Purchased Services		17,500		(17,500)				,		-,,
General Supplies		2,500		(1,350)		1,150		111		1,039
Transportation Supplies		116,500		1,500		118,000		91,065		26,935
Other Objects		16,000		(1,100)		14,900		10,892		4,008
Total Student Transportation Services		1,452,018		72,579		1,524,597		1,398,979		125,618

	Budgeted						. Varian			Variance
		Original Budget	Ad	ljustments		Final Budget		Actual		Final To Actual
EXPENDITURES										
CURRENT EXPENDITURES (Continued)										
Unallocated Benefits-Employee Benefits										
Social Security Contributions	\$	575,000	\$	(71,090)	\$	503,910	\$	505,901	\$	(1,991)
Other Retirement Contributions - PERS		559,280		(11,606)		547,674		543,309		4,365
Other Retirement Contributions - Regular		24,000		-		24,000		23,713		287
Unemployment Compensation		50,000		-		50,000		500		49,500
Worker's Compensation		469,103		(27,205)		441,898		436,979		4,919
Health Benefits		4,903,000		(22,461)		4,880,539		4,528,598		351,941
Other Employee Benefits		380,425		37,731		418,156	_	416,243		1,913
Total Regular Programs-Instr Employee Benefits		6,960,808		(94,631)		6,866,177	_	6,455,243		410,934
On-behalf TPAF Non-Contributory Insurance		-								
Contribution (Nonbudgeted)								60,742		(60,742)
On-behalf TPAF Long Term Disability Insurance										
Contribution (Nonbudgeted)								4,074		(4,074)
On-behalf TPAF Normal Cost and Accrued Liability										
Contribution (Nonbudgeted)								2,901,772		(2,901,772)
On-Behalf TPAF Post Retirement Medical										
Benefit Contribution (Nonbudgeted)								1,343,792		(1,343,792)
Reimbursed TPAF Soc. Sec. Contr. (Nonbudgeted)						-		1,222,037	-	(1,222,037)
Total Undistributed Expenditures		19,964,344		743,707		20,708,051		25,083,968	_	(4,375,917)
Total Expenditures - Current Expenditures		37,050,190		786,461		37,836,651		42,196,403	_	(4,359,752)
CAPITAL OUTLAY										·
Equipment										
Undistributed Expenditures										
Admin Info Technology				73,701		73,701		65,073		8,628
School Buses - Regular				30,906		30,906	_	30,905		1
Total Equipment		-		104,607		104,607		95,978		8,629

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

		J	Budgeted				,	Variance	
EXPENDITURES	Original Budget	Δ	djustments	Final Budget		Actual	]	Final To Actual	
CURRENT EXPENDITURES (Continued)	Dauger		a justinemes	Dauget		TACULA		ARCTURE	
Facilities Acquisition and Construction Services									
Construction Services		\$	434,500	\$ 434,500	\$	164,458	\$	270,042	
Assets Acquired Under Capital Lease (Non Budget) Assessment for Debt Service on SDA	\$ 55,872			55,872		151,650 55,872		(151,650)	
Total Facilities Acquisition and Constr. Services	55,872		434,500	490,372		371,980		118,392	
Total Capital Outlay	55,872		539,107	594,979	_	467,958		127,021	
Transfer of Funds to Charter Schools	234,865		799	235,664	_	202,391		33,273	
Total Expenditures	37,340,927		1,326,367	38,667,294		42,866,752		(4,199,458)	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(313,553)		(943,834)	(1,257,387)	_	244,849		1,502,236	
Other Financing Sources(Uses)									
Capital Lease Proceeds (Non Budget)				_		523,635		(523,635)	
Capital Reserve-Transfer to Capital Projects	(471,500)		471,500	-	_				
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(471,500)		471,500			523,635		(523,635)	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and									
Other Financing Sources Over (Under)									
Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(785,053)		(472,334)	(1,257,387)		768,484		2,025,871	
Fund Balances, Beginning of Year	6,125,074			6,125,074		6,125,074		-	
Fund Balances, End of Year	\$ 5,340,021	\$	(472,334)	\$ 4,867,687	\$	6,893,558	\$	2,025,871	
Recapitulation Restricted:									
Capital Reserve					\$	2 206 250			
Capital Reserve - Designated for Subsequent Year's Expend	itures				Þ	3,286,350 1,525,150			
Maintenance Reserve						525,000			
Emergency Reserve						300,000			
Excess Surplus						100,000			
Excess Surplus - Designated for Subsequent Year's Expendi Assigned:	tures					200,000			
Year End Encumbrances						133,733			
Unassigned						823,325			
Total Fund Balance						6,893,558			
Reconciliation to Governmental Funds Statements (GAAP	<b>'</b> )		*						
Less: Last State Aid Payments not Recognized on									
GAAP Basis						(317,602)			

\$ 6,575,956

Fund Balance per Governmental Fund

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL REVENUE FUND BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	Original <u>Budget</u>	Budget <u>Adjustments</u>	Final <u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Variance <u>Final to Actual</u>
REVENUES					
Intergovernmental					
Federal	\$ 881,253	\$ 417,596	\$ 1,298,849	\$ 1,021,279	\$ (277,570)
Total Revenues	881,253	417,596	1,298,849	1,021,279	(277,570)
EXPENDITURES					
Instruction					
Salaries of Teachers	119,118	136,932	256,050	256,041	9
Other Purchased Services	311,544	308,164	619,708	415,046	204,662
General Supplies	316,293	(107,693)	208,600	203,398	5,202
Other Objects	-	3,218	3,218	2,190	1,028
Total Instruction	746,955	340,621	1,087,576	876,675	210,901
Support Services					
Salaries of Teachers	9,860	11,640	21,500	12,827	8,673
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	13,650	350	14,000	14,000	· •
Purchased Professional Educational Services	29,665	10,426	40,091	5,693	34,398
Other Purchased Professional Services		35,217	35,217	17,164	18,053
Employee Benefits	36,000	59,953	95,953	94,920	1,033
General Supplies	18,485	(18,485)		-	-
Total Support Services	107,660	99,101	206,761	144,604	62,157
Facilities Acquisition and Construction Svs					
Instructional Equipment	24,513	(20,001)	4,512	_	4,512
Noninstructional Equipment	2,125	(2,125)			.,,
Total Facilities Acquisition and Const Svs	26,638	(22,126)	4,512	-	4,512
Total Expenditures	881,253	417,596	1,298,849	1,021,279	277,570
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over/(Under) Expenditures	-		-	-	-
Fund Balance, Beginning of Year			<u>**</u>		
Fund Balance, End of Year	\$	\$ -	<u>\$</u>	\$ -	\$

NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - PART II

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

Formal budgetary integration into the accounting system is employed as a management control device during the year. For governmental funds there are no substantial differences between the budgetary basis of accounting and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, with the exception of the legally mandated revenue recognition of certain state aid payments for budgetary purposes only and the treatment of encumbrances in the special revenue fund as described below. Encumbrance accounting is also employed as an extension of formal budgetary integration of 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.

The following presents a reconciliation of the General and Special Revenue Funds from the budgetary basis of accounting as presented in the Budgetary Comparison Schedule - General Fund and Special Revenue Fund to the GAAP basis of accounting as presented in the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds.

Sources/inflows of resources		General <u>Fund</u>		Special Revenue <u>Fund</u>
Actual amounts (budgetary basis) "revenue"				
from the budgetary comparison schedule (Exhibit C-1 and C-2)	\$	43,111,601	\$	1,021,279
Difference - Budget to GAAP: Grant accounting budgetary basis differs from GAAP in that encumbrances are recognized as expenditures, and the related revenue is recognized.				
June 30, 2018 Encumbrances				829
June 30, 2019 Encumbrances				(3,600)
The state of the s				(5,000)
State Aid payments recognized for budgetary purposes, not				
recognized for GAAP statements. (2017-2018)		226,471		
1000 Gill Of M. M. State Methods. (2017-2016)		220,471		
State Aid payments recognized for budgetary purposes, not		/a.a.		
recognized for GAAP statements. (2018-2019)		(317,602)		
Total revenues as reported on the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds.(Exhibit B-2)	<u>\$</u>	43,020,470	<u>\$</u>	1,018,508
Uses/outflows of resources				
Actual amounts (budgetary basis) "total outflows" from the				
	Φ.	10.066.	4	
budgetary comparison schedule	\$	42,866,752	\$	1,021,279
Differences - Budget to GAAP Encumbrances for good and services ordered but not received				
are reported in the year the order is placed for budgetary				
purposes but in the year the goods and services are received				
for financial reporting purposes.				
Lucy 20, 2010 F		•		
June 30, 2018 Encumbrances				829
June 30, 2019 Encumbrances				(3,600)
Total expenditures as reported on the Statement of Revenues,				
Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds (Exhibit B-2)	\$	42,866,752	\$	1,018,508
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#### REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - PART III

# PENSION INFORMATION AND OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS INFORMATION

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY

### PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM Last Six Fiscal Years \*

	<u>2019</u>	2018	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	2015	<u>2014</u>
District's Proportion of the Net Position Liability (Asset)	0.05224%	0.05313%	0.05575%	0.05432%	0.05372%	0.05384%
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset)	\$ 10,286,385	\$ 12,366,917	\$ 16,510,250	\$ 12,194,135	\$ 10,057,446	\$ 10,289,706
District's Covered Payroll	\$ 3,626,572	\$ 3,684,476	\$ 3,685,550	\$ 3,765,997	\$ 3,670,569	\$ 3,617,264
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) as a Percentage of its Covered Payroll	284%	336%	448%	324%	274%	284%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	53.60%	48.10%	40.14%	47.92%	52.08%	48.72%

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years in accordance with GASB Statement No. 68. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the District will only present information for those years for which information is available.

<sup>\*</sup> The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the previous fiscal year end.

#### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S CONTRIBUTIONS

### PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM Last Six Fiscal Years

	<u>2019</u>	2018	2017	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
Contractually Required Contribution	\$ 519,649	\$ 492,157	\$ 495,236	\$ 467,021	\$ 464,094	\$ 426,440
Contributions in Relation to the Contractually Required Contributions	519,649	492,157	495,236	467,021	464,094	426,440
Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
District's Covered Payroll	\$ 3,591,745	\$ 3,626,572	\$ 3,684,476	\$ 3,685,550	\$ 3,765,997	\$ 3,670,569
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	14.47%	13.57%	13.44%	12.67%	12.32%	11.62%

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years in accordance with GASB Statement No. 68. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the District will only present information for those years for which information is available.

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY

#### TEACHERS PENSION AND ANNUITY FUND Last Six Fiscal Years \*

	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
District's Proportion of the Net Position Liability (Asset)	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset)	-	-	-	-	_	-
State's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) Associated with						
the District	\$ 94,238,041	\$ 99,876,153	\$ 117,287,912	\$ 90,706,484	\$ 76,735,244	\$ 76,465,713
Total	\$ 94,238,041	\$ 99,876,153	\$ 117,287,912	\$ 90,706,484	\$ 76,735,244	\$ 76,465,713
District's Covered Payroll	\$ 15,964,944	\$ 15,521,054	\$ 15,167,830	\$ 14,823,127	\$ 14,925,265	\$ 14,492,650
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) as a Percentage of its Covered Payroll	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	26.49%	25.41%	22.33%	28.71%	33.64%	33.76%

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years in accordance with GASB Statement No. 68. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the District will only present information for those years for which information is available.

<sup>\*</sup> The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the previous fiscal year end.

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF NET PENSION LIABILITY AND SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

**Change of Benefit Terms:** 

None.

**Change of Assumptions:** 

Assumptions used in calculating the net pension liability and statutorily

required employer contribution are presented in Note 4D.

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORAMTION SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF TOTAL OPEB LIABILITY

#### POSTEMPLOYMENT HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN

#### Last Two Fiscal Years\*

		2019	2018
Total OPEB Liability			
Service Cost	\$	2,443,853	\$ 2,923,049
Interest on the Total OPEB Liability		2,516,410	2,179,386
Differences Between Expected and Actual Experience		(6,306,297)	
Changes of Assumptions		(6,766,689)	(9,063,233)
Gross Benefit Payments		(1,576,740)	(1,663,310)
Contribution from the Member		54,495	61,247
Net Change in Total OPEB Liability		(9,634,968)	(5,562,861)
Total OPEB Liability - Beginning		68,601,365	74,164,226
Total OPEB Liability - Ending	<u>\$</u>	58,966,397	\$ 68,601,365
District's Proportionate Share		\$0	\$0
State's Proportionate Share	\$	58,966,397	\$ 68,601,365
Total OPEB Liability - Ending	\$	58,966,397	\$ 68,601,365
Covered Payroll	\$	19,591,516	\$ 19,205,530
Total OPEB Liability as a Percentage of			
Covered Payroll:		300.98%	357.20%

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

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years in accordance with GASB Statement No. 75. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the District will only present information for those years for which information is available.

<sup>\*</sup>The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the previous fiscal year end.

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE OPEB LIABILITY AND SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE OPEB LIABILITY NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

Changes in Benefit Terms:

None.

**Changes of Assumptions** 

Assumptions used in calculating the OPEB liability

are presented in Note 4E.

SPECIAL REVENUE FUND

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL REVENUE FUND MARINUNG SCHEDULE OF PROCESAM DEVENUES AND EXPENIENT

# COMBINING SCHEDULE OF PROGRAM REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGETARY BASIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	NCLB NCLB										I.D.E.A.			
							Title III					B-Basic		
REVENUES		Title I	1	Title IIA	1	Title III	Im	migrant	<u>I</u>	itle IV		Regular	<u>Totals</u>	
Intergovernmental Federal	<u>\$</u>	482,249	<u>\$</u>	79,140	<u>\$</u>	11,706	<u>\$</u>	13,625	<u>\$</u>	19,513	<u>\$</u>	415,046	\$ 1,021,279	
Total Revenues	<u>\$</u>	482,249	<u>\$</u>	79,140	<u>\$</u>	11,706	<u>\$</u>	13,625	<u>\$</u>	19,513	<u>\$</u>	415,046	\$ 1,021,279	
EXPENDITURES														
Instruction														
Salaries of Teachers	\$	256,041											\$ 256,041	
Other Purchased Services											\$	415,046	415,046	
General Supplies		116,901	\$	43,690	\$	11,472	\$	13,625	\$	17,710			203,398	
Other Objects		387		-						1,803	_		2,190	
Total Instruction		373,329		43,690		11,472		13,625		19,513	_	415,046	876,675	
Support Services														
Salaries of Teachers				12,827									12,827	
Salaries of Other Professional Staff		14,000		- 4-0									14,000	
Purchased Professional Educational Services				5,459		234							5,693	
Other Purchased Prof. Services Employee Benefits		94,920		17,164									17,164 94,920	
General Supplies		94,920 <b>-</b>		_		_		_		_		_	<del>-</del>	
General Supplies					_									
Total Support Services		108,920	_	35,450		234		-					144,604	
Facilities Acquisition and Construction Svs														
Instructional Equipment													-	
Noninstructional Equipment		-	_	<del></del>							_	_		
Total Facilities Acquisition and Const Svs		-	_				, <u>.</u>			***	_			
Total Expenditures	<u>\$</u>	482,249	\$	79,140	\$	11,706	\$	13,625	\$	19,513	<u>\$</u>	415,046	\$ 1,021,279	

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF PRESCHOOL EDUCATION AID BUDGETARY BASIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

**NOT APPLICABLE** 

CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PROJECT EXPENDITURES FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

			Expenditures to Date							
Issue/Project Title	App	ropriations	<u>P</u>	rior Years	Current	<u>Year</u>	Unexpended <u>Balance</u>			
12/10/2013 Referendum - Middle School Renovations and Expansion Project	<u>\$</u>	27,400,000	\$	26,962,602	\$	51,479	\$	385,919		
	\$	27,400,000	\$	26,962,602	\$	51,479	\$	385,919		
		Recapitulation of Balance					•			
	Restricted for Capital Projects:  Available for Capital Projects					385,919				
			Total Fund Balance - Restricted							
			For Capital Projects				\$	385,919		

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PROJECT EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGETARY BASIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

<b>Expenditures and Other Financi</b>	ng Uses	
Purchased Professional and Tech	nical Services	\$ 2,856
Construction Services		 48,623
Total Expenditures and Other I	Financing Uses	 51,479
Excess of Expenditures and Other	Financing Uses Over	· ·
Revenues and Other Financing So	3	(51,479)
Fund Balance, Beginning of Year		 437,398
Fund Balance, End of Year		\$ 385,919
	Reconciliation to GAAP Basis	
	Fund Balance, June 30, 2019 - Budgetary Basis	\$ 385,919
	Fund Balance, June 30, 2019 - GAAP Basis	\$ 385,919

### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

### SCHEDULE OF PROJECT REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, PROJECT BALANCE AND PROJECT STATUS - BUDGETARY BASIS

### 12/10/2013 REFERENDUM - MIDDLE SCHOOL RENOVATIONS AND EXPANSION PROJECT FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	]	Prior Periods	<u>Cu</u>	rrent Year	<u>Totals</u>	Revised Authorized <u>Cost</u>
Revenues and Other Financing Sources Bond Proceeds	<u>\$_</u>	27,400,000			\$27,400,000	\$27,400,000
Total Revenues		27,400,000			27,400,000	27,400,000
Expenditures and Other Financing Uses						
Legal		108,774			108,774	129,063
Purchased Professional and Technical Services		2,348,820	\$	2,856	2,351,676	3,010,871
Construction Services		23,288,593		48,623	23,337,216	21,708,135
Equipment		896,562			896,562	606,000
Other Objects		319,853			319,853	1,945,931
Total Expenditures		26,962,602		51,479	27,014,081	27,400,000
Excess of Revenue Over Expenditures	<u>\$</u>	437,398	<u>\$</u>	(51,479)	\$ 385,919	<u> </u>
Additional Project Information:						
Project Number	473	30-050-13-1000				
Grant Date		N/A				
Bond Authorization (Referendum) Date		12/10/2013				
Bonds Authorized	\$	27,400,000				
Bonds Issued	\$	27,400,000				
Original Authorized Cost	\$	27,400,000				
Additional Authorized Cost	\$	-				
Revised Authorized Cost	\$	27,400,000				
Percentage Increase Over Original						
Authorized Cost		0.00%				
Percentage Completion		100.00%				
Original Target Completion Date		2015/2016				
Revised Target Completion Date		2017/2018				

ENTERPRISE FUNDS

NOT APPLICABLE

FIDUCIARY FUNDS

## SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION FIDUCIARY FUNDS COMBINING STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AS OF JUNE 30, 2019

		Student <u>Activity</u>	<u>Payroll</u>	<u>Ago</u>	Total ency Funds
ASSETS					
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	250,458	\$ 70,216	\$	320,674
Total Assets	<u>\$</u>	250,458	\$ 70,216	<u>\$</u>	320,674
LIABILITIES					
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings Accrued Salaries and Wages Due to Other Funds Due to Student Groups	\$	250,458	\$ 33,001 910 36,305	\$	33,001 910 36,305 250,458
Total Liabilities	\$	250,458	\$ 70,216	\$	320,674

**EXHIBIT H-2** 

FIDUCIARY FUNDS
COMBINING STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

NOT APPLICABLE

### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION STUDENT ACTIVITY AGENCY FUND SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	Balance, July 1, <u>2018</u>	Cash Receipts	Cash <u>Disbursements</u>			Balance, June 30, <u>2019</u>		
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS								
Clarendon	\$ 9,489	\$ 30,657	\$	28,662	\$	11,484		
Huber School	3,979	41,445		31,181		14,243		
JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL								
Middle School	40,080	63,117		51,006		52,191		
HIGH SCHOOL								
High School Activity	151,694	255,530		241,014		166,210		
High School Athletic	 3,309	 62,163		59,142		6,330		
Total All Schools	\$ 208,551	\$ 452,912	\$	411,005	\$	250,458		

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION PAYROLL AGENCY FUND SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	Balance, July 1,						Balance, June 30,	
	<u>2018</u>		<u>Additions</u>		<b>Deletions</b>		<u>2019</u>	
ASSETS								
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 169,933	\$	26,538,334	\$	26,638,051	\$	70,216	
Due from Other Funds	 19,437			_	19,437			
Total Assets	\$ 189,370	\$	26,538,334	<u>\$</u>	26,657,488	\$	70,216	
LIABILITIES								
Due to Other Funds	\$ 105,331	\$	36,305	\$	105,331	\$	36,305	
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings	80,357		12,080,901		12,128,257		33,001	
Accrued Salaries and Wages	 3,682		14,421,128		14,423,900	_	910	
Total Liabilities	\$ 189,370	\$	26,538,334	<u>\$</u>	26,657,488	\$	70,216	

LONG-TERM DEBT

### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION LONG-TERM DEBT SCHEDULE OF BONDS PAYABLE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

<u>Issue</u>	Date of <u>Issue</u>	A	Amount of Annual Maturities <u>Issue Date Amount</u>		Interest <u>Rate</u>	Balance <u>July 1, 2018</u>		Retired		<b>Balance June 30, 2019</b>		
	<del></del>		<del></del>					, <u>, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, </u>				
Refunding Bonds	5/27/2009	\$	2,910,000	7/15/2019	\$ 275,000	4.00%						
				7/15/2020	270,000	4.00%	\$	820,000	\$	275,000	\$	545,000
School Bonds Series 2014	7/16/2014		27,400,000	8/15/2019	1,140,000	3.00%					£	
			, ,	8/15/2020	1,165,000	3.00%						
				8/15/2021	1,195,000	3.00%						
				8/15/2022	1,220,000	3.00%						
				8/15/2023	1,255,000	3.00%						
				8/15/2024	1,290,000	3.00%						
				8/15/2025	1,330,000	3.00%						
				8/15/2026	1,375,000	3.00%						
				8/15/2027	1,425,000	3.125%						
				8/15/2028	1,475,000	3.125%						
				8/15/2029	1,535,000	3.250%						
				8/15/2030	1,595,000	3.375%						
				8/15/2031	1,660,000	3.500%						
				8/15/2032	1,725,000	3.625%						
				8/15/2033	1,795,000	4.000%						
				8/15/2034	1,870,000	4.000%	<del></del>	24,170,000		1,120,000		23,050,000
							\$	24,990,000	<u>\$</u>	1,395,000	\$	23,595,000

### **EXHIBIT I-2**

### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHEDULE OF OBLIGATIONS UNDER CAPITAL LEASES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	Interest Rate <u>Payable</u>		Amount of Original <u>Issue</u>	Balance, July 1, 2018		<u>Issued</u>		Retired	Balance, ne 30, 2019
Acer Chromebooks	4.35	%	74,340		\$	74,340	\$	19,788	\$ 54,552
Acer Chromebooks	4.28		69,500			69,500		9,390	60,110
Acer Chromebooks	4.51		228,145			228,145		17,482	210,663
VoIP Phone System	3.96		151,650			151,650	_		 151,650
				\$	\$_	523,635	\$	46,660	\$ 476,975

## SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION LONG-TERM DEBT DEBT SERVICE FUND BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	<u>B</u> 1	udgeted Amounts			Variance
	<u>Original</u>	<b>Transfers</b>	<u>Final</u>	Actual	Final to Actual
REVENUES					
Local Sources	,				
Local Tax Levy	\$ 1,554,633	\$	1,554,633	\$ 1,554,633	
State Sources					
Debt Service Aid Type II	645,142		645,142	645,142	
Total Revenues	2,199,775	-	2,199,775	2,199,775	
EXPENDITURES					
Regular Debt Service					
Interest on Bonds	804,775		804,775	804,775	
Redemption of Principal	1,395,000		1,395,000	1,395,000	
Total Expenditures	2,199,775		2,199,775	2,199,775	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over/(Under)					
Expenditures					
Fund Balance, Beginning of Year	•		-		
Fund Balance, End of Year	\$	<u>s - s</u>		\$ -	<u> </u>

#### STATISTICAL SECTION

This part of the Secaucus Board of Education's comprehensive annual financial report presents detailed information as a context for understanding what the information in the financial statements, note disclosures, and required supplementary information says about the government's overall financial health.

**Exhibits** 

### **Financial Trends**

These schedules contain trend information to help the reader understand how the government's financial performance and well-being have changed over time.

J-1 to J-5

### **Revenue Capacity**

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

J-6 to J-9

### **Debt Capacity**

These schedules present information to help the reader assess the affordability of the government's current levels of outstanding debt and the government's ability to issue additional debt in the future.

J-10 to J-13

### **Demographic and Economic Information**

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

J-14 and J-15

### **Operating Information**

These schedules contain service and infrastructure data to help the reader understand how the information in the government's financial report relates to the services the government provides and the activities it performs. J-16 to J-20

Sources: Unless otherwise noted, the information in these schedules is derived from the comprehensive annual financial reports for the relevant year.

#### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION NET POSITION BY COMPONENT LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

#### (Unaudited)

(accrual basis of accounting)

					Fiscal Year E	inded June 30,				
-	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
			(Restated)		(Restated)					
Governmental Activities										
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Deb \$	14,586,629	\$ 14,762,168	\$ 15,097,529	\$ 15,980,330	\$ 14,720,735	\$ 18,324,882	\$ 20,860,209	\$ 22,249,472	\$ 23,569,792	\$ 23,627,355
Restricted	73,029	73,028	699,334	620,909	3,882,864	881,285	1,950,928	3,041,745	4,349,830	5,336,500
Unrestricted	(568,724)	(1,027,289)	(875,430)	(695,185)	(10,872,549)	(9,889,492)	(10,389,772)	(12,124,730)	(12,612,423)	(12,618,632)
Total Governmental Activities Net Position \$	14,090,934	\$ 13,807,907	\$ 14,921,433	\$ 15,906,054	\$ 7,731,050	\$ 9,316,675	\$ 12,421,365	\$ 13,166,487	\$ 15,307,199	\$ 16,345,223
Business-Type Activities										
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Deb \$	86,862	\$ 72,385	\$ 57,908	\$ 43,431	\$ 28,954	\$ 28,276	\$ 36,209	\$ 32,804	\$ 193,493	\$ 198,407
Unrestricted	84,108	181,306	293,315	442,657	565,638	679,034	818,123	944,824	857,206	829,953
										0 1000000
Total Business-Type Activities Net Position \$	170,970	\$ 253,691	\$ 351,223	\$ 486,088	\$ 594,592	\$ 707,310	\$ 854,332	\$ 977,628	\$ 1,050,699	\$ 1,028,360
District-Wide										
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Deb \$	14,673,491	\$ 14,834,553	\$ 15,155,437	\$ 16,023,761	\$ 14,749,689	\$ 18,353,158	\$ 20,896,418	\$ 22,282,276	\$ 23,763,285	\$ 23,825,762
Restricted	73,029	73,028	699,334	620,909	3,882,864	881,285	1,950,928	3,041,745	4,349,830	5,336,500
Unrestricted	(484,616)	(845,983)	(582,115)	(252,528)	(10,306,911)	(9,210,458)	(9,571,649)	(11,179,906)	(11,755,217)	(11,788,679)
Track District Nat Desiries	14 261 004	£ 14061 600	e 15 272 666	£ 16 202 142	6 9 225 642	£ 10.022.095	e 12.275.607	\$ 14.144.115	\$ 16,357,898	\$ 17,373,583
Total District Net Position \$	14,261,904	\$ 14,061,598	\$ 15,272,656	\$ 16,392,142	\$ 8,325,642	\$ 10,023,985	\$ 13,275,697	\$ 14,144,115	\$ 10,337,898	\$ 17,373,363

Note 1 - Net position at June 30, 2012 is restated to reflect the implementation of GASB 63, "Financial Reporting of Deferred Outflows of Resources, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Net Position" and GASB Statement No. 65.

Note 2 - Net position at June 30, 2014 is restated to reflect the implementation of GASB 68, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions".

### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION CHANGES IN NET POSITION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (Unaudited) (accrual basis of accounting)

					Fiscal Year I	Ended June 30,				
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Expenses Governmental Activities										
Instruction										0.01.007.040
Regular Special Education Other Special Instruction	\$ 15,751,201 3,922,175	\$ 14,999,035 3,712,888	\$ 17,473,247 2,860,092	\$ 18,455,000 3,146,845 290,070	\$ 17,287,422 3,077,142 262,571	\$ 17,891,698 5,299,019	\$ 18,631,672 5,636,227	\$ 21,972,466 5,873,674	\$ 22,669,639 6,058,490	\$ 21,507,249 6,686,059
Other Instruction	232,785	225,880	200,960	1,212,538	1,166,714	438,715	585,582	546,407	462,428	434,110
School Sponsored Activities And Athletics Community Services	1,159,150 53,528	1,031,952 58,372	1,076,225			1,345,392 42,123	1,406,365 40,068	1,554,978 44,379	1,579,347 49,365	1,398,894 51,720
Support Services: Tuition			299,726	192,571	394,392					
Student & Instruction Related Services	4,249,798	3,629,009	3,852,337	3,652,990	3,622,645	4,394,143	4,600,464	5,129,110	5,246,723	4,877,420
School Administration Services General Administrative Services	1,900,168 989,193	2,443,713 1,133,855	2,007,116 1,324,622	1,783,165 1,807,722	1,250,439 1,966,545	2,429,217 1,005,038	2,789,015 1,046,506	2,974,427 1,210,746	2,866,244 1,277,129	2,815,991 1,208,780
Business/Central Services	954,600	1,416,831	702,578	587,510	735,185	1,221,673	1,267,410	1,430,431	1,434,535	1,254,064
Administration of Information Technology Plant Operations And Maintenance	4,811,744	4,671,900	342,923 3,620,091	450,274 3,493,530	442,727 4,072,940	4,802,450	5,135,538	6,377,866	6,150,870	6,035,771
Pupil Transportation	1,569,972	1,745,170	1,597,291	1,202,110	1,364,581	1,756,128	1,640,332	1,939,996	1,924,270	1,994,340
Transfer to Charter School Interest On Long-Term Debt	382,044	456,488	45,420 453,858	40,985 195,837	53,088	965,431	948,658	896,480	832,525	792,148
Total Governmental Activities Expenses	35,976,358	35,525,093	35,856,486	36,511,147	35,696,391	41,591,027	43,727,837	49,950,960	50,551,565	49,056,546
Business-Type Activities:	1.744.015	4.661.422	0.47.226	1714 024	1 712 000	020 101	906.166	047.022	1.063.004	1 170 160
Enterprise Fund	1,744,015	1,661,422	847,236	1,716,826	1,712,055	938,181	896,165	967,022	1,062,094	1,170,158
Total Business-Type Activities	1,744,015	1,661,422	847,236	1,716,826	1,712,055	938,181	896,165	967,022	1,062,094	1,170,158
Total District Expenses	\$ 37,720,373	\$ 37,186,515	\$ 36,703,722	\$ 38,227,973	\$ 37,408,446	\$ 42,529,208	\$ 44,624,002	\$ 50,917,982	S 51,613,659	\$ 50,226,704
Program Revenues Governmental Activities:										
Charges For Services:										
Regular	\$ 1,358					\$ 3,200	\$ 9,050		S 124,950	\$ 87,780
Plant Operations and Maintenance Special Schools and Programs										
Transportation	79,250	61,748				33,850		\$ 13,782		
Operating Grants And Contributions Capital Grants And Contributions	4,127,583	3,451,205	3,407,310	3,875,799	3,913,673	8,395,904	10,318,266	13,579,378	14,501,964	12,407,342 58,545
Total Governmental Activities Program Revenues	4,208,191	3,512,953	3,407,310	3,875,799	3,913,673	8,432,954	10,327,316	13,593,160	14,626,914	12,553,667
Business-Type Activities:										
Charges For Services Food Service	S 681,054	\$ 672,715	S 642,920	S 618,136	S 621,045	\$ 646,804	\$ 648,083	\$ 685,843	\$ 722,956	\$ 717,140
Operating Grants And Contributions	317,715	312,078	286,053	315,849	356,729	404,095	395,104	404,475	413,109	430,679
Total Business Type Activities Program Revenues	998,769	984,793	928,973	933,985	977,774	1,050,899	1,043,187	1,090,318	1,135,165	1,147,819
Total District Program Revenues	<u>\$ 5,206,960</u>	S 4,497,746	\$ 4,336,283	\$ 4,809,784	s 4,891,447	s 9,483,853	<u>\$ 11,370,503</u>	<u>\$ 14,683,478</u>	\$ 15,762,079	\$ 13,701,486
Net (Expense)/Revenue										0 (0 ( 600 000)
Governmental Activities Business-Type Activities	\$ (31,768,167) (745,246)	S (32,012,140) (676,629)	\$ (32,449,176) 81,737	\$ (32,635,348) (782,841)	\$ (31,782,718) (734,281)	\$ (33,158,073) 112,718	\$ (33,400,521) 147,022	\$ (36,357,800) 123,296	\$ (35,924,651) 73,071	\$ (36,502,879) (22,339)
Total District-Wide Net Expense	S (32,513,413)	S (32,688,769)	\$ (32,367,439)	\$ (33,418,189)	\$ (32,516,999)	\$ (33,045,355)	<u>\$ (33,253,499)</u>	S (36,234,504)	<u>\$ (35,851,580)</u>	\$ (36,525,218)
General Revenues and Other Changes in Net Position										
Governmental Activities: Property Taxes Levied For General Purposes, Net	\$ 30,309,145	\$ 31,066,874	\$ 31,015,985	\$ 31,506,805	\$ 32,311,941	\$ 32,748,152	\$ 33,321,245	\$ 33,987,669	S 34,667,422	\$ 35,360,770
Taxes Levied For Debt Service	1,294,240	1,287,318	1,217,257	1,265,839	1,276,826	1,877,925	2,368,408	2,413,708	2,526,693	1,554,633
Federal and State Aid - Restricted							573,563	465,009	472,476	409,149
Federal and State Aid - Unrestricted Investment Earnings	23,861	9,660	1,140,697	1,153,722	1,153,386	39,072 41,595	42,688 37,644	62,119	64,682	4,859
Miscellaneous Income	173,355	124,611	188,763	624,363	637,242	36,954	161,663	174,417	334,090	211,492
Transfers	(783,883)	(759,350)	<del>_</del>	(930,760)	(884,624)		-	•	•	
Total Governmental Activities	31,016,718	31,729,113	33,562,702	33,619,969	34,494,771	34,743,698	36,505,211	37,102,922	38,065,363	37,540,903
Business-Type Activities: Transfers	783,883	759,350		913,486	842,784					
Miscellaneous Income	763,663		15,795	4,219		42,688	<u>:</u>	<del></del>		
Total Business-Type Activities	783,883	759,350	15,795	917,705	842,784	42,688	<del></del>			
Total District-Wide	\$ 31,800,601	\$ 32,488,463	\$ 33,578,497	S 34,537,674	<u>\$ 35,337,555</u>	\$ 34,786,386	<u>\$ 36,505,211</u>	\$ 37,102,922	\$ 38,065,363	\$ 37,540,903
Change in Net Position										
Governmental Activities Business-Type Activities	\$ (751,449) 38,637	\$ (283,027) 82,721	\$ 1,113,526 97,532	\$ 984,621 134,864	\$ 2,712,053 108,503	\$ 1,585,625 155,406	S 3,104,690 147,022	\$ 745,122 123,296	\$ 2,140,712 73,071	\$ 1,038,024 (22,339)
Total District	\$ (712,812)	S (200,306)	S 1,211,058	S 1,119,485	\$ 2,820,556	\$ 1,741,031	<u>\$ 3,251,712</u>	S 868,418	<u>\$ 2,213,783</u>	\$ 1,015,685

#### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

#### (Unaudited)

(modified accrual basis of accounting)

					Fiscal Year	Ended June 30,				
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
General Fund										
Reserved	\$ 1,070,295	\$ 350,517	\$ 628,426	\$ 686,816	\$ 1,761,756					
Unreserved	470,276	539,980	718,175	771,330	766,083					
Restricted						\$ 1,548,141	\$ 2,604,017	\$ 3,841,745	\$ 5,099,830	\$ 5,936,500
Committed						302,900	387,343	133,001		-
Assigned						796,128	488,021	377,484	285,887	133,733
Unassigned					-	470,999	478,988	492,560	512,886	505,723
Total General Fund	\$ 1,540,571	\$ 890,497	\$ 1,346,601	\$ 1,458,146	\$ 2,527,839	\$ 3,118,168	\$ 3,958,369	\$ 4,844,790	\$ 5,898,603	\$ 6,575,956
All Other Governmental Funds Reserved										
Unreserved	\$ 245,274									
Restricted		\$ 232,988	\$ 70,909	\$ 61,183	\$ 2,121,108	\$23,794,552	\$ 6,309,981	\$ 962,971	\$ 437,398	\$ 385,919
Total All Other Governmental Funds	\$ 245,274	\$ 232,988	\$ 70,909	\$ 61,183	\$ 2,121,108	\$23,794,552	\$ 6,309,981	\$ 962,97 <u>1</u>	\$ 437,398	\$ 385,919

Beginning with Fiscal Year 2011, the District implemented GASB Statement No. 54, "Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions". The Statement provides more clearly defined fund balance categories to make the nature and extent of the constraints placed on a government's fund balance more transparent. This Statement established fund balance classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which a government is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources reported in governmental funds. Reclassification of prior year fund balance amounts to comply with Statement No. 54 is not required.

## SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (Unaudited) (modified accrual basis of accounting)

			t	mounted acornar	ousis of accounting					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	Fiscal 2014	Year Ended June 30 2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Revenues	2010		2012	2013	2017	2013	2010	2017	2016	2019
Tax Levy	\$31,603,385	\$ 32,354,192	\$ 32,233,242	\$ 32,772,644	\$ 33,588,767	\$ 34,626,077	\$ 35,689,653	\$ 36,401,377	\$ 37,194,115	\$ 36,915,403
Other Local Governmental Units-Restricted	152,060	61,748	99,017	72,228	1,375	3,200	9,050			
Tuition Charges	1,358		3,750	4,125	4,125				124,950	87,780
Interest Earnings	23,861	9,660								
Rents and Royalties						****	65,041	51,681	72,203	66,514
Restricted Revenue from Intermediate Sources	116,283	135,275	85,995	548,010	83,385 548,357	33,850	13,442	13,782 122,736	261 907	144.070
Miscellaneous State Sources	3,159,108	2,342,386	3,605,257	4,318,938	4,268,224	175,718 4,088,104	120,824 5,728,295	6,054,287	261,887 6,858,840	144,978 7,961,112
Federal Sources	952,737	1,098,155	942,750	720,436	798,836	896,511	861,490	905,861	786,495	1,062,966
Today Bourous	352,757	1,000,100	742,750	720,450	750,050	050,511	801,470	203,801	700,493	1,002,500
Total Revenue	36,008,792	36,001,416	36,970,011	38,436,381	39,293,069	39,823,460	42,487,795	43,549,724	45,298,490	46,238,753
Expenditures										
Instruction										
Regular Instruction	15,588,371	14,959,930	11,739,981	11,949,947	12,044,626	15,709,509	15,933,860	17,195,586	18,253,198	19,499,704
Special Education Instruction	3,926,917	3,767,137	2,034,889	2,094,337	2,183,184	4,889,398	5,101,040	4,987,977	5,277,013	6,302,599
Other Special Instruction			860,547	188,751	180,019					_
Other Instruction	234,109	255,637	139,781	979,481	958,536	393,617	508,514	437,645	384,912	399,678
School Sponsored Activities and Athletics	1,159,150	1,031,952				1,189,777	1,209,951	1,218,386	1,279,193	1,268,059
Community Services	53,528	58,372				41,525	38,301	38,042	43,562	50,813
Support Services: Tuition			200 727	102.671	201202					
Student and Inst. Related Services	4,220,319	3,627,745	299,726	192,571 2,938,415	394,392	2.007.002	1 0 0 0 0 0 1	4 10 4 202		
General Administration Services	971,209	1,134,521	3,096,463 1,059,166	1,660,104	3,000,150 884,507	3,986,083 968,588	4,062,874 993,383	4,184,282	4,394,443	4,524,357
School Administration Services	1,810,992	2,435,106	1,486,017	1,169,597	1,615,653	2,194,588	2,439,118	1,093,413 2,356,554	1,171,126 2,340,776	1,172,461
Central Services	1,010,772	2,455,100	561,780	467,521	131,002	2,174,366	2,439,110	2,330,334	2,340,776	2,570,976
Administration of Information Technology			274,201	398,242	363,731					
Plant Operations And Maintenance	4,096,160	3,880,866	2,894,619	3,013,492	3,346,203	3,970,609	4,209,721	4,630,399	4,378,138	4,572,205
Pupil Transportation	1,462,873	1,613,561	1,277,191	1,135,591	1,121,098	1,620,705	1,492,560	1,557,112	1,587,676	1,817,242
Business/Central Services	947,517	1,171,496			473,003	1,164,975	1,195,051	1,216,041	1,247,351	1,191,521
Employee Benefits			8,565,134	9,127,227	9,077,269				-1	.,,
Transfer to Charter School			45,420	40,985	53,088					
Capital Outlay	638,481	1,373,014	405,837	781,705	1,175,539	3,290,438	18,221,641	5,697,524	1,223,759	499,827
Principal	1,488,535	1,570,615	985,000	1,070,000	1,115,000	1,936,598	2,744,828	2,477,761	2,329,472	1,457,283
Payments to Refunding Escrow Agent										
Cost of Issuance of Refunding Bonds										
Interest and Other Charges	387,049	408,347	264,020	195,837	161,826	674,370	981,323	919,591	859,631	809,789
Total Expenditures	36,985,210	37,288,299	35,989,772	37,403,803	38,278,826	42,030,780	59,132,165	48,010,313	44,770,250	46,136,514
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues										
Over (Under) Expenditures	(976,418)	(1,286,883)	980,239	1,032,578	1,014,243	(2,207,320)	(16,644,370)	(4,460,589)	528,240	102,239
,				1,002,010		(2,207,520)	(10,044,510)	(4,400,382)	328,240	102,239
Other Financing Sources (Uses)										
Capital Lease Proceeds Premium on Note	1,075,000	1,670,000								523,635
Premium on Note Premium on Refunding Bonds										
Payment to Refunding Escrow Agent										
Refunding Bond Proceeds										
Refunding of Unfunded Pension Liability										
Bond Proceeds					3,000,000	27,400,000				
State Grants Receivable Cancelled		(286,127)		(17,273)	(41,840)	27,400,000				
Transfers to Cover Deficit - Food Service	(783,883)	(759,350)	(686,215)	(17,415)	(842,784)					
Transfers In	169	303	113,881		(012,701)	2	257	150,533		
Transfers Out	(169)	(303)	(113,881)	(913,486)		(2)	(257)	(150,533)	_	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	291,117	624,523	(686,215)	(930,759)	2,115,376	27,400,000				523,635
Net Change in Fund Balances	\$ (685,301)	\$ (662,360)	\$ 294,024	\$ 101,819	\$ 3,129,619	\$ 25,192,680	\$ (16,644,370)	\$ (4,460,589)	\$ 528,240	\$ 625,874
Dalu Sanisa and Barratana S			_							
Debt Service as a Percentage of Noncapital Expenditures	5.16%	5.51%	2 510/	2.4604	2 1 12					
Roncapital Expenditilles	3.10%	3.31%	3.51%	3.46%	3,44%	6.74%	9.11%	8,03%	7.32%	4.97%
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<sup>\*</sup> Noncapital expenditures are total expenditures less capital outlay.

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION GENERAL FUND REVENUE OTHER LOCAL REVENUE BY SOURCE LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (Unaudited)

Interest

<u>Year</u>	terlocal reements	:	Tuition	E	arned on vestments	<u>Mi</u>	iscellaneous	Sale	of Assets	<u>Total</u>
2010	\$ 152,060	\$	1,358	\$	23,861	\$	100,376			\$ 277,655
2011	61,748				9,357		124,611			195,716
2012	99,017		3,750				74,890			177,657
2013	66,756		4,125		1,597		52,928			125,406
2014	31,862		4,125		1,393		412,448			449,828
2015	33,850		3,200		41,593		36,954			115,597
2016	13,442		9,050		37,130		145,918	\$	2,560	208,100
2017	13,782		8,122		17,765		148,530			188,199
2018	4,200		124,950		29,317		298,473		2,100	459,040
2019			87,780		51,713		159,779			299,272

Source: District Records

### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION ASSESSED VALUE AND ACTUAL VALUE OF TAXABLE PROPERTY LAST TEN YEARS (Unaudited)

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Vacant Land	Residential	Farm Reg.	<u>Qfarm</u>	Commercial	Industrial	Apartment	Total Assessed Value	Public Utilities	Net Valuation Taxable	Estimated Actual (County Equalized) Value	Total Direct School Tax Rate <sup>a</sup>
2010	\$ 72,162,000	\$ 836,754,000			\$ 749,407,275	\$ 849,172,500	\$ 16,861,200	\$ 2,524,356,975	\$ 3,588,479	\$ 2,527,945,454	\$ 5,123,437,347	\$ 1.27
2011	70,381,700	826,938,200			770,934,475	846,900,400	16,861,200	2,532,015,975	3,588,479	2,535,252,214	5,377,088,565	1.27
2012	62,246,400	827,075,000			794,806,875	813,653,800	16,861,200	2,514,643,275	3,588,107	2,518,231,382	4,852,769,008	1.29
2013	62,317,200	816,160,000			819,622,775	807,360,900	41,712,200	2,547,173,075	3,185,224	2,550,358,299	4,955,875,892	1.30
2014	65,552,700	809,674,400			780,089,475	826,429,600	54,043,000	2,535,789,175	2,903,044	2,538,692,219	4,789,253,168	1.34
2015	60,295,500	867,609,000			799,892,975	869,802,300	54,043,000	2,651,642,775	3,339,721	2,654,982,496	4,402,341,949	1.41
2016	60,427,100	865,092,000			797,560,475	867,274,300	56,537,100	2,646,890,975	3,293,675	2,650,184,650	4,577,186,263	1.36
2017	60,578,100	829,147,250			892,345,175	906,471,500	65,058,400	2,753,600,425	3,232,106	2,756,832,531	4,832,900,084	1.30
2018	59,458,100	833,569,750			903,258,175	906,966,800	65,058,400	2,768,311,225	3,258,237	2,771,569,462	4,898,813,081	1.34
2019	52,745,100	838,410,850			922,260,875	939,627,600	64,763,400	2,817,807,825	3,336,160	2,821,143,985	5,472,494,946	1.32

Source: County Abstract of Ratables

a Tax rates are per \$100

### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION PROPERTY TAX RATES PER \$100 OF ASSESSED VALUATION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (Unaudited)

Calendar <u>Year</u>	<u>Total</u>	Local School <u>District</u>	Municipality	County
2010	\$ 3.45	\$ 1.27	\$ 1.36	\$ 0.82
2011	3.65	1.27	1.41	0.97
2012	3.69	1.29	1.40	1.00
2013	3.76	1.30	1.40	1.06
2014	3.77	1.34	1.40	1.03
2015	3.70	1.41	1.39	0.90
2016	3.71	1.36	1.43	0.92
2017	3.61	1.30	1.44	0.87
2018	3.61	1.34	1.48	0.79
2019	3.71	1.32	1.56	0.83

Source: Tax Duplicate, Township of Secaucus

### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION PRINCIPAL PROPERTY TAXPAYERS, CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEARS AGO (Unaudited)

	20	019		2010		
	Taxable	% of Total			Taxable	% of Total
	Assessed	District Net			Assessed	District Net
Taxpayer	Value	Assessed Value	Taxpayer		Value	Assessed Value
Fraternity Meadows LLC	\$ 85,159,400	3.02%	Hartz Mountain Development Corp	\$	365,000,000	14.44%
Hancock S REIT SECA Corp	63,126,200	2.24%	First Penn Bank		66,059,600	2.61%
755 Secaucus LLC % Hartz	52,695,800	1.87%	Hartz c/o Urban Pole		57,059,600	2.26%
800 Secaucus LLC % Hartz	53,746,700	1.91%	300-400 Park Plaza Drive Inc		48,709,900	1.93%
NY2 Hartz Way LLC % Equinix	38,021,400	1.35%	500 Plaza Drive Corp		48,407,600	1.91%
300-400 Park Plaza Dr. Inc	44,856,600	1.59%	Hartz C/O Matsushita		46,625,000	1.84%
50 Meadowland Parkway LLC	35,985,800	1.28%	BT NewYo LLC		32,795,400	1.30%
Fraternity Meadows LLC	33,793,600	1.20%	Mach Co.		27,908,200	1.10%
REEP RTL Mill NJ LLC	33,158,200	1.18%	Atrium IV, LLC		26,459,100	1.05%
BT NewYo LLC	31,781,500	1.13%	Harmon, Pond, Rumson		21,320,200	0.84%
	\$ 472,325,200	16.74%		\$	740,344,600	29.29%

Source: Municipal Tax Assessor

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION PROPERTY TAX LEVIES AND COLLECTIONS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (Unaudited)

Fiscal Year	Local School District Taxes	Collected within the Fiscal Year of the Levy		Collections in		
Ended	Levied for the		Percentage	Subsequent		
June 30,	Fiscal Year	Amount	of Levy	<u>Years</u>		
2010	\$ 31,978,788	\$ 31,978,788	100.00%	N/A		
2011	32,293,717	32,293,717	100.00%	N/A		
2012	32,502,943	32,502,943	100.00%	N/A		
2013	33,180,707	33,180,707	100.00%	N/A		
2014	34,107,422	34,107,422	100.00%	N/A		
2015	34,626,077	34,626,075	99.99%	\$ 2		
2016	35,689,653	35,689,653	100.00%	N/A		
2017	36,401,377	36,401,377	100.00%	N/A		
2018	37,194,115	37,194,115	100.00%	N/A		
2019	36,915,403	36,915,403	100.00%	N/A		

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION RATIOS OF OUTSTANDING DEBT BY TYPE LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (Unaudited)

Governmental Activities

	Governmen	ital Activities				
General Obligation Bonds	Certificates of Participation	Capital Leases	Bond Anticipation Notes (BANs)	Total District	Population (1)	Per Capita
\$ 9,484,000		\$ 1,865,053	\$ 670,818	\$ 12,019,871	15,768	\$ 762
8,534,000		2,914,438	670,818	12,119,256	16,689	726
7,745,000		2,211,566		9,956,566	16,914	589
6,675,000		2,153,763		8,828,763	17,998	491
5,560,000		1,453,838	3,000,000	10,013,838	18,089	554
31,810,000		688,492		32,498,492	18,157	1,790
29,585,000		168,664		29,753,664	18,827	1,580
27,305,000				27,305,000	19,563	1,396
24,990,000				24,990,000	19,685	1,269
23,595,000		476,975		24,071,975	20,742	1,161
	Obligation Bonds  \$ 9,484,000 8,534,000 7,745,000 6,675,000 5,560,000 31,810,000 29,585,000 27,305,000 24,990,000	General Obligation of Participation  \$ 9,484,000 8,534,000 7,745,000 6,675,000 5,560,000 31,810,000 29,585,000 27,305,000 24,990,000	Obligation Bonds         of Participation         Capital Leases           \$ 9,484,000         \$ 1,865,053           8,534,000         2,914,438           7,745,000         2,211,566           6,675,000         2,153,763           5,560,000         1,453,838           31,810,000         688,492           29,585,000         168,664           27,305,000         24,990,000	General Obligation Bonds         Certificates of Participation         Capital Leases         Bond Anticipation Notes (BANs)           \$ 9,484,000 \$ 9,484,000 \$ 1,865,053 \$ 670,818 \$ 670,818 \$ 2,914,438 \$ 670,818 \$ 670,8	General Obligation Bonds         Certificates of Participation         Bond Capital Leases         Bond Notes (BANs)         Total District           \$ 9,484,000 \$ 1,865,053 \$ 670,818 \$ 12,019,871 \$ 8,534,000 \$ 2,914,438 \$ 670,818 \$ 12,119,256 \$ 7,745,000 \$ 2,211,566 \$ 9,956,566 \$ 6,675,000 \$ 2,153,763 \$ 8,828,763 \$ 5,560,000 \$ 1,453,838 \$ 3,000,000 \$ 10,013,838 \$ 31,810,000 \$ 688,492 \$ 32,498,492 \$ 29,585,000 \$ 168,664 \$ 29,753,664 \$ 27,305,000 \$ 24,990,000 \$ 24,990,000	General Obligation Bonds         Certificates of Participation         Bond Anticipation Capital Leases         Bond Notes (BANs)         Total District         Population (1)           \$ 9,484,000 \$ 1,865,053 \$ 670,818 \$ 12,019,871         15,768 12,119,256 16,689 12,

Source: District records

(1) Estimated

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION RATIOS OF NET GENERAL BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (Unaudited)

General Bonded Debt Outstanding

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	General Obligation Bonds	Deductions	В	et General onded Debt outstanding	Percentage of Actual Taxable Value a of Property	Per Capita <sup>b</sup>	
2010	\$ 9,484,000		\$	9,484,000	0.38%	\$	601
2011	8,534,000			8,534,000	0.34%		511
2012	7,745,000			7,745,000	0.31%		458
2013	6,675,000			6,675,000	0.26%		371
2014	5,560,000			5,560,000	0.22%		307
2015	31,810,000			31,810,000	1.20%		1,752
2016	29,585,000			29,585,000	1.12%		1,571
2017	27,305,000			27,305,000	0.99%		1,396
2018	24,990,000			24,990,000	0.90%		1,269
2019	23,595,000			23,595,000	0.84%		1,138

Source: District records

Notes:

a See Exhibit J-6 for property tax data.b See Exhibit J-14 for population data.

## SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION COMPUTATION OF DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING OUTSTANDING BONDED DEBT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018 (Unaudited)

	<u>(</u>	Gross Debt	Ī	<u>Deductions</u>		Net Debt
Municipal Debt: (1) Secaucus Board of Education Town of Secaucus	\$	23,595,000 49,935,885	\$	23,595,000 850,262	\$_	49,085,623
	\$	73,530,885	\$	24,445,262		49,085,623
Overlapping Debt Apportioned to the Municipality: Hudson County:						
County of Hudson (2)						54,632,001
Total Direct and Overlapping Debt					<u>\$</u>	103,717,624

### Source:

- (1) 2018 Annual Debt Statement of the Town of Secaucus
- (2) Hudson County Treasurer's Office

#### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION LEGAL DEBT MARGIN INFORMATION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (Unaudited)

### Legal Debt Margin Calculation for Fiscal Year 2019

Equalized Valuation Basis	
2018	\$ 5,961,049,149
2017	4,838,517,703
2016	4,613,719,671
	\$15,413,286,523
Average Equalized Valuation Of Taxable Property	\$ 5,137,762,174
Debt Limit (4% of Average Equalization	205,510,487
Total Net Debt Applicable to Limit	23,595,000
Legal Debt Margin	\$ 181,915,487

	Fiscal Year									
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Debt Limit	\$ 222,364,406	\$ 220,139,675	\$ 215,153,842	\$ 200,286,295	\$ 193,011,901	\$ 186,236,835	\$ 179,928,993	\$ 177,785,822	\$ 184,473,973	\$ 205,510,487
Total Net Debt Applicable To Limit	9,484,000	8,534,000	7,745,000	6,675,000	5,560,000	31,810,000	29,585,000	27,305,000	24,990,000	23,595,000
Legal Debt Margin	\$ 212,880,406	\$ 211,605,675	\$ 207,408,842	\$ 193,611,295	\$ 187,451,901	\$ 154,426,835	\$ 150,343,993	\$ 150,480,822	\$ 159,483,973	<u>\$ 181,915,487</u>
Total Net Debt Applicable to the Limit as a Percentage of Debt Limit	4.27%	3.88%	3.60%	3.33%	2.88%	17.08%	16.44%	15.36%	13.55%	11.48%

Source: Annual Debt Statements

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION DEMOGRAPHIC STATISTICS LAST TEN YEARS (Unaudited)

Year Ended December 31,	Unemployment <u>Rate</u>	er Capita <u>come (A)</u>	School District Population (1)
2010	5.1	\$ 45,067	15,768
2011	N/A	46,053	16,689
2012	N/A	47,628	16,914
2013	N/A	48,344	17,998
2014	7.3	51,776	18,089
2015	4.6	55,354	18,157
2016	4.3	57,081	18,827
2017	3.8	59,623	19,563
2018	3.4	N/A	19,685
2019	N/A	N/A	20,742

### (A) Represents the County of Hudson

### (1) Estimated

Source: State of New Jersey Dept. of Labor United States Bureau of Census

### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION PRINCIPAL EMPLOYERS, CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEARS AGO (Unaudited)

		2019	2	2010			
		Percentage of		Percentage of			
		Total Municipal		Total Municipal			
Employer	Employees	Employment	Employees	Employment			

INFORMATION NOT AVAILABLE

## SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT DISTRICT EMPLOYEES BY FUNCTION/PROGRAM LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (Unaudited)

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Function/Program										
Instruction										
Regular	140	132	138	137	141	138	141	150	151	155
Special Education	44	29	37	37	37	39	37	41	42	47
Other Instruction	3	3	3	3	3	4	3	3	3	3
Adult/Continuing Education Programs										
Support Services:										
Student and Instruction Related Services	36	29	38	38	33	33	33	33	33	30
General Administration	6	6	7	7	9	8	8	6	6	6
School Administrative Services	14	10	12	13	16	16	16	16	16	18
Central Services	4	5	4	4	3	5	5	5	5	6
Administrative Information Technology	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Plant Operations And Maintenance	27	22	22	21	27	27	21	21	22	32
Pupil Transportation	23	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30
Total	299	268	292	291	300	301	295	306	308	327

Source: District Personnel Records

#### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION OPERATING STATISTICS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (Unaudited)

Pupil/Teacher Ratio

Fiscal Year	Enrollment*	Operating spenditures <sup>b</sup>	ost Per Pupil <sup>c</sup>	Percentage Change	Teaching Staff	Elementary	Middle School	Senior High School	Average Daily Enrollment (ADE)	Average Daily Attendance (ADA)	% Change in Average Daily Enrollment	Student Attendance Percentage
2010	2,143	\$ 34,471,145	\$ 16,085	8.07%	N/A	14:01	11:76	11:71	2,158	2,040	1.76%	94.53%
2011	2,196	33,936,323	15,454	-3.93%	N/A	15:6	14:00	19:8	2,182	2,059	1.11%	94.36%
2012	2,165	32,780,508	15,141	-2.02%	N/A	10:5	22:2	19:8	2,148	2,041	-1.56%	95.02%
2013	2,185	35,356,260	16,181	6.87%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2,123	2,069	-1.16%	97.46%
2014	2,181	35,826,462	16,427	1.52%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2015	2,189	36,129,374	16,505	0.48%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2,181	2,076	N/A	95.19%
2016	2,114	37,184,373	17,590	6.57%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2,110	2,017	-3.26%	95.59%
2017	2,113	38,915,437	18,417	4.70%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2,109	2,012	-0.05%	95.40%
2018	2,197	40,357,388	18,369	-0.26%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2,171	2,076	2.94%	95.62%
2019	2,272	43,369,615	19,089	3.92%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2,272	2,257	4.65%	99.34%

Sources: District records

N/A - Not Available

Note:

a Enrollment based on annual October district count.

b Operating expenditures equal total expenditures less debt service and capital outlay.

c Cost per pupil represents operating expenditures divided by enrollment.

### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHOOL BUILDING INFORMATION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (Unaudited)

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
District Building	-									
Elementary										
Clarendon School										
Square Feet	97,715	97,715	97,715	97,715	97,715	97,715	97,715	97,715	97,715	97,715
Capacity (students)	456	456	456	456	456	456	456	456	456	456
Enrollment	637	705	619	650	641	579	448	448	456	479
Huber School										
Square Feet	58,240	58,240	58,240	58,240	58,240	58,240	58,240	58,240	58,240	58,240
Capacity (students)	466	466	466	466	466	466	466	466	466	466
Enrollment	582	583	637	648	640	694	600	593	622	655
High School / Middle School										
Square Feet	159,070	159,070	159,070	159,070	159,070	159,070	159,070	213,695	213,695	213,695
Capacity (students)	1,109	1,109	1,109	1,109	1,109	1,109	1,109	1,109	1,109	1,109
Enrollment	924	908	889	887	892	916	1,066	1,072	1,119	1,138

Number of Schools at June 30, 2019

Elementary = 2 Clarendon/Huber Street

Middle School / High School = 1

Other = 2 Pre K and Board Office

Source: District Records

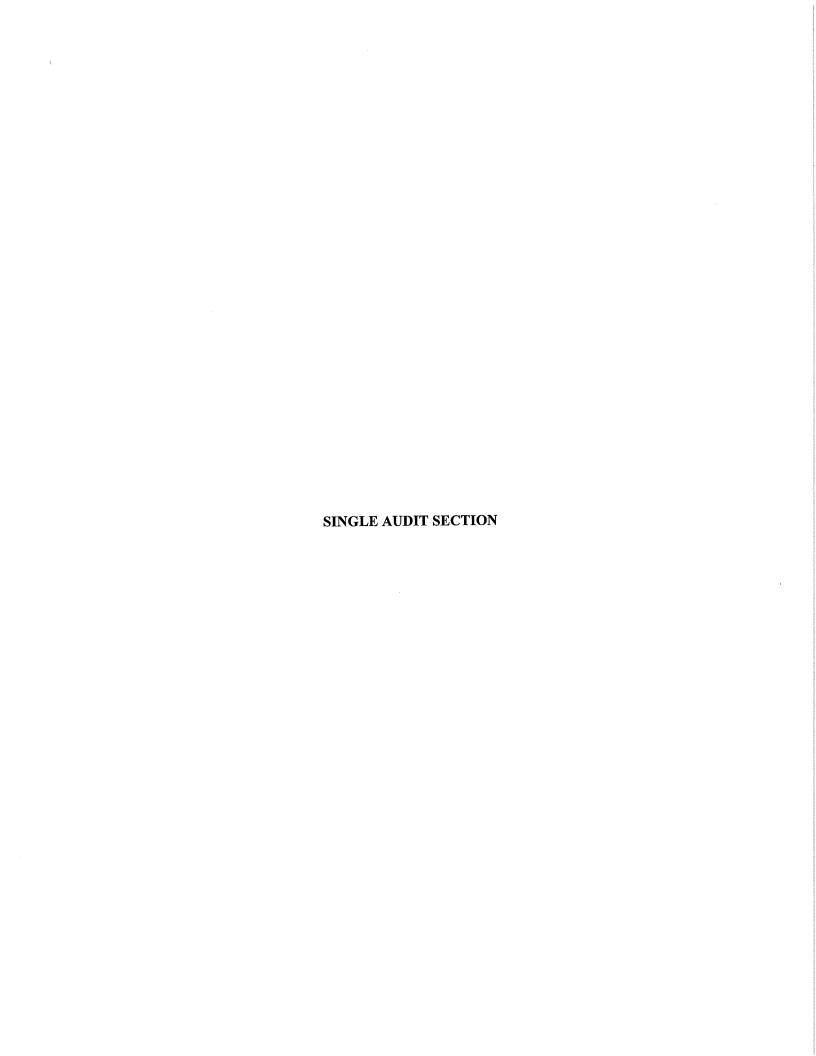
## SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHEDULE OF REQUIRED MAINTENANCE FOR SCHOOL FACILITIES LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (Unaudited)

Undistributed Expenditures-Required
Required Maintenance For School Facilities
11-000-261-xxx

		<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>
School Facility	Project #										
Clarendon School	N/A	\$ 157,179	\$ 105,413 \$	161,691	\$ 307,899	\$ 230,684	\$ 133,113	\$ 218,018	\$ 181,614	\$ 177,298	\$ 171,623
Huber School	N/A	130,357	87,425	239,581	170,010	129,114	74,504	122,026	101,651	95,312	92,261
High School / Middle School	N/A	234,427	157,220	<u>294,575</u>	434,797	502,818	290,144	475,210	395,862	371,174	359,292
Total School Facilities		521,963	350,058	695,847	912,706	862,616	497,761	815,254	679,127	643,784	623,176
Other Facilities	N/A	14,483	9,714	22,224	21,632	9,495	5,479	8,974	7,476	-	
Grand Total		<u>\$ 536,446</u>	\$ 359,772 \$	718,071	\$ 934,338	\$ 872,111	\$ 503,240	\$ 824,228	\$ 686,603	§ 643,784	\$ 623,176

### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHEDULE OF INSURANCE **JUNE 30, 2019** (Unaudited)

	Coverage	<u>Deductible</u>
School Alliance Insurance Fund (SAIF)		
Property - Blanket Property	\$ 500,000,000	\$ 2,500 Per Claim
Comprehensive General Liability - Per Occurrence	5,000,000	- <b>,-</b>
Flood - Per Member	25,000,000	1,000
Business Automobile - Per Occurrence	5,000,000	1,000
Business Automobile - Fet Occurrence	3,000,000	1,000
Boiler and Machinery	Included in Blanket Buildings and Contents	
Excess Liability	10,000,000	
Public Officials - Selective Insurance Co.		
Treasurer	300,000	
Board Secretary	250,000	
All Risk (subject to certain exclusions) including equipment breakdowns,		
demolition and increased cost of construction, EDP equipment, extra		
expenses and newly acquired equipment		
Sub-Limits:		
Newly Acquired Property	\$ 25,000,000	
Builder's Risk	25,000,000	
Demolition and Increased Cost of Construction	25,000,000	
Flood (Zone A or V)	25,000,000	
Flood (Other Zones)	10,000,000	
Earthquakes	25,000,000	
Boiler and Machinery	100,000,000	
Terrorism	100,000,000	
Unnamed Locations	25,000,000	
Accounts Receivable	2,500,000	
Fine Arts	2,500,000	
Trees/Shrubs/Plants (Unscheduled)	1,000,000	
Windstorm	200,000,000	
Blanket Dishonesty Bond (includes Faithful Performance Elected Officials);		
Per Loss	500,000	1,000
Computer Fraud:		
Per Loss	50,000	1,000
	20,000	1,000
Forgery and Alteration:		
Per Loss	50,000	1,000
School Leaders Professional Liability - Each Claim	5,000,000	10,000
Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability:		
Workers Compensation	Statutory Limits	
Employers Liability	5,000,000	
	5,000,000	





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REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable President and Members of the Board of Trustees Secaucus Board of Education Secaucus, New Jersey

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and audit requirements 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 the Secaucus Board of Education as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019 and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Secaucus Board of Education's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated November 14, 2019.

### **Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

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

A <u>deficiency in internal control</u> 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 <u>material weakness</u> 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 <u>significant deficiency</u> is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

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

### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Secaucus Board of Education'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 <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> and audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey.

However, we noted certain matters that are not required to be reported under <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> that we reported to management of the Secaucus Board of Education in a separate report entitled, "Auditor's Management Report on Administrative Findings – Financial, Compliance and Performance" dated November 14, 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 Secaucus Board of Education's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> in considering the Secaucus Board of Education's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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Fair Lawn, New Jersey November 14, 2019



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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL AND STATE PROGRAM; CHRIS SOHN, CPA REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE; AND REPORT ON THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS REQUIRED BY THE U.S. UNIFORM GUIDANCE AND SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AS REQUIRED BY NEW JERSEY OMB CIRCULAR 15-08

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable President and Members of the Board of Trustees Secaucus Board of Education Secaucus, New Jersey

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

We have audited the Secaucus Board of Education's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the <u>U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Compliance Supplement</u> and the <u>New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08 State Aid/Grant Compliance Supplement</u> that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Secaucus Board of Education's major federal and state programs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019. The Secaucus Board of Education's major federal and state programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

### Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements of 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 the Secaucus Board of Education's major federal and state programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, 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. <u>Code of Federal Regulations</u> Part 200, <u>Uniform Administrative Requirements</u>, <u>Cost Principles</u>, and <u>Audit Requirements for Federal Awards</u> (Uniform Guidance) and New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08, <u>Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants</u>, <u>State Grants and State Aid</u>. Those standards, U.S. Uniform Guidance and New Jersey Circular 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 the Secaucus Board of Education's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

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

### Opinion on Each Major Federal and State Program

In our opinion, the Secaucus Board of Education complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal and state programs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

### **Report on Internal Control Over Compliance**

Management of the Secaucus Board of Education is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the Secaucus Board of Education's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal and state program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal and state program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the U.S. Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB 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 the Secaucus Board of Education's internal control over compliance.

A <u>deficiency</u> 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 <u>material weakness in internal control over compliance</u> is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal or state program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. <u>A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance</u> 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.

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 U.S. Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

# Report on Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards Required by the U.S. Uniform Guidance and Schedule of Expenditures of State Financial Assistance Required by New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08

We have audited the financial statements of the Secaucus Board of Education, as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019 and have issued our report thereon dated November 14, 2019, which contained unmodified opinions on those financial statements. Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards as required by the U.S. Uniform Guidance and schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance as required by New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08 are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the 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 schedule of expenditures of federal awards and schedule of expenditures of state financial statements as a whole.

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Fair Lawn, New Jersey November 14, 2019

### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	Federal	Federal					Unearned	Accounts			Repayment	Unearned	Accounts		June 30, 2019		мемо
Federal/Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/ <u>Program Title</u>	CFDA Number	FAIN Number	Grant or Project Number	Grant <u>Period</u>	Award <u>Amount</u>	Balance, July 1, 2018	Revenue <u>Carrvover</u>	Receivable Carryover	Cash Received	Budgetary Expenditures	of Prior Year Balance	Revenue Adjustments	Receivable Adjustments	(Account Receivable)	Deferred Revenue	Due to Grantor	GAAP <u>Receivable</u>
U.S. Department of Agriculture																	*
Passed-Through State Department of Educati	on																*
Enterprise Fund:																	*
National School Lunch Program	10.555		N/A														*
Cash Assistance		191NJ304N1099		07/01/18-6/30/19					\$ 241,535	\$ 298,356				\$ (56,821)			* \$ (56,821)
Cash Assistance		181NJ304N1099		07/01/17-6/30/18	290,655	\$ (54,687)			54,687								*
Non-Cash Assistance (Food Distribution)		191NJ304N1099		07/01/18-6/30/19	46,937				46,937	46,233					\$ 704		
Non-Cash Assistance (Food Distribution)	10.550	181NJ304N1099	27/4	07/01/17-6/30/18	46,065	672				672							* (15.500)
School Breakfast Program School Breakfast Program	10.553 10.553	191NJ304N1099 181NJ304N1099	N/A N/A	07/01/18-6/30/19 07/01/17-6/30/18	76,278 66,995	(15,278)			60,579	76,278				(15,699)			* (15,699)
School Breaklast Program	10.555	181103504101099	N/A	07/01/17-0/30/18	66,793	(15,2/8)			15,278					·			*
Child Nutrition Cluster						(69,293)	-		419,016	421,539				(72,520)	704		(72,520)
U.S. Department of Education																	*
Passed-Through State Department of Educati	nn																*
Special Revenue Fund:																	
NCLB																	*
Title I	84.010	S010A180030	ESEA473019	07/01/18-6/30/19	433,750		\$ 48,816	\$ (370,051)	573,906	482,249		\$ (66)		(229,895)	251		<b>*</b> (229,644)
Title I, Carryover	84.010	S010A170030	ESEA473018	07/01/17-6/30/18	429,441	(321,235)	(48,816)	370,051	,			- ()		V,,			*
Title II - Part A	84.367A	S367A180029	ESEA473019	07/01/18-6/30/19	71,691		64,201	(108,110)	99,711	79,140		1,572		(80,090)	58,324		* (21,766)
Title II - Part A, Carryover	84.367A	S367A170029	ESEA473018	07/01/17-6/30/18	68,839	(43,909)	(64,201)	108,110	•								*
Title III	84.365	S365A180030	ESEA473019	07/01/18-6/30/19	13,216	• • •	2,390	(10,719)	8,329	11,706				(15,606)	3,900		* (11,706)
Title III- Carryover	84.365	S365A170030	ESEA473018	07/01/17-6/30/18	10,719	(8,329)	(2,390)	10,719									*
Title III-lmmigrant	84.365	S365A180030	ESEA473019	07/01/18-6/30/19	10,062		5,065	(10,028)	5,856	13,625		(172)		(14,234)	1,330		<ul><li>(12,904)</li></ul>
Title III-Immigrant, Carryover	84.365	S365A170030	ESEA473018	07/01/17-6/30/18	10,028	(4,963)	(5,065)	10,028									*
Title IV	84.424	S424A180031	ESEA473019	07/01/18-6/30/19	24,408		5,976	(10,000)	18,454	19,513		(300)		(15,954)	10,571		* (5,383)
Title IV, Carryover	84.424	S424A170031	ESEA473018	07/01/17-6/30/18	10,000	(4,024)	(5,976)	10,000									*
I.D.E.A. Part B, Basic Regular	84.027	H027A180100	FT473019	07/01/18-6/30/19	422,912		169,643	(382,782)	562,347	415,046				(243,347)	177,509		* (65,838)
I.D.E.A. Part B, Basic Regular	84.027	H027A170100	FT473018	07/01/17-6/30/18	412,861	(213,139)	(169,643)	382,782	002,0	112,010				(= ,)	,		*
I.D.E.A. Part B, Preschool	84,173	H173A180114	PS473019	07/01/18-6/30/19	13,848	(,	26,706	(33,258)				(13,401)	\$ 19.953	(27,153)	27,153		* -
I.D.E.A. Part B, Preschool, Carryover	84.173	H173A170114	PS473018	07/01/17-6/30/18	13,305	(6,552)	(26,706)	33,258		_		(,· <b>-</b> ,		,,			•
Special Education Cluster (IDEA)										415,046							
												-		<u> </u>			*
Total Special Revenue Fund						(602,151)			1,268,603	1,021,279		(12,367)	19,953	(626,279)	279,038		* (347,241)
Total Special Revelue Land						(002,131)			1,208,003	1,021,279		(12,301)	17,75	(020,219)	219,036		*
U.S. Department of Education																	*
Passed-Through State Department of Educati	on																
General Fund:																	*
Medicaid Assistance Program (SEMI)	93.778	1905NJ5MAP	N/A	07/01/18-6/30/19	44,458	_		-	44,458	44,458	-	-	-	_	-	-	* .
• • •																	*
Total General Fund						_		-	44,458	44,458		_	_	_	_	_	* -
									11,100	-11,150	***************************************						*
Total Federal Financial Awards						\$ (671,444)	s -	s -	\$ 1,732,077	\$ 1,487,276	s -	\$ (12,367)	\$ 19,953	\$ (698,799)	\$ 279,742	<b>s</b> -	* \$ (419,761)
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### SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

			-	Balance, Ju (Accts. Rec.)	dy 1, 2018	-			Refund of		June 30, 2019			ME	мо
State Grantor/Program Title	Grant or State Project Number	Grant <u>Period</u>	Award <u>Amount</u>	Deferred Revenue	Due to <u>Grantor</u>	Cash <u>Received</u>	Budgetary Expenditures	Adjustments	Prior Years'		Deferred Revenue	Due to <u>Grantor</u>		GAAP ceivable	Cumulative Expenditures
State Department of Education													*		
General Fund Special Education Aid	19-495-034-5120-089	07/01/2018-6/30/2019	\$ 905,004			\$ 842,562	\$ 905,004			\$ (62,442)			*		\$ 905,004
Special Education Aid	18-495-034-5120-089	07/01/2017-6/30/2018	905,004	\$ (68,741)		68,741	,						*		
Security Aid		07/01/2018-6/30/2019 07/01/2017-6/30/2018	191,170 75,507	(5,735)		177,980 5,735	191,170			(13,190)			*		191,170
Security Aid Professional Learning Community Aid		07/01/2017-6/30/2018	21,230	(1,613)		1,613							*		
Per Pupil Growth Aid	18-495-034-5120-097	07/01/2017-6/30/2018	21,370	(1,623)		1,623							*		
PARCC Readiness	18-495-034-5120-098	07/01/2017-6/30/2018	21,370	(1,623)		1,623	1,096,174						*		
Subtotal State Aid Public Cluster							1,090,174						*		
Transportation Aid			546,399			508,700	546,399			(37,699)			*		546,399
Transportation Aid Non-Public Transportation Reimb.		07/01/2017-6/30/2018 07/01/2018-6/30/2019	86,193 27,840	(6,547)		6,547	27,840			(27,840)			* \$	(27,840)	27,840
Non-Public Transportation Reimb.		07/01/2017-6/30/2018	30,190	(30,190)		30,190				(27,010)			*	(27,010)	27,010
Subtotal Transportation Aid Cluster							574,239						*		
Extraordinary Aid	19-495-034-5120-044	07/01/2018-6/30/2019	204,271				204,271			(204,271)			*		204,271
Extraordinary Aid	18-495-034-5120-044	07/01/2017-6/30/2018	140,589	(140,589)		140,589	60.742						*		60,742
T.P.A.F. NCGI T.P.A.F. LTDI	19-495-034-5094-004 19-495-034-5094-004	07/01/2018-6/30/2019 07/01/2018-6/30/2019	60,742 4,074			60,742 4,074	60,742 4,074						*		4,074
T.P.A.F. Post Retirement Medical		07/01/2018-6/30/2019	1,343,792			1,343,792	1,343,792						*		1,343,792
T.P.A.F. Normal Cost & Accrued Liab	19-495-034-5094-002	07/01/2018-6/30/2019	2,901,772			2,901,772	2,901,772						*		2,901,772
Reimbursed T.P.A.F. Social Security Aid	19-495-034-5094-003	07/01/2018-6/30/2019	1,222,037			1,162,026	1,222,037			(60,011)			*	(60,011)	1,222,037
Reimbursed T.P.A.F. Social Security Aid	18-495-034-5094-003	07/01/2017-6/30/2018	1,186,047	(58,160)	<del></del>	58,160							*	-	-
Total General Fund				(314,821)		7,316,469	7,407,101			(405,453)			*	(87,851)	7,407,101
Debt Service Fund													*		
School Construction Debt Service Aid	19-495-034-5120-075	07/01/2018-6/30/2019	645,142			645,142	645,142						* —	-	645,142
Total Debt Service Fund						645,142	645,142						*		645,142
State Department of Agriculture		•											*		
Enterprise Fund													*		
National School Lunch (State Share)	19-100-010-3350-023	07/01/2018-6/30/2019	9,140			7,318	9,140			(1,822)			*	(1,822)	9,140
National School Lunch (State Share)	18-100-010-3350-023	07/01/2017-6/30/2018	9,528	(1,836)		1,836	-		***************************************		-		* —		-
Total Enterprise Fund				(1,836)		9,154	9,140			(1,822)			*	(1,822)	9,140
State Financial Assistance Subject to Sing	le Audit Determination			\$ (316,657)	<u>\$</u>	\$ 7,970,765	\$ 8,061,383	<u>s - </u>	<u>\$ -</u>	\$ (407,275)	\$ -	<u>\$</u>	* \$	(89,673)	\$ 8,061,383
State Financial Assistance Not Subject to Single Audit													*		
General Fund	10 105 001 5001 555	07/01/2010 (120/2010				((0.5.15)	((0.7.2)						*		((0.742)
T.P.A.F. NCGI T.P.A.F. LTDI	19-495-034-5094-004 19-495-034-5094-004	07/01/2018-6/30/2019 07/01/2018-6/30/2019				(60,742) (4,074)							*		(60,742) (4,074)
T.P.A.F. LTDI T.P.A.F. Post Retirement Medical	19-495-034-5094-001	07/01/2018-6/30/2019				(1,343,792)							*		(1,343,792)
T.P.A.F. Normal Cost & Accrued Liab		07/01/2018-6/30/2019				(2,901,772)	(2,901,772)						*		(2,901,772)
Total State Financial Assistance for Majo	r Program Determinatio	n		\$ (316,657)	<u>\$ -</u>	\$ 3,660,385	\$ 3,751,003	<u>s -</u>	<u>\$</u>	\$ (407,275)	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u> -	* \$	(89,673)	\$ 3,751,003

SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION NOTES TO THE SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

### **NOTE 1 GENERAL**

The accompanying schedules present the activity of all federal and state financial assistance programs of the Secaucus Board of Education. The Board of Education is defined in Note 1(A) to the Board's financial statements. All federal financial assistance received directly from federal agencies, as well as federal awards and state financial assistance passed through other government agencies is included on the schedule of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance.

### NOTE 2 BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The accompanying schedules are prepared and presented using 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 Notes 1(C) to the Board's financial statements. The information in these schedules is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (U.S. Uniform Guidance) and New Jersey OMB 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 the 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 schedules on a modified accrual basis with the exception of the revenue recognition of the delayed state aid payments in the current budget year, which is mandated pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:22-44.2. For GAAP purposes, those payments are not recognized until the subsequent year due to the state deferral and recording of certain state aid payments in the subsequent year. The special revenue fund is presented in the accompanying schedules on the grant accounting budgetary basis which recognizes encumbrances as expenditures and also recognizes the related revenues, which may include the delayed state aid payments, whereas the GAAP basis does not. The special revenue fund also recognizes the delayed state aid payments in the current budget year, consistent with N.J.S.A. 18A:22-44.2.

The net adjustment to reconcile from the budgetary basis to the GAAP basis is a decrease of \$91,131 for the general fund and a decrease of \$2,771 for the special revenue fund. See the Notes to Required Supplementary Information for a reconciliation of the budgetary basis to the modified accrual basis of accounting for the general and special revenue funds. Awards and financial assistance revenues are reported in the Board's financial statements on a GAAP basis as presented as follows:

	<u>Federal</u>		<u>State</u>		<u>Total</u>
General Fund	\$ 44,458	\$	7,315,970	\$	7,360,428
Special Revenue Fund	1,018,508				1,018,508
Debt Service Fund			645,142		645,142
Food Service Fund	 421,539		9,140		430,679
Total Awards Financial Assistance	\$ 1,484,505	<u>\$</u>	7,970,252	<u>\$</u>	9,454,757

SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION NOTES TO THE SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

### 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 District's fiscal year and grant program years.

### NOTE 5 OTHER INFORMATION

Revenues and expenditures reported under the Food Distribution Program as non-cash assistance represent current year value received and current year distributions, respectively. TPAF Social Security contributions in the amount of \$1,222,037 represents the amount reimbursed by the State for the employer's share of social security contributions for TPAF members for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019. The amount reported as TPAF Pension System Contributions in the amount of \$2,962,514, TPAF Post-Retirement Medical Benefits Contributions in the amount of \$1,343,792 and TPAF Long-Term Disability Insurance in the amount of \$4,074 represents the amount paid by the State on behalf of the District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

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

On-behalf State Programs for TPAF Pension, Post-Retirement Medical Benefits and Long-Term Disability Insurance Contributions are not subject to a State single audit and, therefore, are excluded from major program determination. The Schedule of State Financial Assistance provides a reconciliation of State financial assistance reported in the District's financial statements and the amount subject to State single audit and major program determination.

### NOTE 7 DE MINIMIS INDIRECT COST RATE

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

### Part I - Summary of Auditor's Results

### Financial Statements

Type of auditors' report issued on financial staten	Unmodified						
Internal control over financial reporting:  1) Material weakness(es)identified?	yes	Xno					
2) Significant deficiencies identified r considered to be material weakness(es		yes	X none reported				
Noncompliance material to basic financial statements noted?	yes	Xno					
Federal Awards Section							
Internal Control over major programs:  1) Material weakness(es)identified?		yes	Xno				
<ol> <li>Significant deficiencies identified r considered to be material weakness(es</li> </ol>		yes	X none reported				
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs	Unmodified						
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to lin accordance with 2 CFR 200 .510(a) of U.S. Ur	yes	Xno					
Identification of major federal programs:							
CFDA Number(s)	FAIN Number	Name of Fe	ederal Program or Cluster				
84.027	H027A180100	IDEA - Basic					
84.173	H173A180114	IDEA - Prescho	ool				
		-					
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs:			\$ 750,000				
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?		Xyes	no				

### Part I – Summary of Auditor's Results

### **State Awards Section**

Internal Control over major programs:	
1) Material weakness(es)identified?	yes X no
2) Significant deficiencies identified not considered to be material weakness(es)?	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 N.J. Circular Letter 15-08?	yesXno
Identification of major state programs:	
GMIS Number	Name of State Program or Cluster
19-495-034-5120-089	Special Education Categorical Aid
19-495-034-5120-084	Security Aid
19-495-034-5094-003	Reimbursed T.P.A.F. Social Security Aid
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs:	<b>\$ 750,000</b>
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?	X yesno

Part 2 - Schedule of 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 in accordance with Government Auditing Standards.

THERE ARE NONE.

# Part 3 - Schedule of Federal and State Award 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 and state programs, as required by U.S. Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08.

### **CURRENT YEAR FEDERAL AWARDS**

THERE ARE NONE.

### Part 3 - Schedule of Federal and State Award 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 and state programs, as required by U.S. Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08.

### **CURRENT YEAR STATE AWARDS**

There are none.

# SECAUCUS BOARD OF EDUCATION SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR-YEAR AUDIT FINDINGS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

This section identifies the status of prior-year findings related to the basic financial statements and federal and state awards that are required to be reported in accordance with U.S. Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08.

### STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS

### **Finding 2018-001**

Our audit of purchases revealed the following:

- o We noted one vendor awarded under a national cooperative contract where the procedures required under State procurement guidelines for National Co-op contract purchases was not followed by the District.
- We noted certain purchases under Cooperative Purchasing Agreements and State Contracts that in aggregate exceeded the bid threshold that were not specifically approved by Board resolution.

### **Status**

Corrective action has been taken.