

**SCHOOL DISTRICT
OF
CITY OF VENTNOR**

**COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL
FINANCIAL REPORT**

of the

City of Ventnor Board of Education

Ventnor, New Jersey

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Finance Department

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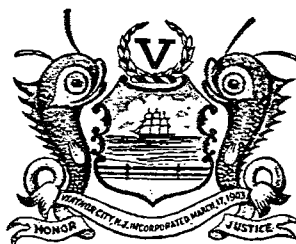
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INTRODUCTORY SECTION

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Members of the Board of Education
City of Ventnor School District
County of Atlantic

Dear Board Members:

The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report of the City of Ventnor School District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020, is hereby submitted. Responsibility for both the accuracy of the data and completeness and fairness of the presentation, including all disclosures, rests with the management of the Board of Education. To the best of our knowledge and belief, the data presented in this report is accurate in all material respects and is reported in a manner designed to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of the various funds of the District. All disclosures necessary to enable the reader to gain an understanding of the District's financial activities have been included.

The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report is presented in four sections: introductory, financial, statistical and single audit. The introductory section includes this transmittal letter, the District's organizational chart and a list of the principal officials. The financial section includes the basic financial statements and schedules, management's discussion and analysis, as well as the auditor's report thereon. The statistical section includes selected financial and demographic information, generally presented on a multi-year basis. The District is required to undergo an annual single audit in conformity with the provisions of the Single Audit Act of 1996 and the U.S. Office of Management and Budget Uniform Guidance and the New Jersey OMB Circular Letter 15-08, *Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid Payments*. Information related to this single audit, including the auditor's report on the internal control structure and compliance with applicable laws and regulations and findings and recommendations, are included in the single audit section report.

1) **REPORTING ENTITY AND ITS SERVICES**: The City of Ventnor School District is an independent reporting entity within the criteria set forth in Section 2100 of the *GASB Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards*. All funds of the District are included in this report. The City of Ventnor Board of Education and all its schools constitute the District's reporting entity.

The Ventnor City Public School District operates two schools located on the same land site known as the Ventnor Educational Community Complex. The Elementary School houses grades Pre-Kindergarten through grade four, with Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten housed in the Early Childhood Center. The Middle School houses grades five through eight. The district provides a full range of educational services appropriate to grade levels Pre-Kindergarten through eight. These programs include the following: a full-day three and four year old pre-school, full-day kindergarten, state of the art technology opportunities for all children, computer assisted research and services through the Media Center, complete Art and Music curricula, Basic Skills, Gifted and Talented, World Languages study in Spanish, Health and Physical Education including intramurals and interscholastic opportunities, Regular and Special Education Programs, and a variety of community and recreational programs. The district completed the 2019-2020 fiscal year with an enrollment of 635 students. The following details the changes in the student enrollment of the district over the last six years:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Enrollment</u>
2019 - 2020	635
2018 - 2019	669
2017 - 2018	665
2016 - 2017	698
2015 - 2016	753
2014 - 2015	778

2) **ECONOMIC CONDITION AND OUTLOOK:** The Ventnor City Public School District is located in a downbeach community whose children, in grades PK through eight, constitute the student population of the District. Ventnor is immediately adjacent to Atlantic City and Margate City, approximately 60 miles from Philadelphia. Ventnor's year round (resident) population is a mixed socio-economic group. Geographically, Ventnor is located on an island. It is 1.7 miles in length and approximately three quarters of a mile in width, comprising 2.1 square miles overall. Ventnor is bounded on the northeast by Atlantic City, on the Southwest by Margate City, on the southeast by the Atlantic Ocean, and the northwest by the centerline of the main channel in the Beach Thoroughfare.

A three-person Board of Commissioners, elected at large every four years, governs the city. They govern a city that is almost entirely residential, whose year round population of about 11,500 increases to approximately 28,000 during the summer months. There are various houses of worship, which reflect the diverse population of Ventnor City. The over-all responsibility for the education of the PK-8 children lies with the District's Board of Education. The Board is a Type I Board of Education comprised of seven members, appointed by the Mayor for a term of three years. The New Jersey Department of Education classifies the Ventnor School District as District Factor B. The District Factor Group is based on socio-economic status.

The original school was built in 1970 with additions/renovations conducted in 1974, 1983, 1997, 2001 and 2010. In 2015, replacement of the emergency generator, boiler, gym HVAC and a section of the roof were completed.

Summer 2017 saw replacement of the last major section of roof and three HVAC units with additional HVAC replacements underway in 2018, 2019 and 2020. The City approved a \$9,315,017 bond which covered parking lot renovations, fire suppression and alarm upgrades, HVAC replacements, canopy panel replacements, repair of building leaks and on-going HVAC replacements.

Upon promotion from grade eight at the Ventnor Complex, students attend Atlantic City High School through a sending-receiving relationship that has existed since the 1920's. The district paid tuition for 177 regular education and for 27 special education students to the high school during the 2019-20 school year at a tuition rate of \$16,719 and \$30,111 per student respectively. A number of additional resident students attend local parochial and public schools including Ocean City and Mainland Regional at both the elementary and high school levels.

A Board of School Estimate works closely with both city and school officials and is responsible for approving the district's budget annually. For the 2019-2020 school year, the district will operate with a budget of \$21,616,656. The district's management team consists of a superintendent, business administrator/board secretary, elementary school principal, middle school principal, and supervisor of special education. The staff team employed by the district consists of 81 full or part-time certified instructional staff, 5 secretaries, 4 clerk typists, 17 full time support staff, and 23 part-time support personnel. The Child Study Team consists of a school social worker, a learning disabilities teacher consultant, a school psychologist, one full-time and one part-time speech therapist, and a part-time occupational therapist.

The Board of Education continues its efforts to increase curricular offerings to meet student needs. Among these offerings are improved math and science instruction delivery systems (STEM lab), up to date curricula (NJ Student Learning Standards), technology programs, language arts, world language programs, gifted and talented programs, and a county recognized music program. Other noteworthy program services to students include guidance services, after school homework club, accelerated reading programs, summer reading programs, peer mediation programs, character education programs, and ESL programs provided on a regular basis during the school year with participation based on student needs.

The school district's student population has consistently decreased in recent years showing its highest enrollment of 1150 students in the 2002-2003 school year. The Board of Education and the Board of School Estimate established a four-phase building program based on enrollment growth at that time. Phase I, completed in 1996, included the renovations of existing space into classrooms and Phase II included a 16,000 square foot addition of eight full-sized classrooms, four small group instruction classrooms, a computer lab, computer network infrastructure and a media center.

Phase III added 16 classrooms including the Early Childhood Center, a new gymnasium, reading room, child study team offices, board office area, music classrooms (instrumental and vocal), renovated kitchen/cafeteria and additional parking. Phase IV added air conditioning and a new roof and windows to the older sections of the building.

Ventnor City and its public school are richly diverse and multi-cultural. At the school site, the minority student population has increased from 9% in 1989 to 57.0% in October 2019. Our ESL (English as a Second Language) Program assists in supporting a complement of programs to meet the needs of all of our students.

3) **MAJOR INITIATIVES:** The Board of Education has endorsed many initiatives for the district. It continues its commitment to providing innovative opportunities to incorporate technology into the classroom setting and instruction. Students receive regular instruction in the use of technology. Grades 1 through 8 will be 1-to-1 using Windows based laptops and HDTV's linked to the Internet for instructional purposes. Virtual learning was incorporated using Microsoft Teams. Internet access is available to all students and staff in the district through stand-alone and laptop computers. The district has updated all curricula and aligned them with the New Jersey Student Learning Standards.

During the 2019-2020 school year, the district continued to move forward with web-based tools such as Office 365. These tools encourage collaboration as well as greater access resources outside the district for staff and students. The district moved forward with our 1-to-1 initiative with the addition of the 2nd grade students. The TV studio produced the morning news and announcements using a live format. The 5th and 6th grade students were invited to join the TV studio crew. The goal is to further develop the studio for the district's multimedia projects. The district will maintain service contracts and replace legacy equipment. The district will work with vendors and e-rate funding reducing cost to the district. Additional security cameras continue to expand coverage throughout the building and outside. New servers were installed to maintain district applications and file storage. The district also made changes to the IT infrastructure. Technology changes were in the early stages of relocating resources to the cloud. Evaluation of cybersecurity and steps to reduce exposure. The district continues to be on the forefront of technology and exposure to latest educational resources.

Ventnor Elementary School was one of five schools in the State selected for the 2018 Innovations in Special Education award. Our Kindergarten through Grade 2 Multiply Disabled self-contained classroom uses the TEAM Pro program to teach and reach students through puppetry and music using authentic teaching methods and collaborative teaching approaches. This program addresses all educational, social, and behavioral needs within the general education curriculum, allowing the students to be fully integrated into the school community. This program also ties in with the District's Character Education Program and Positive Behavioral Supports.

The Superintendent attended training and expanded her role to include School Safety Specialist as required by the Department of Education. Initiatives to improve School Safety are being implemented annually.

4) **FOR THE FUTURE:** The school district is presently in good financial condition. Major concerns include the continued increases in unfunded mandated expenditures and reduced state aid. The City and Board have reduced the tax levy each of the last five years which ensures greater control over the budget and benefits the taxpayers, but these restrictions result in fiscally conservative decisions that may curtail programmatic growth and capital improvements.

The Board of Education's goals continue to focus on high academic achievement. The Board provides a multi-cultural environment that promotes student growth and development of all our children. Our mission is to provide all students with quality education programs that will assist in preparing them for a fruitful and productive future.

Ventnor Public Schools will create, share, implement, and monitor the Restart and Recovery Plan with focus on health and safety of staff and students, remote and hybrid learning schedules, professional development to support new technology, and technology and connectivity for all students.

Ventnor Public Schools will continue to ensure that all students will receive social and emotional support to become adaptable, confident citizens who embody self-awareness and strong interpersonal skills, and who are capable of responsible decision-making and managing their emotions and behaviors.

Ventnor Public schools will monitor student achievement through local benchmarks, web based programs, technology platform interactions, and in-person instruction to address student needs and promote student growth in ELA and Math.

The district curricula review, and revision supports the correlation to the New Jersey Student Learning Standards and the review is ongoing. The school district promotes character-building programs. "Character Counts" which stresses conduct of "Respect, Responsibility and Citizenship," Social Skills Streaming programs, Second Step, and Violence and Vandalism Awareness are among the programs offered in this area. The district is fortunate to have an active HSA (Home School Association) that works to assist in funding student programs and activities.

The Ventnor City Public School is a community concerned and committed to providing a quality education that meets the needs of its students.

5) **INTERNAL ACCOUNTING 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 is compiled to allow for the preparation of financial statements in conformity with Generally Accepted Accounting Principals (GAAP). The internal control structure is designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that these objectives are met.

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

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

As part of the District's single audit described 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.

6) **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 Board of School Estimates of the municipality. Annual appropriated budgets are adopted for the general fund and the special revenue 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 re-appropriations of fund balance in the subsequent year. Those amounts to be re-appropriated are reported as reservations to fund balance at June 30, 2019.

7) **ACCOUNTING SYSTEM AND REPORTS:** The District's accounting records reflect generally accepted accounting principles, as promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). The accounting system of the District is organized on the basis of funds and account groups. These funds and account groups are explained in "Notes to the Financial Statements," Note 1.

8) **DEBT ADMINISTRATION:** The District is a Type I district, which means that none of the debt is included on the books of the school district. Debt service is budgeted and paid by the City of Ventnor.

9) **CASH MANAGEMENT:** The investment policy of the District is guided in large part by state statute as detailed in "Notes to the Financial Statements", Note 1. 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 a loss of funds on deposit with a failed banking institution in New Jersey. The law requires governmental units to deposit public funds only in public depositories located in New Jersey, where the funds are secured in accordance with the Act.

10) **RISK MANAGEMENT:** The Board carries various forms of insurance, including, but not limited to general liability, automobile liability and comprehensive/collision, hazard and theft on property and contents, and fidelity bonds.

11) **OTHER INFORMATION:** Independent Audit – State statutes require an annual audit by independent certified public accountants or registered municipal accountants. The Accounting firm of Nightlinger, Colavita & Volpa, PA, was selected by the Board’s Finance Committee. In addition to meeting the requirements set forth in the state statutes, the audit is designed to meet the requirements of the Single Audit Act of 1996 and the related OMB Circular A-133 and New Jersey OMB Circular Letter 04-04. The auditor’s report on the basic financial statements and combining and individual fund statements and schedules are included in the financial section of this report. The auditor’s reports related specifically to the single audit are included in the single audit section of this report.

12) **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:** We would like to express our appreciation to the members of the City of Ventnor School Board for their concern in providing fiscal accountability to the citizens and taxpayers of the school district and thereby contributing their full support to the development and maintenance of our financial operation. The preparation of this report could not have been accomplished without the efficient and dedicated services of our financial and accounting staff.

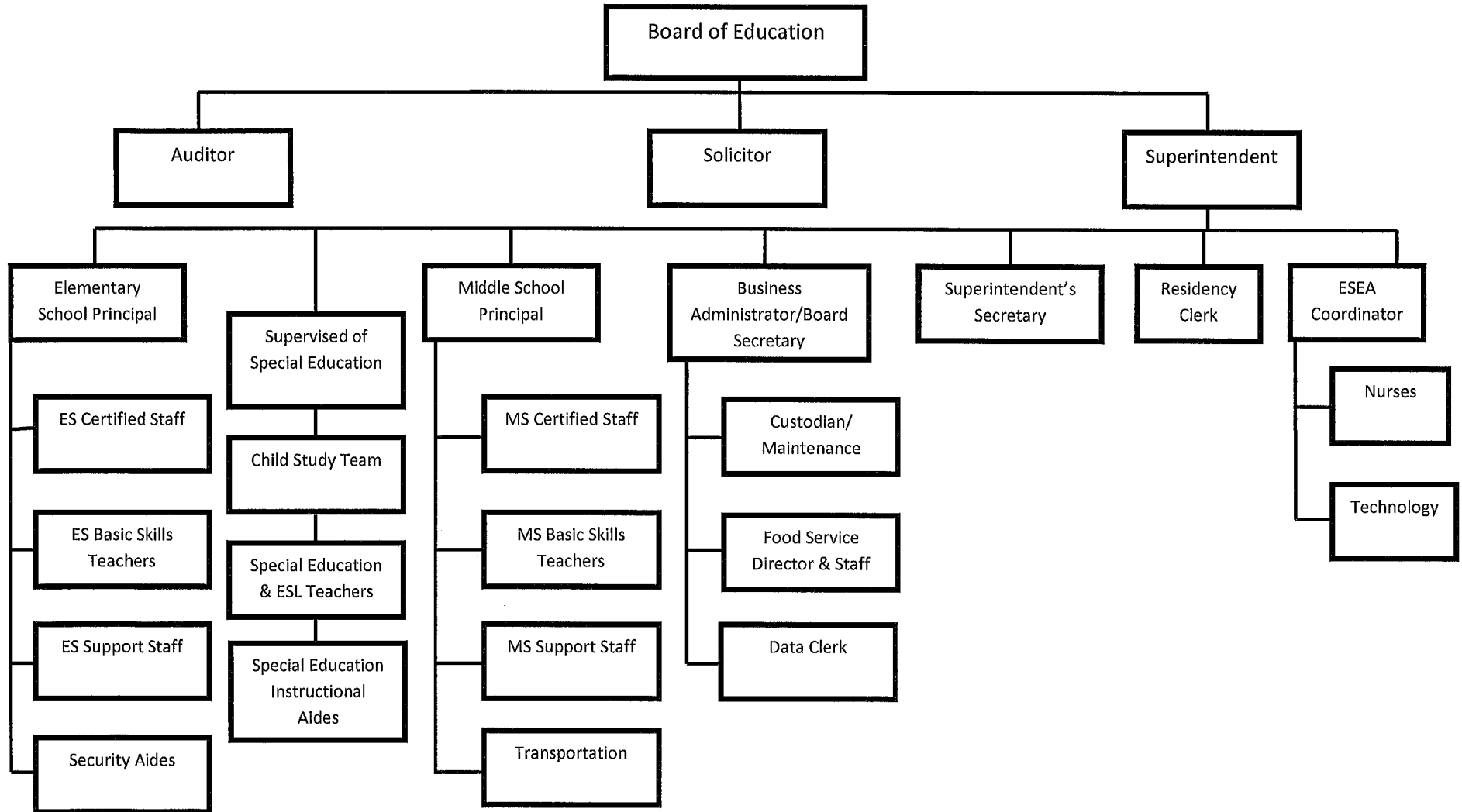
Respectfully submitted,

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Board Secretary/ Business Administrator



CITY OF VENTNOR BOARD OF EDUCATION

ROSTER OF OFFICIALS

JUNE 30, 2020

<u>MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION</u>	<u>TERM EXPIRES</u>
Douglas Biagi, President	2021
Kimble Bassford, Vice President	2020
Michael Advena	2020
Albert Battaglia, Jr. (To 5/17/20)	2020
Joseph McDevitt (To 2/27/20)	2022
Michael J. Hagelgans	2021
William Tate (To 12/5/19)	2022
Vacancy (From 12/6/19)	
Lori Abbott	2022
<u>OTHER OFFICIALS</u>	<u>BOND AMOUNT</u>
Carmela Somershoe, Superintendent / Treasurer (From 7/1/20)	\$ 250,000
Eileen Johnson, Superintendent / Treasurer (To 6/30/20)	\$ 250,000
Terri Nowotny, School Business Administrator / Board Secretary	\$ 250,000
Adams, Gutierrez and Lattibourdere, Solicitors	

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Honorable President and
Members of the Board of Education
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Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities and each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Board of Education of the City of Ventnor School District (a component unit of the City of Ventnor) in the County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey, as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City of Ventnor School District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material 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 and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and audit requirements as prescribed by the Division of Administration and 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 of 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 financial statement presentation.

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

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Ventnor Board of Education in the County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey, as of June 30, 2020, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof, for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, budgetary comparison information and schedules related to accounting and reporting for pensions 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 Ventnor School Board of Education's basic financial statements. The introductory section, combining and individual non-major fund financial statements, and statistical section are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance) and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid, and is also not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The combining and individual non-major fund financial statements and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining and individual non-major fund financial statements and the schedule 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 and statistical sections have not been subject to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 23, 2020 on our consideration of the City of Ventnor Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting and 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 City of Ventnor 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 *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Ventnor School District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Respectfully submitted,

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December 23, 2020

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION – PART I

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

This section of the City of Ventnor School District ("District") annual financial report presents our discussion and analysis of the District's financial performance during the fiscal year that ended on June 30, 2020. Please read it in conjunction with the transmittal letter at the front of this report and the District's financial statement.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- The net position of the District's Governmental Activities decreased by \$362,748. The decrease was due to various expenditures in excess of revenues.
- The State of New Jersey reimbursed the District \$513,987 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2020 for the employer's share of social security contributions and pension contributions for TPAF members as calculated on their base salaries. Also, the State of New Jersey paid \$1,897,462 on behalf of the District for TPAF Pension and Disability Contributions. These amounts, which are not budgeted, are included as both a revenue and appropriation in the financial statements.
- As indicated by New Jersey State Statutes, the unreserved fund balance of the general fund is limited to 2% of the total general fund expenditures. Any excess is required to be designated as Reserved Fund Balance - Excess Surplus and included in the next year's budget as budgeted fund balance. As of June 30, 2020, the District had excess fund balance in the amount of \$2,428,893, of which \$1,046,031 has been included in the 2020-2021 budget and the remaining \$1,382,862 will be included in the 2021-2022 budget.
- During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2020, the District's governmental fund revenues exceeded expenditures by \$1,143,503, excluding the Capital Project Fund activity and \$256,268 transferred to the Charter School. This was mainly a result of positive spending variances during the current year. During the prior fiscal year, comparative revenues and special items exceeded expenditures by \$61,292.
- In the District's business-type activities, net assets decreased by \$36,195 due to the costs of operation exceeding revenues, as compared to the prior year of \$895.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This annual report consists of four parts - *management's discussion and analysis* (this section), the *basic financial statements*, *required supplementary information*, and an optional section that presents *combining statements for special revenue, proprietary, and fiduciary funds*. The basic financial statements include two kinds of statements that present different views of the District.

- The first two statements are *government-wide financial statements* that provide both *long-term* and *short-term* information about the District's *overall* financial status.
- The remaining statements are *fund financial statements* that focus on individual parts of the District's government, reporting on the District's operations in *more detail* than the government-wide statements.
 - The *governmental funds* statements tell how *general government* services like instruction were financed in the *short term* as well as what remains for future spending.
 - *Proprietary fund* statements offer *short- and long-term* financial information about the activities the District operates like businesses, such as the food service and after school program.
 - *Fiduciary fund* statements provide information about the financial relationships - like the unemployment trust fund - in which the District acts solely as a *trustee or agent* for the benefit of others, to whom the resources in question belong.

The financial statements also include notes that explain some of the information in the financial statements and provide more detailed data. The statements are followed by a section of required supplementary information that further explains and supports the information in the financial statements. Figure A-1 shows how the required parts of this annual report are arranged and relate to one another.

Figure A-1 summarizes the major features of the District's financial statements, including the portion of the District's government they cover and the types of information they contain. The remainder of this overview section of management's discussion and analysis explains the structure and contents of each of the statements.

**Major Features of City of Ventnor
Board of Education's Government-wide
and Fund Financial Statements
(Figure A-1)**

	Government wide Statements	Governmental Funds	Fund Statements Proprietary Funds	Fiduciary Funds
Scope	Entire district (except fiduciary funds)	The activities of the District that are not proprietary or fiduciary, such as food service and after school programs and student activities	Activities the District operates similar to private businesses; food service and after school programs	Instances in which the District is the trustee or agent for someone else's resources, such as payroll agency and student activities.
Required Financial Statements	Statement of net position Statement of changes in net position	Balance sheet Statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances	Statement of net assets Statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets Statement of cash flows	Statement of fiduciary net assets Statement of changes in fiduciary net assets
Accounting basis and measurement focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Modified accrual accounting and current financial resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus
Type of asset/liability information	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, and short term and long term.	Only assets expected to be used up and liabilities that come due during the year or soon thereafter; no capital assets included.	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, and short-term and long-term.	All assets and liabilities, both short- term and long-term.
Type of inflow/outflow information	All revenues and expenses during the year, regardless of when cash is received or paid.	Revenues for which cash is received during or soon after the end of the year; expenditures when goods or services have been received and payment is due during the year or soon thereafter.	All revenues and expenses, regardless of when cash is received or paid.	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid.

Government-wide Statements

The government-wide statements report information about the District as a whole using accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The statement of net position includes *all* of the government's assets and liabilities. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the statement of changes in net position regardless of when cash is received or paid.

The two government-wide statements report the District's *net position* and how they have changed. Net position - the difference between the District's assets and liabilities - is one way to measure the District's financial health, or *position*.

- Over time, increases or decreases in the District's net position are an indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating, respectively.
- To assess the overall health of the District you need to consider additional non-financial factors such as changes in the City's property tax base and the condition of the District's facilities.

The government-wide financial statements of the District are divided into two categories:

- *Governmental activities* - most of the District's basic services are included here, such as instruction, transportation, administration, and plant operations. Property taxes and state and federal grants finance most of these activities.
- *Business-type activities* - the District charges fees to customers to help it cover the costs of certain services it provides. The District's food program and after school program are included here.

Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the District's most significant *funds* - not the District as a whole. Funds are accounting devices that the District uses to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending for particular purposes.

The District has three kinds of funds:

- *Governmental funds* - Most of the District's basic services are included in governmental funds, which focus on (1) how *cash and other financial assets* that can readily be converted to cash flow in and out and (2) the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. Consequently, the governmental funds statements provide a detailed *short-term* view that helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the District's programs. Because this information does not encompass the additional long-term focus of the government-wide statements, we provide additional information at the bottom of the governmental funds statement that explains the relationship (or differences) between them.
- *Proprietary funds* - Services for which the District charges customers a fee are generally reported in proprietary funds. Proprietary funds, like the government-wide statements, provide both long- and short-term financial information. In fact, the District's *enterprise funds* (one type of proprietary fund) are the same as its business-type activities, but provide more detail and additional information, such as cash flows.
- *Fiduciary funds* - The District is the trustee, or *fiduciary*, for other assets that - because of a trust arrangement - can be used only for the trust beneficiaries. The District is responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in these funds are used for their intended purposes. All of the District's fiduciary activities are reported in separate statement of fiduciary net assets and a statement of changes in fiduciary net assets. We exclude these activities from the District's government-wide financial statements because the District cannot use these assets to finance its operations.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT AS A WHOLE

Net position: The District's governmental activities net position decreased \$362,748 between fiscal years 2019 and 2020. The business-type activities net assets decreased \$36,195 due to operating costs in excess of revenue.

	Governmental Activities		Business-Type Activities		Totals	
	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019
ASSETS						
Current and Other Assets	\$ 9,573,221	\$ 12,476,942	\$ 110,171	\$ 140,206	\$ 9,683,392	\$ 12,617,148
Capital Assets	23,093,457	19,985,123	35,308	42,709	23,128,765	20,027,832
Deferred Outflows	1,139,903	753,656			1,139,903	753,656
Total Assets	33,806,581	33,215,721	145,479	182,915	33,952,060	33,398,636
LIABILITIES						
Long-term Liabilities	3,456,120	3,054,442			3,456,120	3,054,442
Other Liabilities	914,354	499,340	2,639	3,880	916,993	503,220
Deferred Inflows	1,294,560	1,157,644			1,294,560	1,157,644
Total Liabilities	5,665,034	4,711,426	2,639	3,880	5,667,673	4,715,306
NET POSITION						
Inversted in Capital Assets	23,093,457	19,985,123	35,308	42,709	23,128,765	20,027,832
Restricted	8,209,811	11,705,857			8,209,811	11,705,857
Unrestricted	(3,161,721)	(3,186,685)	107,532	136,326	(3,054,189)	(3,050,359)
Total Net Position	\$ 28,141,547	\$ 28,504,295	\$ 142,840	\$ 179,035	\$ 28,284,387	\$ 28,683,330

Changes in net position of Governmental Activities. The change of \$362,748 in net position included decreases of \$128,862 in Miscellaneous revenue, which was \$98,286 less than in the prior year, offset by transfers to the Charter School of \$256,268 and the excess of operating expenditures over Property tax, Federal State and Local revenues in the amount of \$235,342. There was also a decrease of \$754,734 in unrestricted Federal/State Aid and \$5,216 in Local School Tax.

The local tax levy of \$16,400,478 is 76.2% of total governmental activity revenues of \$21,534,471, The municipality levies this tax on properties located in the City and remits the collections on a monthly basis to the District.

Approximately 14.9% of the District's revenue comes from the State of New Jersey in the form of non-restricted state aid. This aid is based on the District's enrollment as well as other factors such as legislative funding of the SFRA formula. The District expenses are primarily related to instruction, administration, and plant operations. Governmental Activity revenue, net of the charter school transfer of \$256,268 are as follows:

	2020		2019	
	Amount	Percentage	Amount	Percentage
Property Taxes	\$ 16,400,478	76.16%	\$ 16,405,694	73.86%
Unrestricted Federal and State Aid	3,217,141	14.94%	3,971,875	17.88%
Transportation	183,969	0.85%	279,702	1.26%
Tuition	15,366	0.07%	46,035	0.21%
Miscellaneous	128,862	0.60%	227,148	1.02%
Operating Grants and Contributions:	1,588,655	7.38%	1,282,239	5.77%
Total	\$ 21,534,471	100.00%	\$ 22,212,693	100.00%

Governmental Activities

The following schedule summarizes the governmental and business-type activities of the District during the 2020 and 2019 fiscal years.

	Governmental Activities		Business-Type Activities		Totals	
	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019
REVENUES						
Program Revenues						
Charges for Services	\$ 199,335	\$ 325,737	\$ 83,311	\$ 135,294	\$ 282,646	\$ 461,031
Federal and State Grants	1,588,655	1,282,239	183,494	230,427	1,772,149	1,512,666
General Revenues						
Property Taxes	16,400,478	16,405,694			16,400,478	16,405,694
State Aid Entitlements	3,217,141	3,971,875			3,217,141	3,971,875
Bond Proceeds		9,315,071				9,315,071
Miscellaneous	128,862	227,148			128,862	227,148
Total Revenues	<u>21,534,471</u>	<u>31,527,764</u>	<u>266,805</u>	<u>365,721</u>	<u>21,801,276</u>	<u>31,893,485</u>
EXPENSES						
Instruction:						
Regular	7,917,234	8,082,542			7,917,234	8,082,542
Special Education	1,651,236	1,797,174			1,651,236	1,797,174
Other Special Instruction	527,559	294,844			527,559	294,844
Other Instruction	69,815	71,274			69,815	71,274
Support Services:						
Instruction - Tuition	5,400,241	5,200,744			5,400,241	5,200,744
Student & Instruction Related Services	2,152,186	2,378,735			2,152,186	2,378,735
General Administrative	510,015	495,179			510,015	495,179
School Administrative	568,316	592,616			568,316	592,616
Business and Other Support Services	397,386	413,201			397,386	413,201
Plant Operations and Maintenance	1,312,865	1,381,462			1,312,865	1,381,462
Student Transportation	1,092,924	1,138,476			1,092,924	1,138,476
Interest Expense	41,174	41,174			41,174	41,174
Other						
Business-type Activities			303,000	364,826	303,000	364,826
Total Expenses	<u>21,640,951</u>	<u>21,887,421</u>	<u>303,000</u>	<u>364,826</u>	<u>21,943,951</u>	<u>22,252,247</u>
Excess (Deficiency) before:	(106,480)	9,640,343	(36,195)	895	(142,675)	9,641,238
Transfer to Charter School	(256,268)	(379,505)			(256,268)	(379,505)
Increase (Decrease) in Net Position	<u>\$ (362,748)</u>	<u>\$ 9,260,838</u>	<u>\$ (36,195)</u>	<u>\$ 895</u>	<u>\$ (398,943)</u>	<u>\$ 9,261,733</u>

Business-type Activities

Net Position in the Enterprise Funds decreased by \$36,195 due to an excess of expenditures over revenues in the Food Service Fund of \$44,774 and an excess in revenues over expenditures in the After School Program of \$8,579.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT'S FUNDS

As of the year end, the governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$4,308,489 (excluding the Capital Project Fund of \$4,350,378), which is \$887,235 more than at the beginning of the year. This is mainly the result of spending within the operating budget.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

As further explained in the notes to the Financial Statements, annual appropriated budgets are prepared in the spring of each year for the general and special revenue funds. The budgets are submitted to the County office and, as a Type I School District, are approved by the Board of School Estimates annually. Transfers of appropriations that do not exceed 10% on a cumulative basis may be made by Board resolution at any time during the fiscal year. Transfers of appropriations that exceed 10% on a cumulative basis must be approved by the Commissioner of Education. The District is permitted to encumber funds throughout the year for purchases ordered but not yet received. Any open encumbrances as of June 30th carry over to the next fiscal year and are added to the appropriation reflected in the certified budget.

After adjusting total revenue reported on Exhibit C-1 for the Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contribution and on-behalf TPAF Pension Contributions of \$2,411,449, which are not budgeted, the District's actual revenue was more than the budget by \$53,116. This is the result of miscellaneous revenue and extraordinary aid. With regard to expenditures, after adjusting for the Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contribution, on-behalf TPAF Pension Contributions, actual expenditures were \$1,980,776 less than the budgeted appropriations. This is result of lower tuition, transportation, and maintenance costs.

CAPITAL ASSET AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

At the end of 2020, the District had invested over \$23,093,457, net of depreciation, in a broad range of capital assets, including land, buildings and equipment. Refer to Note 4 for more detailed information.

	Governmental Activities		Business - Type Activities		Totals	
	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019
Land	\$ 100,000	100,000			100,000	100,000
Construction in progress	6,661,031	3,613,898			6,661,031	3,613,898
Buildings and Improvements	16,196,482	16,082,636			16,196,482	16,082,636
Equipment	135,944	188,589	35,308	42,709	171,252	231,298
Total	\$ 23,093,457	19,985,123	35,308	42,709	23,128,765	20,027,832

Long-term Obligations

The District's long-term obligations consisted of Compensated Absences and Net Pension Liability. The District is Type I and all other school debt is held by the City of Ventnor.

	<u>June 30,</u> <u>2019</u>	<u>Issued</u>	<u>Retired/ Adjusted</u>	<u>June 30,</u> <u>2020</u>
Compensated Absences Payable	\$ 233,151	\$ 20,191	\$	\$ 253,342
Net Pension Liability	2,891,238	311,540		3,202,778
Total	<u>\$ 3,124,389</u>	<u>\$ 331,731</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 3,456,120</u>

On July 12, 2018, the City of Ventnor adopted a School Bond Ordinance in the amount of \$9,315,071 for the purpose of funding general capital improvements and acquisition of various equipment for the City's schools. The expenditures against this Bond Ordinance are shown on Exhibit F-1

More detailed information about the District's long-term debt is presented in Note 5 to the financial statements.

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to present users (residents, receiving districts, and creditors) with a general overview of the District's finances and to demonstrate the District's accountability. If you have questions about the report or need additional financial information, contact the District's business administrator at 400 N. Lafayette Avenue, Ventnor, New Jersey 08406.

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DISTRICT WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities display information about the District.

These statements include the financial activities of the overall District, except for fiduciary activities.

Eliminations have been made to minimize the double-counting of internal activities. These statements distinguish between the governmental and business-type activities of the District.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
JUNE 30, 2020

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	<u>Business-type Activities</u>	<u>Total</u>
ASSETS			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 4,761,269	\$ 98,413	\$ 4,859,682
Receivables, Net	4,811,952	5,735	4,817,687
Restricted Assets:			
Inventory		6,023	6,023
Capital Assets, Net (Note 5):	23,093,457	35,308	23,128,765
Total Assets	<u>32,666,678</u>	<u>145,479</u>	<u>32,812,157</u>
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Deferred Pension Outflows	<u>1,139,903</u>		<u>1,139,903</u>
LIABILITIES			
Accounts Payable	608,101	140	608,241
Accrued Interest Payable			
Unearned Revenue	306,253	2,499	308,752
Non-current Liabilities (Note 6):			
Due Within One Year	42,571		42,571
Due Beyond One Year	3,413,549		3,413,549
Total Liabilities	<u>4,370,474</u>	<u>2,639</u>	<u>4,373,113</u>
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Deferred Pension Inflows	<u>1,294,560</u>		<u>1,294,560</u>
NET ASSETS			
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt	23,093,457	35,308	23,128,765
Restricted for:			
Capital Reserve	546,788		546,788
Maintenance Reserve	10,710		10,710
Tuition Reserve	500,000		500,000
Excess Surplus	2,428,893		2,428,893
Other Purposes	4,723,420		4,723,420
Unrestricted (Deficit)	<u>(3,161,721)</u>	<u>107,532</u>	<u>(3,054,189)</u>
Total Net Position	<u>\$ 28,141,547</u>	<u>\$ 142,840</u>	<u>\$ 28,284,387</u>

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

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

Functions/Programs	Expenses	Indirect Expenses Allocation	Program Revenues		Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position		
			Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
Governmental Activities:							
Instruction:							
Regular	\$ 6,452,333	1,464,901	\$ 15,366	\$ 1,335,200	\$ (6,566,668)		\$ (6,566,668)
Special Education	1,329,524	321,712			(1,651,236)		(1,651,236)
Other Special Instruction	422,194	105,365			(527,559)		(527,559)
Other Instruction	55,342	14,473			(69,815)		(69,815)
Support Services:							
Instruction - Tuition	4,280,758	1,119,483			(5,400,241)		(5,400,241)
Student & Instruction Related Services	1,732,156	420,030		253,455	(1,898,731)		(1,898,731)
General Administrative	413,595	96,420			(510,015)		(510,015)
School Administrative	457,837	110,479			(568,316)		(568,316)
Business and Other Support Services	320,873	76,513			(397,386)		(397,386)
Plant Operations and Maintenance	1,312,865				(1,312,865)		(1,312,865)
Student Transportation	1,092,924		183,969		(908,955)		(908,955)
Unallocated Employee Benefits	6,140,825	(6,140,825)					
Interest Expense	41,174				(41,174)		(41,174)
Total Governmental Activities	24,052,400	(2,411,449)	199,335	1,588,655	(19,852,961)		(19,852,961)
Business-type Activities:							
Food Service	292,824		64,556	183,494		\$ (44,774)	(44,774)
After School Program	10,176		18,755			8,579	8,579
Total Business-type Activities	303,000		83,311	183,494		(36,195)	(36,195)
Total Primary Government	\$ 24,355,400		\$ 282,646	\$ 1,772,149	\$ (19,852,961)	\$ (36,195)	\$ (19,889,156)
General Revenues:							
Taxes:							
Property Taxes, Levied for General Purposes, Net					\$ 16,400,478		\$ 16,400,478
Federal, State and Local Aid Not Restricted					3,217,141		3,217,141
Miscellaneous Income					80,862		80,862
Rents					48,000		48,000
Transfers - To Charter School					(256,268)		(256,268)
Total General Revenues, Special Items, Extraordinary Items and Transfers					19,490,213		19,490,213
Change in Net Position					(362,748)	(36,195)	(398,943)
Net Position—Beginning					28,504,295	179,035	28,683,330
Net Position—Ending					\$ 28,141,547	\$ 142,840	\$ 28,284,387

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

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Individual Fund statements and schedules present more detailed information for the individual fund in a format that segregates information by fund.

GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component of the City of Ventnor)
BALANCE SHEET
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2020

	General Fund	Special Revenue Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Total Governmental Funds
ASSETS				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 2,956,815	\$	\$ 373,914	\$ 3,330,729
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Capital Reserve	720,590			720,590
Cash and Cash Equivalents -Maintenance Reserve	209,950			209,950
Cash and Cash Equivalents -Tuition Reserve	500,000			500,000
Other Receivable			4,280,841	4,280,841
State Aid Receivable	119,210			119,210
Federal Aid Receivable		386,746		386,746
Interfunds Receivable	217,697			217,697
Total Assets	\$ 4,724,262	\$ 386,746	\$ 4,654,755	\$ 9,765,763
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES				
Liabilities:				
Accounts Payable	\$ 322,216	\$ 87,617	\$ 198,268	\$ 608,101
Interfund Payable		86,433	106,109	192,542
Unearned Revenue		306,253		306,253
Total Liabilities	322,216	480,303	304,377	1,106,896
Fund Balances:				
Restricted For:				
Excess Surplus	1,382,862			1,382,862
Excess Surplus - Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures	1,046,031			1,046,031
Maintenance Reserve Account	10,710			10,710
Capital Reserve Account	546,788			546,788
Tuition Reserve	500,000			500,000
Assigned To:				
Designated for Subsequent Years Expenditures:				
Capital Reserves	173,802			173,802
Maintenance Reserve	199,240			199,240
Fund Balance	91,968			91,968
Year-End Encumbrances	135,703		2,072,560	2,208,263
Committed			2,277,818	2,277,818
Unassigned, Reported In:				
General Fund Balance	314,942			314,942
Grant Fund Balance (Deficit)		(93,557)		(93,557)
Total Fund Balances	4,402,046	(93,557)	4,350,378	8,658,867
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$ 4,724,262	\$ 386,746	\$ 4,654,755	

Amounts reported for *governmental activities* in the Statement of Net Assets (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 \$41,334,366 and the accumulated depreciation is \$18,240,909 (See Note 4)	23,093,457
Deferred Outflow of Resources - Deferred Pension Contribution.	1,139,903
Deferred Inflows of Resources - Pension Actuarial Gains.	(1,294,560)
Long Term Net Pension Liability	(3,202,778)
Long-term liabilities, including capital leases payable and Compensated Absences, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported as liabilities in the Governmental funds (see Note 5).	(253,342)
Net Position of Governmental Activities	\$ 28,141,547

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

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Special Revenue Fund</u>	<u>Capital Projects Fund</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
REVENUES				
Local Sources:				
Local Tax Levy	\$ 16,400,478	\$	\$	\$ 16,400,478
Tuition from Individuals	15,366			15,366
Transportation Fees from Other LEAS	183,969			183,969
Rent	48,000			48,000
Interest Earned	42,389			42,389
Interest Earned on Capital Reserve Funds	500			500
Interest Earned on Maintenance Reserve Funds	100			100
Miscellaneous	37,873			37,873
Total - Local Sources	16,728,675			16,728,675
State Sources	4,457,348	1,045,882		5,503,230
Federal Sources	13,180	813,324		826,504
Total Revenues	21,199,203	1,859,206		23,058,409
EXPENDITURES				
Current:				
Regular Instruction	4,266,395	1,335,200		5,601,595
Special Education Instruction	1,230,184			1,230,184
Other Special Instruction	402,902			402,902
Other Instruction	55,342			55,342
Support Services:				
Instruction - Tuition	4,280,758			4,280,758
Student & Instruction Related Services	1,352,686	253,455		1,606,141
General Administrative Services	368,697			368,697
School Administrative Services	422,459			422,459
Central Services	197,509			197,509
Admin Info Tech	95,068			95,068
Plant Operations and Maintenance	1,312,865			1,312,865
Student Transportation	1,092,924			1,092,924
Unallocated Employee Benefits	4,885,861	285,053		5,170,914
Capital Outlay	74,079	3,469	4,275,917	4,353,465
Total Expenditures	20,037,729	1,877,177	4,275,917	26,190,823
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	1,161,474	(17,971)	(4,275,917)	(3,132,414)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Transfers to Charter School	(256,268)			(256,268)
Total Other Financing Sources and Uses	(256,268)			(256,268)
Net Change in Fund Balances	905,206	(17,971)	(4,275,917)	(3,388,682)
Fund Balance—July 1 (Deficit)	3,496,840	(75,586)	8,626,295	12,047,549
Fund Balance—June 30 (Deficit)	\$ 4,402,046	\$ (93,557)	\$ 4,350,378	\$ 8,658,867

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

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

Total Net Change in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds (from B-2) **\$ (3,388,682)**

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

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

Depreciation expense	\$ (1,200,488)	
Capital outlays	4,308,822	
	<hr/>	3,108,334

Pension contributions are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the contributions are adjusted for actuarial valuation adjustments, including service and interest costs, administrative costs, investment returns, and experience/assumption. This is the amount by which net pension liability and deferred inflows/outflows, related to pension, changed during the period. (62,209)

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

(20,191)

Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities (A-2) **\$ (362,748)**

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PROPRIETARY FUNDS

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2020

	Business-type Activities - Enterprise Funds		
	Food Service	After School Program	Totals
ASSETS			
Current Assets:			
Cash	\$	\$ 123,568	\$ 123,568
Accounts Receivable	5,735		5,735
Inventory	6,023		6,023
Total Current Assets	11,758	123,568	135,326
Non-current Assets			
Fixed Assets:			
Equipment	178,211		178,211
Less Accumulated Depreciation	(142,903)		(142,903)
Total Fixed Assets	35,308		35,308
Total Assets	47,066	123,568	170,634
LIABILITIES:			
Current Liabilities:			
Accounts Payable	140		140
Interfund Payable	25,155		25,155
Unearned Revenue	2,499		2,499
Total Current Liabilities	27,794		27,794
NET POSITION:			
Invested in Capital Assets Net of net of Accumulated Depreciation	35,308		35,308
Unrestricted (Deficit)	(16,036)	123,568	107,532
Total Net Position	\$ 19,272	\$ 123,568	\$ 142,840

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CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

	Business-type Activities - Enterprise Fund		
	Food Service	After School Program	Total Enterprise
OPERATING REVENUES:			
Charges for Services:			
Daily Sales - Reimbursable Programs	\$ 34,047	\$	\$ 34,047
Daily Sales - Non-Reimbursable Programs	24,866		24,866
Program Fees		18,755	18,755
Miscellaneous	5,643		5,643
Total Operating Revenue:	64,556	18,755	83,311
OPERATING EXPENSES:			
Salaries	134,532	6,638	141,170
Employee Benefits	46,882	508	47,390
Other Purchased Services	4,156	1,143	5,299
Other Costs	483	1,887	2,370
Cost of Sales - Reimbursable Programs	91,351		91,351
Cost of Sales - Non Reimbursable Programs	8,019		8,019
Depreciation	7,401		7,401
Total Operating Expenses	292,824	10,176	303,000
Operating Income (Loss)	(228,268)	8,579	(219,689)
NON-OPERATING REVENUES:			
State Sources:			
State School Lunch Program	2,876		2,876
Federal Sources:			
National School Lunch Program	116,297		116,297
National School Breakfast Program	43,980		43,980
National School Snack Program	2,619		2,619
Healthy Hunger Free Kids Act	2,798		2,798
Food Distribution Program	14,924		14,924
Total Non-operating Revenues (Expenses)	183,494		183,494
Income (Loss) Before Contributions & Transfers	(44,774)	8,579	(36,195)
Change in Net Position	(44,774)	8,579	(36,195)
Total Net Position—Beginning	64,046	114,989	179,035
Total Net Position—Ending	\$ 19,272	\$ 123,568	\$ 142,840

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

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

	Business-type Activities Enterprise Funds		
	Food Service	After School Program	Total Enterprise
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Receipts from Customers	\$ 64,556	\$ 18,755	\$ 83,311
Payments to Employees	(134,532)	(6,638)	(141,170)
Payments for Employee Benefits	(46,882)	(508)	(47,390)
Payments to Suppliers	(51,712)	(3,030)	(54,742)
Net Cash Provided by (used for) Operating Activities	(168,570)	8,579	(159,991)
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
State Sources	2,876		2,876
Federal Sources	165,694		165,694
Net Cash Provided by (used for) Non-capital Financing Activities	168,570		168,570
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Purchases of Capital Assets			
Net Cash Provided by (used for) Capital and Related Financing Activities			
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Interest and Dividends			
Net Cash Provided by (used for) Investing Activities			
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents		8,579	8,579
Balances—Beginning of Year		114,989	114,989
Balances—End of Year	\$	\$ 123,568	\$ 123,568
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities:			
Operating Income (Loss)	\$ (228,268)	\$ 8,579	\$ (219,689)
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash provided by (used for) Operating Activities:			
Depreciation and Net Amortization	7,401		7,401
Food Distribution Program	14,924		14,924
(Increase)/Decrease in Accounts Receivable, Net	17,101		17,101
(Increase)/Decrease in Interfund Receivable			
(Increase)/Decrease in Inventory	(2,569)		(2,569)
Increase/(Decrease) in Accounts Payable	140		140
Increase/(Decrease) in Interfund Payable	24,082		24,082
Increase/(Decrease) in Deferred Revenue	(1,381)		(1,381)
Total Adjustments	59,698		59,698
Net Cash Provided by (used for) Operating Activities	\$ (168,570)	\$ 8,579	\$ (159,991)

Noncash Noncapital Financing Activities:

During the year, the District received \$16,571 of Food Commodities from the U. S. Department of Agriculture

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

FIDUCIARY FUNDS

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2020

	<u>Agency Funds</u>	
	<u>Student</u>	
	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Payroll</u>
ASSETS		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 28,507	\$ 19,685
Total Assets	<u>\$ 28,507</u>	<u>\$ 19,685</u>
LIABILITIES		
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings	\$	\$ 18,811
Flexible Spending Account		874
Payable to Student Groups	<u>28,507</u>	
Total Liabilities	<u>\$ 28,507</u>	<u>\$ 19,685</u>

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

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION – PART II

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A COMPONENT UNIT OF THE CITY OF VENTNOR)
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The City of Ventnor School District is an instrumentality of the State of New Jersey, established to function as an educational institution. The Board consists of appointed 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.

The financial statements of the Board of Education (Board) of the City of Ventnor School District (District) have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. In its accounting and financial reporting, the District follows the pronouncements of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). The more significant accounting policies established in GAAP and used by the District are discussed below.

A. REPORTING ENTITY:

The City of Ventnor School District is a Type I district located in the County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey. As a Type I district, the Board of Education members are appointed by the Mayor. The Board is comprised of seven members appointed to three-year terms. The purpose of the district is to educate students in grades K-8. The City of Ventnor School District had an approximate enrollment at June 30, 2020 of 661 students.

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

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

Based on the aforementioned criteria, the District has no component units but, as a Type I School District, would be considered a component unit of the City of Ventnor. The City however reports on a regulatory basis of accounting which does not recognize component units. If the City followed generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) reporting, the Board of Education would be a component unit of the City of Ventnor.

The District's basic financial statements include both government-wide (reporting the District as a whole) and fund financial statements (reporting the District's major funds). Both the government-wide and fund financial statements categorize primary activities as either governmental or business type. The District's general, special revenue and capital project activities are classified as governmental activities. The District's food service and after school program are classified as business-type activities.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

B. BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - GOVERNMENT-WIDE STATEMENTS:

In the governmental-wide Statement of Net Position, both the governmental and business-type activities columns (a) are presented on a consolidated basis by column, (b) and are reported on a full accrual, economic resource basis, which recognizes all long-term assets and receivables as well as long-term debt and obligations. The District's net position are reported in three parts-invested in capital assets, net of related debt; restricted net position; and unrestricted net position. The District first utilizes restricted resources to finance qualifying activities.

The government-wide Statement of Activities reports both the gross and net cost of each of the District's functions and business-type activities (food service and after school program). The functions are also supported by general government revenues (property taxes, transportation, certain intergovernmental revenues, etc.). The Statement of Activities reduces gross expenses (including depreciation) by related program revenues, operating and capital grants. Program revenues must be directly associated with the function (regular instruction, special education, student & instruction related services, etc.) or a business-type activity. Operating grants include operating-specific and discretionary (either operating or capital) grants while the capital grants column reflects capital-specific grants.

The net costs (by function or business-type activity) are normally covered by general revenue (property taxes, transportation, interest income, etc.).

- a. The District does allocate indirect costs such as depreciation expense, compensated absences, On-behalf TPAF Pension Contributions, and Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contributions.

The government-wide focus is more on the sustainability of the District as an entity and the change in the District's net position resulting from the current year's activities. Fiduciary funds are not included in the government-wide statements.

C. BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial transactions of the District are reported in individual funds in the fund financial statements. Each fund is accounted for by providing a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, reserves, fund equity, revenues and expenditures/expenses. The various funds are reported by generic classification within the financial statements.

The emphasis in fund financial statements is on the major funds in either the governmental or business-type activities categories. Nonmajor funds by category are summarized into a single column. GASB No. 34 sets forth minimum criteria (percentage of the assets, liabilities, revenues or expenditures/expenses of either fund category or the governmental and enterprise combined) for the determination of major funds. The nonmajor funds are combined in a column in the fund financial statements. The State of New Jersey Department of Education has mandated that all New Jersey School Districts must report all governmental funds as major, regardless of the fund meeting the GASB definition of a major fund. However, the criteria is applied to proprietary funds.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

The following fund types are used by the District:

1. Governmental Funds:

The focus of the governmental funds' measurement (in the fund statements) is upon determination of financial position and changes in financial position (sources, uses, and balances of financial resources) rather than upon net income. The following is a description of the governmental funds of the District.

- a. **General fund** is the general operating fund of the District. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.
- b. **Special revenue** funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for a specific purpose. The special revenue fund is specifically used to account for state and federal grant monies that have been allocated to the District.
- c. **Capital projects** funds are used to account for all financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities. The financial resources are derived from temporary notes or serial bonds. As a Type I School District all debt is borne by the municipality rather than the school district.

Fund Balances - Governmental Funds

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report the following classifications of fund balance:
Nonspendable- includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either not spendable in form or are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted - includes amounts restricted by external sources (creditors, laws of other governments, etc.) or by constitutional provision or enabling legislation.

Committed - includes amounts that can only be used for specific purposes. Committed fund balance is reported pursuant to resolutions passed by the Board of Education, the District's highest level of decision making authority. Commitments may be modified or rescinded only through resolutions approved by the Board of Education.

Assigned - includes amounts that the District intends to use for a specific purpose, but do not meet the definition of restricted or committed fund balance. Under the District's policy, amounts may be assigned by the Business Administrator.

Unassigned - includes amounts that have not been assigned to other funds or restricted, committed or assigned to a specific purpose within the General Fund. The District reports all amounts that meet the unrestricted General Fund Balance Policy described below as unassigned:

The details of the fund balances are included in the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet. When an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available, the District considers restricted funds to have been spent first. When an expenditure is incurred for which committed, assigned, or unassigned fund balance are available, the District considers amounts to have been spent first out of committed funds, then assigned funds, and finally unassigned funds, as needed.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

2. Proprietary Funds:

The focus of proprietary fund measurement is upon determination of operating income, changes in net position, financial position, and cash flows. The generally accepted accounting principles applicable are those similar to businesses in the private sector. The following is a description of the proprietary funds of the District:

- a. **Enterprise funds** are required to be used to account for operations for which a fee is charged to external users for goods or services and the activity (a) is financed with debt that is solely secured by a pledge of the net revenues, (b) has third party requirements that the cost of providing services, including capital costs, be recovered with fees and charges or (c) establishes fees and charges based on a pricing policy designated to recover similar costs. The District's enterprise funds consist of a food service fund and an after school program.

3. Fiduciary Funds:

Fiduciary funds are used to report assets held in a trustee or agency capacity for others and therefore are not available to support District programs. The reporting focus is on net position and changes in net position, and are reported using accounting principles similar to proprietary funds.

The District's fiduciary funds are presented in the fiduciary fund financial statements by type (pension, private purpose and agency). Since by definition these assets are being held for the benefit of a third party (other local governments, private parties, pension participants, etc.) and cannot be used to address activities or obligations of the government, these funds are not incorporated into the government-wide statements. All fund internal activity is eliminated when carried to the Government-wide statements.

D. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

Basis of accounting refers to the point at which revenues or expenditures/expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements. It relates to the timing of the measurements made regardless of the measurement focus applied.

Accrual:

Both governmental and business-type activities in the government-wide financial statements and the proprietary and fiduciary fund financial statements are presented on the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recognized when incurred.

Modified Accrual:

The governmental fund financial statements are presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recorded when susceptible to accrual; i.e., both measurable and available. "Available" means collectible within the current period or within 60 days after year end. Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related liability is incurred. The exception to this general rule is that principal and interest on general obligation long-term debt, if any, is recognized when due.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

FINANCIAL STATEMENT AMOUNTS

Cash and Cash Equivalents:

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

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

Additionally, the District has adopted a cash management plan that requires it to deposit public funds in public depositories protected from loss under the provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act ("GUDPA"). GUDPA was enacted in 1970 to protect Governmental Units from a loss of funds on deposit with a failed banking institution in New Jersey.

NJSA 17:9-41 et. seq. establishes the requirements for the security of deposits of governmental units. The statute requires that no governmental unit shall deposit public funds in a public depository unless such funds are secured in accordance with the Act. Public depositories include Savings and Loan institutions, banks (both state and national banks) and savings banks the deposits of which are federally insured. All public depositories must pledge collateral, having a market value at least equal to five percent of the average daily balance of collected public funds, to secure the deposits of Governmental Units. If a public depository fails, the collateral it has pledged, plus the collateral of all other public depositories, is available to pay the full amount of their deposits to the Governmental units.

Investments:

Investments, including deferred compensation and pension funds, are stated at fair value, (quoted market price or the best available estimate). Interest earned on investments in the Capital Projects Fund is recognized as a reserve to pay future debt service or transferred to the general fund.

Inventories:

Inventories in the general fund consist of expendable supplies held for the District's use and are carried at cost using the first-in, first-out method. Inventories in the enterprise fund are valued at cost, which approximates market, using the first-in, first-out method. The value of Federal donated commodities is the difference between market value and cost of the commodities at the date of purchase and was included as an item of non-operating revenue in the financial statements. The value of commodities included in the food inventory on June 30, 2020 is \$2,499.

As of June 30, 2020, the District did not have inventory in the general fund and had the following inventory in the enterprise fund:

Food	\$ 4,188
Supplies	<u>1,835</u>
Total	<u>\$ 6,023</u>

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Capital:

Capital assets purchased or acquired with an original cost of \$2,000 or more are reported at historical cost or estimated historical cost. Contributed assets are reported at fair market value as of the date received. Additions, improvements and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset are capitalized. Other costs incurred for repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred. Depreciation on all assets is provided on the straight-line basis over the following estimated useful lives:

Buildings	10-50 years
Machinery and equipment	5-20 years
Improvements	10-20 years

Infrastructure assets include roads, parking lots, underground pipe, etc. The District includes all infrastructure assets as depreciable assets in the financial statements.

Revenues:

Substantially all governmental fund revenues are accrued. Property taxes are susceptible to accrual and under New Jersey State Statutes a municipality is required to remit to its school district the entire balance of taxes in the amount voted upon or certified, prior to the end of the school year. The District records the entire approved tax levy as revenue (accrued) at the start of the fiscal year, since the revenue is both measurable and available. Subsidies and grants to proprietary funds, which finance either capital or current operations, are reported as non operating revenue. In respect to grant revenues, the provider recognizes liabilities and expenses and the recipient recognizes receivables and revenue when the applicable eligibility requirements, including time requirements are met. Resources transmitted before eligibility requirements are met are reported as advances by the provider and deferred revenue by the recipient. Program revenues, including tuition revenue are reported as reductions to expenses in the statement of activities.

Expenditures:

Expenses are recognized when the related fund liability is incurred. Inventory costs are reported in the period when inventory items are used, rather than in the period purchased.

Compensated absences:

Compensated absences are those absences for which employees will be paid, such as vacation, sick leave, and sabbatical leave. A liability for compensated absences that are attributable to services already rendered, and that are not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the District and its employees, is accrued as the employees earn the rights to the benefits. Compensated absences that relate to future services, or that are contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the District and its employees, are accounted for in the period in which such services are rendered or in which such events take place. In governmental and similar trust funds, compensated absences that are expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources are reported as an expenditure and fund liability in the fund that will pay for the compensated absences. The remainder of the compensated absences liability is reported in the District-wide Financial Statements as a Governmental Activity. In proprietary and similar trust funds, compensated absences are recorded as an expense and liability of the fund that will pay for them.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Interfund Activity:

Interfund activity is reported as either loans, services provided, reimbursements or transfers. Loans are reported as interfund receivables and payables as appropriate and are subject to elimination upon consolidation. Services provided, deemed to be at market or near market rates, are treated as revenues and expenditures/expenses. Reimbursements are when one fund incurs a cost, charges the appropriate benefiting fund and reduces its related costs as reimbursement. All other interfund transactions are treated as transfers. Transfers between governmental or proprietary funds are netted as part of the reconciliation to the government-wide financial statements.

Budgets/Budgetary Control:

Annual appropriated budgets are prepared in the spring of each year for the general and special revenue funds. The budgets are submitted to the county office for approval by the board of school estimates. Budgets are prepared using the modified accrual basis of accounting, except for the special revenue fund as described later. The legal level of budgetary control is established at line item accounts within each fund. Line item accounts are defined as the lowest (most specific) level of detail as established pursuant to the minimum chart of accounts referenced in N.J.A.C. 6:23-2(g). Transfers of appropriations may be made by School Board resolution at any time during the fiscal year and are subject to two-thirds majority vote by the School Board and under certain circumstances require approval by the County Superintendent of Schools.

The following are the major transfers made during the year.

	<u>To</u>	<u>From</u>
Salaries of Teachers		
Kindergarten	\$ 91,950	
Grades 1-5		\$ 40,781
Grades 6-8		91,951
Basic Skills/Remedial - Salaries of Teachers	24,490	
Tuition to Private Schools		34,015
Student Support Services	91,216	
Transportation - between Home and School - Vendors	44,835	
Required Maintenance for School Facilities	121,038	

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 generally accepted accounting principles with the exception of the legally mandated revenue recognition of the last state aid payment for budgetary purposes only and the special revenue fund as noted below. Encumbrance accounting is also employed as an extension of formal budgetary integration in the governmental fund types. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at fiscal yearend.

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.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Encumbrances

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

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

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

Tuition Payable

Tuition charges for the fiscal years 2018/19 were based on rates established by the receiving district. These rates are subject to change when the actual costs have been determined.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those results.

Allocation of Costs

In the government-wide statement of activities, the District has allocated unallocated benefits to various programs based on the actual expenditures by program.

Pensions

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 Teachers Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) and Public Employee Retirement System (PERS) and additions to/deductions from the fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the TPAF and PERS. 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.

The School District has adopted the following GASB statements:

- GASB No. 83 - *Certain Asset Retirement Obligations*: This Statement addresses accounting and financial reporting for certain asset retirement obligations (AROs). The requirements of Statement will be effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2018. The adoption of GASB 83 is not expected to impact the financial statements of the School District.

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NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

The School District has adopted the following GASB statements:

- GASB Statement - No. 95 – *Postponement of the Effective Dates of Certain Authoritative Guidance*: The primary objective of this Statement is to provide temporary relief to governments and other stakeholders in light of the COVID-19 pandemic. The requirements of this Statement are effective immediately. Management is evaluating the potential impact of the adoption of GASB 95 on the School District's financial statements.

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

- GASB No. 84 - *Fiduciary Activities*: 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. The requirements of Statement will be effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2019. The Board is evaluating the potential impact of the adoption of GASB 84 on the School District's financial statements.
- GASB No. 87 - *Leases*: 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. The requirements of Statement will be effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2021. The Board is evaluating the potential impact of the adoption of GASB 87 on the School District's financial statements.
- GASB No. 89 - *Accounting for Interest Cost Incurred before the End of a Construction Period*: 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. The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2020. Management is evaluating the potential impact of the adoption of GASB 89 on the School District's financial statements.
- GASB Statement - No. 90 - *Majority Equity Interests—an amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 61*: The primary objectives of this Statement are to improve the consistency and comparability of reporting a government's majority equity interest in a legally separate organization and to improve the relevance of financial statement information for certain component units. The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2019. Management is evaluating the potential impact of the adoption of GASB 90 on the School District's financial statements.
- GASB Statement - No. 91 – *Conduit Debt Obligations*: The primary objectives of this Statement are to provide a single method of reporting conduit debt obligations by issuers and eliminate diversity in practice associated with (1) commitments extended by issuers, (2) arrangements associated with conduit debt obligations, and (3) related note disclosures. The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2021. Management is evaluating the potential impact of the adoption of GASB 91 on the School District's financial statements.
- GASB Statement - No. 92 – *Omnibus 2020*: The objectives of this Statement are to enhance comparability in accounting and financial reporting and to improve the consistency of authoritative literature by addressing practice issues that have been identified during implementation and application of certain GASB Statements. The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2021. Management is evaluating the potential impact of the adoption of GASB 92 on the School District's financial statements.

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NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

The School District has adopted the following GASB statements:

- GASB Statement - No. 93 – *Replacement of Interbank Offered Rates*: The objective of this Statement is to address those and other accounting and financial reporting implications that result from the replacement of an IBOR. The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2021. Management is evaluating the potential impact of the adoption of GASB 93 on the School District's financial statements.
- GASB Statement - No. 94 – *Public-Private and Public-Public Partnerships and Availability Payment Arrangements*: The primary objective of this Statement is to improve financial reporting by addressing issues related to public-private and public-public partnership arrangements (PPPs). The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2022. Management is evaluating the potential impact of the adoption of GASB 94 on the School District's financial statements.
- GASB Statement - No. 96 – *Subscription-Based Information Technology Arrangements*: This Statement provides guidance on the accounting and financial reporting for subscription-based information technology arrangements (SBITAs) for government end users (governments). The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2022. Management is evaluating the potential impact of the adoption of GASB 96 on the School District's financial statements.
- GASB Statement - No. 97 – *Certain Component Unit Criteria, and Accounting and Financial Reporting for Internal Revenue Code Section 457 Deferred Compensation Plans - an amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 84, and a supersession of GASB Statement No. 32*: The primary objectives of this Statement are to (1) increase consistency and comparability related to the reporting of fiduciary component units; (2) mitigate costs associated with the reporting of certain defined contribution pension plans, defined contribution other postemployment benefit (OPEB) plans, and employee benefit plans other than pension plans or OPEB plans (other employee benefit plans); and (3) enhance the relevance, consistency, and comparability of the accounting and financial reporting for Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 457 deferred compensation plans (Section 457 plans). The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2021. Management is evaluating the potential impact of the adoption of GASB 97 on the School District's financial statements.

NOTE 2. INVESTMENTS

As of June 30, 2020, the District had no investments, other than the New Jersey ARM account.

Interest Rate Risk

The District does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates. However, New Jersey Statutes 18A:20-37 limits the length of time for most investments to 397 days.

Credit Risk

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

Concentration of Credit Risk

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

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NOTE 3. CASH

As of June 30, 2020, cash and cash equivalents in the fund financial statements of the District consisted of the following:

	<u>Cash and</u> <u>Equivalents</u>
Checking Accounts	\$ 1,650,407
Savings and Investment Accts	3,282,622
Total	<u>\$ 4,933,029</u>

Custodial Credit Risk- Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of a bank failure, the District's deposits may not be recovered. Although the District does not have a formal policy regarding custodial credit risk, NJSA 17:9-41 t seq. requires that the governmental units shall deposit public funds in public depositories protected from loss under the provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act (GUDPA). GUDPA is a supplemental insurance program set forth by the New Jersey Legislature to protect the deposits of local government agencies. The program is administered by the Commissioner of the NJ Department of Banking and Insurance. Under the Act, the first \$250,000 of governmental deposits in each insured depository is protected by FDIC. Funds owned by the District in excess of FDIC insured amounts are protected by GUDPA. The District does not place a limit on the amount that may be invested in any one issuer. As of June 30, 2020, the District's bank balance of \$6,023,208 was insured or collateralized as follows:

Insured by Depository Insurance	\$ 500,000
Uninsured and collateralized by GUDPA by pledging financial institutions	<u>5,523,208</u>
Total	<u>\$ 6,023,208</u>

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NOTE 4. FIXED ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended June 30, 2020 was as follows:

	Balance 7/1/2019	Additions	Transfer	Balance 6/30/2020
Governmental activities:				
Capital Assets That Are Not Being Depreciated:				
Land	\$ 100,000	\$	\$	\$ 100,000
Construction in progress	3,613,898	3,047,133		6,661,031
Total capital assets not being depreciated	3,713,898	3,047,133		6,761,031
Building and building improvements	32,504,357	1,249,681		33,754,038
Machinery & equipment	807,289	12,008		819,297
Totals at historical cost	33,311,646	1,261,689		34,573,335
Total Cost Basis	37,025,544	4,308,822		41,334,366
Less accumulated depreciation for :				
Building and improvements	(16,421,721)	(1,135,835)		(17,557,556)
Machinery & equipment	(618,700)	(64,653)		(683,353)
Total accumulated depreciation	(17,040,421)	(1,200,488)		(18,240,909)
Government activities capital assets, net	\$ 19,985,123	\$ 3,108,334	\$	\$ 23,093,457
 Business-type activities:				
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Equipment	\$ 178,211	\$	\$	\$ 178,211
Less accumulated depreciation for :				
Equipment	(135,502)	(7,401)		(142,903)
Business-type activities capital assets, net	\$ 42,709	\$ (7,401)	\$	\$ 35,308

* Depreciation expense was charged to governmental functions as follows:

Regular Instruction	\$ 416,497
Special Education	95,871
Other Special Instruction	19,292
Instruction	434,241
Student & Instruction Related Services	126,015
School Administration Expenses	35,378
General & Business Administration	44,898
Business & Other Support Services	28,296
Total Depreciation Expense	\$ 1,200,488

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NOTE 5. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

Long-term obligation activity for the year ended June 30, 2020 was as follows:

	Beginning			Ending		Amounts	
	Balance			Balance	Due within	Long-Term	
	7/1/19	Additions	Reductions	6/30/20	One Year	Portion	
Governmental Activities:							
Obligations under Capital Lease	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Compensated Absences Payable	233,151	20,191		253,342	42,571	210,771	
Net Pension Liability	2,891,238	311,540		3,202,778		3,202,778	
	<u>\$ 3,124,389</u>	<u>\$ 331,731</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 3,456,120</u>	<u>\$ 42,571</u>	<u>\$ 3,413,549</u>	
Business-Type Activities:							
Compensated Absences Payable	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	

A. **Bonds Payable**- The City of Ventnor School District is a Type I School District. In the State of New Jersey, all Type I school debt is borne by the municipality rather than the school district.

On July 12, 2018, the City of Ventnor adopted a capital ordinance for the purpose of providing Various Capital Improvements and Equipment for the Ventnor City Schools in the amount of \$9,315,071, of which \$4,280,841 is receivable from the City of Ventnor, as of June 30, 2020. The expenditures against this Bond Ordinance are shown on Exhibit F-2B.

B. **Capital Leases**- The district entered into a Land Lease on June 27, 2014 for \$2,100,000.00. The lease is for a term of five years and includes interest at a rate of 1.6114%. The proceeds were used as the Districts share of the ROD grants. This lease was paid off as of June 30, 2018.

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS

Description of Plans - Eligible employees of the School District can be covered by Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS), Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF), or Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP). PERS and TPAF are administered by the New Jersey Division of Pension and Benefits (NJDPB) and the DCRP is jointly administered by Prudential and NJDPB. The NJDPB issues publicly available financial reports that include financial statements and required supplementary information for the systems. These reports may be obtained online at <https://www.nj.gov/treasury/pensions/financial-reports.shtml>.

Public Employees' Retirement System

The PERS is a cost sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that was established in 1955. The PERS provides retirement, death and disability, and medical benefits to qualified members. The vesting and benefit provisions for PERS are set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A. All benefits vest after ten years of service, except for medical benefits that vest after 25 years of service or under the disability provisions of PERS.

Service retirement benefits of 1/55th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tiers 1 and 2 members upon reaching age 60 and to tier 3 members upon reaching age 62. Service retirement benefits of 1/60th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tier 4 members upon reaching age 62 and tier 5 members upon reaching age 65. Early retirement benefits are available to tiers 1 and 2 members before reaching age 60, tiers 3 and 4 with 25 years or more of service credit before age 62, and tier 5 with 30 years or more 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 10 years of service credit and have not reached the service retirement age for the respective tier.

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NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS

Public Employees' Retirement System (Continued)

The following represents the membership tiers for PERS (Continued):

Tier	Definition
1	Members who are 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.

Contributions - The contribution policy is set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A and requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. Plan member and employer contributions may be amended by State of New Jersey legislation. The PERS member total contribution rate as of July 1, 2019 was 7.5% of base salary. The District employees' contributions for the year ended June 30, 2020 were 86,338. Employers in PERS are required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate which includes funding for cost-of-living adjustments, noncontributory death benefits, and post-retirement medical premiums. The PERS employer rate due in 2020 is 13.69% of covered payroll. The District is billed annually for its normal contribution plus any accrued liability. These contributions were paid by the District and equal to the required contributions for each year. The District's contributions to PERS for the years ended June 30, 2020, and 2019, were \$173,827 and \$146,659 respectively.

The total payroll for the year ended June 30, 2020 was \$9,326,610. Payroll covered by PERS was \$1,151,172 for fiscal year 2020.

Components of Net Pension Liability - At June 30, 2020, the District's proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability was \$3,202,778. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2019. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the District's actual contributions to the plan relative to the total of all participating employers' contributions for the year ended June 30, 2019. The District's proportion measured as of June 30, 2019 was 0.017775% which was an increase of 0.00309% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2018.

Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources - The District's 2020 PERS pension expense, with respect to GASB 68, was \$262,276. The District's 2020 deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources were from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 57,486	\$ 14,148
Changes of assumptions	319,809	1,111,674
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	-	50,557
Changes in proportion	588,781	118,181
Contributions subsequent to the measurement date	173,827	
Total	\$ 1,139,903	\$ 1,294,560

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NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

Public Employees' Retirement System (Continued)

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year	PERS
2021	\$ (67,654)
2022	(207,748)
2023	(100,439)
2024	38,668
2025	8,689
Thereafter	
Total	\$ (328,484)

Additional Information - Collective Balances at June 30, 2020 and 2019 are as follows:

Year	2020	2019
Collective deferred outflows of resources	\$ 1,139,903	\$ 753,656
Collective deferred inflows of resources	\$ 1,294,560	\$ 1,157,644
Collective Net Pension Liability	\$ 3,202,778	\$ 2,891,239
District's Proportion	0.017775%	0.014684%

Actuarial Assumptions - The total pension liability for the June 30, 2019 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2018, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2019. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

	PERS
Investment Rate of Return	7.00%
Salary Scale (Based on Age):	
Through 2026	2.00% - 6.00%
Thereafter	3.00% - 7.00%
Inflation Rate – Price	2.75%
Inflation Rate – Wage	3.25%

Pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Employee mortality table with an 82.2% adjustment for males and 101.4% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Healthy Retiree mortality table with a 91.4% adjustment for males and 99.7% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Disability retirement rates used to value disabled retirees were based on the Pub-2010 Non-Safety Disabled Retiree mortality table with a 127.7% adjustment for males and 117.2% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Mortality improvement is based on Scale MP-2019.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2018 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2018.

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NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

Public Employees' Retirement System (Continued)

Long-Term Expected Rate of Return – In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7.00% at June 30, 2019) 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 the actuaries. The long-term expected rate of return was determined using a building block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic rates of return for each major asset class included in PERS's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2019 are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	PERS Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Risk Mitigation Strategies	3.00%	4.67%
Cash Equivalents	5.00%	2.00%
U.S. Treasuries	5.00%	2.68%
Investment Grade Credit	10.00%	4.25%
High Yield	2.00%	5.37%
Private Credit	6.00%	7.92%
Real Assets	2.50%	9.31%
Real Estate	7.50%	8.33%
U.S. Equity	28.00%	8.26%
Non-U.S. Developed Markets Equity	12.50%	9.00%
Emerging Markets Equity	6.50%	11.37%
Private Equity	12.00%	10.85%
Total	100.00%	

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 6.28% as of June 30, 2019. This single blended discount rate was based on the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.00% and a municipal bond rate of 3.50% as of June 30, 2019 based on the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index, which includes tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers will be based on 70% of the actuarially determined contributions for the State employer and 100% of actuarially determined contributions for the local employers. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make projected future benefit payments of current plan members through 2057. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to projected benefit payments through 2057 and the municipal bond rate was applied to projected benefit payments after that date in determining the total pension liability.

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NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

Public Employees' Retirement System (Continued)

Sensitivity of the Collective Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate - The following presents the collective net pension liability of the participating employers as of June 30, 2019, calculated using the discount rate as disclosed above, as well as what the collective net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher than the current rate:

	1% Decrease (5.28%)	Current Discount (6.28%)	1% Increase (7.28%)
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$ <u>4,073,773</u>	\$ <u>3,202,778</u>	\$ <u>2,509,897</u>

Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund

The State of New Jersey Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) is a cost sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan with a special funding situation that was established in 1955. As under current statute, all employer contributions are made by the State of New Jersey on behalf of the District and the system's other related non-contributing employers. Membership is mandatory for substantially all teachers or members of the professional staff certified by the State Board of Examiners, and employees of the Department of Education who have titles that are unclassified, professional and certified.

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. 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 represents the membership tiers for TPAF:

Tier	Definition
1	Members who are 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.

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

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NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (Continued)

Contributions - The contribution policy is set by N.J.S.A. 18A:66 and requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. The member contribution rate was 7.5% in as of July 1, 2019. 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. Funding for noncontributory group insurance benefits is based on actual claims paid. For fiscal year 2019, the State's pension contribution was less than the actuarial determined amount. Under current statute, all employer contributions are made by the State of New Jersey on-behalf of the District and all other related non-contributing employers. No normal or accrued liability contribution by the District has been required over several preceding fiscal years. These on-behalf contributions by the State of New Jersey are considered a special funding situation, under the definition of GASB 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions. The District was not required to make any contributions to the pension plan during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2020 because of the 100% special funding situation with the State of New Jersey.

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2020, the State of New Jersey contributed \$1,383,732 to the TPAF for pension contributions, \$513,339 for post-retirement benefits on behalf of the School, and \$391 for long-term disability. Also, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:66-66 the State of New Jersey reimbursed the District \$513,987 during the year ended June 30, 2020 for the employer's share of social security contributions for TPAF members, as calculated on their base salaries.

Components of Net Pension Liability - At June 30, 2020, the District was not required to report a liability for its proportionate share of the net pension liability because of a 100% reduction for State of New Jersey pension support provided to the District.

Pension Expense - For the year ended June 30, 2020, the District recognized pension expense of \$2,351,098 and revenue of \$2,351,098 for support provided by the State.

Actuarial Assumptions - The total pension liability for the June 30, 2019 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2018, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2019. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

	<u>TPAF</u>
Investment Rate of Return	7.00%
Salary Scale (Based on Age):	
Through 2026	1.55% - 4.45%
Thereafter	2.75% - 5.65%
Inflation Rate – Price	2.75%
Inflation Rate – Wage	3.25%

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NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (Continued)

Long-Term Expected Rate of Return - Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in TPAF's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2019 are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	TPAF Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Risk Mitigation Strategies	3.00%	4.67%
Cash Equivalents	5.00%	2.00%
U.S. Treasuries	5.00%	2.68%
Investment Grade Credit	10.00%	4.25%
High Yield	2.00%	5.37%
Private Credit	6.00%	7.92%
Real Assets	2.50%	9.31%
Real Estate	7.50%	8.33%
U.S. Equity	28.00%	8.26%
Non-U.S. Developed Markets Equity	12.50%	9.00%
Emerging Markets Equity	6.50%	11.37%
Private Equity	12.00%	10.85%
Total	100.00%	

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 5.60% as of June 30, 2019. This single blended discount rate was based on the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.00% and a municipal bond rate of 3.50% as of June 30, 2019 based on the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index, which includes tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers will be based on 70% of the actuarially determined contributions for the State. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make projected future benefit payments of current plan members through 2054. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to projected benefit payments through 2054 and the municipal bond rate was applied to projected benefit payments after that date in determining the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the Collective Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate - The following presents the collective net pension liability of the participating employers as of June 30, 2020, calculated using the discount rate as disclosed above, as well as what the collective net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher than the current rate:

	1% Decrease (4.60%)	Current Discount (5.60%)	1% Increase (6.60%)
State's Share of the Net Pension Liability associated with the District	\$ 47,118,228	\$ 39,860,833	\$ 34,015,568
State's Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$ 72,544,649,801	\$ 61,519,112,443	\$ 52,371,397,951

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NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS (CONTINUED)

Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP)

The Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP) is a multiple-employer defined contribution pension fund that was established in 2007 under the provisions of N.J.S.A 43:15C-1. The DCRP provides eligible members with a tax-sheltered, defined contribution retirement benefit, along with life insurance and long-term disability coverage. Vesting and benefit provisions are established by N.J.S.A. 43:15C-1 et seq.

The following represents the individuals eligible for membership in the DCRP:

Eligibility

1. State or Local Officials who are elected or appointed on or after July 1, 2007
2. Employees enrolled in the PERS or TPAF on or after July 1, 2007, who earn salary in excess of established "maximum compensation" limits
3. Employees enrolled in the PFRS or SPRS after May 21, 2010, who earn salary in excess of established "maximum compensation" limits
4. Employees otherwise eligible to enroll in the PERS or TPAF on or after November 2, 2008, who do not earn the minimum annual salary for PERS or TPAF Tier 3 enrollment but who earn salary of at least \$5,000 annually
5. Employees otherwise eligible to enroll in the PERS or TPAF after May 21, 2010, who do not work the minimum number of hours per week required for PERS or TPAF Tier 4 or Tier 5 enrollment but who earn salary of at least \$5,000 annually

Contributions – The contribution policy is set by N.J.S.A 43:15C-3 and requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. Plan members are required to contribute 5.5% of their base salary and the District's employer match is an additional 3% contribution. For the year ended June 30, 2020, employee contributions totaled \$14,500 and the District's employer contribution, recognized in pension expense, was \$11,548. There were no forfeitures during the fiscal year.

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Detailed information about each pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued New Jersey Division of Pension and Benefits financial report. Information on where to obtain the report is indicated at the beginning of this note.

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NOTE 7. POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (OPEB)

General Information about the OPEB Plan

The State of New Jersey reports a liability as a result of its statutory requirements to pay other postemployment (health) benefits for State Health Benefit Local Education Retired Employees Plan. The State Health Benefit Local Education Retired Employees Plan is a multiple-employer defined benefit OPEB plan that is administered on a pay-as-you-go basis. Accordingly, no assets are accumulated in a qualifying trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for the Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions. The State Health Benefit Local Education Retired Employees Plan provides medical, prescription drug, and Medicare Part B reimbursement to retirees and their covered dependents of local education employers.

The employer contributions for the participating local education employers are legally required to be funded by the State of New Jersey in accordance with N.J.S.A 52:14-17.32f. According to N.J.S.A 52:14- 17.32f, the State provides employer-paid coverage to employees who retire from a board of education or county college with 25 years or more of service credit in, or retires on a disability pension from, one or more of the following plans: the Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF), the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS), the Police and Firemen Retirement System (PFRS), or the Alternate Benefit Program (ABP). 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.

The total nonemployer OPEB liability does not include certain other postemployment benefit obligations that are provided by the local education employers. The reporting of these benefits are the responsibility of the individual local education employers.

Special Funding Situation

The participating local education employer allocations included in the supplemental schedule of special funding amounts by employer are provided as each local education employer is required to record in their financial statements, as an expense and corresponding revenue, their respective amount of total OPEB expense attributable to the State of New Jersey under the special funding situation and to include their respective amount of total OPEB liability in their notes to their financial statements. The total OPEB liability and service cost for each employer was determined separately based on actual data for each employer's participants.

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NOTE 7. POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (OPEB) (Continued)

Total OPEB Liability

The State of New Jersey's total OPEB liability, as of the measurement date of June 30, 2019, was \$41,729,081,045. Of this amount, the total OPEB liability attributable to the School District was \$25,233,698. The State of New Jersey's proportionate share of the total OPEB liability is 100%, including the proportion attributable to the School District of 0.06047%. The total OPEB liability for the School District measured as of June 30, 2019 is zero as a result of the Special Funding Situation with the State of New Jersey. The School District's proportionate share of the total OPEB liability measured as of June 30, 2019 is 0.00%. Accordingly, the School District did not recognize any portion of the collective net OPEB liability on the Statement of Net Position.

Total Nonemployer OPEB Liability

The total nonemployer OPEB liability as of June 30, 2019 was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2018, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2019. The actuarial assumptions vary for each plan member depending on the pension plan the member is enrolled in. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

	TPAF/ABP	PERS	PFRS
Inflation Rate	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%
	Based on	Based on	Based on
Salary Increases:	Service Years	Age	Age
Through 2026	1.55% - 3.05%	2.00% - 6.00%	3.25% - 15.25%
Thereafter	1.55% - 3.05%	3.00% - 7.00%	Applied to all future years

Preretirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Healthy "Teachers" (TPAF/ABP), "General" (PERS), and "Safety" (PFRS) classification headcount-weighted mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using Scale MP-2019. Postretirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 "General" classification headcount-weighted mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using Scale MP-2019. Disability mortality was based on the Pub-2010 "General" classification headcount-weighted disabled mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using Scale MP-2019.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2018 valuation were based on the results of actuarial experience studies for the periods July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2018, July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2018, and July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2018 for TPAF, PERS and PFRS, respectively.

Health Care Trend Assumptions

For pre-Medicare medical benefits, the trend rate is initially 5.7% and decreases to a 4.5% long-term trend rate after eight years. For post-65 medical benefits, the actual fully-insured Medicare Advantage trend rate for fiscal year 2020 are reflected. The assumed post-65 medical trend is 4.5% for all future years. For prescription drug benefits, the initial trend rate is 7.5% and decreases to a 4.5% long-term trend rate after eight years. For the Medicare Part B reimbursement, the trend rate is 5.0%.

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NOTE 7. POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (OPEB) (Continued)

Discount rate

The discount rate for June 30, 2019 was 3.50%. This 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

State of New Jersey	Total OPEB Liability
Balance as of June 30, 2018 Measurement Date	\$ <u>46,110,832,982</u>
Changes for the year:	
Service Cost	1,734,404,850
Interest	1,827,787,206
Changes of Benefit Terms	
Differences between Expected and Actual	(7,323,140,818)
Changes of Assumptions	622,184,027
Benefit Payments	(1,280,958,373)
Contributions from Members	37,971,171
Net Changes	<u>(4,381,751,937)</u>
Balance as of June 30, 2019 Measurement Date	\$ <u>41,729,081,045</u>

Sensitivity of Total Nonemployer OPEB Liability to changes in the discount rate:

The following presents the total nonemployer OPEB liability as of June 30, 2019, respectively, calculated using the discount rate as disclosed above as well as what the total nonemployer OPEB liability would be if it was calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower or 1-percentage point higher than the current rate:

June 30, 2019		
At 1.00% Decrease	At Discount Rate	At 1.00% Increase
2.50%	3.50%	4.50%
\$ 49,298,534,898	41,729,081,045	35,716,321,820

Sensitivity of Total Nonemployer OPEB Liability to changes in the healthcare trend rate:

The following presents the total nonemployer OPEB liability as of June 30, 2019, calculated using the healthcare trend rate as disclosed above as well as what the total nonemployer OPEB liability would be if it was calculated using a healthcare trend rate that is 1- percentage point lower or 1-percentage point higher than the current rate:

June 30, 2019		
1.00% Decrease	Healthcare Cost Trend Rate	1.00% Increase
\$ 34,832,902,820	41,729,081,045	51,453,912,586

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NOTE 7. POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (OPEB) (Continued)

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

For the year ended June 30, 2020, the School District recognized OPEB expense of \$433,484. The School District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Differences Between Expected and Actual Experience	\$	\$ 6,340,289
Changes of Assumptions		5,128,806
Net difference Between Projected and Actual Earnings on OPEB Plan Investments		
Changes in Proportion	209,816	
Contributions Subsequent to the Measurement Date		
Total	\$ 209,816	\$ 11,469,095

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows.

Measurement Period Ending June 30,		OPEB
2020	\$	(1,513,370)
2021		(1,513,370)
2022		(1,513,370)
2023		(1,513,370)
2024		(1,513,370)
Thereafter		(3,692,429)
Total	\$	(11,259,279)

NOTE 8. RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters.

Property and Liability Insurance- The District maintains commercial insurance coverage for property, liability and surety bonds. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019 the District did not incur claims in excess of their coverage and the amount of coverage did not significantly decrease

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NOTE 9. COMPENSATED ABSENCES

The District accounts for compensated absences (e.g. unused vacation, sick leave) as directed by Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 16 (GASB 16), "Accounting for Compensated Absences". A liability for compensated absences attributable to services already rendered and not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the employer and employee is accrued as employees earn the rights to the benefits.

District employees are granted varying amounts of vacation and sick leave in accordance with the District's personnel policies. In the event of termination, an employee is reimbursed for accumulated vacation. Sick leave benefits provide for ordinary sick pay and begin vesting with the employee and are capped based on the terms stated in the various contracts.

In the District-wide Statement of Net Position, the liabilities whose average maturities are greater than one year should be reported in two components - the amount due within one year and the amount due in more than one year.

The liability for vested compensated absences of the governmental fund types is recorded in the general long-term debt account group. The current portion of the compensated absence balance is not considered material to the applicable funds total liabilities, and is therefore not shown separately from the long-term liability balance of compensated absences.

NOTE 10. DEFERRED COMPENSATION

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

Lincoln Investment Planning
GWN Securities
Syracusa
Amerprise
Metlife Associates
Prudential
AXA Equitable
Great American

NOTE 11. ECONOMIC DEPENDENCY

The District is heavily reliant on local property taxation through the City of Ventnor to fund the District's operations. Property taxes funded 71.12% of the Districts 2019-2020 governmental operations.

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NOTE 12. INTERFUND RECEIVABLES AND PAYABLES

The following interfund balances remained on the balance sheet at June 30, 2020:

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Interfund Receivable</u>	<u>Interfund Payable</u>
General Fund	\$ 217,697	\$
Special Revenue Fund		86,433
Capital Projects Fund		106,109
Food Service Fund		25,155
Total	\$ 217,697	\$ 217,697

Interfunds were created throughout the year due to short term borrowings to cover cash flow needs in the various funds. It is anticipated that all interfunds will be liquidated during the fiscal year. All governmental fund interfunds are eliminated in the governmental-wide statements, except for Due from Agency, which is a Fiduciary Fund.

NOTE 13. MAINTENANCE RESERVE ACCOUNT

A maintenance reserve account was established by the Ventnor City Board of Education for the accumulation of funds for use as required maintenance expenditures in subsequent fiscal years. The maintenance reserve account is maintained in the general fund and its activity is included in the general fund annual budget.

The activity of the Maintenance reserve for the July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020 fiscal year is as follows:

Beginning Balance, July 1, 2019	\$ 209,850
Interest Earnings added	100
Withdrawals:	
Per Approved Budget	_____
Ending Balance, June 30, 2020	<u>\$ 209,950</u>

NOTE 14. CAPITAL RESERVE ACCOUNT

A capital reserve account was established by Ventnor City Board of Education for the accumulation of funds for capital outlay expenditures in subsequent fiscal years. The capital reserve account is maintained in the general fund and its activity is included in the general fund annual budget.

Funds placed in the capital reserve account are restricted to capital projects in the district's approved Long Range Facilities Plan (LRFP). 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. 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- 2.13(g) 7, the balance in the account cannot at any time exceed the local support costs of uncompleted capital projects in its approved LRFP.

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NOTE 14. CAPITAL RESERVE ACCOUNT (Continued)

The activity of the capital reserve account for the July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020 fiscal year is as follows:

Beginning Balance July 1, 2019	\$	720,090
Interest Earnings		500
Withdrawn		<u>(173,802)</u>
Ending Balance June 30, 2020	\$	<u>546,788</u>

NOTE 15. FUND BALANCE APPROPRIATED

General Fund – Of the \$4,402,046 General Fund Balance at June 30, 2020, \$135,703 is reserved for encumbrances; \$2,428,893 is reserved as excess surplus in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:7F-7 (\$1,046,031 of the total reserve for excess surplus has been appropriated and included as anticipated revenue for the year ending June 30, 2021); \$209,950 has been reserved in the Maintenance Reserve Account, of which \$199,240 has been appropriated and also included as anticipated revenue for the year ending June 30, 2021; \$720,590 has been reserved in the Capital Reserve Account, of which \$173,802 has been appropriated and also included as anticipated revenue for the year ending June 30, 2021 \$500,000 has been reserved in the Tuition Reserve Account, \$91,968 has been appropriated and included as anticipated revenue for the year ending June 30, 2021 and \$314,942 is unrestricted and undesignated.

NOTE 16. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Accounts receivable at June 30, 2020 consisted of accounts (fees) and intergovernmental grants. All receivables are considered collectable in full due to the stable condition of state programs and the current fiscal year guarantee of federal funds. Accounts receivable as of fiscal year-end for the School District's individual major and fiduciary funds, in the aggregate, are as follows:

Receivables:	General Fund	Special Revenue Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Proprietary Funds	Total
Intergovernmental	\$ 119,210	\$ 386,746	\$	\$ 5,735	\$ 511,691
Other			4,280,841		4,280,841
Totals	<u>\$ 119,210</u>	<u>\$ 386,746</u>	<u>\$ 4,280,841</u>	<u>\$ 5,735</u>	<u>\$ 4,792,532</u>

NOTE 17. CALCULATION OF EXCESS SURPLUS

In accordance with NJSA 18A:7F-7, as amended by P.L. 2004, C.73 (S1701), the designation for Reserved Fund Balance – Excess Surplus is a required calculation. New Jersey school districts are required to reserve General Fund balance at the fiscal year end of June 30 if they did not appropriate a required minimum amount as budgeted fund balance in their subsequent years' budget. The excess fund balance at June 30, 2020 is \$2,428,893, of which \$1,046,031 has been appropriated and included as anticipated revenue for the year ended June 30, 2021 and \$1,382,862 must be budgeted in 2021-22.

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NOTE 18. DEFICIT FUND BALANCES

The District has a deficit fund balance of \$(93,557) in the Special Revenue Fund as of June 30, 2020, as reported in the fund statements (modified accrual basis). N.J.S.A.18A:22-44.2 provides that in the event a state school aid payment is not made until the following school budget year, districts must record the last state aid payment as revenue, for budget purposes only, in the current school budget year. The bill provides legal authority for school districts to recognize this revenue in the current budget year. For intergovernmental transactions, GASB Statement No. 33 requires that recognition (revenue, expenditure, asset, liability) should be in symmetry, i.e., if one government recognizes an asset, the other government recognizes a liability. Since the State is recording the last state aid payment in the subsequent fiscal year, the school district cannot recognize the last state aid payment on the GAAP financial statements until the year the State records the payable. Due to the timing difference of recording the last state aid payment, the Special Revenue Fund balance deficit does not alone indicate that the district is facing financial difficulties.

NOTE 19. LITIGATION

From time to time, the District is a defendant in legal proceedings relating to its operations as a school district. The District is currently involved in one Prompt Payment Act claim involving a company regarding a roof repair project. The District's attorney believes the District has a valid defense but is seeking a negotiated settlement deemed to be immaterial. In the best judgment of the District's management, the outcome of any legal proceedings will not have any adverse effect on the accompanying financial statements.

NOTE 20. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The District has evaluated events through December 23, 2020, the date on which the financial statements were available to be issued and no additional items were noted for disclosure.

End of Notes to Financial Statements

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULES

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GENERAL FUND
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	Original Budget	Budget Amendments/ Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
REVENUES:					
Local Sources:					
Local Tax Levy	\$ 16,400,478	\$	\$ 16,400,478	\$ 16,400,478	\$
Tuition from Individuals				15,366	15,366
Tuition from other LEA's Within the State	\$ 8,610		8,610		(8,610)
Transportation Fees From Other LEAs	287,760		287,760	183,969	(103,791)
Rents	49,200		49,200	48,000	(1,200)
Interest Earned				42,389	42,389
Interest Earned on Capital Reserve	500		500	500	
Interest Earned on Maintenance Reserve	100		100	100	
Miscellaneous				37,873	37,873
Total - Local Sources	16,746,648		16,746,648	16,728,675	(17,973)
State Sources:					
Transportation Aid	417,427		417,427	417,427	
Special Education Aid	701,056		701,056	701,056	
Security Aid	344,749		344,749	344,749	
Adjustment Aid	480,568		480,568	480,568	
Extraordinary Aid				88,834	88,834
Non-Public Transportation				5,110	5,110
On-behalf Pension Contribution				1,383,732	1,383,732
On-behalf TPAF Post Retirement Medical Contribution				513,339	513,339
On-behalf TPAF Long-Term Disability Contribution				391	391
Reimbursement TPAF Social Security				513,987	513,987
Total - State Sources	1,943,800		1,943,800	4,449,193	2,505,393
Federal Sources:					
Medicaid Reimbursement	36,035		36,035	13,180	(22,855)
Total - Federal Sources	36,035		36,035	13,180	(22,855)
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 18,726,483	\$ -	\$ 18,726,483	\$ 21,191,048	\$ 2,464,565
EXPENDITURES:					
Current Expense:					
Instruction - Regular Programs:					
Salaries of Teachers:					
Local Contrib. - Trans to Special Rev-Inclusi	\$ 116,575	\$ -	\$ 116,575	\$ 116,575	\$ -
Preschool	11,020		11,020	1,921	9,099
Kindergarten	242,420	91,950	334,370	333,990	380
Grades 1-5	1,996,638	(40,781)	1,955,857	1,895,996	59,861
Grades 6-8	1,919,281	(91,951)	1,827,330	1,773,802	53,528
Home instruction:					
Salaries of Teachers	6,000		6,000	4,264	1,736
Purchased Prof/Ed Services	5,000		5,000		5,000
Regular Programs - Undistributed - Instruction:					
General Supplies	264,468	(459)	264,009	139,620	124,389
Other Objects	5,840	459	6,299	227	6,072
Total Regular Programs	4,567,242	(40,782)	4,526,460	4,266,395	260,065

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	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Budget Amendments/ Transfers</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)</u>
CURRENT EXPENSES: (Continued)					
Special Education					
Multiple Disabilities:					
Salaries of Teachers	\$ 238,540	\$ (58,885)	179,655	\$ 179,655	\$
Other Salaries for Instruction	113,363	19,665	133,028	133,028	
Purchased Professional - Educational Servic	9,000	450	9,450		9,450
General Supplies	905	(424)	481	436	45
Total Multiple Disabilities	361,808	(39,194)	322,614	313,119	9,495
Resource Room:					
Salaries of Teachers	764,929	78,483	843,412	801,358	42,054
Other Salaries for Instruction	181,953	(55,922)	126,031	113,206	12,825
General Supplies	3,944		3,944	2,501	1,443
Total Resource Room	950,826	22,561	973,387	917,065	56,322
Home Instruction - Special:					
Salaries of Teachers	10,000		10,000		10,000
Total Home Instruction - Special	10,000		10,000		10,000
TOTAL SPECIAL EDUCATION	1,322,634	(16,633)	1,306,001	1,230,184	75,817
Basic Skills/Remedial-Instruction:					
Salaries of Teachers	253,842	41,149	294,991	294,131	860
General Supplies	3,200	1,664	4,864	4,864	
Total Basic Skills/Remedial-Instruction	257,042	42,813	299,855	298,995	860
Bilingual Education-Instruction					
Salaries of Teachers	95,843	11,517	107,360	103,907	3,453
Total Bilingual Education-Instruction	95,843	11,517	107,360	103,907	3,453
School Sponsored Co-curricular Activities:					
Salaries	33,110		33,110	22,667	10,443
Purchased Services (300-500 Series)	500		500	258	242
Supplies and Materials	6,177		6,177	3,621	2,556
Other Objects	2,500		2,500	1,568	932
Total School Sponsored Co-curricular Activities	42,287		42,287	28,114	14,173
School Sponsored Athletics:					
Salaries	26,500		26,500	16,580	9,920
Purchased Services (300-500 Series)	3,000		3,000	2,259	741
Supplies and Materials	6,554		6,554	4,632	1,922
Total School Sponsored Athletics	36,054		36,054	23,471	12,583
Summer School - Instruction:					
Salaries of Teachers	3,525	(1,645)	1,880		1,880
Total Summer School - Instruction	3,525		1,880		1,880
Other Alternate Education Programs - Instruction:					
Salaries of Teachers	2,112	1,645	3,757	3,757	
Total Other Alternate Education Programs - Ins	2,112	1,645	3,757	3,757	
Total Instruction	6,326,739	(3,085)	6,323,654	5,954,823	368,831
Undistributed Expenditures:					
Instruction:					
Tuition - Other LEAs Within the State - Regula	2,643,585	8,466	2,652,051	2,611,162	40,889
Tuition - Other LEAs Within the State - Specia	798,789	(9,576)	789,213	786,531	2,682
Tuition - Co Voc. School Dist. - Regular	304,812		304,812	304,812	
Tuition - Co Voc. School Dist. - Special	7,500		7,500	7,500	
Tuition - CSSD & Regional Day Schools	496,052	37,531	533,583	342,687	190,896
Tuition to Private Schools for the Disabled Wil	374,510	(70,436)	304,074	228,066	76,008
Total Undistributed Expenditures - Instruction	4,625,248	(34,015)	4,591,233	4,280,758	310,475

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GENERAL FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

	Original Budget	Budget Amendments/ Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
CURRENT EXPENDITURES: (Continued)					
Undistributed Expenditures - Attendance and Social Work:					
Salaries	\$ 62,783	\$ 3,365	\$ 66,148	\$ 66,148	\$
Supplies and Materials	150		150		150
Total Undistributed Expenditures - Attendance and Social Work	62,933	3,365	66,298	66,148	150
Health Services:					
Salaries	112,332	343	112,675	111,615	1,060
Purch Prof/ Tech Services	9,697		9,697	9,030	667
Supplies and Materials	5,445		5,445	2,758	2,687
Total Health Services	127,474	343	127,817	123,403	4,414
Speech, OT, PT & Related Services					
Salaries	144,325	4,916	149,241	145,844	3,397
Purchased Professional - Educational Service	30,980	1,092	32,072	16,339	15,733
Total Related Services	175,305	6,008	181,313	162,183	19,130
Other Support Services - Students - Extra Services:					
Salaries	54,745	14,560	69,305	69,305	
Purchased Prof Ed Services	187,264	76,656	263,920	196,034	67,886
Total Extra Services	242,009	91,216	333,225	265,339	67,886
Guidance:					
Salaries Other Professionals	125,733	(4,023)	121,710	121,315	395
Purchased Professional - Educational Service	9,640		9,640	9,640	
Other Purchased Professional & Technical Services	3,000	(91)	2,909		2,909
Supplies and Materials	2,099	374	2,473	587	1,886
Other Objects	100		100		100
Total Guidance	140,572	(3,740)	136,832	131,542	5,290
Child Study Team					
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	303,258	(35,940)	267,318	265,751	1,567
Salaries Sec. & Clerical Asst.	39,516		39,516	39,516	
Purchased Professional - Educational Service	88,515	82,579	171,094	107,026	64,068
Supplies and Materials	7,312	899	8,211	8,211	
Total Child Study Teams	438,601	47,538	486,139	420,504	65,635
Improv. Instruction Services/Other Support					
Salary of Supervisor of Instruction	89,233	(89,233)			
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	3,080		3,080	940	2,140
Total Improvement of Instruction Services/Other Support	92,313	(89,233)	3,080	940	2,140
Educational Media Services/School Library:					
Salaries	181,380	(8,629)	172,751	162,936	9,815
Salaries of Technology Coordinators	900		900	320	580
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	10,128	12,132	22,260	11,649	10,611
Other Purchased Services	645	808	1,453	1,453	
Supplies and Materials	23,600	(11,419)	12,181	5,783	6,398
Total Educational Media Services/School Library	216,653	(7,108)	209,545	182,141	27,404

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	Original Budget	Budget Amendments/ Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
CURRENT EXPENSES: (Continued)					
Undistributed Expenditures:					
Instructional Staff Training Services					
Purchased Professional and Educational Services: \$	75		\$ 75	\$ 75	
Other Purchased Services (400-500 Series)	16,730		16,730	411	16,319
Total Inst. Staff Training Services	16,805		16,805	486	16,319
Support Services General Administration:					
Salaries	214,616		214,616	214,616	
Legal Services	40,000	3,299	43,299	43,299	
Audit Fees	20,200		20,200	19,900	300
Architectural/Engineering Services	5,000	(3,591)	1,409		1,409
Communication/Telephone	37,558	3,440	40,998	33,688	7,310
BOE Other Purchased Prof. Services	1,600	(96)	1,504	750	754
Other Purchased Services	22,148	17,403	39,551	38,254	1,297
General Supplies	3,500	(614)	2,886	1,791	1,095
BOE In-House Training/Meeting Supplies	1,500	691	2,191	2,191	
Miscellaneous Expenditures	5,460	(127)	5,333	4,801	532
BOE Membership Dues and Fees	9,594		9,594	9,407	187
Total Support Services General Administration	361,176	20,405	381,581	368,697	12,884
Support Services School Administration:					
Salaries of Principals/Assistant Principals	237,527	3,003	240,530	240,527	3
Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	185,572	(15,226)	170,346	168,340	2,006
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	3,129		3,129	2,619	510
Supplies and Materials	10,450		10,450	5,008	5,442
Other Objects	11,294		11,294	5,965	5,329
Total Support Services School Administration	447,972	(12,223)	435,749	422,459	13,290
Central Services:					
Salaries	160,958		160,958	160,958	
Purchased Professional Services	40,575	1	40,576	32,598	7,978
Miscellaneous Purchased Services	5,500		5,500	1,005	4,495
Supplies and Materials	5,500		5,500	1,000	4,500
Miscellaneous Expenditures	3,000		3,000	1,948	1,052
Total Central Services	215,533	1	215,534	197,509	18,025
Admin. Info. Technology:					
Salaries	57,720	(13)	57,707	57,707	
Purchased Professional Services	1,500	35,733	37,233	37,233	
Other Purchased Services	43,950	(43,822)	128	128	
Total Admin. Info. Technology	103,170	(8,102)	95,068	95,068	
Required Maintenance for School Facilities:					
Salaries	236,258	(5,468)	230,790	228,760	2,030
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services	236,461	95,022	331,483	289,030	42,453
General Supplies	45,600	31,484	77,084	61,729	15,355
Total Required Maintenance for School Facilities	518,319	121,038	639,357	579,519	59,838

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GENERAL FUND
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	Original Budget	Budget Amendments/ Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
EXPENDITURES: (Continued)					
CURRENT EXPENSES: (Continued)					
Other Operation and Maintenance of Plant-Custodial Services:					
Salaries	\$ 5,796	\$	\$ 5,796	\$ 5,765	\$ 31
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services	294,210	1,898	296,108	295,908	200
Insurance	97,026	756	97,782	96,282	1,500
General Supplies	60,000	(21,678)	38,322	32,123	6,199
Energy (Natural Gas)	100,000	(8,526)	91,474	20,753	70,721
Energy (Electricity)	290,000	(948)	289,052	248,446	40,606
Other Objects	4,700		4,700	1,015	3,685
Total Other Operation and Maintenance of Plant - Custodial	851,732	(28,498)	823,234	700,292	122,942
Undistributed Expenditures - Care & Upkeep of Grounds:					
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services	8,774	1,304	10,078	10,078	
General Supplies	3,000	(1,304)	1,696		1,696
Total Care & Upkeep of Grounds	11,774		11,774	10,078	1,696
Undistributed Expenditures - Security:					
Salaries	79,300	(44,178)	35,122	21,285	13,837
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services	14,288		14,288	1,129	13,159
General Supplies	2,000		2,000	562	1,438
Total Security	95,588	(44,178)	51,410	22,976	28,434
Total Operation and Maintenance of Plant Services	1,477,413	48,362	1,525,775	1,312,865	212,910
Undistributed Expenditures - Student Transportation Services:					
Contracted Services (Bet Home/School) - Vendor	1,081,364	(34,478)	1,046,886	896,479	150,407
Contracted Services (Not Bet Home/School) - Vendors	8,800	700	9,500	4,801	4,699
Contracted Services (Sp. Ed. Stds.) - Joint Agrmnts	176,826	44,835	221,661	177,918	43,743
Contracted Services - Aid in Lieu of Payments - Nonpublic	31,000		31,000	13,726	17,274
Contracted Services - Aid in Lieu of Payments - Charter School	4,000		4,000		4,000
Total Student Transportation Services	1,301,990	11,057	1,313,047	1,092,924	220,123
Unallocated Employee Benefits:					
Social Security Contributions	126,461	44,239	170,700	110,000	60,700
Other Retirement Contributions - PERS	175,641		175,641	173,827	1,814
Unemployment Compensation	6,000	(6,000)			
Workers Compensation	118,851	(12,472)	106,379	106,379	
Health Benefits	2,253,632	12,226	2,265,858	1,973,636	292,222
Tuition Reimbursement	66,000	(36,503)	29,497	18,950	10,547
Other Employee Benefits	33,322	(13,970)	19,352	19,352	
Unused Sick Payments to Terminated/Retired Staff	45,512	26,756	72,268	72,268	
Total Unallocated Employee Benefits	2,825,419	14,276	2,839,695	2,474,412	365,283
On-behalf TPAF Pension Contribution				1,383,732	(1,383,732)
On-behalf TPAF Post Retirement Medical Contribution				513,339	(513,339)
On-behalf TPAF Long-Term Disability Contribution				391	(391)
Reimbursement TPAF Social Security				513,987	(513,987)
Total Personal Services - Employee Benefits	2,825,419	14,276	2,839,695	4,885,861	(2,046,166)
Total Undistributed Expenditures	12,870,586	88,150	12,958,736	14,008,827	(1,050,091)
Interest Earned on Maintenance Reserve	100		100		100
TOTAL EXPENDITURES - CURRENT EXPENSE	19,197,425	85,065	19,282,490	19,963,650	(681,160)

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GENERAL FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

	Original Budget	Budget Amendments/ Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
EXPENDITURES: (Continued)					
CAPITAL OUTLAY:					
Increase in Capital Reserve	\$ 500	\$	\$ 500	\$	\$ 500
	500		500		500
Undistributed Expenditures:					
Instructional:					
Undistributed Expenditures - Required Maint for School Facilities	62,911		62,911	12,008	50,903
Total Equipment	62,911		62,911	12,008	50,903
Facilities Acquisition - Construction Services:					
Architectural/Engineering Services	82,525	9,456	91,981	3,780	88,201
Construction Services	110,000	18,000	128,000	17,117	110,883
Assessment for Debt Service on SDA Funding	41,174		41,174	41,174	
Total Facilities Acquisition and Construction Services	233,699	27,456	261,155	62,071	199,084
TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY	297,110	27,456	324,566	74,079	250,487
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	19,494,535	112,521	19,607,056	20,037,729	(430,673)
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Over (Under) Expenditures	(768,052)	(112,521)	(880,573)	1,153,319	2,033,892
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Transfer to Charter School	(335,539)		(335,539)	(256,268)	79,271
Total Other Financing Sources	(335,539)		(335,539)	(256,268)	79,271
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures and Other Financing Uses	(1,103,591)	(112,521)	(1,216,112)	897,051	2,113,163
Fund Balances, July 1	3,636,523		3,636,523	3,636,523	
Fund Balances, June 30	\$ 2,532,932	\$ (112,521)	\$ 2,420,411	\$ 4,533,574	\$ 2,113,163
RECAPITULATION:					
Restricted Fund Balance:					
Excess Surplus				\$ 1,382,862	
Excess Surplus - Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures				1,046,031	
Maintenance Reserve				10,710	
Capital Reserve				546,788	
Tuition Reserve				500,000	
Assigned Fund Balance:					
Capital Reserve - Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures				173,802	
Maintenance Reserve - Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures				199,240	
Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures				91,968	
Year-End Encumbrances				135,703	
Unassigned Fund Balance				446,470	
				4,533,574	
Reconciliation to Governmental Funds Statements (GAAP):					
Last State Aid Payments not Recognized on GAAP Basis				(131,528)	
Fund Balance per Governmental Funds (GAAP)				\$ 4,402,046	

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SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual
REVENUES:					
Federal Sources					
Title I	\$ 444,080	\$ 41,974	\$ 486,054	\$ 436,564	\$ 49,490
Title I - Reallocated		7,641	7,641	4,947	2,694
Title I - SIA		104,997	104,997	101,356	3,641
Title II	76,127	22,417	98,544	25,436	73,108
Title III	4,264	7,478	11,742	11,336	406
Title IV	8,500	(1,975)	6,525	1,634	4,891
I.D.E.A., Part B	177,818	30,539	208,357	208,357	
I.D.E.A., Part B Preschool Initiative	6,413	1,195	7,608	7,608	
Coronavirus Relief Fund		83,026	83,026	11,615	71,411
Cares Act		357,511	357,511	271,658	85,853
	717,202	654,803	1,372,005	1,080,511	291,494
State Sources					
Preschool	1,069,380		1,069,380	1,063,853	5,527
Total Revenues	1,786,582	654,803	2,441,385	2,144,364	297,021
EXPENDITURES:					
Instruction					
Salaries of Teachers	768,032	53,992	822,024	786,507	35,517
Other Salaries for Instruction	218,348	22,551	240,899	240,899	
Tuition		7,608	7,608	7,608	
Other Purchased Services (400-500 Series)	185,581	22,776	208,357	208,357	
Supplies and Materials	25,464	(25,464)			
General Supplies		444,321	444,321	357,721	86,600
Total Instruction	1,197,425	525,784	1,723,209	1,601,092	122,117
Support Services					
Salaries	14,223	1,905	16,128	16,100	28
Salaries of Principals	18,721		18,721	18,721	
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	22,840	41	22,881	22,881	
Salaries of Facilitator/Coach	15,733		15,733	15,733	
Personal Services - Employee Benefits	268,962	25,866	294,828	285,053	9,775
Purchased Professional - Educational Services	101,595		101,595	101,595	
Other Purchased Professional Services	4,000	(4,000)			
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services	8,135	(430)	7,705	7,705	
Other Purchased Services	80,992	31,792	112,784	36,394	76,390
Transportation - Field Trips	1,040	(1,040)			
Supplies and Materials	35,250	75,787	111,037	26,844	84,193
Other Objects	13,166	(4,387)	8,779	8,777	2
Total Support Services	584,657	125,534	710,191	539,803	170,388
Facilities Acquisition and Construction Services:					
Instructional Equipment	4,500	3,485	7,985	3,469	4,516
Non-Instructional Equipment					
Total Facilities Acquisition and Construction Services	4,500	3,485	7,985	3,469	4,516
Total Expenditures	1,786,582	654,803	2,441,385	2,144,364	297,021
Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
Total Outflows	1,786,582	654,803	2,441,385	2,144,364	297,021
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)					
Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

**NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY
INFORMATION - PART II**

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
BUDGET-TO-GAAP RECONCILIATION
NOTE TO RSI
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

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

	General Fund	Special Revenue Fund
Sources/inflows of resources		
Actual amounts (budgetary basis) "revenue" from the budgetary comparison schedule	[C-1] \$ 21,191,048	[C-2] \$ 2,144,364
Difference - budget to GAAP:		
Grant accounting budgetary basis differs from GAAP in that encumbrances are recognized as expenditures, and the related revenue is recognized.	Prior Year	6,250
	Current Year	(273,437)
State aid payment recognized for GAAP statements in current year, previously recognized for budgetary purposes.	139,683	75,586
State aid payment recognized for budgetary purposes, not recognized for GAAP statements until the subsequent year.	(131,528)	(93,557)
Total revenues as reported on the statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances - governmental funds.	[B-2] \$ 21,199,203	[B-2] \$ 1,859,206
Uses/outflows of resources		
Actual amounts (budgetary basis) "total outflows" from the budgetary comparison schedule	[C-1] \$ 20,037,729	[C-2] \$ 2,144,364
Differences - budget to GAAP		
Encumbrances for supplies and equipment ordered but not received are reported in the year the order is placed for <i>budgetary</i> purposes, but in the year the supplies are received for <i>financial reporting</i> purposes.	Prior Year	6,250
	Current Year	(273,437)
Transfers to and from other funds are presented as outflows of budgetary resources but are not expenditures for financial reporting purposes.		
Net transfers (outflows) to general fund		
Total expenditures as reported on the statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances - governmental funds	[B-2] \$ 20,037,729	[B-2] \$ 1,877,177

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
PART III

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability
Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)
Last Ten Fiscal Years*

	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
District's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability	0.017775%	0.014684%	0.014581%	0.015178%	0.016018%	0.016711%	0.014946%
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$ 3,202,778	\$ 2,891,239	\$ 3,446,279	\$ 4,495,182	\$ 3,595,750	\$ 3,128,845	\$ 2,856,552
District's Covered-Employee Payroll	\$ 1,151,172	\$ 1,159,677	\$ 1,175,547	\$ 1,045,892	\$ 1,082,892	\$ 1,101,865	\$ 1,143,539
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability as a percentage of its Covered-Employee Payroll	278.22%	249.31%	293.16%	429.79%	332.05%	283.96%	249.80%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a percentage of the Total Pension Liability	56.27%	53.60%	48.10%	40.14%	47.93%	52.08%	48.72%

Note: The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the prior fiscal year end measurement date.

* This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, until a 10-year trend is compiled, this presentation will include information for those years for which information is available.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of District Contributions
Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)
Last Ten Fiscal Years*

	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
Contractually Required Contribution	\$ 173,827	\$ 146,659	\$ 139,049	\$ 135,620	\$ 137,713	\$ 137,767	\$ 112,617
Contributions in relation to the Contractually Required Contribution	(173,827)	(146,659)	(139,049)	(135,620)	(137,713)	(137,767)	(112,617)
Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
District's Covered-Employee Payroll	\$ 1,151,172	\$ 1,159,677	\$ 1,175,547	\$ 1,045,892	\$ 1,082,892	\$ 1,101,865	\$ 1,143,539
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered-Employee Payroll	15.10%	12.65%	11.83%	12.97%	12.72%	12.50%	9.85%

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CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability
Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF)
Last Ten Fiscal Years*

	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
District's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability	0.064951%	0.064915%	0.065551%	0.066391%	0.067570%	0.064478%	0.069027%
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$ 39,860,832	\$ 41,297,776	\$ 44,197,100	\$ 42,706,874	\$ 36,100,658	\$ 34,461,363	\$ 34,885,514
District's Covered-Employee Payroll	\$ 7,152,641	\$ 7,075,593	\$ 6,681,950	\$ 6,846,185	\$ 6,824,981	\$ 6,796,398	\$ 6,602,663
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability as a percentage of its Covered-Employee Payroll	557.29%	583.67%	661.44%	623.81%	528.95%	507.05%	528.36%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a percentage of the Total Pension Liability	26.95%	26.49%	25.41%	22.33%	28.71%	33.64%	33.76%

Note: The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the prior fiscal year end measurement date.

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**NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY
INFORMATION PART III**

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
Required Supplementary Information - Part III
Schedule of Changes in the Total OPEB Liability and Related Ratios
State Health Benefit Local Education Retired Employees Plan
Last Ten Fiscal Years

	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Total OPEB Liability			
Service Cost	\$ 842,530	\$ 975,727	\$ 1,167,833
Interest Cost	1,090,992	1,176,030	1,013,316
Changes of Benefit Terms			
Differences Between Expected and Actual Experiences	(4,045,150)	(2,763,249)	
Changes of Assumptions	376,237	(3,181,092)	(3,977,305)
Member Contributions	22,961	25,619	27,488
Gross Benefit Payments	(774,599)	(741,242)	(746,491)
Net Change in Total OPEB Liability	<u>(2,487,029)</u>	<u>(4,508,207)</u>	<u>(2,515,159)</u>
Total OPEB Liability - Beginning	<u>27,720,727</u>	<u>32,228,934</u>	<u>34,744,093</u>
Total OPEB Liability - Ending	<u>\$ 25,233,698</u>	<u>\$ 27,720,727</u>	<u>\$ 32,228,934</u>
Covered-Employee Payroll	<u>\$ 8,303,813</u>	<u>\$ 8,235,270</u>	<u>\$ 7,857,497</u>
Total OPEB Liability as a Percentage of Covered-Employee Payroll	303.88%	336.61%	410.17%

Notes to Schedule:

Changes of Benefit Terms: None

Differences Between Expected and Actual Experiences: The decrease in liability from June 30, 2017 to June 30, 2018 is due to changes in the census, claims and premiums experience. The decrease in liability from June 30, 2018 to June 30, 2019 is due to changes in the census, claims and premiums experience.

Changes in Assumptions: The decrease in the liability from June 30, 2017 to June 30, 2018 is due to the increase in the assumed discount rate from 3.58% as of June 30, 2017 to 3.87% as of June 30, 2018; and a decrease in the assumed health care cost trend and excise tax assumptions. The decrease in the liability from June 30, 2018 to June 30, 2019 is due to the combined effect of the decrease in the assumed discount rate from 3.87% as of June 30, 2018 to 3.50% as of June 30, 2019; and changes in the trend, excise tax, updated decrements, future spouse election, PPO/HMO future retiree elections, salary scale and mortality assumptions.

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

OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SPECIAL REVENUE FUND DETAIL STATEMENTS

The Special Revenue Fund is used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources (other than expendable trusts or major capital projects) that are legally restricted to expenditures for specific purposes.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES
BUDGETARY BASIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020
(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR JUNE 30, 2019)

	E.S.E.A				I.D.E.A. - Part B		Preschool	Coronavirus Relief Fund	Cares Act	Totals			
	Title I		Title II A	Title III	Title IV	Basic				Preschool	2020	2019	
	2019-20	Reallocated	SIA	2019-20	2019-20	2019-20				2019-20			
REVENUES:													
Federal Sources	\$ 436,564	\$ 4,947	\$ 101,356	\$ 25,436	\$ 11,336	\$ 1,634	\$ 208,357	\$ 7,608		\$ 11,615	\$ 271,658	\$ 1,080,511	\$ 788,973
State Sources									\$ 1,063,853			1,063,853	740,596
Total Revenues	436,564	4,947	101,356	25,436	11,336	1,634	208,357	7,608	1,063,853	11,615	271,658	2,144,364	1,529,569
EXPENDITURES:													
Instruction:													
Salaries of Teachers	287,802		36,675		3,101				458,929			786,507	652,165
Other Salaries for Instruction									240,899			240,899	134,750
Purchased Prof/Tech Services													2,403
Tuition												7,608	4,937
Other Purchased Services (400-500 Series)							208,357					208,357	215,626
General Supplies		4,776	61,875		3,540				15,872		271,658	357,721	205
Supplies and Materials													16,504
Total Instruction	287,802	4,776	98,550		6,641		208,357	7,608	715,700		271,658	1,601,092	1,026,590
Support Services:													
Salaries	16,100											16,100	16,734
Salaries of Principals									18,721			18,721	18,175
Salaries of Other Professional Staff									22,881			22,881	20,248
Salaries of Facilitator/Coach									15,733			15,733	9,404
Personal Services - Employee Benefits	119,060		2,806		1,191				161,996			285,053	241,080
Purchased Prof/Educational Services									101,595			101,595	101,595
Other Purchased Professional Services													8,000
Other Purchased Services (400-500 Series)	13,602			22,792								36,394	67,729
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services									7,705			7,705	5,096
Supplies and Materials		171		2,644	35	1,634			10,745	11,615		26,844	14,918
Other Objects									8,777			8,777	
Total Support Services	148,762	171	2,806	25,436	1,226	1,634			348,153	11,615		539,803	502,979
Facilities Acquisition/Construction:													
Instructional Equipment													
Non-Instructional Equipment					3,469							3,469	
Total Facilities Acquisition/Construction					3,469							3,469	
Total Expenditures	\$ 436,564	\$ 4,947	\$ 101,356	\$ 25,436	\$ 11,336	\$ 1,634	\$ 208,357	\$ 7,608	\$ 1,063,853	\$ 11,615	\$ 271,658	\$ 2,144,364	\$ 1,529,569

**CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)**

**Special Revenue Fund
Statement of Preschool Education Aid
Budgetary Basis
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2020**

	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance</u>
EXPENDITURES:			
Instruction:			
Salaries of Teachers	\$ 458,929	\$ 458,929	\$
Other Salaries for Instruction	240,899	240,899	
Supplies and Materials	16,898	15,872	1,026
Total instruction	<u>716,726</u>	<u>715,700</u>	<u>1,026</u>
Support services:			
Salaries of Principals	18,721	18,721	
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	22,881	22,881	
Salaries of Masters teachers	15,733	15,733	
Personal Services - Employee Benefits	161,996	161,996	
Purchased Professional Educational Services	101,595	101,595	
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services	7,705	7,705	
Supplies and materials	10,745	10,745	
Other Objects	8,778	8,777	1
Total support services	<u>348,154</u>	<u>348,153</u>	<u>1</u>
Facilities Acquisition and Construction:			
Instructional Equipment	4,500		4,500
	<u>4,500</u>		<u>4,500</u>
Total expenditures	<u>\$ 1,069,380</u>	<u>\$ 1,063,853</u>	<u>\$ 5,527</u>

CALCULATION OF BUDGET & CARRYOVER

Total Revised 2019-20 Preschool Education Aid Allocation	\$ 935,571
Add: Actual ECPA/PEA Carryover (June 30, 2020)	32,497
Add: Budgeted Transfer from the General Fund 2019-2020	116,575
Total Preschool Education Aid Funds Available for 2019-20 Budget	<u>1,084,643</u>
Less: 2019-20 Budgeted Preschool Education Aid (Including prior year budgeted carryover)	(1,069,380)
Available & Unbudgeted Preschool Education Aid Funds as of June 30, 2020	<u>15,263</u>
Add: June 30, 2020 Unexpended Preschool Education Aid	5,527
2019-20 Carryover - Preschool Education Aid Programs	<u>\$ 20,790</u>
2019-20 Preschool Education Aid Carryover Budgeted for Preschool Programs in 2020-21	\$ 15,263

Note: Since the 2019-20 Actual Carryover is more than the amount budgeted in 2020-21, the District should consider revising the 2019-20 Budget or appropriating this amount in the 2020-21 School Year Preschool Education Program Budget by amendment.

\$ 5,527

CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND DETAIL STATEMENTS

The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities and equipment purchases other than those financed by proprietary funds.

EXHIBIT F-2

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGETARY BASIS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

**Revenues and Other Financing
Sources**

Type 1 Bond Proceeds - Due from City of Ventnor Refund	\$	
Total Revenues		<hr/>

Expenditures and Other Financing Uses

Purchased Professional and Technical Services	1,836,241	
Construction Services	2,439,676	
Total Expenditures	4,275,917	<hr/>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(4,275,917)	
Fund Balance - Beginning	8,626,295	<hr/>
Fund Balance - Ending	\$ 4,350,378	<hr/> <hr/>

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PROJECT REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
VARIOUS RENOVATIONS
PROJECT BALANCE, AND PROJECT STATUS - BUDGETARY BASIS
FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

	<u>Prior Periods</u>	<u>Current Year</u>	<u>Totals</u>	<u>Revised Authorized Cost</u>
Revenues and Other Financing Sources				
Designated Fund Balance	\$ 68,601	\$	\$ 68,601	\$ 68,601
Transfer from Capital Outlay	794,475		794,475	794,475
Transfer from Capital Reserve Funds	1,000,000		1,000,000	1,000,000
Total Revenues	<u>1,863,076</u>		<u>1,863,076</u>	<u>1,863,076</u>
Expenditures and Other Financing Uses				
Architectural Costs	73,100		73,100	76,392
Construction Services	1,505,731		1,505,731	1,786,684
Total Expenditures	<u>1,578,831</u>		<u>1,578,831</u>	<u>1,863,076</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	<u>\$ 284,245</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 284,245</u>	<u>\$</u>
Additional Project Information:				
Total Projected Cost	\$1,863,076			
Percentage Completion	98%			
Original Target Completion Date	9/1/2017			
Revised Target Completion Date	12/31/2019			

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
SCHEDULE OF PROJECT REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, PROJECT BALANCE, AND
PROJECT STATUS - BUDGETARY BASIS
VARIOUS RENOVATIONS AND EQUIPMENT
AT VENTNOR EDUCATIONAL COMPLEX
FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

	<u>Prior Periods</u>	<u>Current Year</u>	<u>Totals</u>	<u>Revised Authorized Cost</u>
Revenues and Other Financing Sources				
Bond Proceeds and Transfers	\$ 9,315,071	\$	\$ 9,315,071	\$ 9,315,071
Total Revenues and Other Financing Sources	<u>9,315,071</u>		<u>9,315,071</u>	<u>9,315,071</u>
Expenditures and Other Financing Uses				
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	2,523,498		2,523,498	3,444,052
Construction Services	2,557,904	2,240,096	4,798,000	5,871,019
Total Expenditures and Other Financing Uses	<u>5,081,402</u>	<u>2,240,096</u>	<u>7,321,498</u>	<u>9,315,071</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	<u>\$ 4,233,669</u>	<u>\$ (2,240,096)</u>	<u>\$ 1,993,573</u>	<u>\$</u>

Additional project information:

DOE Project Number	4075-050-14-1010
Bond Authorization Date	N/A
Bonds Authorized	7/12/2018
Bonds Issued	
Notes Authorized	\$9,315,071
Original Authorization Cost	\$9,315,071
Additional Authorized Cost	\$0
Revised Authorized Cost	\$9,315,071
Percentage Increase over Original Authorized Cost	0%
Percentage Completion	10%
Original Target Completion Date	6/30/2023
Revised Target Completion Date	6/30/2023

PROPRIETARY FUND DETAIL STATEMENTS

Proprietary Funds are used to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises – where the intent of the district’s board is that the costs of providing goods or services be financed through user charges.

Food Services Fund – This fund provides for the operation of food services in all schools within the school district.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
ENTERPRISE FUND
COMBINING SCHEDULE OF NET POSITION
AS OF JUNE 30, 2020 AND 2019

	<u>Food Service Enterprise Fund</u>	<u>After School Program</u>	<u>Totals</u>	
			<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
ASSETS:				
Current Assets:				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	\$ 123,568	\$ 123,568	\$ 114,989
Accounts Receivable:				
State	757		757	211
Federal	4,978		4,978	15,005
Other				7,620
Inventory	6,023		6,023	3,454
Total Current Assets	<u>11,758</u>	<u>123,568</u>	<u>135,326</u>	<u>141,279</u>
Fixed Assets:				
Equipment	178,211		178,211	178,211
Accumulated Depreciation	(142,903)		(142,903)	(135,502)
Total Fixed Assets	<u>35,308</u>		<u>35,308</u>	<u>42,709</u>
Total Assets	<u>47,066</u>	<u>123,568</u>	<u>170,634</u>	<u>183,988</u>
LIABILITIES:				
Current Liabilities:				
Accounts Payable	140		140	
Interfund Payable	25,155		25,155	1,073
Unearned Revenue	2,499		2,499	3,880
Total Current Liabilities	<u>27,794</u>		<u>27,794</u>	<u>4,953</u>
NET POSITION:				
Invested in Capital Assets Net of Related Debt	35,308		35,308	42,709
Unrestricted	(16,036)	123,568	107,532	136,326
Total Net Position	<u>\$ 19,272</u>	<u>\$ 123,568</u>	<u>\$ 142,840</u>	<u>\$ 179,035</u>

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
ENTERPRISE FUND
COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND
CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION
AS OF JUNE 30, 2020 AND 2019

	Food Service Enterprise Fund	After School Program	Totals	
			2020	2019
OPERATING REVENUES:				
Local Sources:				
Daily Sales - Reimbursable Programs:				
School Lunch Program	\$ 17,849	\$	\$ 17,849	\$ 29,123
School Breakfast Program	16,198		16,198	16,321
Total Daily Sales - Reimbursable Programs	34,047		34,047	45,444
Daily Sales Non-Reimbursable Programs	24,866		24,866	58,805
Miscellaneous	5,643		5,643	3,479
Program Fees		18,755	18,755	27,566
Total Operating Revenue	64,556	18,755	83,311	135,294
OPERATING EXPENSES:				
Salaries	134,532	6,638	141,170	168,580
Employee Benefits	46,882	508	47,390	40,471
Other Purchases Services	4,156	1,143	5,299	4,088
Cost of Sales -Reimbursable Programs	91,351		91,351	137,050
Cost of Sales - Non Reimbursable Programs	8,019		8,019	1,768
Depreciation	7,401		7,401	7,401
Other Costs	483	1,887	2,370	5,468
Total Operating Expenses	292,824	10,176	303,000	364,826
Operating Income (Loss)	(228,268)	8,579	(219,689)	(229,532)
Non-Operating Revenues:				
State Sources:				
State School Lunch Program	2,876		2,876	3,073
Federal Sources:				
School Breakfast Program	43,980		43,980	45,189
National School Lunch Program	116,297		116,297	157,610
National School Snack Program	2,619		2,619	3,790
Healthy Hunger Free Kids Act	2,798		2,798	3,406
Food Distribution Program	14,924		14,924	17,359
Total Non-Operating Revenues	183,494		183,494	230,427
Net Income before Operating Transfers	(44,774)	8,579	(36,195)	895
Gain/(Loss) from Disposals of Assets				
Net Income	(44,774)	8,579	(36,195)	895
Net Position - July 1	64,046	114,989	179,035	178,140
Net Position - June 30	\$ 19,272	\$ 123,568	\$ 142,840	\$ 179,035

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
ENTERPRISE FUND
COMBINING SCHEDULE OF CASH FLOWS
AS OF JUNE 30, 2020 AND 2019

	Food Service	After	Totals	
	Enterprise Fund	School Program	2020	2019
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:				
Receipts from Customers	\$ 64,556	\$ 18,755	\$ 83,311	\$ 135,294
Payments to Employees	(134,532)	(6,638)	(141,170)	(168,580)
Payments for Employee Benefits	(46,882)	(508)	(47,390)	(40,471)
Payments to Suppliers	(51,712)	(3,030)	(54,742)	(119,399)
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities	(168,570)	8,579	(159,991)	(193,156)
Cash Flows from Non-Capital Financing Activities				
State Sources	2,876		2,876	3,073
Federal Sources	165,694		165,694	209,995
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities	168,570		168,570	213,068
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities				
Purchases of Equipment				(12,460)
Sale of Equipment				
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Capital and Related Financing Activities				(12,460)
Cash Flows from Investing Activities				
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Investing Activities				
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents		8,579	8,579	7,452
Balances - Beginning of Year		114,989	114,989	107,537
Balances - End of Year	\$	\$ 123,568	\$ 123,568	\$ 114,989
Operating Income (Loss)	\$ (228,268)	\$ 8,579	\$ (219,689)	\$ (229,532)
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income (Loss) to Cash Used by Operating Activities:				
Depreciation	7,401		7,401	7,401
Food Distribution Program	14,924		14,924	17,359
Change in Assets and Liabilities:				
(Increase)/Decrease in Accounts Receivable	17,101		17,101	(714)
(Increase)/Decrease in Interfund Receivable				15,828
(Increase)/Decrease in Inventory	(2,569)		(2,569)	850
Increase/(Decrease) in Accounts Payable	140		140	(4,671)
Increase/(Decrease) in Interfund Payable	24,082		24,082	1,073
Increase/(Decrease) in Unearned Revenue	(1,381)		(1,381)	(750)
Total Adjustments	59,698		59,698	36,376
Net Cash Used by Operating Activities	\$ (168,570)	\$ 8,579	\$ (159,991)	\$ (193,156)

FIDUCIARY FUNDS DETAIL STATEMENTS

Fiduciary Funds are used to account for funds received by the School District for a specific purpose.

Agency Funds are used to account for assets held by the School District as an agent for individuals, private organizations, other governments an/or other funds.

Student Activity Fund – This agency fund is used to account for student funds held at the schools.

Payroll Fund – This agency fund is used to account for the payroll transactions of the School District.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
COMBINING STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
JUNE 30, 2020
(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR JUNE 30, 2019)

	<u>Agency</u>		<u>Total</u>	
	<u>Student</u> <u>Activity</u>	<u>Payroll</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
ASSETS:				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 28,507	\$ 19,685	\$ 48,192	\$ 37,702
Total Assets	<u>\$ 28,507</u>	<u>\$ 19,685</u>	<u>\$ 48,192</u>	<u>\$ 37,702</u>
LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION:				
Liabilities:				
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings	\$	\$ 18,811	\$ 18,811	\$ 15,691
Due to Student Groups	28,507		28,507	17,141
Flexible Spending Reserve		874	874	1,335
Due to General Fund				3,535
Total Liabilities	<u>\$ 28,507</u>	<u>\$ 19,685</u>	<u>\$ 48,192</u>	<u>\$ 37,702</u>

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
STUDENT ACTIVITY AGENCY FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

	<u>Balance July 1, 2019</u>	<u>Cash Receipts</u>	<u>Cash Disbursements</u>	<u>Balance June 30, 2020</u>
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS				
ASSETS:				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 17,141	\$ 27,255	\$ 15,889	\$ 28,507
Total Assets	<u>17,141</u>	<u>27,255</u>	<u>15,889</u>	<u>28,507</u>
LIABILITIES:				
Due to Student Groups	<u>17,141</u>	<u>27,255</u>	<u>15,889</u>	<u>28,507</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>\$ 17,141</u>	<u>\$ 27,255</u>	<u>\$ 15,889</u>	<u>\$ 28,507</u>

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
PAYROLL AGENCY FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

	<u>Balance July 1, 2019</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>Balance June 30, 2020</u>
ASSETS:				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 20,561	\$ 10,155,300	\$ 10,156,176	\$ 19,685
Total Assets	<u>\$ 20,561</u>	<u>\$ 10,155,300</u>	<u>\$ 10,156,176</u>	<u>\$ 19,685</u>
LIABILITIES:				
Net Payroll	\$	\$ 5,501,649	\$ 5,501,649	\$
Payroll Deductions & Withholdings	15,691	4,643,651	4,640,531	18,811
Flexible Spending Account	1,335	10,000	10,461	874
Due to General Fund	3,535		3,535	
Total Liabilities	<u>\$ 20,561</u>	<u>\$ 10,155,300</u>	<u>\$ 10,156,176</u>	<u>\$ 19,685</u>

STATISTICAL SECTION

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
NET POSITION BY COMPONENT
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
 (Accrual Basis of Accounting)
 (UNAUDITED)

	<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>	<u>2020</u>
Governmental Activities										
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt \$	20,853,166	20,026,494	19,197,067	16,591,987	17,943,708	18,685,560	18,072,989	18,962,359	19,985,123	23,093,457
Restricted	429,412	562,931	901,500	694,732	1,945,538	2,703,759	3,090,306	3,376,600	11,705,857	8,209,811
Unrestricted	242,233	758,462	310,742	361,345	(1,707,095)	(2,976,762)	(3,209,936)	(3,095,504)	(3,186,685)	(3,161,721)
Total Governmental Activities Net Position	<u><u>21,524,811</u></u>	<u><u>21,347,887</u></u>	<u><u>20,409,309</u></u>	<u><u>17,648,064</u></u>	<u><u>18,182,151</u></u>	<u><u>18,412,557</u></u>	<u><u>17,953,359</u></u>	<u><u>19,243,455</u></u>	<u><u>28,504,295</u></u>	<u><u>28,141,547</u></u>
Business-Type Activities										
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt	29,896	47,717	32,996	23,887	20,370	20,179	18,053	37,650	42,709	35,308
Restricted										
Unrestricted	216,674	105,376	12,141	(25,920)	41,461	96,017	152,723	140,490	136,326	107,532
Total Business-Type Activities Net Position	<u><u>246,570</u></u>	<u><u>153,093</u></u>	<u><u>45,137</u></u>	<u><u>(2,033)</u></u>	<u><u>61,831</u></u>	<u><u>116,196</u></u>	<u><u>170,776</u></u>	<u><u>178,140</u></u>	<u><u>179,035</u></u>	<u><u>142,840</u></u>
District-Wide										
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt	20,883,062	20,074,211	19,230,063	16,615,874	17,964,078	18,705,739	18,091,042	19,000,009	20,027,832	23,128,765
Restricted	429,412	562,931	901,500	694,732	1,945,538	2,703,759	3,090,306	3,376,600	11,705,857	8,209,811
Unrestricted	458,907	863,838	322,883	335,424	(1,665,634)	(2,880,745)	(3,057,213)	(2,955,014)	(3,050,359)	(3,054,189)
Total District-Wide Net Position	<u><u>\$ 21,771,381</u></u>	<u><u>21,500,980</u></u>	<u><u>20,454,446</u></u>	<u><u>17,646,030</u></u>	<u><u>18,243,982</u></u>	<u><u>18,528,753</u></u>	<u><u>18,124,135</u></u>	<u><u>19,421,595</u></u>	<u><u>28,683,330</u></u>	<u><u>28,284,387</u></u>

Source: CAFR Schedule A-1

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
CHANGES IN NET POSITION
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Accrual Basis of Accounting)
(UNAUDITED)

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Expenses:										
Governmental Activities										
Instruction										
Regular	\$ 7,089,836	6,604,687	7,254,881	7,097,968	7,218,412	5,962,105	8,302,665	7,945,215	8,082,542	7,917,234
Special Education	1,066,985	1,052,321	1,068,960	1,020,838	1,036,022	1,099,632	1,522,699	1,520,869	1,797,174	1,651,236
Other Special Education	640,079	762,249	781,200	622,449	628,315	459,904	425,794	304,093	294,844	527,559
Other Instruction	18,750	37,754	63,554	90,579	63,049	81,033	49,586	52,574	71,274	69,815
Non-Public Programs	23,545									
Support Services										
Tuition	8,583,762	8,673,153	8,863,182	7,932,062	8,845,367	9,246,032	8,866,422	6,843,330	5,200,744	5,400,241
Student and Instruction Related Services	1,264,699	1,547,684	1,496,798	1,597,501	1,893,600	2,003,223	1,266,564	2,343,817	2,378,735	2,152,186
General Administrative Services	381,716	231,879	313,604	428,347	409,095	542,422	455,704	557,481	495,179	510,015
School Administrative Services	641,191	695,141	610,374	575,111	608,715	672,324	662,724	707,633	592,616	568,316
Business Administrative Services	316,074	1,342,145	1,224,216	1,413,150	1,621,136	1,606,723	1,258,626	445,894	413,201	397,386
Plant Operations and Maintenance	1,335,868	1,084,316	1,219,389	1,174,180	1,268,368	1,369,019	1,185,551	1,366,676	1,381,462	1,312,865
Pupil Transportation	1,056,253	338,697	409,083	360,038	385,652	408,241	402,118	929,433	1,138,476	1,092,924
Interest Expense	160,965	28,873	41,173	186,797	529,607	496,508	535,342	37,424	41,174	41,174
Total Governmental Activities Expenses	22,579,723	22,398,899	23,346,414	22,499,020	24,507,338	23,947,166	24,933,795	23,054,439	21,887,421	21,640,951
Business-Type Activities										
After School Programs	26,289	29,866	18,321	17,741	9,010	19,458	25,321	16,288	20,114	10,176
Food Service	565,632	612,985	579,637	448,161	404,519	367,810	354,921	351,612	344,712	292,824
Total Business-Type Activities Expense	591,921	642,851	597,958	465,902	413,529	387,268	380,242	367,900	364,826	303,000
Total District Expenses	23,171,644	23,041,750	23,944,372	22,964,922	24,920,867	24,334,434	25,314,037	23,422,339	22,252,247	21,943,951
Program Revenues										
Governmental Activities										
Charge for Services	320,471	306,962	347,147	315,243	343,843	264,733	205,447	294,265	625,737	199,335
Operating Grants and Contributions	1,312,931	1,129,059	1,048,464	1,272,204	4,529,328	4,338,848	4,247,639	1,273,779	1,282,239	1,588,655
Total Gov'n't Activities Program Rev.	1,633,402	1,436,021	1,395,611	1,587,447	4,873,171	4,603,581	4,453,086	1,568,044	1,907,976	1,787,990
Business-Type Activities										
Charges for Services										
Fees for After School Program	22,716	15,297	15,421	29,798	36,714	41,529	49,889	21,201	27,566	18,755
Food Service	179,346	176,239	150,612	88,163	124,209	124,381	118,441	117,920	107,728	64,556
Operating Grants and Contributions	314,391	340,762	323,969	301,031	286,157	299,034	269,820	237,178	230,427	183,494
Total Bus.-Type Activities Prog. Rev.	516,453	532,298	490,002	418,992	447,080	464,944	438,150	376,299	365,721	266,805
Total District Program Revenues	\$ 2,149,855	1,968,319	1,885,613	2,006,439	5,320,251	5,068,525	4,891,236	1,944,343	2,273,697	2,054,795
Net (Expense)/Revenue										
Governmental Activities	\$ (20,946,321)	(20,962,878)	#####	#####	#####	(19,343,585)	(20,480,709)	(21,486,395)	(20,279,445)	(19,852,961)
Business-Type Activities	(75,468)	(110,553)	(107,956)	(46,910)	33,551	77,676	57,908	8,399	895	(36,195)
Total District-Wide Net Expense	\$ (21,021,789)	(21,073,431)	#####	#####	#####	(19,265,909)	(20,422,801)	(21,477,996)	(20,278,550)	(19,889,156)
General Revenues and Other Changes in Net Position										
Governmental Activities										
Property Taxes Levied - General Purp.	\$ 17,142,480	17,734,656	17,483,143	17,483,143	17,819,977	17,819,977	17,734,656	17,705,694	16,405,694	16,400,478
Unrestricted Grants and Contributions	2,681,178	3,254,800	3,518,444	3,332,550	2,200,176	2,182,846	2,190,955	5,518,620	3,971,877	3,217,141
Miscellaneous Income	592,306	31,866	10,638	75,316	58,464	159,902	25,122	5,736	149,270	80,862
Investment Income										
Rents and Royalties				12,874	69,950	54,571	70,775	72,995	77,878	48,000
Bond Proceeds	3,833,861	23,145								
Special Items									9,315,071	
Loss on the Disposal of Fixed Assets	(416,639)			(9,621)	19,686			(34,179)		
Transfer to Charter Schools								(492,374)	(379,505)	(256,268)
Cancellation of Prior Year Receivable						(127,921)				
Close Out Capital Projects						(527,874)				
Cancellation of Prior Year Payables						12,490				
Total Governmental Activities	23,833,186	21,044,467	21,012,225	20,894,262	20,168,253	19,573,991	20,021,508	22,776,492	29,540,285	19,490,213
Business-Type Activities										
Transfers					30,314					
Fixed Asset Adjustment								(1,035)		
Cancellation of Prior Year Receivable						(23,312)	(3,327)			
Total Business-Type Activities					30,314	(23,312)	(3,327)	(1,035)		
Total District-Wide	\$ 23,833,186	21,044,467	21,012,225	20,894,262	20,198,567	19,550,679	20,018,181	22,775,457	29,540,285	19,490,213
Change in Net Position										
Governmental Activities	\$ 2,886,865	81,589	(938,578)	(17,311)	534,086	230,406	(459,201)	1,290,097	9,260,840	(362,748)
Business-Type Activities	(75,468)	(110,553)	(107,956)	(46,910)	63,865	54,364	54,581	7,364	895	(36,195)
Total District-Wide	\$ 2,811,397	(28,964)	(1,046,534)	(64,221)	597,951	284,770	(404,620)	1,297,461	9,261,735	(398,943)

Source: CAFR Schedule A-2

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
FUND BALANCES-GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
 (Modified Accrual Basis of Accounting)
 (UNAUDITED)

	<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>	<u>2020</u>
General Fund										
Restricted	\$ 391,946	\$ 1,082,431	\$ 1,236,772	\$ 1,484,060	\$ 1,220,529	\$ 1,066,677	\$ 1,788,613	\$ 2,924,601	\$ 3,079,562	\$ 3,486,391
Committed	259,599	280,115	64,972	259,700	717,402	1,109,700	1,294,844			
Assigned	39,712	20,971	15,942	18,846	7,607	527,382	6,849	199,926	112,521	600,713
Unassigned	377,339	338,912	275,578	315,523	345,085	346,116	312,803	309,558	304,757	314,942
Reserved										
Unreserved										
Total General Fund	<u>1,068,596</u>	<u>1,722,429</u>	<u>1,593,264</u>	<u>2,078,129</u>	<u>2,290,623</u>	<u>3,049,875</u>	<u>3,403,109</u>	<u>3,434,085</u>	<u>3,496,840</u>	<u>4,402,046</u>
All Other Governmental Funds										
Assigned - Capital Projects Fund								167,775	4,108,381	2,072,560
Committed - Capital Projects Fund								284,224	4,517,914	2,277,818
Unassigned, Reported in:										
Special Revenue Fund (Deficit)	(19,860)	(13,477)	(21,681)	(20,026)	(12,335)	(16,405)	(9,747)	(74,123)	(75,586)	(93,557)
Capital Projects Fund					1,040,438	71	68,600			
Total All Other Governmental Funds	<u>\$ (19,860)</u>	<u>\$ (13,477)</u>	<u>\$ (21,681)</u>	<u>\$ (20,026)</u>	<u>\$ 1,028,103</u>	<u>\$ (16,334)</u>	<u>\$ 58,853</u>	<u>\$ 377,876</u>	<u>\$ 8,550,709</u>	<u>\$ 4,256,821</u>

Source: CAFR Schedule B-1

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Revenues										
Tax Levy	\$ 17,142,480	17,483,143	17,483,143	17,483,143	17,819,977	17,819,977	17,734,656	17,705,694	16,405,694	16,400,478
Other Tuition	7,944		10,278	1,733	61,995	37,531	23,786		46,035	15,366
Transportation	312,527	306,962	336,869	313,510	281,848	227,202	181,661	294,265	279,702	183,969
Rents and Royalties				12,874	69,950	54,571	70,775	72,995	77,878	48,000
Miscellaneous	592,306	31,866	10,628	75,316	58,464	159,902	25,122	5,736	149,270	80,862
State Sources	2,899,897	3,310,916	3,727,050	3,575,451	4,430,078	4,427,877	4,111,279	4,914,761	5,232,193	5,503,230
Federal Sources	1,094,212	1,072,943	839,858	1,029,303	818,079	795,502	777,295	776,289	819,083	826,504
Total Revenues	22,049,366	22,205,830	22,407,826	22,491,330	23,540,391	23,522,562	22,924,574	23,769,740	23,009,855	23,058,409
Expenditures										
Instruction										
Regular Instruction	5,744,215	5,277,796	5,712,690	5,636,593	5,643,169	5,576,035	5,769,282	5,413,100	5,591,385	5,601,595
Special Education Instruction	857,345	833,213	833,623	805,781	762,289	764,148	1,005,270	1,013,168	1,309,864	1,230,184
Other Special Instruction	514,316	603,538	609,215	491,320	462,304	319,593	264,255	203,917	212,352	402,902
Other Instruction	15,066	29,893	49,563	71,497	46,390	56,311	49,586	52,574	54,662	55,342
Nonpublic School Program	18,919									
Support Services										
Instruction	6,897,300	6,867,285	6,911,910	6,261,039	6,508,286	6,470,159	5,853,516	4,588,963	3,988,618	4,280,758
Student and Instruction Related Services	1,016,211	1,225,435	1,167,271	1,260,961	1,393,282	1,392,065	1,266,564	1,593,791	1,734,361	1,606,141
School Administrative Services	514,490	551,125	475,997	453,955	447,883	467,206	473,384	584,775	531,538	517,527
General Administrative Services	306,717	183,598	244,563	338,108	301,006	376,936	325,510	562,584	542,110	566,206
Business Administrative Services	253,972	1,062,692	954,699	1,115,446	1,192,807	1,116,532	1,258,626			
Plant Operations and Maintenance	1,073,398	858,547	950,934	926,819	933,246	951,348	901,615	1,366,676	1,340,460	1,312,865
Pupil Transportation	848,721	268,176	319,021	284,190	283,757	283,692	287,233	929,433	1,138,476	1,092,924
Unallocated Employee Benefits	3,845,234	3,749,443	4,252,280	3,835,173	3,971,506	3,968,158	4,343,245	4,532,196	5,043,527	5,170,914
Capital Outlay	4,007,701	122,079	63,439	578,946	2,398,512	1,422,259	698,070	2,086,190	2,222,480	4,353,465
Total Expenditures	25,913,605	21,632,820	22,545,205	22,059,828	24,344,437	23,164,442	22,496,156	22,927,367	23,709,833	26,190,823
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues										
Over (Under) Expenditures	(3,864,239)	573,010	(137,379)	431,502	(804,046)	358,120	428,418	842,373	(699,978)	(3,132,414)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)										
Capital Leases (non-budgeted)	124,887	64,061								
Cancellation of Prior Year Payable						12,490				
Cancellation of Prior Year Receivable						(127,921)				
Close Out Capital Projects						(527,874)				
(Increase)/Decrease in Emergency Reserve										
Transfer to/(from) Emergency Reserve										
Transfer to Charter School								(492,374)	(379,505)	(256,268)
(Increase)/Decrease in Maintenance Reserve										
Transfer to/(from) Maintenance Reserve										
Bond/Lease Proceeds	3,833,861	23,145		2,100,000					9,315,071	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	3,958,748	87,206		2,100,000		(643,305)		(492,374)	8,935,566	(256,268)
Net Change in Fund Balances	\$ 94,509	660,216	(137,379)	2,531,502	(804,046)	(285,185)	428,418	349,999	8,235,588	(3,388,682)
Debt Service as a Percentage of										
Noncapital Expenditures	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

Source: CAFR Schedule B-2

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND OTHER LOCAL REVENUE BY SOURCE
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)

<u>Fiscal Year</u> <u>Ended June 30,</u>	<u>Interest on</u> <u>Investments</u>	<u>Tuition</u> <u>Revenue</u>	<u>Transportation</u> <u>Fees</u>	<u>Rents and</u> <u>Royalties</u>	<u>Miscellaneous</u>	<u>Total</u>
2020	\$ 42,989	\$ 15,366	\$ 183,969	\$ 48,000	\$ 37,873	\$ 328,197
2019	59,716	46,035	279,702	77,878	89,554	552,885
2018	27,919		294,265	72,995	(22,183)	372,996
2017	8,951	23,786	181,661	70,775	16,171	301,344
2016	4,549	37,531	227,202	54,571	155,353	479,206
2015	4,251	61,995	281,848	69,950	54,213	472,257
2014	12,874	1,733	313,510	12,874	75,316	416,307
2013	10	10,278	336,869		10,628	357,785
2012	9,176		306,962		43,445	359,583
2011	24,508	7,944	312,517		567,808	912,777

Source: District Records

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
ASSESSED VALUE AND ACTUAL VALUE OF TAXABLE PROPERTY
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Vacant Land	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Apartment	Total Assessed Value	Public Utilities ^a	Net Valuation Taxable	Total Direct School Tax Rate ^b	Estimated Actual County Equalized Value
2020	\$ 35,915,000	\$ 1,914,392,400	\$ 73,750,200	\$ 1,428,400	\$ 16,055,000	\$ 2,041,541,000	\$	\$ 2,041,541,000	\$ 0.894	\$ 2,143,204,136
2019	37,284,100	1,899,069,000	74,391,400	1,428,400	16,352,400	2,028,525,300		2,028,525,300	0.877	2,212,899,576
2018	37,900,300	1,892,074,100	74,836,100	1,428,400	16,352,400	2,022,591,300		2,022,591,300	0.914	2,175,267,199
2017	37,900,300	1,886,825,600	74,836,100	1,428,400	16,352,400	2,017,342,800		2,017,342,800	0.945	2,099,867,597
2016	54,030,900	2,209,240,950	80,962,400	1,604,100	16,162,400	2,362,000,750		2,362,000,750	0.813	2,245,034,455
2015	57,341,700	2,244,666,750	80,033,600	1,604,100	15,525,300	2,399,171,450	1,862,937	2,401,034,387	0.742	2,306,008,699
2014	55,587,800	2,305,924,150	80,719,500	1,604,100	16,553,400	2,460,388,950	1,784,440	2,462,173,390	0.777	2,354,489,177
2013	35,040,600	2,374,781,750	85,956,600	1,604,100	15,007,100	2,512,390,150	2,167,532	2,514,557,682	0.753	2,443,285,466
2012	38,194,100	2,437,719,950	84,926,100	1,604,100	15,426,700	2,577,870,950	2,575,478	2,580,446,428	0.733	2,627,150,899
2011	39,833,900	2,468,549,250	89,032,600	1,604,100	14,663,400	2,613,683,250	2,500,422	2,616,183,672	0.716	2,710,980,496

Source: District records Tax list summary & Municipal Tax Assessor

Note: Real property is required to be assessed at some percentage of true value (fair or market value) established by each county board of taxation.

Reassessment occurs when ordered by the County Board of Taxation

a Taxable Value of Machinery, Implements and Equipment of Telephone, Telegraph and Messenger System Companies

b Tax rates are per \$100

c Estimate

**CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING PROPERTY TAX RATES
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Rate Per \$100 of Assessed Value)
(UNAUDITED)**

Year Ended June 30,	Ventnor School District			Overlapping Rates		
	Basic Rate ^a	General Obligation Debt Service ^b	Total Direct	City of Ventnor	Atlantic County	Total
2020	\$ 0.827	\$ 0.067	\$ 0.894	\$ 1.135	\$ 0.562	\$ 2.591
2019	0.808	0.069	0.877	1.118	0.590	2.585
2018	0.844	0.070	0.914	1.121	0.599	2.634
2017	0.876	0.069	0.945	1.012	0.837	3.788
2016	0.754	0.059	0.813	1.012	0.846	3.799
2015	0.683	0.059	0.742	0.984	0.802	3.732
2014	0.717	0.060	0.777	0.998	1.255	4.113
2013	0.695	0.058	0.753	1.425	1.124	5.371
2012	0.677	0.056	0.733	1.497	1.073	5.300
2011	0.661	0.055	0.716	1.379	1.054	5.085

Source: District Records and Municipal Tax Collector

Note: NJSA 18A:7F-5d limits the amount that the District can submit for a general fund tax levy. The levy when added to other components of the District's net budget may not exceed the pre-budget year net budget by more than the spending growth limitation calculation.

a The District's basic tax rate is calculated from the A4F form which is submitted with the budget and the Net Valuation Taxable.

b Rates for debt service are based on each year's requirements.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
PRINCIPAL PROPERTY TAX PAYERS
CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEARS AGO
(UNAUDITED)

Taxpayer	2020		2011	
	Taxable Assessed Value	% of Total District Net Assessed Value	Taxable Assessed Value	% of Total District Net Assessed Value
Ventnor Loan LLC	\$ 12,509,900	0.62%	\$	
Taxpayer #1	4,754,800	0.24%	5,750,000	0.22%
Seascape Villa, LLC	4,417,300	0.23%		
111 S. Cornwall Assoc. LLC	4,238,400	0.22%	4,300,000	0.16%
Taxpayer #2	3,666,600	0.22%	4,700,000	0.18%
Taxpayer #3	3,137,000	0.21%	3,500,000	0.13%
Taxpayer #4	3,076,700	0.18%	3,377,500	0.13%
5806 Boardwalk LLC	3,063,000	0.17%		
Taxpayer #5	2,790,700	0.16%		
Taxpayer #6	2,606,800	0.15%		
Total	\$ 44,261,200	2.39%	\$ 21,627,500	0.83%

Source: District CAFR & Municipal Tax Assessor
 Not all of 2011 was available

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
PROPERTY TAX LEVIES AND COLLECTIONS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Taxes Levied for the Fiscal Year	Collected Within the Fiscal Year of the Levy		Collections in Subsequent Years
		Amount	% of Levy	
2020	\$ 16,400,478	\$ 16,400,478	100.00%	\$
2019	16,405,694	16,405,694	100.00%	
2018	17,705,694	16,230,219	91.67%	1,475,475
2017	17,734,656	17,734,656	100.00%	
2016	17,819,977	17,819,977	100.00%	
2015	17,819,977	17,819,977	100.00%	
2014	17,483,143	17,483,143	100.00%	
2013	17,483,143	17,483,143	100.00%	
2012	17,312,812	17,312,812	100.00%	
2011	17,142,480	17,142,480	100.00%	

Source: District records including the Certificate and Report of School Taxes (A4F form)

Note: School taxes are collected by the Municipal Tax Collector. Under New Jersey State Statute, a municipality is required to remit to the School District the entire property tax balance, the amount voted upon or certified prior to the end of the school year.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
RATIOS OF OUTSTANDING DEBT BY TYPE
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Governmental Activities			Business-Type Activities		Total District	Percentage of Personal Income ^a	Per Capita ^a
	General Obligation Bonds ^b	Capital Leases	Bond Anticipation Notes (BANs)	Capital Leases				
2011	\$ 13,173,000	\$ 172,915	\$	\$	\$	13,345,915	3.083%	\$ 1,256
2012	12,163,000	117,641				12,280,641	2.783%	1,160
2013	11,123,000	106,445				11,229,445	2.522%	1,065
2014	10,053,000	2,164,650				12,217,650	2.699%	1,167
2015	8,763,000	1,694,548				10,457,548	2.298%	1,012
2016	7,638,000	744,454				8,382,454	1.824%	817
2017	6,093,000	320,102				6,413,102	1.443%	672
2018	4,875,000					4,875,000	1.044%	488
2019	4,055,000					4,055,000	0.978%	460
2020	2,800,000					2,800,000	0.610%	286

Source: District CAFR Schedules I-2

Note: Details regarding the District's outstanding debt can be found in the notes to the financial statements.

- a** See Exhibit NJ J-14 for personal income and population data. These ratios are calculated using personal income and population for the prior calendar year.
- b** Includes Early Retirement Incentive Plan (ERIP) refunding

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
RATIOS OF NET GENERAL BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	General Bonded Debt Outstanding		Net General Bonded Debt Outstanding	Percentage of Actual Taxable Value ^a of Property	Per Capita ^b
	General Obligation Bonds	Deductions			
2011	\$ 13,173,000	\$	\$ 13,173,000	0.45%	\$ 1,240
2012	12,163,000		12,163,000	0.42%	1,148
2013	11,123,000		11,123,000	0.50%	1,054
2014	10,053,000		10,053,000	0.47%	961
2015	8,763,000		8,763,000	0.44%	848
2016	7,638,000		7,638,000	0.41%	751
2017	6,093,000		6,093,000	0.36%	605
2018	4,875,000		4,875,000	0.32%	488
2019	4,055,000		4,055,000	0.38%	405
2020	2,800,000		2,800,000	0.14%	286

Note: Details regarding the District's outstanding debt can be found in the notes to the financial statements.

a See Exhibit NJ J-6 for property tax data.

b Population data can be found in Exhibit NJ J-14.

If a District has resources that are restricted to repaying the principal of debt outstanding, these amounts should be shown in a separate column "Deductions" and be subtracted from the total, and the schedule should be named ratios of net general bonded debt outstanding.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
RATIOS OF OVERLAPPING GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES DEBT
AS OF JUNE 30, 2020
(UNAUDITED)

<u>Governmental Unit</u>	<u>Debt Outstanding</u>	<u>Estimated Percentage Applicable^a</u>	<u>Estimated Share of Overlapping Debt</u>
Debt Repaid with Property Taxes			
City of Ventnor	\$ 27,630,241	100.00%	\$ 27,630,241
Other Debt			
Atlantic County as of December 31, 2019	148,362,089	6.64%	9,844,747
Subtotal, Overlapping Debt			<u>37,474,988</u>
CITY OF VENTNOR School District Direct Debt			b 2,800,000
Total Direct and Overlapping Debt			<u><u>\$ 40,274,988</u></u>

Sources: Atlantic County Board of Taxation

Note: Overlapping governments are those that coincide, at least in part, with the geographic boundaries of the District. This schedule estimates the portion of the outstanding debt of those overlapping governments that is borne by the residents and businesses of Commercial. This process recognizes that, when considering the District's ability to issue and repay long-term debt, the entire debt burden borne by the residents and businesses should be taken into account. However this does not imply that every taxpayer is a resident, and therefore responsible for repaying the debt, of each overlapping payment.

a For debt repaid with property taxes, the percentage of overlapping debt applicable is estimated using taxable assessed property values. Applicable percentages were estimated by determining the portion of another governmental unit's taxable value that is within the District's boundaries and dividing it by each unit's total taxable value.

b Type I School District Debt

**CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
LEGAL DEBT MARGIN INFORMATION
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)**

Legal Debt Margin Calculation for Fiscal Year 2019

Equalized Valuation Basis	
2019	\$ 2,126,782,659
2018	2,203,039,333
2017	2,175,267,199
	<u>[A] \$ 6,505,089,191</u>
Average Equalized Valuation of Taxable Property	<u>[A/3] \$ 2,168,363,064</u>
Debt Limit (3% of Average Equalization Value)	<u>[B] \$ 65,050,892 a</u>
Net Bonded School Debt	<u>[C] 2,800,000</u>
Legal Debt Margin	<u>[B-C] \$ 62,250,892</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>	<u>2020</u>
Debt Limit	\$ 85,166,383	\$ 81,965,768	\$ 78,982,609	\$ 75,575,008	\$ 72,650,869	\$ 70,443,638	\$ 68,187,672	\$ 66,291,853	\$ 65,518,602	\$ 65,050,892
Total Net Debt Applicable to Limit	<u>13,173,000</u>	<u>12,163,000</u>	<u>11,123,000</u>	<u>10,053,000</u>	<u>8,763,000</u>	<u>7,683,000</u>	<u>6,093,000</u>	<u>4,875,000</u>	<u>4,055,000</u>	<u>2,800,000</u>
Legal Debt Margin	<u>\$ 16,503,752</u>	<u>\$ 69,802,768</u>	<u>\$ 67,859,609</u>	<u>\$ 65,522,008</u>	<u>\$ 63,887,869</u>	<u>\$ 62,760,638</u>	<u>\$ 62,094,672</u>	<u>\$ 61,416,853</u>	<u>\$ 61,463,602</u>	<u>\$ 62,250,892</u>
Total Net Debt Applicable to the Limit as a Percentage of Debt Limit	15%	4%	14%	13%	12%	11%	9%	7%	6%	4%

Source: Abstract of Ratables and District Records CAFR Schedule J-7

a Limit set by NJSA 18A:24-19 for a K through 8 District; other % limits would be applicable for other Districts

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
DEMOGRAPHIC AND ECONOMIC STATISTICS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)

<u>Year</u>	<u>Population</u> ^a	<u>Personal Income (thousands of dollars)</u> ^b	<u>Per Capita Personal Income</u> ^c	<u>Unemployment Rate</u> ^d
2020 *	9,796	\$ 459,272,242	\$ 46,883	4.1%
2019	9,895	470,848,648	46,837	4.3%
2018	9,984	467,149,213	46,790	4.9%
2017	10,070	459,507,725	46,557	7.0%
2016	10,175	455,544,925	44,771	8.5%
2015	10,329	455,023,437	44,053	10.2%
2014	10,466	452,591,704	43,244	10.7%
2013	10,549	445,178,349	42,201	13.6%
2012	10,591	441,263,424	41,664	13.0%
2011	10,624	432,864,256	40,744	12.8%

Source:

^a Population information provided by the NJ Dept of Labor and Workforce Development

^b Personal income

^c Per Capita

^d Unemployment data provided by the NJ Dept of Labor and Workforce Development

* Estimate

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
PRINCIPAL EMPLOYERS
CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEARS AGO
(UNAUDITED)

<u>Employer</u>	<u>2020</u>		<u>2011</u>	
	<u>Employees</u>	<u>Percentage of Total Employment</u>	<u>Employees</u>	<u>Percentage of Total Employment</u>
Borgata Hotel Casino and Spa	5,800	5.18%		
Harrah's	3,400	3.04%		
Tropicana	3,000	2.68%	Not Available	
Caesars	3,000	2.68%		
	<u>15,200</u>	<u>13.57%</u>		

Source:

**CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
 FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT DISTRICT EMPLOYEES BY FUNCTION/PROGRAM
 LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
 (UNAUDITED)**

<u>Function/Program</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>	<u>2020</u>
Instruction										
Regular	59.5	59.0	58.0	59.5	54.5	57.0	57.0	61.0	58.0	57.5
Special Education	9.5	15.5	16.0	16.0	13.0	12.0	12.0	17.0	20.0	16.5
Other Special Education	10.0	5.5	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Other Instruction	2.5	2.0	4.5	4.0	3.5	3.5	3.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
Support Services:										
Student & Instruction Related Services	24.5	19.0	19.5	17.5	24.5	22.0	22.0	22.5	21.5	32.0
General Administrative Services	2.0	2.0	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	1.5
School Administrative Services	8.0	7.0	9.0	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5
Business Administrative Services	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
Plant Operations and Maintenance	3.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
Pupil Transportation										
Food Service	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.0	6.0	5.5
Child Care	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Total	130.5	125.5	127.0	126.5	124.5	123.5	123.5	129.0	128.0	133.0

Source: District Personnel Records

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
OPERATING STATISTICS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
 (UNAUDITED)

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Enrollment</u>	<u>Operating Expenditures^a</u>	<u>Cost Per Pupil</u>	<u>Percentage Change</u>	<u>Teaching Staff^b</u>	<u>Pupil/Teacher Ratio Elementary/ Middle</u>	<u>Average Daily Enrollment (ADE)^c</u>	<u>Average Daily Attendance (ADA)^c</u>	<u>% Change in Average Daily Enrollment</u>	<u>Student Attendance Percentage</u>
2020	661	\$ 21,837,358	\$ 33,037	0.0579	81	8.2:1	626	605	-5.86%	96.65%
2019	656	21,487,353	32,755	0.0489	82	8:0:1	665	628	-4.32%	94.44%
2018	665	20,841,177	31,340	0.0035	81	8.2:1	665	628	-10.50%	94.44%
2017	698	21,798,085	31,229	0.0816	83	8.5:1	695	661	-6.46%	95.11%
2016	753	21,742,182	28,874	0.0458	82	9:1	743	708	-3.63%	95.29%
2015	778	21,480,882	27,610	0.0501	86	9.5:1	771	731	-4.70%	94.81%
2014	817	21,480,882	26,292	0.0198	80	10:1	809	771	-5.60%	95.30%
2013	872	22,481,766	25,782	0.0847	77	12:1	857	808	-4.03%	94.28%
2012	905	21,510,741	23,769	0.1265	77	12:1	893	851	-5.90%	95.30%
2011	987	20,825,590	21,100	-0.0464	82	11:1	949	896	-2.06%	94.42%

Sources: District records, ASSA

Note: Enrollment based on annual October district count.

- a Operating expenditures equal total expenditures less debt service and capital outlay; Schedule J-4
- b Teaching staff includes only full-time equivalents of certificated staff.
- c Average daily enrollment and average daily attendance are obtained from the School Register Summary (SRS).

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOOL BUILDING INFORMATION
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)

	<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>	<u>2020</u>
<u>District Building</u>										
<u>Ventnor Educational Community</u>										
Complex (1969)										
Square Feet	152,357	152,357	152,357	152,357	152,357	152,357	152,357	152,357	152,357	152,357
Capacity (Students)	1,063	1,063	1,063	1,063	1,063	1,063	1,063	1,063	1,063	1,063
Enrollment	987	905	872	817	778	753	698	665	656	661

Number of Schools at June 30, 2019
 Elementary/Middle School - 1

Source: District records, ASSA

Note: Year of original construction is shown in parentheses.
 Enrollment is based on the annual October District count.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND
SCHEDULE OF REQUIRED MAINTENANCE EXPENDITURES BY SCHOOL FACILITIES
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)

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

<u>School Facilities</u>	<u>Gross Square Footage</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
City of Ventnor School	152,357	\$ 579,519	603,302	574,675	458,818	357,166	367,584	262,596	246,110	161,065	150,140
Total School Facilities		579,519	603,302	574,675	458,818	357,166	367,584	262,596	246,110	161,065	150,140
Other Facilities											
Grand Total		\$ 579,519	603,302	574,675	458,818	357,166	367,584	262,596	246,110	161,065	150,140

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
INSURANCE SCHEDULE
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020
 (UNAUDITED)

Company	Type of Coverage	Coverage	Deductible
	School Package Policy		
	Property - Blanket Building & Contents	\$ 500,000,000	\$ 2,500
	Flood A & V Zones	25,000,000	500,000
	Extra Expense	50,000,000	
	Miscellaneous School Property	25,000,000	
	General Liability	\$5,000,000/Occur/Aggregate	
	Personal/Advertising Injury	5,000,000	
	Sexual Molestation	10,000,000	
	Employee Dishonesty	500,000	1,000
	Forgery/Alterations	50,000	1,000
	Automobile Liability		
	Comprehensive Automobile Liability	5,000,000	
	Uninsured Motorist	\$15,000/PP / \$30,000/Accident	
	Medical Payments	10,000	
	Physical Damage		1,000
	School Board Legal	\$5,000,000/Occur/Aggregate	5,000
	Cyber Liability	2,000,000	10,000
	Environmental Impairment	1,000,000	
	Excess Liability	5,000,000	
	Boiler & Machinery	100,000,000	2,500
	Flood Insurance		
	Property - Building	500,000	5,000
	Property - Contents	500,000	5,000
	Student Accident	1,000,000	
	Surety Bonds		
	Superintendent / Treasurer of School Monies	250,000	
	Board Secretary / Business Administrator	250,000	

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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

The Honorable President and
Members of the Board of Education
City of Ventnor School District
County of Atlantic, New Jersey 08406

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Board of Education of the City of Ventnor School District, in the County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Board of Education of the City of Ventnor School District's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 23, 2020.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the City of Ventnor Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing 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 City of Ventnor Board of Education's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City of Ventnor Board of Education's internal control.

A deficiency in internal control 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 misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis.

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

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

Compliance and Other Matters

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

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 City of Ventnor Board of Education's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the City of Ventnor Board of Education, the New Jersey State Department of Education and other state and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. However, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited.

Respectfully Submitted,

NIGHTLINGER, COLAVITA & VOLPA, PA



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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY UNIFORM GUIDANCE AND NEW JERSEY OMB CIRCULAR 15-08

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Honorable President and
Members of the Board of Education
City of Ventnor School District
County of Atlantic, New Jersey 08406

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal and State Program

We have audited the Board of Education of the City of Ventnor School District, in the County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey, compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the OMB Compliance Supplement and the New Jersey State Aid/Grant Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on each of the City of Ventnor School District's major federal and state programs for the year ended June 30, 2020. The City of Ventnor 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 federal and state statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal and state awards applicable to its federal and state programs.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the City of Ventnor Board of Education's major federal and state programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, and the audit requirements of *Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance)* as prescribed by the *Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, and New Jersey Treasury Circular OMB 15-08*. Those standards, *Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB 15-08*, require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal and state program occurred.

An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the City of Ventnor 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. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of City of Ventnor Board of Education's compliance.

Opinion on Each Major Federal and State Program

In our opinion, the Board of Education of the City of Ventnor School District, in the County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey, complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on its major federal and state programs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2020.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of the City of Ventnor School District's 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 City of Ventnor Board of Education's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal or state program as a basis for designing auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance for each major federal or state program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB Treasury 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 City of Ventnor Board of Education's internal control over compliance.

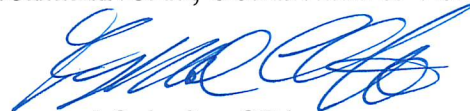
A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect and correct noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal or state program on a timely basis. A *material weakness in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance; such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal or state program will not be prevented or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or 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 the 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, as defined above or any instance of deficiency in internal control over compliance that we have to report to the Board of Education in a separate report entitled ***Auditors' Management Report on Administrative Findings - Financial, Compliance and Performance*** dated December 23, 2020. 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 Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB 15-08. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the City of Ventnor Board of Education, the New Jersey State Department of Education, other state and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. However, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited.

Respectfully Submitted,
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December 23, 2020

**CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS - Schedule A
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020**

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/ Program Title	Federal CFDA Number	Federal FAIN Number	Grant or State Project Number	Program or Award Amount	Grant Period		Balance at July 1, 2019	Cash Received	Budgetary Expenditures Pass Through Funds	Budgetary Expenditures Direct	Total Budgetary Expenditures (A)	Adjustment / Repayment of Prior Year Balance	Balance at June 30, 2020		
					From	To							(Accounts Receivable)	Unearned Revenue	Due to Grantor
U.S. Department of Education															
General Fund															
Medicaid Assistance Program	93.778	2005NJ5MAP	N/A	\$ 13,180	7/1/19	6/30/20		\$ 13,180	\$ (13,180)		\$ (13,180)				
Total General Fund								13,180	(13,180)		(13,180)				
U.S. Department of Agriculture															
Passed-through State Department of Education:															
Enterprise Fund:															
Child Nutrition Cluster:															
Cash Assistance:															
School Breakfast Program	10.553	201NJ304N1099	N/A	43,980	7/1/19	6/30/20		42,059	(43,980)		(43,980)		\$ (1,921)		
School Breakfast Program	10.553	191NJ304N1099	N/A	45,189	7/1/18	6/30/19	\$ (3,783)	3,783							
National School Lunch Program	10.555	201NJ304N1099	N/A	116,297	7/1/19	6/30/20		113,302	(116,297)		(116,297)		(2,995)		
National School Lunch Program	10.555	191NJ304N1099	N/A	157,610	7/1/18	6/30/19	(10,988)	10,988							
School Snack Program	10.555	191NJ304N1099	N/A	2,619	7/1/19	6/30/20		2,619	(2,619)		(2,619)				
Health Hunger for Kids Act.	10.555	201NJ304N1099	N/A	2,798	7/1/19	6/30/20		2,736	(2,798)		(2,798)		(62)		
Health Hunger for Kids Act.	10.555	191NJ304N1099	N/A	3,172	7/1/18	6/30/19	(234)	234							
Non-Cash Assistance:															
Food Distribution Program	10.565	Unknown	N/A	15,633	7/1/19	6/30/20		15,633	(13,134)		(13,134)			\$ 2,499	
Food Distribution Program	10.565	Unknown	N/A	16,571	7/1/18	6/30/19	1,790	(1,790)			(1,790)				
Total Enterprise Fund								(13,215)	191,354	(180,618)	(180,618)		(4,978)	2,499	
U.S. Department of Education															
Passed-through State Department of Education:															
Special Revenue Fund:															
E.S.E.A.:															
Title I, Part A	84.010A	S010A190030	ESEA0950-20	486,054	7/1/19	9/30/20		343,229	(436,564)		(436,564)		(93,335)		
Title I, Part A	84.010A	S010A180030	ESEA0950-19	522,447	7/1/18	6/30/19	(178,816)	177,635				\$ 1,181			
Title I, Part A (Reallocated)	84.010A	S010A190030	ESEA0950-20	7,641	7/1/19	9/30/20		4,947	(4,947)		(4,947)				
Title I, SIA Part A	84.010A	S010A190030	ESEA0950-20	104,997	7/1/19	9/30/20		96,397	(101,356)		(101,356)		(4,959)		
Title II, Part A Teachers and Prin	84.367A	S367A190029	ESEA0950-20	98,444	7/1/19	9/30/20		23,966	(25,436)		(25,436)		(1,470)		
Title II, Part A Teachers and Prin	84.367A	S367A180029	ESEA0950-19	89,561	7/1/18	6/30/19	(6,350)	6,075				275			
Title III A English language Enha	84.365A	S365A190030	ESEA0950-20	11,742	7/1/19	9/30/20		7,678	(11,336)		(11,336)		(3,658)		
Title III A English language Enha	84.365A	S365A180030	ESEA0950-19	11,059	7/1/18	6/30/19	(6,441)	6,079				362			
Title IV	84.424A	S424A190031	ESEA0950-20	6,525	7/1/19	9/30/20		1,583	(1,634)		(1,634)		(51)		
Title IV	84.424A	S424A180031	ESEA0950-19	10,000	7/1/18	6/30/19	(1,230)	1,505				(275)			
IDEA Cluster:															
I.D.E.A. Part B Basic	84.027	H027A190100	IDEA0950-20	208,357	7/1/19	9/30/20		208,357	(208,357)		(208,357)				
I.D.E.A. Part B Basic	84.027	H027A180100	IDEA0950-19	209,198	7/1/18	6/30/19	(20,919)	20,919							
I.D.E.A. Part B, Pre-school	84.173	H173A190114	IDEAPS0950-20	7,608	7/1/19	9/30/20		7,608	(7,608)		(7,608)				
I.D.E.A. Part B, Pre-school	84.173	H173A180114	IDEAPS0950-19	7,545	7/1/18	6/30/19	(977)	977							
CARES ACT 2020/ESSER	84.425D	S425D200027	CARES0950-20	357,511	3/13/20	9/30/22			(271,658)		(271,658)		(271,658)		
U.S. Department of Treasury															
Passed-through State Department of Education:															
Coronavirus Relief Fund Grant	21.019	Unknown	CRF-0950-20	83,026	3/1/20	12/30/20			(11,615)		(11,615)		(11,615)		
Total Special Revenue Fund								(214,733)	906,955	(1,080,511)	(1,080,511)	1,543	(386,746)		
Total Federal Financial Awards								\$ (227,948)	\$ 1,111,489	\$ (1,274,309)	\$ (1,274,309)	\$ 1,543	\$ (391,724)	\$ 2,499	\$

(A) There were no awards passed through to subrecipients.

The accompanying Notes to Schedules of Expenditures of Awards and Financial Assistance are an integral part of this schedule. These funds were audited in accordance with the Uniform Guidance since the total of all grant expenditures exceeded \$750,000.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
(A Component Unit of the City of Ventnor)
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE - Schedule B
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

State Grantor/Program Title	Grant or State Project Number	Program or Award Amount	Grant Period		Balance at June 30, 2019			Cash Received	Budgetary Expenditures	Adjustment / Repayment of Prior Year Balance	Balance at June 30, 2020			MEMO	
			From	To	(Accounts Receivable)	Unearned Revenue	Carryover Amount				(Accounts Receivable)	Unearned Revenue	Due To Grantor	Budgetary Receivable	Cumulative Total Expenditures
State Department of Education:															
General Fund:															
Special Education Aid	20-495-034-5120-089	701,056	7/1/19	6/30/20				\$ 653,619	\$ (701,056)		\$ (47,437)		* \$ (47,437)	\$ 701,056	
Special Education Aid	19-495-034-5120-089	701,056	7/1/18	6/30/19	\$ (48,292)		48,292								
Transportation Aid	20-495-034-5120-014	417,427	7/1/19	6/30/20			389,182	(417,427)			(28,245)		* (28,245)	417,427	
Transportation Aid	19-495-034-5120-014	417,427	7/1/18	6/30/19	(28,755)		28,755								
Security Aid	20-495-034-5120-084	344,749	7/1/19	6/30/20			321,421	(344,749)			(23,328)		* (23,328)	344,749	
Security Aid	19-495-034-5120-084	344,749	7/1/18	6/30/19	(23,748)		23,748								
Adjustment Aid	20-495-034-5120-085	480,568	7/1/19	6/30/20			448,050	(480,568)			(32,518)		* (32,518)	480,568	
Adjustment Aid	19-495-034-5120-085	564,526	7/1/18	6/30/19	(38,888)		38,888								
Extraordinary Aid	20-100-034-5120-044	88,834	7/1/19	6/30/20				(88,834)			(88,834)		*	88,834	
Extraordinary Aid	19-100-034-5120-044	60,861	7/1/18	6/30/19	(60,861)		60,861								
Non-public Transportation Aid	20-495-034-5120-014	5,110	7/1/19	6/30/20				(5,110)			(5,110)		*	5,110	
Non-public Transportation Aid	19-495-034-5120-014	10,650	7/1/18	6/30/19	(10,150)		10,150								
Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contrib	20-495-034-5094-003	513,987	7/1/19	6/30/20			488,721	(513,987)			(25,266)		*	513,987	
On-Behalf TPAF Pension Contribution	20-495-034-5094-002	1,383,732	7/1/19	6/30/20			1,383,732	(1,383,732)					*	1,383,732	
On-Behalf TPAF Post Retirement Medical	20-495-034-5094-001	513,339	7/1/19	6/30/20			513,339	(513,339)					*	513,339	
On-Behalf Long-term Disability	20-495-034-5094-004	391	7/1/19	6/30/20			391	(391)					*	391	
Total General Fund					(210,694)		4,409,149	(4,449,193)			(250,738)			(131,528)	4,449,193
Special Revenue Fund:															
Preschool Education Aid	20-495-034-5120-086	1,052,146	7/1/19	6/30/20			958,589	(1,063,853)			(93,557)	\$ 20,790	*	(93,557)	1,063,853
Preschool Education Aid	19-495-034-5120-086	755,859	7/1/18	6/30/19	(75,586)	\$32,497	75,586	(32,497)							
Total Special Revenue Fund					(75,586)	32,497	1,034,175	(1,063,853)			(93,557)	20,790		(93,557)	1,063,853
State Department of Agriculture:															
Enterprise Fund:															
School Lunch Prog.	20-100-010-3350-023	2,876	7/1/19	6/30/20			2,119	(2,876)			(757)		*	2,876	
School Lunch Prog.	19-100-010-3350-023	3,223	7/1/18	6/30/19	(211)		211								
Total Enterprise Fund					(211)		2,330	(2,876)			(757)			2,876	
Total State Financial Assistance					\$ (286,491)	\$32,497	\$ 5,445,654	\$ (5,515,922)			\$ (345,052)	\$ 20,790		\$ (225,085)	\$ 5,515,922
Less: On-Behalf TPAF Pension System Contributions															
On-Behalf TPAF Pension Contribution	20-495-034-5094-002	1,383,732	7/1/19	6/30/20			\$ 1,383,732	\$ (1,383,732)							
On-Behalf TPAF Post Retirement Medical	20-495-034-5094-001	513,339	7/1/19	6/30/20			513,339	(513,339)							
On-Behalf Long-term Disability	20-495-034-5094-004	391	7/1/19	6/30/20			391	(391)							
Total State Financial Assistance - Major Program Determination							\$ 3,548,192	\$ (3,618,460)							

The accompanying Notes to Schedules of Expenditures of Awards and Financial Assistance are an integral part of this schedule.

VENTNOR BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOTES TO THE SCHEDULES OF AWARDS
AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
JUNE 30, 2020

NOTE 1: GENERAL

The accompanying schedules of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance include federal and state award activity of the Board of Education, Ventnor School District. The Board of Education is defined in Note 1 to the Board's basic financial statements. All federal and state awards received directly from federal and state agencies, as well as federal awards and state financial assistance passed through other government agencies is included on the schedules of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance.

NOTE 2: BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The accompanying schedules of expenditures of awards and financial assistance are presented on the budgetary basis of accounting with the exception of programs recorded in the food service fund, which are presented using the accrual basis of accounting. These bases of accounting are described in Note 2 to the Board's basic financial statements. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of 2 CFR 200-Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards and New Jersey Treasury Circular OMB 15-08. Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the basic financial statements. The District has elected not to use the 10-percent de minimis indirect cost rate allowed under Uniform Guidance.

NOTE 3: RELATIONSHIP TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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

The general fund is presented in the accompanying schedules on the modified accrual basis with the exception of the revenue recognition of the one or more deferred June state aid payments in the current budget year, which is mandated pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:22-44.2. For GAAP purposes payments are not recognized until the subsequent budget year due to the state deferral and recording of the one or more June 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, whereas the GAAP basis does not. The special revenue fund also recognizes the one or more state aid June 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 \$8,155 for the general fund and (\$285,158) for the special revenue fund. See Note A (Notes to Required Supplemental Information) for a reconciliation of the budgetary basis to the modified accrual basis of accounting for the general and special revenue funds. Awards and financial assistance revenues are reported in the Board's basic financial statements on a GAAP basis as presented below:

VENTNOR BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOTES TO THE SCHEDULES OF AWARDS
AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
JUNE 30, 2020
(Continued)

NOTE 3: RELATIONSHIP TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONT'D)

	<u>Federal</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Total</u>
General Fund	\$ 13,180	\$ 4,457,348	\$ 4,470,528
Special Revenue Fund	813,324	1,045,882	1,859,206
Food Service Fund	180,618	2,876	183,494
Total Awards & Financial Assistance	<u>\$ 1,007,122</u>	<u>\$ 5,506,106</u>	<u>\$ 6,513,228</u>

NOTE 4: RELATIONSHIP TO FEDERAL AND STATE FINANCIAL REPORTS

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

NOTE 5: FEDERAL AND STATE LOANS OUTSTANDING

The Ventnor School District had no outstanding loans as of June 30, 2020.

NOTE 6: OTHER

Revenues and expenditures reported under the Food Distribution Program represent current year value received and current year distributions respectively. The amount reported as TPAF Pension Contributions represents the amount paid by the state on behalf of the District for the year ended June 30, 2020. TPAF Social Security Contributions represents the amount reimbursed by the state for the employer's share of social security contributions for TPAF members for the year ended June 30, 2020.

NOTE 7: SCHOOLWIDE PROGRAM FUNDS

As the District's Federal Programs are on a targeted student group basis, there are no schoolwide programs in the District.

NOTE 8: MAJOR PROGRAMS

Major programs are identified in the Summary of Auditor's Results Section of the Schedule of Findings and Questioned Cost.

NOTE 9: ADJUSTMENTS

There was a net adjustment of \$1,543 reflected on Schedule A of Federal Awards and no adjustments on Schedule B for State Financial Assistance.

CITY OF VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

Section I - Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements

Type of auditor's report issued: Unmodified

Internal control over financial reporting:

- 1) Material weakness (es) identified? _____ yes X no
- 2) Significant deficiencies identified? _____ yes X none reported

Noncompliance material to basic financial statements noted? _____ yes X no

Federal Awards

Internal control over major programs:

- 1) Material weakness (es) identified? _____ yes X no
- 2) Significant deficiencies identified? _____ 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 2 CFR section .516(a)? _____ yes X no

Identification of major programs:

<u>CFDA Number(s)</u>	<u>FAIN Number(s)</u>	<u>Name of Federal Program or Cluster</u>
84.010	S010A190030	Title IA, Title I SIA, Title I Reallocated

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs (section .518): \$750,000

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? X yes _____ no

VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020
(continued)

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

State Awards

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs: \$750,000

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? X yes _____ no

Internal control over major programs:

1) Material weakness (es) identified? _____ yes X no

2) Significant deficiencies identified that
are not considered to be material
weaknesses? _____ yes X none
reported

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

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to
be reported in accordance with NJ OMB
Circular Letter 15-08 as applicable? _____ yes X no

Identification of major programs:

GMIS Number(s)	Name of State Program
20-495-034-5120-086	Preschool Education Aid

VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020
(continued)

Section II - Financial Statement Findings

This section identifies the significant deficiencies, material weakness, fraud, noncompliance with provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, and abuse related to the financial statements for which Government Auditing Standards requires reporting and with audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey that requires reporting in the Uniform Guidance, New Jersey OMB Treasury Circular 15-08 audit.

Finding: N/A

Criteria or specific requirement:

Condition:

Context:

Effect:

Cause:

Recommendation:

Views of responsible officials and planned corrective actions:

VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020
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Section III - Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance
Findings and Questioned Costs

This section identifies audit findings required to be reported by 2 CFR 200 section .516 of the *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* and NJOMB Circular Letter 15-08, as applicable.

FEDERAL AWARDS **N/A**

STATE AWARDS **N/A**

VENTNOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS AS
PREPARED BY MANAGEMENT
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

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 Chapter 6.12 of *Government Auditing Standards*, US OMB *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* section .511(a) (b) and New Jersey OMB's Treasury Circular 15-08.

STATUS OF PRIOR - YEAR FINDINGS **N/A**