

Annual Comprehensive Financial Report

of the

Township of Middle Board of Education

Cape May County, New Jersey

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2025

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Introductory Section



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December 1, 2025

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Members of the Board of Education
Middle Township Public Schools
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Dear Board Members:

The Annual Comprehensive Financial Report of the Middle Township School District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2025 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 to the best of my knowledge have been included.

The Annual Comprehensive 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 principal officials. The Financial Section includes the basic financial statements and schedules, 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, OMB Circular Uniform Guidance and NJ OMB 15-08, *Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid*. Information related to this single audit, including the auditor's report on the internal control structure and compliance with applicable laws and regulations and findings and recommendations, is included in the Single Audit Section of this report.

1. REPORTING ENTITY AND ITS SERVICES:

Middle Township School District is an independent reporting entity within the criteria adopted by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) as established by the National Council on Governmental Accounting (NCGA) Statement No. 3. All funds of the District are included in this report. The Middle Township Board of Education and all its schools constitute the District's reporting entity.

The District provides a full range of educational services appropriate to grade levels K through 12. These include regular, special education, gifted and talented, and basic skills programs. The District completed the 2022-23 fiscal year with an enrollment of 2546 students.

The following details the changes in the student enrollment over the last five years:

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Student Enrollment</u>	<u>Percent Change</u>
2024-2025	2,534	0.28%
2023-2024	2,527	-0.75%
2022-2023	2,546	0.83%
2021-2022	2,525	3.27%
2020-2021	2,445	-3.32%

2. ECONOMIC CONDITION AND OUTLOOK:

Middle Township (along with the State) is experiencing minimal economic growth due to national economic conditions, which is not expected to change significantly in the future. The ratable base for the past ten years is as follows:

<u>Net Valuation Taxable</u>			
<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>Percent Change</u>
2024	2,896,101,948	43,912,555	1.56%
2023	2,852,189,393	37,278,911	1.34%
2022	2,814,910,482	33,630,262	1.22%
2021	2,781,280,220	15,499,074	0.56%
2020	2,765,781,146	5,335,225	0.19%
2019	2,760,445,921	14,928,295	0.54%
2018	2,745,517,626	5,541,503	0.20%
2017	2,739,976,123	12,860,018	0.47%
2016	2,727,116,105	6,816,205	0.25%
2015	2,720,299,900	(5,341,839)	-0.20%
2014	2,725,641,739	18,142,242	0.67%

The Township is poised for significant growth in residential construction over the next several years, with more than 1,500 new homes planned across multiple development projects. Despite this expansion, resale activity continues to drive the ratable base, as property values remain elevated and in many cases overvalued relative to market fundamentals.

3. MAJOR INITIATIVES:

During the 2024-2025 school year, the Middle Township School District focused on the attainment of specific objectives:

District

The March 8, 2018 referendum projects are basically complete. Elementary #1 construction and renovation projects at 99% complete at the end of 2022-23 school year with the closeout of the parking lot remediation which is expected in 2026.

Facility improvements have also supported program growth. The refurbishment of the former Woodshop into a STEAM lab has allowed the launch of a Robotics team, which now competes in regional competitions. Similarly, the E-Sports team continues to build on its successes, welcoming new members and competing year-round.

4. 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 are compiled to allow for the preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP).

The internal control structure is designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that these objectives are met. The concept of reasonable assurance recognizes that: (1) the cost of a control should not exceed the benefits likely to be derived; and (2) the valuation of costs and benefits requires estimates and judgments by management.

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

5. BUDGETARY CONTROLS:

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

An encumbrance accounting system is used to record outstanding purchase commitments on a line item basis. Open encumbrances at year-end are either canceled or are included as re-appropriations of fund balance in the subsequent year. Those amounts to be re-appropriated are reported as reservations of fund balance at June 30, 2024.

6. 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. These funds explained in "Notes to the Financial Statements," Note 1.

7. FINANCIAL INFORMATION AT FISCAL YEAR END:

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

8. DEBT ADMINISTRATION:

Principal payments began in July of 2018 on the General obligation bonds for \$24,645,000 that were sold in July, 2017 to fund the referendum projects approved March 8, 2016. Principal paid for the 2024-2025 year was \$1,050,000.

On September 17, 2024, the District held a referendum that proposed several capital improvement projects: expansion and renovation at Elementary School #1 to add Pre-K classrooms and replace HVAC systems; construction of a new second-grade wing at Elementary School #2; and major renovations at Memorial Field, including installation of a turf field, new grandstand and press box, upgraded lighting, and fencing.

The referendum did not pass, leaving the District with no choice but to condemn the existing grandstand and lighting at Memorial Field due to safety concerns. Efforts to secure alternate funding for a scaled-down project were pursued but ultimately unsuccessful.

Middle Township Elementary #1

The District's Literacy Program is now in its third year of implementation, and significant progress continues to be achieved. Building on this success, the instructional team at Elementary School #1 has been tasked with evaluating a new mathematics program for potential implementation in the 2024–25 school year.

Parent engagement remains a central focus. In-person parent nights have returned, with Elementary School #1 hosting a variety of involvement opportunities, including sessions on Math, Reading, STEM, and Family Movie Nights. These programs strengthen the home–school connection and support student learning beyond the classroom.

Middle Township Elementary #2

A major focus this year has been ensuring equitable STEM opportunities for all students across the District. At Elementary School #2, teachers concentrated on curriculum development for the new literacy series, now in its second year of implementation. In addition, Elementary School #2 staff collaborated with colleagues at Elementary School #1 to evaluate a new mathematics program for potential adoption in the 2024–25 school year.

Beyond the classroom, student engagement has been enriched through after-school programming. One of the most notable activities is the annual musical drama production, which provides more than 200 students the opportunity to perform on stage. For the 2024–25 school year, the production was *Frozen*, showcasing the talents of a broad cross-section of the student body and reinforcing the District's commitment to fostering creativity and collaboration.

Middle Township Middle School (Elementary #4)

The Middle School continues to refine its schedule and expand elective offerings to enrich the student experience. A key feature of this effort is the daily Panther Block, which provides students with targeted support in subjects they find challenging, as well as opportunities to explore fun and engaging activities such as guitar lessons and video gaming. This structure helps students begin each day on a positive note, fostering readiness to learn and promoting both academic growth and personal development.

Middle Township High School

The High School continues to expand academic and extracurricular opportunities for students. Advanced Placement courses and dual-credit partnerships with Atlantic Cape Community College and Stockton University provide rigorous pathways for college readiness. In addition, the academy approach offers specialized tracks in Performing Arts, Computer STEM, Medical and Health, and Business.

To further enhance student learning, new subjects are regularly introduced, with Criminal Justice added to the curriculum this year. The Early College Pathway with ACCC remains a cornerstone program, enabling students to earn an Associate's degree alongside their high school diploma. Since its inception in 2020–21, more than 36 students have successfully graduated with both degrees.

9. CASH MANAGEMENT:

The investment policy of the District is guided in large part by state statute as detailed in "Notes to Financial Statements," Note 2. 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. The law requires governmental units to deposit funds only in public depositories located in New Jersey, where the funds are secured in accordance with the Act.

10. RISK MANAGEMENT:

Middle Township Board of Education carries various forms of insurance, including but not limited to general liability, automobile liability and comprehensive/collision, hazard and theft insurance on property and contents, and fidelity bonds.

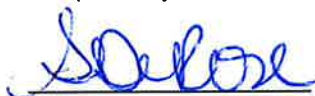
11. OTHER INFORMATION:

A. Independent Audit - State statutes require an annual audit by independent certified public accountants or registered municipal accountants. The accounting firm of Ford, Scott & Associates, L.L.C., CPAs was selected by the Board. In addition to meeting the requirements set forth in state statutes, the audit also was designed to meet the requirements of the Single Audit Act of 1996, OMB Circular Uniform Guidance and NJ OMB 15-08, *Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid*. The auditor's report on the general-purpose financial statements and combining and individual fund statements and schedules is included in the financial section of this report. The auditor's reports related specifically to the single audit are included in the single audit section of this report.

12. ACKNOWLEDGMENTS:

This report was completed through the combined efforts of the Assistant Supervisor of Accounts and other accounting staff whose efforts are very much appreciated.

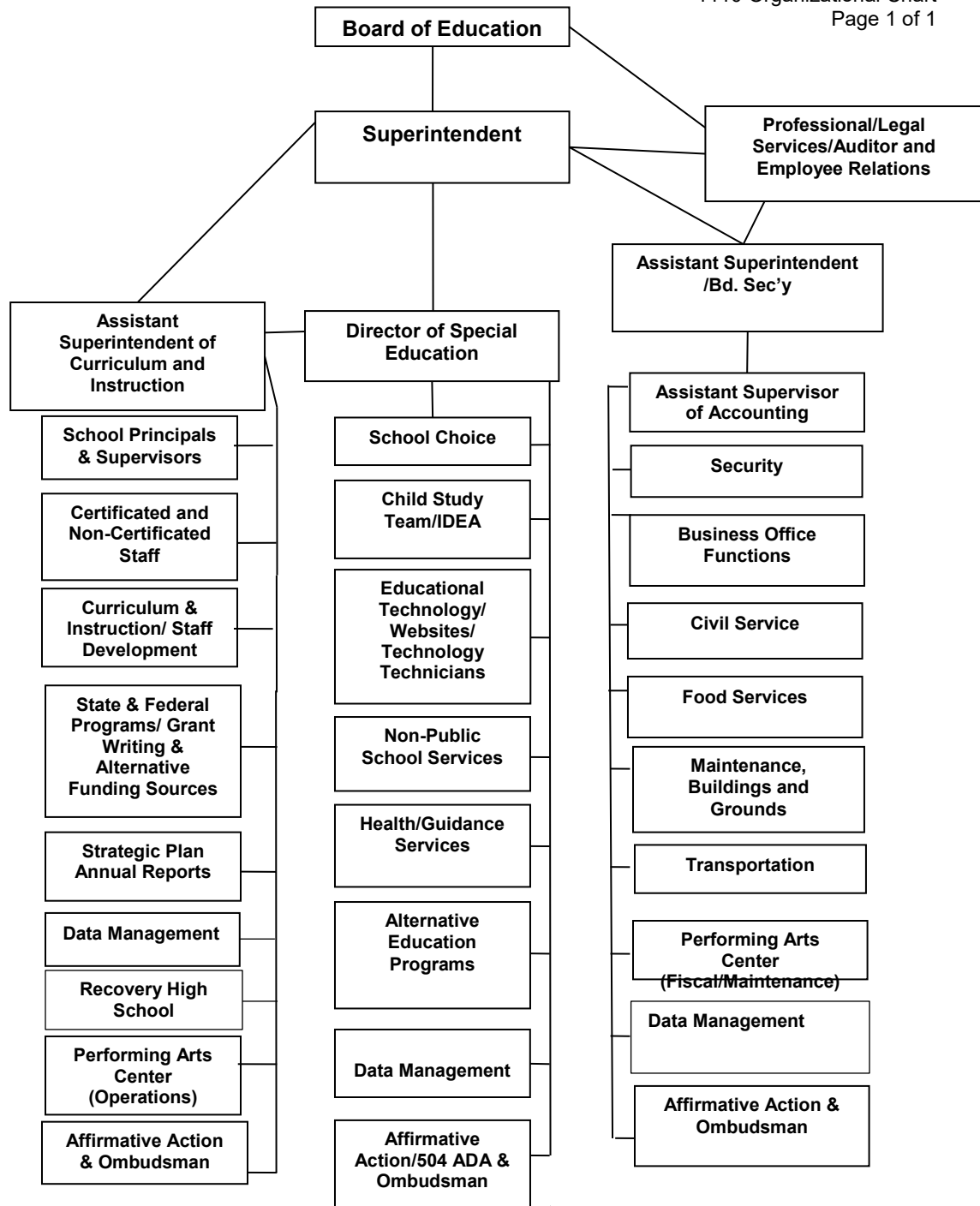
Respectfully submitted,



Stephanie DeRose
Superintendent



Dr. Diane Fox
Board Secretary/School Business Administrator



Adopted May 20, 1999
Amended July 21, 2005
Amended January 17, 2008
Amended June 18, 2009
Amended October 15, 2015
Amended June 9, 2022

In the absence of the Superintendent, the Assistant Superintendent is responsible for district operations.

In the absence of the Superintendent and the Assistant Superintendent, the Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction is responsible for district operations.

In the absence of the Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent, and the Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction, Director of Special Education is responsible for district operations.

**TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

COUNTY OF CAPE MAY, NEW JERSEY

**ROSTER OF OFFICIALS
JUNE 30, 2025**

Members of the Board of Education

Term Expires

Stephanie Thomas, President	2026
David Del Conte, Jr., Vice-President	2025-resigned 10/17/24
George DeLollis, Vice-President	2024-appointed VP 10/17/24
Brian Vergantino, Vice-President	Resigned 8/1/2024, reappointed 9/19/24, appointed VP 1/2/2025
Samuel Caraballo	2027
Lindsey Tyler DeLollis	2025-appointed 12/12/24
Burgess Hamer	2025
Kathleen (Kindle) Orlando	Term ended 12/31/24
Cheryl McHale	2025
Christopher Ingersoll	2026
Krista Ostrander	Term began 1/2/2025 to 2027
Jonathan Hand	2026
Claudia Miller, Dennis Township Board Member Representative	2025

SUPERINTENDENT

Dr. David Salvo - Retired 6/30/2024
Stephanie DeRose - Effective 7/1/2025

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR / BOARD SECRETARY

Dr. Diane S. Fox

**TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

COUNTY OF CAPE MAY, NEW JERSEY

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JUNE 30, 2025**

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Independent Auditor's Report

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Report on the Audit of Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Middle Township School District, in the County of Cape May, New Jersey, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2025, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Middle Township School District, as of June 30, 2025, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the fiscal year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinions

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS), the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and the audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Middle Township School District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Responsibility of Management 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, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatements, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Middle Township School District's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements, as a whole, are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards* and audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from an error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgement made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards* and audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, we:

- exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of the internal control relevant to the audit 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, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether in our judgement there are conditions or events considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the entity's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charge with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control – related matters that we identified during the audit.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Required Supplementary Information identified in the table of contents be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Middle Township School District's basic financial statements. The combining and individual non-major fund financial statements and schedule of expenditures of federal awards as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance) and the schedule of state financial assistance as required by NJ OMB 15-08 and the introductory and statistical sections are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the 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, schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by the Uniform Guidance, and the schedule of state financial assistance as required by NJ OMB 15-08 is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included in the Annual Comprehensive Financial Report. The other information comprises of the introductory and statistical sections and 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 it.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 1, 2025, on our consideration of the Middle Township School District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity'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 Middle Township School District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Ford, Scott & Associates, L.L.C.

FORD, SCOTT & ASSOCIATES, L.L.C.
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Leon P. Costello

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Certified Public Accountant
Licensed Public School Accountant
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December 1, 2025

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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION – PART I

**TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2025
UNAUDITED**

The discussion and analysis of Township of Middle School District's financial performance provides an overall review of the School District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2025. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the School District's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the basic financial statements and notes to enhance their understanding of the School District's financial performance.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for 2025 are as follows:

- In total, net position increased \$472,046.40, which represents a 2.70 percent increase from 2024.
- General revenues accounted for \$43,778,689.18 in revenue or 72 percent of all revenues. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services and operating and capital grants and contributions accounted for \$17,167,597.23 or 28 percent of total revenues of \$60,946,286.41.
- Total assets and deferred outflows of resources of governmental activities decreased by \$827,576.95 as cash, cash equivalents and investments increased by \$1,076,586.43, receivables decreased by \$927,380.78, deferred outflows of resources decreased by \$26,967.00, right to use leased assets decreased \$35,935.74 and capital assets decreased by \$913,020.72.
- The School District had \$60,488,052.82 in expenses; only \$17,167,597.23 of these expenses was offset by program specific charges for services, grants or contributions. General revenues (primarily taxes and state aid) of \$43,778,689.18 were adequate to provide for these programs.
- Among governmental funds, the General Fund had \$58,857,837.50 in revenues and other financing sources and \$59,019,216.46 in expenditures and other uses. The General Fund's fund balance decreased \$161,378.96 over 2024.

Using this Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR)

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

The Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities provide information about the activities of the whole School district, presenting both an aggregate view of the School district's finances and a longer-term view of those finances. Fund financial statements provide the next level of detail. For governmental funds, these statements tell how services were financed in the short-term as well as what remains for future spending. The fund financial statements also look at the School district's most significant funds with all other non-major funds presented in total in one column. In the case of Township of Middle District, the General Fund is by far the most significant fund.

**TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2025
UNAUDITED (CONTINUED)**

Reporting the School District as a Whole

Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities

While this document contains the large number of funds used by the School District to provide programs and activities, the view of the School District as a whole looks at all financial transactions and ask the question, "How did we do financially during 2025?" The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities answer this question. These statements include all assets and liabilities using the accrual basis of accounting similar to the accounting used by most private-sector businesses. This basis of accounting takes into account all of the current year's revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid.

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

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

- **Governmental Activities** - All of the School District's programs and services are reported here including instruction, support services, operation and maintenance of plant facilities, pupil transportation and extracurricular activities.
- **Business-Type Activity** - This service is provided on a charge for goods or services basis to recover all the expenses of the goods or services provided. The Food Service and Performing Arts Center enterprise funds are reported as business activities.

Reporting the School District's Most Significant Funds

Fund Financial Statements

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

Governmental Funds

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

Enterprise Fund

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

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Notes to the Financial Statements

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

The School District as a Whole

Recall that the Statement of Net Position provides the perspective of the School District as a whole. Net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position.

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

Table 1 provides a summary of the School District's Net Position for 2025 and 2024.

**Table 1
Net Position**

	2025	2024
Assets		
Current and Other Assets	\$ 11,621,723.53	11,509,312.76
Capital Assets	36,564,687.96	37,477,708.68
Total Assets	48,186,411.49	48,987,021.44
Deferred Outflows of Resources		
Deferred Outflows Related to Pensions	240,402.00	267,369.00
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	240,402.00	267,369.00
Liabilities		
Long-Term Liabilities	26,039,582.28	27,563,791.02
Other Liabilities	3,975,220.12	3,640,009.73
Total Liabilities	30,014,802.40	31,203,800.75
Deferred Outflows of Resources		
Deferred Outflows Related to Pensions	447,315.00	557,940.00
Net Position		
Net Investment in Capital Assets	18,441,085.09	18,289,668.31
Restricted	6,983,131.96	7,308,881.44
Unrestricted	(7,459,520.96)	(8,105,900.06)
Total Net Position	\$ 17,964,696.09	17,492,649.69

The District's combined net position was \$17,964,696.09 on June 30, 2025. This was an increase of 2.70 percent from the prior year.

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Table 2 shows changes in Net Position for fiscal year 2025.

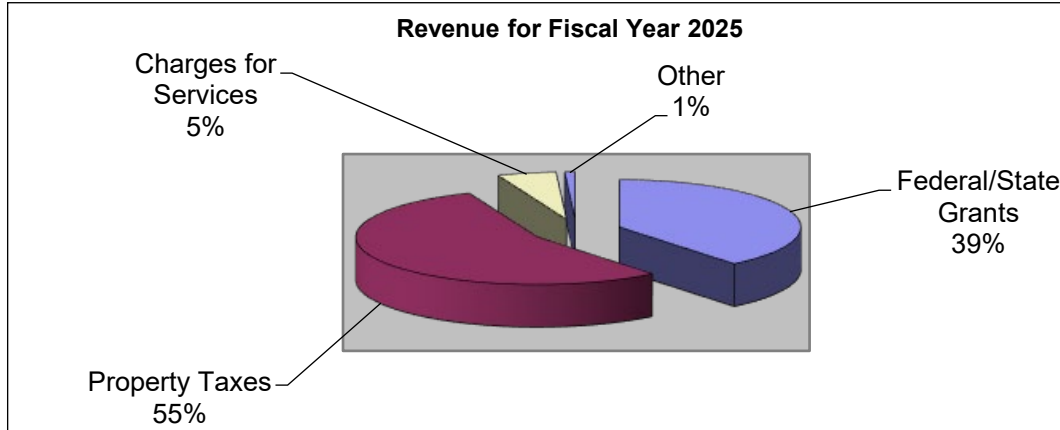
**Table 2
Changes in Net Position**

	2025	2024
Revenues		
Program Revenues:		
Charges for Services	\$ 3,470,087.54	3,455,353.20
Operating and Capital Grants and Contributions	13,697,509.69	16,642,611.85
General Revenues:		
Property Taxes	32,619,028.00	31,313,802.00
Grants and Entitlements	10,604,090.00	10,823,652.54
Other	555,571.18	541,354.40
Total Revenues	<u>60,946,286.41</u>	<u>62,776,773.99</u>
Program Expenses		
Instruction	26,574,209.61	27,100,038.90
Support Services:		
Tuition	4,771,249.21	5,208,462.53
Student and Instruction Related Services	8,532,814.79	10,122,966.31
General Administration, School Administration, Business Operations and Maintenance of Facilities	13,251,715.34	12,051,153.90
Pupil Transportation	5,378,257.73	5,599,976.11
Interest on Debt	543,718.76	575,187.51
Food Service	1,436,087.38	1,373,110.34
Performing Arts Center	-	273,388.00
Other	-	56,335.00
Special Items	(13,812.81)	27,199.22
Total Expenses	<u>60,474,240.01</u>	<u>62,387,817.82</u>
Increase (Decrease) in Net Position	<u>\$ 472,046.40</u>	<u>388,956.17</u>

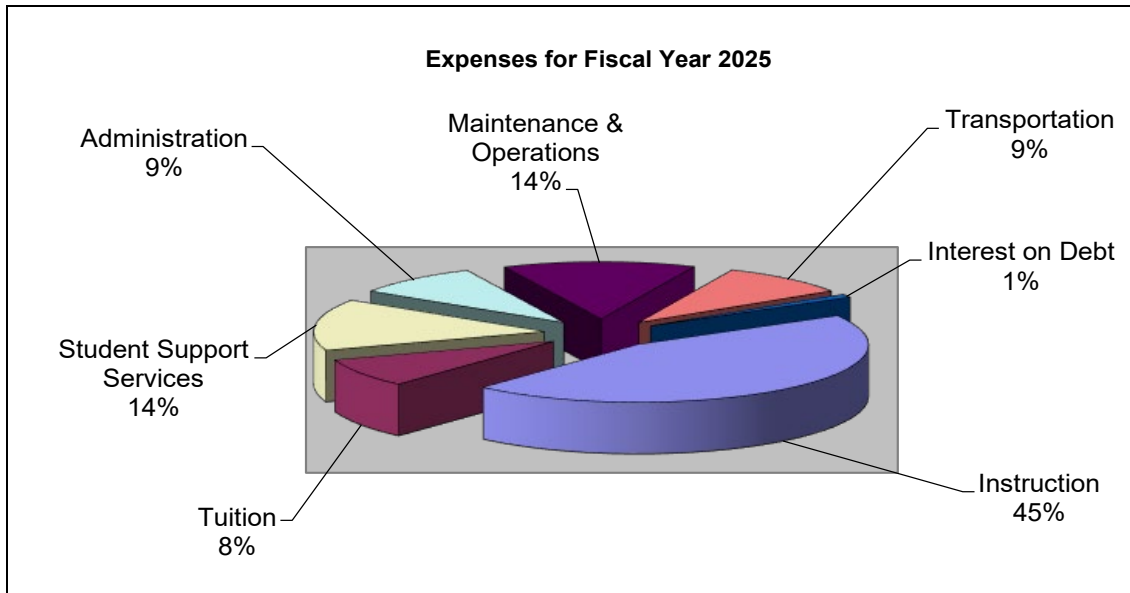
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Governmental Activities

Property taxes made up 55 percent of revenues for governmental activities for the Township of Middle School District for fiscal year 2025 and 51 percent in 2024. The District's total revenues were \$59,587,840.90 for the year ended June 30, 2025. Federal, state, and local grants accounted for another 39 percent of revenue for 2025 and 43 percent in 2024.



The total cost of all program and services was \$59,051,965.44. Instruction comprises 45 percent of District expenses.



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Business-Type Activities

Revenues for the District's business-type activities (food service and performing arts center programs) were comprised of charges for services and federal and state reimbursements.

- Enterprise fund expenses exceeded revenues by \$84,140.14.
- Charges for services represent \$363,067.12 of revenue. This represents amounts paid by patrons for daily food service and special functions.
- Federal and state reimbursement for meals, including payments for free and reduced lunches and breakfast, and donated commodities was \$988,880.12.

Governmental Activities

The Statement of Activities shows the cost of program services and the charges for services and grants offsetting those services. Table 3 shows the total cost of services and the net cost of services. The net cost shows the financial burden that was placed on the District's taxpayers by each of these functions.

**Table 3
Costs of Services**

	Total Cost of Services 2025	Net Cost of Services 2025	Total Cost of Services 2024	Net Cost of Services 2024
Instruction	\$ 26,574,209.61	17,068,856.00	\$ 27,100,038.90	16,486,301.91
Support Services:				
Tuition	4,762,874.21	4,762,874.21	5,208,462.53	5,208,462.53
Pupils and Instructional Staff	8,532,814.79	5,330,914.80	10,122,966.31	6,386,889.79
General Administration, School Administration and Business Operations	5,259,981.99	4,098,281.01	4,808,913.98	3,744,651.46
Operation and Maintenance of Facilities	7,991,733.35	7,834,469.38	7,242,239.92	5,775,851.77
Pupil Transportation	5,378,257.73	3,715,467.29	5,599,976.11	4,049,666.49
Interest and Fiscal Charges	543,718.76	417,077.76	575,187.51	448,064.51
Other	8,375.00	8,375.00	56,335.00	56,335.00
Total Expenses	<u>\$ 59,051,965.44</u>	<u>43,236,315.45</u>	<u>60,714,120.26</u>	<u>42,156,223.46</u>

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

Pupils and instructional staff include the activities involved with assisting staff with the content and process of teaching to students, including curriculum and staff development.

General administration, school administration, and business include expenses associated with administrative and financial supervision of the District.

Operation and maintenance of facilities involve keeping the school grounds, buildings, and equipment in an effective working condition.

Pupil transportation includes activities involved with the conveyance of students to and from school, as well as to and from school activities, as provided by State law.

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Interest on debt involves the transactions associated with the payment of interest and other related charges to debt of the School District.

"Other" includes charter schools and unallocated depreciation.

The School District's Funds

All governmental funds (i.e., general fund, special revenue fund and debt service fund presented in the fund-based statements) are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Total revenues amounted to \$66,398,526.90 and expenditures were \$66,705,596.01. The net change in fund balance for the year was most significant in the General Fund.

As demonstrated by the various statements and schedules included in the financial section of this report, the District continues to meet its responsibility for sound financial management. The following schedules present a summary of the revenues of the governmental funds for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2025, and the amount and percentage of total revenues compared to prior year revenues.

Revenue	2024-2025 Amount	Percentage of Total	2023-2024 Amount	Percentage of Total
Local Sources	\$ 36,848,287.71	55.50%	35,137,289.05	52.71%
State Sources	27,581,669.87	41.54%	27,342,915.99	41.02%
Federal Sources	1,968,569.32	2.96%	4,178,944.98	6.27%
Total	<u>\$ 66,398,526.90</u>	<u>100.00%</u>	<u>66,659,150.02</u>	<u>100.00%</u>

The following schedule represents a summary of general fund, special revenue fund, capital projects fund and debt service fund expenditures for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2025, and the percentage of total expenditures compared to prior year amounts.

Expenditures	2024-2025 Amount	Percentage of Total	2023-2024 Amount	Percentage of Total
Current Expense:				
Instruction	\$ 14,748,149.70	22.11%	17,260,229.22	25.53%
Undistributed				
Expenditures	43,575,041.91	65.32%	40,976,901.66	60.60%
Capital Outlay	418,290.56	0.63%	139,087.00	0.21%
Transfer to Charter				
Schools	8,375.00	0.01%	56,335.00	0.08%
Debt Service	1,608,156.26	2.41%	1,614,281.26	2.39%
Special Revenue	6,347,582.58	9.52%	7,572,612.50	11.20%
Total	<u>\$ 66,705,596.01</u>	<u>100.00%</u>	<u>67,619,446.64</u>	<u>100.00%</u>

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General Fund Budgeting Highlights

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

Over the course of the year, the District revised the annual operating budget several times. Revisions in the budget were made to recognize revenues that were not anticipated and to prevent over-expenditures in specific line item accounts. Several of these revisions bear notation:

- TPAF, which is the state's contribution to the pension fund, is neither a revenue item nor an expenditure item to the district but is required to be reflected in the financial statements. The State did make the normal contribution to TPAF in fiscal year 2025.
- Cleaning, repair and maintenance services within the Required Maintenance of School Facilities was less than anticipated levels by \$492,443.98. Transfers were made during the year to other accounts in the budget nearing over-expenditure.
- The district applied for and received extraordinary aid.

Capital Assets

At the end of the fiscal year 2025, the School District had \$36,564,689.01 invested in land, building, furniture and equipment, and vehicles. Table 4 shows fiscal year 2025 balances compared to 2024.

**Table 4
Capital Assets (Net of Depreciation) at June 30**

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Land	\$ 255,001.00	255,001.00
Construction In Progress	13,156,675.08	13,156,675.08
Land Improvements	422,884.71	453,290.39
Buildings and Improvements	21,134,795.76	21,915,740.70
Machinery and Equipment	1,595,332.46	1,697,001.51
Total	<u>\$ 36,564,689.01</u>	<u>37,477,708.68</u>

Overall capital assets decreased \$913,020.72 from fiscal year 2024 to fiscal year 2025. The decrease is the net of added capital assets and annual depreciation. For more detailed information, please refer to the Notes to the Financial Statements.

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Debt Administration

At June 30, 2025, the School District had \$26,039,582.28 outstanding debt. Of this amount, \$1,244,699.28 is for compensated absences; \$367,612.00 is for various right to use leased assets; \$17,875,000.00 of serial bonds for school construction, and \$6,552,271.00 for net pension liability related to GASB 68.

**Table 5
Outstanding Bonded Debt at June 30**

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
2017 School Bonds	\$ 17,875,000.00	18,925,000.00
Total	<u><u>\$ 17,875,000.00</u></u>	<u><u>18,925,000.00</u></u>

At June 30, 2025, the School District's overall available legal debt margin was \$136,942,991.00. For more detailed information, please refer to the Notes to the Financial Statements.

For the Future

The Township of Middle School District is in good financial condition presently. The School District is proud of its community support of the public schools. A major concern of the district is the increased reliance on local property taxes. However, future finances are not without challenges as the community continues to grow and State funding is decreased.

In conclusion, the Township of Middle School District has committed itself to financial excellence for many years. In addition, the School District's system for financial planning, budgeting, and internal financial controls are well regarded. The School District plans to continue its sound fiscal management to meet the challenge of the future.

Contacting the School District's Management

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, investors, and creditors with a general overview of the School District's finances and to show the School District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional information, contact Dr. Diane Fox, School Business Administration/Board Secretary at Middle Township Board of Education, Administration Building, 216 S. Main Street, Cape May Court House, NJ 08210.

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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.

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Statement of Net Position
June 30, 2025

	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total
ASSETS			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 8,778,153.40	\$ 799,775.78	\$ 9,577,929.18
Receivables, Net	1,505,481.67	153,559.60	1,659,041.27
Internal Balances	488,587.40	(488,587.40)	-
Inventory		17,141.08	17,141.08
Right to Use Leased Assets	367,612.00		367,612.00
Capital Assets			
Capital Assets, not depreciated	13,411,676.08		13,411,676.08
Capital Assets being Depreciated, net	23,090,547.42	62,464.46	23,153,011.88
Total Assets	<u>47,642,057.97</u>	<u>544,353.52</u>	<u>48,186,411.49</u>
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Deferred Outflows Related to Pensions	240,402.00		240,402.00
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	<u>240,402.00</u>	-	<u>240,402.00</u>
LIABILITIES			
Accounts Payable	21,494.58	79,379.42	100,874.00
Unemployment Compensation Claims Payable	63,259.60		63,259.60
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings Payable	1,645,679.95		1,645,679.95
Payable to State Government	15,438.00		15,438.00
Unearned Revenue	1,879,278.59	22,087.11	1,901,365.70
Accrued Interest	248,602.87		248,602.87
Noncurrent Liabilities			
Due Within One Year	1,250,281.81		1,250,281.81
Due Beyond One Year	18,237,029.47		18,237,029.47
Net Pension Liability	6,552,271.00		6,552,271.00
Total Liabilities	<u>29,913,335.87</u>	<u>101,466.53</u>	<u>30,014,802.40</u>
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Deferred Inflows Related to Pensions	447,315.00		447,315.00
NET POSITION			
Net Investment in Capital Assets	18,378,620.63	62,464.46	18,441,085.09
Restricted for:			
Other Purposes	6,983,131.96		6,983,131.96
Unrestricted	(7,839,943.49)	380,422.53	(7,459,520.96)
Total Net Position	<u>17,521,809.10</u>	<u>442,886.99</u>	<u>17,964,696.09</u>

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

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Statement of Activities
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

Function/Programs	Expenses	Indirect Cost Allocation	Program Revenue			Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position		
			Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total
Governmental Activities:								
Instruction:								
Regular	\$ 12,064,488.53	7,147,800.72	2,429,644.39	4,322,405.90		(12,460,238.96)		(12,460,238.96)
Special Education	2,688,016.76	1,592,558.86	541,334.58	2,042,876.74		(1,696,364.30)		(1,696,364.30)
Other Instruction	1,934,951.52	1,146,393.22		169,092.00		(2,912,252.74)		(2,912,252.74)
Support Services:								
Tuition	4,762,874.21					(4,762,874.21)		(4,762,874.21)
Student & Instruction Related Services	5,180,077.91	3,352,736.88		3,201,899.99		(5,330,914.80)		(5,330,914.80)
School Administrative Services	1,370,365.04	649,300.05		446,056.08		(1,573,609.01)		(1,573,609.01)
General & Other Administrative Services	2,198,590.75	1,041,726.15		715,644.90		(2,524,672.00)		(2,524,672.00)
Plant Operation and Maintenance	5,459,512.19	2,532,221.16		157,263.97		(7,834,469.38)		(7,834,469.38)
Pupil Transportation	3,723,916.32	1,654,341.41	9,400.45	1,653,389.99		(3,715,467.29)		(3,715,467.29)
Unallocated Benefits	19,117,078.45	(19,117,078.45)				-		-
Charter Schools	8,375.00					(8,375.00)		(8,375.00)
Interest on Long-Term Debt	543,718.76		126,641.00			(417,077.76)		(417,077.76)
Total Governmental Activities	<u>59,051,965.44</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,107,020.42</u>	<u>12,708,629.57</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(43,236,315.45)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(43,236,315.45)</u>
Business-Type Activities:								
Food Service	1,436,087.38		363,067.12	988,880.12			(84,140.14)	(84,140.14)
Total Business-Type Activities	<u>1,436,087.38</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>363,067.12</u>	<u>988,880.12</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(84,140.14)</u>	<u>(84,140.14)</u>
Total Primary Government	<u>\$ 60,488,052.82</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,470,087.54</u>	<u>13,697,509.69</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(43,236,315.45)</u>	<u>(84,140.14)</u>	<u>(43,320,455.59)</u>
General Revenues:								
Taxes:			Property Taxes, Levied for General Purposes, Net			\$ 31,155,162.00		
			Taxes Levied for Debt Service			1,463,866.00		
			Federal and State Aid not Restricted			10,604,090.00		
			Investment Earnings			127,451.30		
			Miscellaneous Income			421,621.61		
Extraordinary Items:								
			Loss on Disposal of Fixed Asset			(5,397.40)		
			Prior Year Accounts Payable			36.29		
			Prior Year Accounts Receivable Adjustment			(3,021.79)		
			Prior Year Grant Correction			22,090.12		
			Transfer - PAC Fixed Assets			115,192.03		
			Transfers			(55,000.00)		
						-		
						-		
Total General Revenues, Special Items, Extraordinary Items and Transfers						43,846,090.16		
Change in Net Position						609,774.71		
Net Position - Beginning						16,912,034.39		
Net Position - Ending						\$ 17,521,809.10		
						442,886.99		

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

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The individual fund financial statements present more detailed information for the individual funds in a format that segregates information by fund type.

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Balance Sheet
Governmental Funds
June 30, 2025

	General Fund	Special Revenue Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Debt Service Fund	Total Governmental Funds
ASSETS					
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 1,463,572.01	708,120.21	1,118,265.33	46,218.57	3,336,176.12
Due from Other Funds	488,587.40	49,560.13		40,166.08	578,313.61
Receivables from Other Governments	757,564.07	715,598.51			1,473,162.58
Other Receivables	16,133.69	16,185.40			32,319.09
Restricted Cash & Cash Equivalents	4,780,624.16	661,353.12			5,441,977.28
Total Assets	<u>7,506,481.33</u>	<u>2,150,817.37</u>	<u>1,118,265.33</u>	<u>86,384.65</u>	<u>10,861,948.68</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES					
Liabilities:					
Accounts Payable	18,826.70	2,667.88			21,494.58
Unemployment Compensation Claims Payable	63,259.60				63,259.60
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings Payable	1,645,679.95				1,645,679.95
Due to Other Funds	49,560.13		40,166.08		89,726.21
Payable to State Government		15,438.00			15,438.00
Unearned Revenue	90,597.74	1,788,680.85			1,879,278.59
Total Liabilities	<u>1,867,924.12</u>	<u>1,806,786.73</u>	<u>40,166.08</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,714,876.93</u>
Fund Balances:					
Restricted for:					
Excess Surplus - Current Year	850,000.00				850,000.00
Excess Surplus - Prior Year - Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures	813,424.00				813,424.00
Debt Service Fund				86,384.65	86,384.65
Capital Projects Fund			1,051,772.80		1,051,772.80
Unemployment Compensation	235,469.27				235,469.27
Scholarships		76,800.34			76,800.34
Student Activities		598,070.30			598,070.30
Committed to:					
Capital Reserve	119,479.51				119,479.51
Maintenance Reserve	2,229,172.28				2,229,172.28
Assigned to:					
Designated by BOE for Subsequent Expenditures	367,880.00				367,880.00
Other Purposes	528,352.36		26,326.45		554,678.81
Unassigned					
General Fund	494,779.79				494,779.79
Special Revenue Fund		(330,840.00)		-	(330,840.00)
Total Fund Balances	<u>5,638,557.21</u>	<u>344,030.64</u>	<u>1,078,099.25</u>	<u>86,384.65</u>	<u>7,147,071.75</u>
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	<u>\$ 7,506,481.33</u>	<u>2,150,817.37</u>	<u>1,118,265.33</u>	<u>86,384.65</u>	

Amounts reported for *governmental activities* in the statement of net assets (A-1) are different because:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not resources and therefore are not reported in the funds.	36,502,223.50
Interest on long-term debt in the statement of activities is accrued, regardless of when due.	(248,602.87)
Pension Liabilities Net of Deferred Outflows & Inflows	(6,759,184.00)
Right to use leased assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds.	367,612.00
Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported as liabilities in the funds.	(19,487,311.28)
	<u>\$ 17,521,809.10</u>

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TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance
Governmental Funds
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	General Fund	Special Revenue Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Debt Service Fund	Total Governmental Funds
REVENUES					
Local Sources:					
Local Tax Levy	\$ 31,155,162.00			1,463,866.00	32,619,028.00
Tuition From Other LEAs Within the State	2,614,206.91				2,614,206.91
Other Tuition	356,772.06				356,772.06
Rents and Royalties	209,799.28				209,799.28
Transportation Fees from Other LEA's	9,400.45				9,400.45
Unrestricted Miscellaneous Revenue	241,107.55	699,807.38	40,166.08		981,081.01
Total Local Sources	34,586,448.25	699,807.38	40,166.08	1,463,866.00	36,790,287.71
Intermediate Sources	58,000.00				58,000.00
State Sources	23,999,811.14	3,455,217.73		126,641.00	27,581,669.87
Federal Sources	34,789.70	1,933,779.62			1,968,569.32
Total Revenues	58,679,049.09	6,088,804.73	40,166.08	1,590,507.00	66,398,526.90
EXPENDITURES					
Current:					
Regular Instruction	11,647,404.79	3,604,123.53			15,251,528.32
Special Education Instruction	3,398,102.09				3,398,102.09
Other Instruction	2,446,101.87				2,446,101.87
Support Services:					
Tuition	4,762,874.21				4,762,874.21
Student & Instruction Related Serv.	4,523,719.35	2,630,140.07			7,153,859.42
School Administrative Services	1,385,435.68				1,385,435.68
General Administrative Services	2,222,769.84				2,222,769.84
Plant Operation and Maintenance	5,403,094.50				5,403,094.50
Pupil Transportation	3,529,929.81				3,529,929.81
Employee Benefits	19,117,078.45				19,117,078.45
Transfer to Charter School	8,375.00				8,375.00
Debt Service:					
Principal				1,050,000.00	1,050,000.00
Interest and Other Charges				558,156.26	558,156.26
Capital Outlay	295,749.08	113,318.98	9,222.50		418,290.56
Total Expenditures	58,740,634.67	6,347,582.58	9,222.50	1,608,156.26	66,705,596.01
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	(61,585.58)	(258,777.85)	30,943.58	(17,649.26)	(307,069.11)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)					
Capital Leases - Non-Budget	156,662.00				156,662.00
Prior Year Accounts Payable	36.29				36.29
Prior Year Accounts Receivable Adjustment	(3,021.79)				(3,021.79)
Prior Year Grant Correction	22,090.12				22,090.12
Transfers to Other Funds		220,560.00		40,166.08	260,726.08
Transfers (from) Other Funds	(275,560.00)		(40,166.08)		(315,726.08)
Total Other Financing Sources and Uses	(99,793.38)	220,560.00	(40,166.08)	40,166.08	120,766.62
Net Changes in Fund Balance	(161,378.96)	(38,217.85)	(9,222.50)	22,516.82	(186,302.49)
Fund Balance - July 1	5,799,936.17	382,248.49	1,087,321.75	63,867.83	7,333,374.24
Fund Balance - June 30	\$ 5,638,557.21	344,030.64	1,078,099.25	86,384.65	7,147,071.75

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TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance
of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

Total Net Change in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds (from B-2) \$ (186,302.49)

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 depreciation exceeded capital outlays for the period.

Depreciation expense	(1,486,261.93)	
Loss on Disposal of Fixed Asset	(5,397.40)	
Capital Outlays	740,501.89	(751,157.44)

Governmental funds report district pension contributions as expenditures.

However in the Statement of Activities, the cost of pension benefits earned net of employee contributions is reported as pension expense.

District pension contributions - PERS

Cost of benefits earned net of employee contributions	493,336.00	493,336.00
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Repayment of bond principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the statement of net assets and is not reported in the statement of activities

Bonds payable	1,050,000.00	
Capital leases payable	117,528.14	1,167,528.14

Proceeds from debt issues are a financing source in the governmental funds.

They are not a revenue in the statement of activities; issuing debt increases long-term liabilities in the statement of net position.

Capital lease proceeds	(156,662.00)	(156,662.00)
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In the statement of activities, certain operating expenses, e.g., compensated absences (vacations) 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 the reconciliation (-); when the paid amount exceeds the earned amount, the difference is an addition to the reconciliation (+).

28,595.00

In the statement of activities, interest on long-term debt is accrued, regardless of when due. In the governmental funds, interest is reported when due. The increase in accrued interest is a deduction in the reconciliation.

14,437.50

Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities	\$ 609,774.71	
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TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Proprietary Funds
Statement of Net Position
June 30, 2025

	Business-Type Activities - Enterprise Fund		
	Major Funds		
	Food Service	Performing Arts Center	Totals
ASSETS			
Current Assets:			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 799,775.78	-	799,775.78
Intergovernmental Receivables	72,403.44		72,403.44
Other Accounts Receivable	81,156.16		81,156.16
Inventory	17,141.08		17,141.08
Total Current Assets	<u>970,476.46</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>970,476.46</u>
Noncurrent Assets:			
Furniture, Machinery & Equipment	519,813.03	-	519,813.03
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(457,348.57)	-	(457,348.57)
Total Noncurrent Assets	<u>62,464.46</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>62,464.46</u>
Total Assets	<u>1,032,940.92</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,032,940.92</u>
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities:			
Accounts Payable	79,379.42		79,379.42
Due to Other Funds		488,587.40	488,587.40
Unearned Revenue	22,087.11		22,087.11
Total Current Liabilities	<u>101,466.53</u>	<u>488,587.40</u>	<u>590,053.93</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>101,466.53</u>	<u>488,587.40</u>	<u>590,053.93</u>
NET POSITION			
Net Investment in Capital Assets			
Related Debt	62,464.46	-	62,464.46
Unrestricted	869,009.93	(488,587.40)	380,422.53
Total Net Position	<u>\$ 931,474.39</u>	<u>(488,587.40)</u>	<u>442,886.99</u>

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TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Proprietary Funds
Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Net Position
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Business-Type Activities - Enterprise Fund		
	Major Funds		Totals
	Food Service	Performing Arts Center	Enterprise
Operating Revenues:			
Charges for Services:			
Daily Sales - Reimbursable Programs	\$ 224,443.49		224,443.49
Daily Sales - Non-reimbursable Programs	104,087.47		104,087.47
Miscellaneous	34,536.16		34,536.16
Total Operating Revenue	<u>363,067.12</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>363,067.12</u>
Operating Expenses:			
Cost of Sales - Reimbursable Programs	498,024.37		498,024.37
Cost of Sales - Non-reimbursable Programs	41,301.64		41,301.64
Salaries	618,387.20		618,387.20
Purchased Technical Services	100,225.00		100,225.00
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services	66,173.19		66,173.19
Miscellaneous	104,438.59		104,438.59
Depreciation	7,537.39		7,537.39
Total Operating Expenses	<u>1,436,087.38</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,436,087.38</u>
Operating Income (Loss)	<u>(1,073,020.26)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(1,073,020.26)</u>
Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses):			
State Sources:			
State School Lunch Program	33,115.95		33,115.95
State School Breakfast Program	6,571.75		6,571.75
Federal Sources:			
School Lunch Program	671,332.85		671,332.85
School Breakfast Program	196,944.31		196,944.31
Food Distribution Program	80,915.26		80,915.26
Interest and Investment Income	6,498.27		6,498.27
Total Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)	<u>995,378.39</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>995,378.39</u>
Income (Loss) before Contributions & Transfers	<u>(77,641.87)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(77,641.87)</u>
Prior Year Accounts Payable		105.59	105.59
Transfer to General Fund - PAC Fixed Assets		(115,192.03)	(115,192.03)
Transfer from General Fund to Cover Deficit		55,000.00	55,000.00
Changes in Net Position	<u>(77,641.87)</u>	<u>(60,086.44)</u>	<u>(137,728.31)</u>
Total Net Position - Beginning	<u>1,009,116.26</u>	<u>(428,500.96)</u>	<u>580,615.30</u>
Total Net Position - Ending	<u>\$ 931,474.39</u>	<u>(488,587.40)</u>	<u>442,886.99</u>

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TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Proprietary Funds
Statement of Cash Flows
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Business-Type Activities - Enterprise Fund		
	Major Funds		Totals
	Food Service	Performing Arts Center	Enterprise
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Receipts from Customers	\$ 331,478.08	-	331,478.08
Payments to Employees	(618,387.20)	-	(618,387.20)
Payments to Suppliers	(649,008.97)	(881.85)	(649,890.82)
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities	<u>(935,918.09)</u>	<u>(881.85)</u>	<u>(936,799.94)</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
State Sources	38,418.05		38,418.05
Federal Sources	842,864.67		842,864.67
Interfunds		(354,437.51)	(354,437.51)
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Noncapital Financing Activities	<u>881,282.72</u>	<u>(354,437.51)</u>	<u>526,845.21</u>
CASH FLOW FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
None	-	-	-
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Capital and Related Financing Activities	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Interest and Dividends	6,498.27	-	6,498.27
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Investing Activities	<u>6,498.27</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>6,498.27</u>
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(48,137.10)	(355,319.36)	(403,456.46)
Balance - Beginning of Year	847,912.88	355,319.36	1,203,232.24
Balance - End of Year	<u>799,775.78</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>799,775.78</u>
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities:			
Operating Income (Loss)	(1,073,020.26)	-	(1,073,020.26)
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income(Loss) to Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities:			
Depreciation and Net Amortization	7,537.39	-	7,537.39
Federal Commodities	80,915.26		80,915.26
(Increase) Decrease in Accounts Receivable	(41,090.90)		(41,090.90)
(Increase) Decrease in Inventory	859.14		859.14
Increase (Decrease) in Deferred Revenue	9,501.86		9,501.86
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable	79,379.42	(881.85)	78,497.57
Total Adjustments	<u>137,102.17</u>	<u>(881.85)</u>	<u>136,220.32</u>
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities	<u>\$ (935,918.09)</u>	<u>(881.85)</u>	<u>(936,799.94)</u>

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

**TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2025**

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Township of Middle School District is an instrumentality of the State of New Jersey, established to function as an educational institution. The Board consists of elected officials and is responsible for the fiscal control of the District. A superintendent is appointed by the Board and is responsible for the administrative control of the District.

The financial statements of the Board of Education (Board) of the Township of Middle 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 Township of Middle School District is a Type II district located in the County of Cape May, State of New Jersey. As a Type II District, the School District functions independently through a Board of Education. The board is comprised of nine members elected to three-year terms. The purpose of the district is to educate students in grades K-12. The Township of Middle School District had an enrollment at June 30, 2025 of 2,534 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.

B. BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – GOVERNMENT-WIDE STATEMENTS

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 and special revenue activities are classified as governmental activities. The District's food service program and performing arts center are classified as business-type activities.

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 is 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.

**TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2025
(CONTINUED)**

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). The functions are also supported by general government revenues (property taxes, tuition, 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, vocational programs, 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, 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. Non-major funds by category are summarized into a single column. GASB Standards set 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 non-major 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 are applied to proprietary funds.

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. The District's Unemployment Compensation Trust Fund, Payroll Agency, and Net Payroll accounts are also accounted for in the General 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. The District's Student Activity Funds and Scholarship Fund are also accounted for in the Special Revenue Fund.

**TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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(CONTINUED)**

- 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 that are specifically authorized by the voters as a separate question on the ballot either during the annual election or at a special election.
- d. **Debt Service** funds are used to account for the accumulation of resources for, and the payment of principal and interest on bonds issued to finance major property acquisition, construction and improvement programs.

Fund Balances – Governmental Funds

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report the following classifications of fund balance:

Non-spendable – 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.

**TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2025
(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:

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 operates a food service fund to provide a child nutrition program for the students of the district. The Performing Arts Center accounts for all revenues and expenses pertaining to operations of the Performing Arts Center. Effective the in districts fiscal year 2025, the district has budgeted Performing Arts Center revenues and expenditures in the General Fund Budget.

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.

1. 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.

2. 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.

**TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2025
(CONTINUED)**

E. FINANCIAL STATEMENT AMOUNTS

1. 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.

2. 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.

3. 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. As of June 30, 2025, the District did not have inventory in the general fund and had the following inventory in the enterprise fund:

Food	\$	9,841.61
Supplies		<u>7,299.47</u>
	\$	<u><u>17,141.08</u></u>

The value of Federal donated commodities is the difference between market value and cost of the commodities at the date of purchase and has been included as an item of non-operating revenue in the financial statements.

**TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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4. Capital Assets:

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	20-50 years
Machinery and equipment	5-10 years
Improvements	10-20 years
Infrastructure Assets	50-65 years

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

5. 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 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 the eligibility requirements are met are reported as advances by the provider and unearned revenue by the recipient. Program revenues, including tuition revenue are reported as reductions to expenses in the statement of activities.

6. 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.

7. 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 both an expenditure and a 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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8. Interfund Activity:

Interfund activity is reported as 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.

9. Budgets/Budgetary Control:

Annual appropriated budgets are prepared in the spring of each year for the general, special revenue and debt service funds. The budgets are submitted to the county office for approval and, as long as the District budget is within State mandated CAPs, there is no public vote on the budget. If the budget exceeds State mandated CAPs, the voters have an opportunity to approve or reject the budget at the regular election held in November. 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.

Significant transfers approved by the Board of Education during the fiscal year were as follows:

Regular Programs - Instruction	
Grades 1 - 5 Salaries of Teachers	\$ (61,230.81)
Regular Programs - Undistributed Instruction	
Other Salaries for Instruction	163,413.60
Special Education - Instruction	
Salaries of Teachers	(134,716.00)
Multiple Disabilities	
Salaries of Teachers	119,844.25
Resource Room/Resource Center	
Salaries of Teachers	(244,844.18)
Undistributed Expenditures - Instruction	
Tuition to Other LEAs Withing the State - Regular	63,862.31
Tuition to CSSD & Regional Day Schools	(307,137.47)
Tuition to Private Schools for the Disabled - Within State	167,770.35

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Undist. Expend. - Supp. Serv. General Admin	
Misc. Purch Serv (400 - 500) (Other than 530 & AMP; 585)	61,671.35
Undist. Expend. - Required Maint. School Fac	
Cleaning, Repair, and Maintenance Service	841,372.99
General Supplies	70,613.68
Undist. Expend. - Custodial Services	
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	(128,620.52)
Insurance	(72,917.00)
Energy (Natural Gas)	(98,234.31)
Energy (Electricity)	79,162.15
Undist. Expend. - Care and Upkeep of Grounds	
Cleaning, Repair, and Maintenance Service	62,565.42
Undist. Expend. - Security	
Salaries	98,906.10
Undist. Expend. - Student Transportation Serv.	
Sal. - Pup. Trans. (Bet Home & School) - Reg	165,816.33
Contr. Serv. - Aid in Lieu Payments - Choice Sch	(129,020.22)
Contr. Serv. - (Spc Ed Students) - ESCs & CTSA	418,778.50
Transportation Supplies	(85,817.76)
Unallocated Benefits	
Unemployment Compensation	(94,861.66)

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 payments 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 year end.

The accounting records of the special revenue fund are maintained on the grant accounting budgetary basis. The grant accounting budgetary basis differs from GAAP in that the grant accounting budgetary basis recognizes encumbrances as expenditures and also recognizes the related revenues, whereas the GAAP basis does not. Sufficient supplemental records are maintained to allow for the presentation of GAAP basis financial reports.

10. Tuition Receivable:

Tuition charges were established by the Board of Education based on estimated costs. The charges are subject to adjustment when the final costs have been determined. The final cost is based on an agreement with the Dennis Township, Avalon, Stone Harbor and Woodbine Boards of Education with a negotiated amount up to the final cost as determined by State of New Jersey.

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11. Tuition Payable:

Tuition charges for the fiscal years 2024/25 were based on rates established by the receiving district. These rates are subject to change when the actual costs have been determined.

12. 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.

13. Allocation of Costs:

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

14. 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.

F. IMPACT OF RECENTLY ISSUED ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES

Adopted Accounting Pronouncements

The following GASB Statements became effective for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2025:

In December 2023 the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) issued Statement No. 102 "Certain Risk Disclosures". This statement, which is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2024, and all reporting periods, thereafter. This standard did not have any effect on the School District's financial reporting.

G. RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS NOT YET EFFECTIVE

In April 2024, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) issued Statement No. 103, "Financial Reporting Model Improvements". This statement, which is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2025, and all reporting periods, thereafter.

In September 2024, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) issued Statement No. 104, "Disclosure of Certain Capital Assets". This statement, which is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2025, and all reporting periods, thereafter.

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NOTE 2 – CASH

Custodial Credit Risk—Deposits. Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits may not be returned to it. The district's policy is based on New Jersey Statutes requiring cash be deposited only in New Jersey based banking institutions that participate in the New Jersey Governmental Depository Protection Act (GUDPA) or in qualified investments established in New Jersey Statutes 18A:20-37 that are treated as cash equivalents. As of June 30, 2025, \$1,894,899.05 of the government's bank balance of \$11,259,956.85 was exposed to custodial credit risk.

NOTE 3 – INVESTMENTS

As of June 30, 2025, the District had the following investments:

	Fair Value
Certificate of Deposit	\$ 1,097,649.91
Total	\$ 1,097,649.91

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 investment 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 4 – CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2025, was as follows:

	<u>Beginning Balance</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions/ Adjustments</u>	<u>Ending Balance</u>
Governmental activities:				
Capital assets, not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 255,001.00			255,001.00
Construction in Progress	13,156,675.08			13,156,675.08
Total capital assets not being depreciated	<u>13,411,676.08</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>13,411,676.08</u>
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Land Improvements	3,864,106.07		(81,620.00)	3,782,486.07
Buildings and building improvements	55,120,646.58	251,028.00	166,841.00	55,538,515.58
Machinery and Equipment	8,967,275.13	335,148.00	92,613.36	9,395,036.49
Total capital assets being depreciated at historical cost	<u>67,952,027.78</u>	<u>586,176.00</u>	<u>177,834.36</u>	<u>68,716,038.14</u>
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Land Improvements	(3,410,815.68)	(33,454.68)	84,669.00	(3,359,601.36)
Buildings and improvements	(33,204,905.88)	(1,120,440.94)	(78,373.00)	(34,403,719.82)
Equipment	(7,455,467.50)	(332,366.31)	(74,335.73)	(7,862,169.54)
Total capital assets being depreciated, net of accumulated depreciation	<u>23,880,838.72</u>	<u>(900,085.93)</u>	<u>109,794.63</u>	<u>23,090,547.42</u>
Governmental activity capital assets, net	<u>\$ 37,292,514.80</u>	<u>(900,085.93)</u>	<u>109,794.63</u>	<u>36,502,223.50</u>
Business-type activities:				
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Equipment	\$ 922,502.44		(402,689.36)	519,813.08
Less accumulated depreciation	<u>(737,308.51)</u>	<u>(7,537.39)</u>	<u>287,497.28</u>	<u>(457,348.62)</u>
Enterprise Fund capital assets, net	<u>\$ 185,193.93</u>	<u>(7,537.39)</u>	<u>(115,192.08)</u>	<u>62,464.46</u>

Depreciation expense was charged to governmental functions as follows:

Regular Instruction	\$ 555,707.50
Special Instruction	123,813.88
Other Instruction	89,126.62
Student and Instruction Related	260,659.35
School Administration	50,479.99
General and Business Administration	80,989.25
Plant Operations and Maintenance	196,868.15
Pupil Transportation	128,617.19
	<u>\$ 1,486,261.93</u>

No interest on debt was capitalized during the year and the amount of interest expense paid on long term debt was \$564,138.95.

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NOTE 5 – CAPITAL RESERVE ACCOUNT

A capital reserve account was established by Township of Middle Board of Education by the inclusion of \$1.00 in the 2000/01 school year for the accumulation of funds for use as 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 or by transfer by board resolution at year end of any unanticipated revenue or unexpended line-item appropriation amounts, or both. A district may also appropriate additional amounts when the express approval of the voters has been obtained either by a separate proposal at budget time or by a special question at one of the four special elections authorized pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:60-2. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6:23A-5.1(d) 7, the balance in the account cannot at any time exceed the local support costs of uncompleted capital projects in its LRFP.

The activity of the capital reserve account for the July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025 fiscal year is as follows:

Beginning balance, July 1, 2024		\$	118,617.73
Interest earnings	<u>861.78</u>		<u>861.78</u>
Withdrawals:			
None	<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>
Ending balance, June 30, 2025		\$	<u><u>119,479.51</u></u>

NOTE 6 – RECEIVABLES

Receivables at June 30, 2025, consisted of accounts (tuition and other services), interfund, and intergovernmental. All receivables are considered collectible in full. A summary of the principal items of intergovernmental receivables follows:

	Governmental Fund Financial Statements	District Wide Financial Statements
State Aid	\$ 759,986.07	763,273.61
Federal Aid	713,176.51	782,292.41
Other	<u>32,319.09</u>	<u>113,475.25</u>
Gross Receivables	1,505,481.67	1,659,041.27
Less: Allowance for Uncollectibles		
Total Receivables, Net	<u><u>\$ 1,505,481.67</u></u>	<u><u>1,659,041.27</u></u>

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NOTE 7 – INTERFUND TRANSFERS AND BALANCES

Transfers between funds are used to (1) move investment income earned in the Capital Projects Fund that is required to be expended in the Debt Service Fund and; (2) account for expenses paid by another fund

The following interfund balances remained on the fund financial statements at June 30, 2025:

Fund	Interfund Receivable	Interfund Payable
General Fund	\$ 488,587.40	49,560.13
Special Revenue Fund	49,560.13	
Capital Projects Fund		40,166.08
Debt Service Fund	40,166.08	
Performing Arts Center Fund		488,587.40
Total	<u>\$ 578,313.61</u>	<u>578,313.61</u>

The general fund receivable is comprised of one interfund. The interfund in the amount of \$488,587.40 is due from the Performing Arts Center for operating purposes. The district plans to repay this receivable over the next several budget cycles.

The Special Revenue Funds receivable is comprised of one interfund. It is due from the General Fund in the amount of \$49,560.13 which is result of disbursements made and not reimbursed prior to year end.

The Debt Service Fund receivable is comprised of one interfund. It is due from the Capital Projects Fund in the amount of \$40,166.08 which is result of interest earned on the deposits in the Capital Projects Fund.

NOTE 8 – UNEARNED REVENUE

The District has unearned revenue reflected on the Statement of Net Position in the District-Wide Financial Statements of \$1,901,365.70. This consists of unearned revenue of \$1,788,680.85 in the special revenue fund which is made up of grant proceeds on hand where the grant period overlaps the district's fiscal year and encumbrances payable at year end and \$90,597.74 in the General Fund for Performing Arts Center future production deposits. In addition, a balance of \$22,087.11 is reflected in the Food Service Fund for payment of meals for future periods.

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NOTE 9 – LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

Changes in long-term obligations for the year ended June 30, 2025 are as follows:

	Balance July 1, 2024	Issues or Additions	Payments or Expenditures	Balance June 30, 2025	Amounts Due Within One Year
Compensated Absences	\$ 1,273,294.28		28,595.00	1,244,699.28	
Capital Leases	180,347.74	156,662.00	117,528.14	219,481.60	76,216.61
Lease Liability	223,200.00		75,069.60	148,130.40	74,065.20
Bonds Payable	18,925,000.00		1,050,000.00	17,875,000.00	1,100,000.00
Net Pension Liability	6,961,949.00	693,788.00	1,103,466.00	6,552,271.00	
	<u>\$ 27,563,791.02</u>	<u>850,450.00</u>	<u>2,374,658.74</u>	<u>26,039,582.28</u>	<u>1,250,281.81</u>

Compensated absences and capital leases have been liquidated in the General Fund.

Bonds Payable

Bonds are authorized in accordance with State law by the voters of the municipality through referendums. All bonds are retired in serial installments within the statutory period of usefulness. Bonds issued by the District are general obligation bonds.

At June 30, 2025, bonds payable consisted of the following issues:

\$24,645,000 School Bonds dated July 13, 2017, due in annual installments beginning July 15, 2018 through July 15, 2037, bearing interest at various rates. The balance remaining as of June 30, 2024 is \$17,875,000.

Debt service requirements on serial bonds payable at June 30, 2025 are as follows:

Fiscal Year Ending June 30,	Principal	Interest	Total
2026	1,100,000.00	525,906.26	1,625,906.26
2027	1,125,000.00	492,531.26	1,617,531.26
2028	1,175,000.00	458,031.26	1,633,031.26
2029	1,200,000.00	422,406.26	1,622,406.26
2030	1,275,000.00	385,281.26	1,660,281.26
2031-2035	7,125,000.00	1,311,406.30	8,436,406.30
2036-2038	4,875,000.00	234,234.39	5,109,234.39
	<u>\$ 17,875,000.00</u>	<u>3,829,796.99</u>	<u>21,704,796.99</u>

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Lease Liability

The District entered into agreements to lease certain equipment. The lease agreements qualify as other than short-term leases under GASB 87 and, therefore, have been recorded at present value of the future minimum lease payments as of the date of their inception. The District has determined the accumulated amortization to be immaterial to the governmental-wide financial statements and has elected to record the remaining payments in full.

The first agreement was executed in July 2022, to lease certain office equipment across the different locations within the school district. The term of the lease is 60 months and matures in June 2027. The remaining liability as of June 30, 2025, is \$148,130.40.

The second agreement was executed in October 2022, to lease (2) 54 passenger buses. The term of the lease is 60 months and matures in November 2026. The remaining liability as of June 30, 2025, is \$97,142.00.

The third agreement was executed in September 2020, to lease (1) 54 passenger buses and (1) 24 passenger bus. The term of the lease is 60 months and matures in September 2024. There is no remaining balance as of June 30, 2025.

The fourth agreement was executed in October 2024, to lease (1) 54 passenger buses. The term of the lease is 60 months and matures in October 2028. The remaining liability as of June 30, 2025, is \$122,339.60.

The future minimum lease obligations as of June 30, 2025, are as follows:

<u>June 30,</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2026	150,281.81	9,234.01	159,515.82
2027	153,308.22	6,207.60	159,515.82
2028	31,264.29	3,058.12	34,322.41
2029	32,757.68	1,564.73	34,322.41
	<u>\$ 367,612.00</u>	<u>20,064.46</u>	<u>387,676.46</u>

NOTE 10 – PENSION PLANS

Description of Plans - All required employees of the District are covered by either the Public Employees' Retirement System or the Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund which have been established by state statute and are administered by the New Jersey Division of Pension and Benefits (Division). According to the State of New Jersey Administrative Code, all obligations of both Systems will be assumed by the State of New Jersey should the Systems terminate. The Division issues a publicly available financial report that includes the financial statements and required supplementary information for the Public Employees Retirement System and the Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund. These reports may be obtained by writing to the Division of Pension and Benefits, PO Box 295, Trenton, New Jersey, 08625 or the reports can be accessed on the internet at:

<https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/financial-reports.shtml>.

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Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF)

The Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund was established as of January 1, 1955, under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 18A:66 to provide retirement benefits, death, disability and medical benefits to certain qualified members. The Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund is considered a cost-sharing multiple-employer plan with a special funding situation, as under current statute, all employer contributions are made by the State of New Jersey on behalf of the 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.

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)

The Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) was established as of January 1, 1955 under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:15A to provide retirement, death, disability and medical benefits to certain qualified members. The Public Employees' Retirement System is a cost-sharing multiple-employer plan. Membership is mandatory for substantially all full-time employees of the State of New Jersey or any county, municipality, school district, or public agency, provided the employee is not required to be a member of another state-administered retirement system or other state or local jurisdiction.

Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP)

The Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP) was established as of July 1, 2007 under the provisions of Chapter 92, P.L. 2007 and Chapter 103, P.L. 2007 (N.J.S.A. 43:15C-1 et seq.). The DCRP is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined contribution pension fund. The DCRP provides eligible members, and their beneficiaries with a tax-sheltered, defined contribution retirement benefit, along with life insurance and disability coverage. Vesting and benefit provisions are established by N.J.S.A. 43:15C-1 et. seq.

Funding Policy

The contribution policy is set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A, Chapter 62, P.L. of 1994, Chapter 115, P.L. of 1997 and N.J.S.A. 18:66, and requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. Plan member and employer contributions may be amended by State of New Jersey legislation. TPAF and PERS provide for employee contributions of 7.50% of employees' annual compensation, as defined. Employers are required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate in both TPAF and PERS. The current TPAF rate is 46.7% and the PERS rate is 17.61% of covered payroll. The School District's contributions to TPAF for the years ending June 30, 2025, 2024, and 2023 were \$6,597,132.00, \$6,836,784.00, and \$6,572,623, respectively, and paid by the State of New Jersey on behalf of the board, equal to the required contributions for each year. The School District's contributions to PERS for the years ending June 30, 2025, 2024, and 2023 were \$656,158.00, \$642,405.00, and \$597,621.00, respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

During the fiscal years ended June 30, 2025, 2024, and 2023, the State of New Jersey contributed \$1,927,687.00, \$1,860,722.00, and \$1,726,612.00, respectively, to the TPAF for post-retirement medical benefits on behalf of the Board. Also, in accordance with NJSA 18A:66-66 the State of New Jersey reimbursed the Board \$1,470,006.14, \$1,455,329.01, and \$1,388,916.25, during the same fiscal years for the employer's share of social security contributions for TPAF members as calculated on their base salaries. These amounts, which are not required to be budgeted, have been included in the financial statements, and the combining and individual fund and account group statements and schedules as revenues and expenditures in accordance with GASB Standards.

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For the DCRP, members contribute at a uniform rate of 5.5% of their base salary. Employers are required to contribute at a set rate of 3.0% of base salary. There were employees enrolled in the DCRP for the year ended June 30, 2025.

Vesting and Benefit Provisions

The vesting and benefit provisions for PERS are set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A and 43.3B, and N.J.S.A. 18A:6C for TPAF. All benefits vest after eight to ten years of service, except for medical benefits that vest after 25 years of service. Retirement benefits for age and service are available at age 60 and are generally determined to be 1/60 of the final average salary for each year of service credit, as defined. Final average salary equals the average salary for the final three years of service prior to retirement (or highest three years' compensation if other than the final three years). Members may seek early retirement after achieving 25 years of service credit or they may elect deferred retirement after achieving eight to ten years of service in which case benefits would begin the first day of the month after the member attains normal retirement age. The TPAF and PERS provides for specified medical benefits for members who retire after achieving 25 years of qualified service, as defined, or under the disability provisions of the System. 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.

Significant Legislation

Chapter 78, P.L. 2011, effective June 28, 2011 made various changes to the manner in which the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) and the Teacher's Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) operate and to the benefit provisions of those systems.

Chapter 78's provisions impacting employee pension and health benefits include:

- New members of the PERS hired on or after June 28, 2011 (Tier 5 members) will need 30 years of creditable service and age 65 for receipt of the early retirement benefit without a reduction of $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1% for each month that the member is under age 65.
- The eligibility age to qualify for a service retirement in the PERS is increased from age 63 to 65 for Tier 5 members.
- Increases in active member contribution rates. PERS active member rates increase from 5.5% of annual compensation to 6.5% plus an additional 1% phased-in over 7 years. For fiscal year 2013, the member contribution rates increased in October 2012. The phase-in of the additional incremental member contribution rates for PES members will take place in July of each subsequent fiscal year.
- The payment of automatic cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) additional increases to current and future retirees and beneficiaries is suspended until reactivated as permitted by this law.
- New employee contribution requirements towards the cost of employer-provided health benefit coverage. Employees are required to contribute a certain percentage of the cost of coverage. The rate of contribution is determined based on the employee's annual salary and the selected level of coverage. The increased employee contributions will be phased in over a 4-year period for those employed prior to Chapter 78's effective date with a minimum contribution required to be at least 1.5% of salary.
- In addition, this new legislation changes the method for amortizing the pension systems' unfunded accrued liability (from a level percent of pay method to a level dollar of pay).

Chapter 1, P.L. 2010, effective May 21, 2010, made a number of changes to the State-administered retirement systems concerning eligibility, the retirement allowance formula, the definition of compensation, the positions eligible for service credit, the non-forfeitable right to a pension, the prosecutor's part of the PERS and employer contributions to the retirement systems.

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Chapter 3, P.L. 2010, effective May 21, 2010, replaced the accidental and ordinary disability retirement for new members of the PERS and TPAF with disability insurance coverage similar to that provided by the State to individuals enrolled in the State's Defined Contribution Retirement Program.

Chapter 92, P.L. 2007 implemented certain recommendations contained in the December 1, 2006, report of the Joint Legislative Committee on Public Employee Benefits Reform; established a DCRP for elected and certain appointed officials, effective July 1, 2007; the new pension loan interest rate became 4.69% per year, and an \$8.00 processing fee per loan was charged, effective January 1, 2008. The legislation also removed language from existing law that permits the State Treasurer to reduce employer pension contributions needed to fund the Funds and Systems when excess assets are available.

NOTE 11: PENSION LIABILITIES – PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM (PERS)

In 2012, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board issued GASB statement 68. This statement is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2014. This statement changes the method of reporting the District's pension liabilities. The following information describes the District's proportionate share of the statewide pension system's liabilities and expenses.

The following represents the District's pension liabilities as June 30, 2024:

Public Employees' Retirement System

The District has a liability of \$6,552,271 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2023, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2023 that was rolled forward to June 30, 2024. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the District's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating employers, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2024, the District's proportion is 0.04822085170%, which is an increase of 0.32% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2023.

For the year ended June 30, 2024, the District recognized negative pension expense of \$162,815. At June 30, 2024, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PERS from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Differences between expected & actual experience	\$ 131,254	(17,444)
Changes of assumptions	8,140	(74,550)
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	-	(303,811)
Changes in proportion	101,008	(51,510)
Total	<u>\$ 240,402</u>	<u>\$ (447,315)</u>

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

Year ended June 30,		
2025	\$	(17,646)
2026		(158,794)
2027		(27,759)
2028		(869)
2029		(1,845)
Total	\$	<u>(206,913)</u>

Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability for the June 30, 2024 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2023, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2024. This actuarial valuation used the following assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

Inflation rate	
Price	2.75%
Wage	3.25%
Salary increases:	2.75% – 6.55% (based on years of service)
Investment rate of return:	7.00%

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 disable 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 generational basis. Mortality improvement is based on Scale MP-2021.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2023 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021.

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In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7.00% at June 30, 2024) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investments and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. The long term expected rate of return was determined using a building block method in which best-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 weighing the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in PERS's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2024 are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
U.S. equity	28.00%	8.63%
Non-U.S. developed markets equity	12.75%	8.85%
International small cap equity	1.25%	8.85%
Emerging markets equity	5.50%	10.66%
Private equity	13.00%	12.40%
Real estate	8.00%	10.95%
Real assets	3.00%	8.20%
High yield	4.50%	6.74%
Private credit	8.00%	8.90%
Investment grade credit	7.00%	5.37%
Cash Equivalents	2.00%	3.57%
U.S. Treasuries	4.00%	3.57%
Risk mitigation strategies	3.00%	7.10%

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00% as of June 30, 2024. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers will be made based on 100% of the actuarially determined contributions for the State employer and 100% of actuarially determined contributions for local employers. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to all projected benefit payments in determining the total pension liability.

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

The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the discount rate as disclosed above, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the 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 (6.00%)	Current Discount Rate (7.00%)	1% Increase (8.00%)
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 7,971,466	6,552,271	5,345,647

Pension plan fiduciary net position.

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

NOTE 12 – PENSION LIABILITIES - TEACHERS' PENSION AND ANNUITY FUND (TPAF)

At June 30, 2024, the District liability for its proportionate share of the net pension liability which is considered a Special Funding Situation with the State of New Jersey is reported below.

The employer contributions for local participating employers are legally required to be funded by the State of New Jersey in accordance with N.J.S.A 18:66-33. Therefore, 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 non-employer contributing entity. Since the local participating employers do not contribute directly to the plan, 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 non-employer 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 non-employer contributing entities' total proportionate share of the collective pension expense associated with the local participating employer.

The amount recognized by the District as its proportionate share of the net pension liability, the related State support, and the total portion of the net pension liability that was associated with the District were as follows:

District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ -
State's proportionate share of the net position liability associated with the District	78,402,352
Total	<u>\$ 78,402,352</u>

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The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2024 and the total pension liability to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the District's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating school districts and the State, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2024, the District's proportion was 0.00%, which was no change from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2023.

For the year ended June 30, 2024, the District recognized pension expense (benefit) of (\$286,000) and revenue in the same amount for support provided by the State.

Actuarial assumptions. The total pension liability in the June 30, 2024 actuarial valuation was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2023, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2024. This actuarial valuation used the following assumptions, applied to all period included in the measurement:

Inflation Rate	
Price	2.75%
Wage	3.25%
Salary increases	2.75% - 5.65% (based on years of service)
Investment rate of return	7.00%

Pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Teachers Above-Median Income Employee mortality table with a 93.9% adjustment for males and 85.3% 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 Teachers Above-Median Income Healthy Retiree mortality table with a 114.7% adjustment for males and 99.6% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Disability mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Non-Safety Disabled Retiree mortality table with a 106.3% adjustment for males and 100.3% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Mortality improvement is based on Scale MP-2021.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2023 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021.

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, 2024) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investments and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. The long term expected rate of return was determined using a building block method in which best-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 weighing the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in TPAF's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2024 are summarized in the following table:

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Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return.
U.S. Equity	28.00%	8.63%
Non-U.S. Developed Markets Equity	12.75%	8.85%
International small cap equity	1.25%	8.85%
Emerging Markets Equity	5.50%	10.66%
Private Equity	13.00%	12.40%
Real Estate	8.00%	10.95%
Real Assets	3.00%	8.20%
High Yield	4.50%	6.74%
Private Credit	8.00%	8.90%
Investment Grade Credit	7.00%	5.37%
Cash Equivalents	2.00%	3.57%
U.S. Treasuries	4.00%	3.57%
Risk Mitigation Strategies	3.00%	7.10%

Discount rate.

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00% as of June 30, 2024. 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 100% 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 all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to all projected benefit payments in determining the total pension liability.

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

The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 7.0% as well as what the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower (6.0%) or 1-percentage point higher (8.0%) than the current rate:

	1% Decrease (6.0%)	Current Discount Rate (7.0%)	1% Increase (8.0%)
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
State's proportionate share of the net position liability associated with the District	\$ 93,192,295	\$ 78,402,352	\$ 65,946,425

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Pension plan fiduciary net position.

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

Additional Information

Collective balances of the local group at June 30, 2024 are as follows:

Deferred outflows of resources	\$ 1,108,112,477
Deferred inflows of resources	(10,545,101,790)
Net pension liability	49,492,072,325

Collective pension expense for the plan for the measurement period ended June 30, 2024 is \$(180,539,491).

NOTE 13 – OTHER POST-RETIREMENT BENEFITS

General Information about the OPEB Plan

State Health Benefit State Retired Employees Plan:

Pension and Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) Obligations in Fiscal Year 2024 the State funded the various defined benefit pension systems at 104 percent of the full actuarially determined contributions. Employer contributions to the pension plans are calculated per the requirements of the governing State statutes using generally accepted actuarial procedures and practices. The actuarial funding method used to determine the State's contribution is a matter of State law. Any change to the funding method requires the approval of the State Legislature and the Governor. The amount the State actually contributes to the pension plans may differ from the actuarially determined contributions of the pension plans because the State's contribution to the pension plans is subject to the appropriation of the State Legislature and actions by the Governor. GASB Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, requires participating employers to recognize their proportionate share of the collective net pension liability. Under the new statement, the calculation of the pension liability was changed to a more conservative methodology and each employer was allocated a proportional share of the pension plans' net pension liability. The State's share of the net pension liability, based on a measurement date of June 30, 2023, which is required to be reported on the financial statements, is \$79.4 billion.

The Fiscal Year 2025 projected aggregate State contribution to the pension plans of \$7.2 billion represents 104 percent of the actuarially determined contribution.

The State provides post-retirement medical (PRM) benefits for certain State and other retired employees meeting the service credit eligibility requirements. In Fiscal Year 2024, the State paid PRM benefits for 161,238 State and local retirees.

The State funds post-retirement medical benefits on a "pay-as-you-go" basis, which means that the State does not pre-fund, or otherwise establish a reserve or other pool of assets against the PRM expenses that the State may incur in future years. For Fiscal Year 2024, the State contributed \$2.3 billion to pay for "pay-as-you-go" PRM benefit costs incurred by covered populations, a slight increase from \$2.1 billion in Fiscal Year 2023. The State has appropriated \$2.4 billion in Fiscal Year 2025 as the State's contribution to fund increases in prescription drugs and medical claims costs.

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In accordance with the provisions of GASBE Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions, the State is required to quantify and disclose its obligations to pay Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) to retired plan members. This new standard supersedes the previously issued guidance, GASB Statement No. 45, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions, effective for Fiscal Year 2018. The State is now required to accrue a liability in all instances where statutory language names the State as the legal obligor for benefit payments. The Fiscal Year 2024 State OPEB liability to provide these benefits is \$76.9 billion, an increase of \$2.0 billion, or 2.6 percent, from the \$74.9 billion liability recorded in Fiscal Year 2023. Additional information on Pensions and OPEB can be accessed on the Division of Pensions & Benefits Financial Reports webpage: nj.gov/treasury/pensions/financial-reports.shtml.

Total OPEB Liability

The State, a non-employer contributing entity, is the only entity that has a legal obligation to make employer contributions to OPEB for qualified retired PERS and TPAF participants. The LEA's proportionate share percentage determined under paragraphs 193 and 203 through 205 of GASBS No. 75 is zero percent. Accordingly, the LEA did not recognize any portion of the collective net OPEB liability on the Statement of Net Position. Accordingly, the following OPEB liability note information is reported at the State's level and is not specific to the board of education/board of trustees. Note that actual numbers will be published in the NJ State ACFR on the Office of Management and Budget's Financial Publications webpage: nj.gov/treasury/omb/fr.shtml.

Actuarial assumptions and other imputes. The total OPEB liability in the June 30, 2024, actuarial valuation reported by the State in the State's most recently issued ACFR was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2023, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2024. 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 and other inputs, applied to all periods included in the measurement, unless otherwise specified:

Salary Increases

<u>TPAF/ABP</u>	<u>PERS</u>	<u>PFRS</u>
2.75% to 5.65%	2.75% to 6.55%	3.25% to 16.25%
based on service years	based on service years	based on service years

Mortality Rates

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-2021. 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-2021. 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-2021 for current disabled retirees. Future disabled retirees was based on the Pub-2020 "Safety" (PFRS), "General" (PERS), and "Teachers" (TPAF/ABP) classification headcount-weighted disabled mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using Scale MP-2021.

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The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2023 valuation were based on the results of the TPAF, PERS, and PFRS experience studies for the period July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021.

100% of active members are considered to participate in the Plan upon retirement.

Health Care Trend Assumptions

For pre-Medicare medical benefits, the trend rate is initially 7.5% and decreases to a 4.5% long-term trend rate after nine years. For post-65 medical benefits PPO, the trend is increasing to 19.36% in fiscal year 2027, and decreases to 4.5% in fiscal year 2034. For HMO the trend is increasing to 22.88% in fiscal year 2027, and decreases to 4.5% in fiscal year 2034. For prescription drug benefits, the initial trend rate is 12.25% and decreases to a 4.5% long-term trend rate after nine years. For the Medicare Part B reimbursement, the trend rate is 5.0%.

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability was 3.93%. 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 reported by the State of New Jersey

Balance at 6/30/24 (Based on 6/30/2023 measurement date)	\$ 52,361,668,239
Changes for the year:	
Service cost	2,152,062,729
Interest	1,963,557,443
Changes in Benefit Terms	-
Differences between Expected & Actual Experiences	158,934,425
Changes in assumptions or other inputs	4,462,660,491
Contributions: Member	51,347,810
Benefit payments	<u>(1,499,600,607)</u>
Net changes	<u>7,288,962,291</u>
Balance at 6/30/25 (Based on 6/30/2024 measurement date)	<u><u>\$ 59,650,630,530</u></u>

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

The following presents the total OPEB liability as of June 20, 2024, respectively, calculated using a discount rate as disclosed above as well as what the total non-employer OPEB would be if it was calculated using a discount rate that is 1 percentage point lower or 1 percentage point higher than the current discount rate:

	1% Decrease (2.93%)	Discount Rate (3.93%)	1% Increase (4.93%)
Total OPEB Liability	\$ 69,863,663,542	59,650,630,530	51,437,232,141

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Sensitivity of the total OPEB liability to changes in the healthcare cost trend rates

The following presents the total OPEB liability as of June 30, 2023, calculated using the healthcare trend rate as disclosed above as well as what the total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using healthcare cost trend rates that are 1 percentage point lower or 1 percentage point higher than the current healthcare cost trend rates:

		1% Decrease	Healthcare Cost Trend Rates	1% Increase
Total OPEB Liability (School Retirees)	\$	49,689,409,509	59,650,630,530	72,625,778,279

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

For the year ended June 30, 2024, the board of education recognized OPEB expense of 331,764 determined by the State as the total OPEB liability for benefits provided through a defined OPEB plan that is not administered through a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB 75 and in which there is a special funding situation.

In accordance with GASB 75, the board of education's proportionate share of school retirees OPEB is zero, there is no recognition of the allocation of proportionate share of deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources. At June 30, 2024, the State reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to retired school employees' OPEB from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 6,378,932,312	(11,139,706,892)
Changes in assumptions	10,004,978,073	(11,662,607,882)
	<u>\$ 16,383,910,385</u>	<u>(22,802,314,774)</u>

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

Year Ended June 30,	
2025	\$ (2,115,877,507)
2026	(1,774,175,666)
2027	(842,677,045)
2028	221,470,185
2029	(1,537,725,697)
Thereafter	<u>(369,418,659)</u>
	<u>\$ (6,418,404,389)</u>

(Contributions made after June 30 are reported as deferred outflow of resources but are not amortized in the expense.)

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

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NOTE 14 – COMPENSATED ABSENCES

The district accounts for compensated absences (e.g., unused vacation, sick leave) as directed by Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 101 (GASB 101), "Compensated Absences". A liability for compensated absences is recognized for leave that has not been used and leave that has been used but not yet paid in cash or settled through noncash means.

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

The liability for vested compensated absences of the proprietary fund types is recorded within those funds as the benefits accrue to employees. As of June 30, 2025, there is no liability for compensated absences in the Enterprise Funds.

NOTE 15 – CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

Federal and State Grants

The District participates in a number of federal and state grant programs. The grant programs are subject to program compliance audits by the grantors or their representatives. The District is potentially liable for expenditures which may be disallowed pursuant to the terms of these grant programs.

NOTE 16 – DEFERRED COMPENSATION

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

The Vanguard Group
Metropolitan Life
Syracusa
Equitable
Lincoln Investment Planning
T. Rowe Price
Janus Funds

NOTE 17 – COMMITMENTS

The District does not have encumbrance policy at fiscal year end to determine significant encumbrances. All encumbrances are classified as Assigned Fund Balance in the General Fund or unearned revenue in the Special Revenue Fund. Significant encumbrances at June 30th are as follows:

Fund	Amount
General Fund Encumbered Orders	\$ 528,352.36
Special Revenue Fund - Encumbered Orders	685,880.35
Capital Projects Fund - Encumbered Orders	26,326.45
	<u>\$ 1,240,559.16</u>

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NOTE 18 – 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.

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

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Contributions</u>	<u>Interest on Investments</u>	<u>Amount Reimbursed</u>	<u>Ending Balance</u>
2024-2025	\$ 57,786.56	2,910.21	115,728.86	235,469.27
2023-2024	119,502.47	2,626.41	18,424.96	290,501.36
2022-2023	46,789.98	2,256.55	24,985.77	186,797.44

NOTE 19 – MAINTENANCE RESERVE ACCOUNT

A maintenance reserve account was established by the Middle Township 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, 2024 to June 30, 2025 fiscal year is as follows:

Beginning balance, July 1, 2024		\$ 2,601,680.44
Additions:		
Interest	86,747.31	
June Transfer	<u>218,774.39</u>	
		305,521.70
Withdrawals:		
Board Resolutions	<u>678,029.86</u>	
		<u>678,029.86</u>
Ending balance, June 30, 2025		<u><u>\$ 2,229,172.28</u></u>

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NOTE 20 – FUND BALANCE APPROPRIATED

General Fund – Of the \$5,638,557.21 General Fund fund balance, at June 30, 2025, \$528,352.36 is reserved for encumbrances, \$1,663,424.00 is reserved as excess surplus in accordance with NJSA 18A:7F-7 (\$813,424.00 of the reserve for excess surplus has been appropriated and included as anticipated revenue for the year ending June 30, 2026), \$235,469.27 has been reserved in the Unemployment Compensation Fund; \$119,479.51 has been reserved in the Capital Reserve Account; \$2,229,172.28 has been reserved in the Maintenance Reserve Account; \$367,880.00 has been appropriated and included as anticipated revenue for the year ending June 30, 2026; and \$494,779.79 is classified and unassigned.

Debt Service Fund – Of the Debt Service Fund fund balance at June 30, 2025, \$86,384.65 is reserved in accordance with NJSA 7F-41c(2) and \$0.00 is unreserved and undesignated.

NOTE 21 – CALCULATION OF EXCESS SURPLUS

The designation for Reserved Fund Balance - Excess Surplus is a required calculation pursuant to the NJSA 18A:7F-7, as amended. New Jersey school districts are required to reserve General Fund fund balance at the fiscal year end of June 30 if the District did not appropriate a required minimum amount of budgeted fund balance in the subsequent years' budget. The excess fund balance at June 30, 2025 is \$1,663,424.00, of which \$813,424.00 has been included in the 2025-2026 budget. The excess fund balance at June 30, 2024 was \$1,616,348.30.

NOTE 22 – DEFICIT FUND BALANCE AND NET POSITION

The District has a deficit (unassigned) fund balance of (\$330,840.00) in the Special Revenue Fund as of June 30, 2025 as reported in the fund statements (modified accrual basis). P.L. 2003, c. 97 provides that in the event a state school aid payment is not made until the following school budget year, districts must record the last payment as revenue, for budget purposes only, in the current school 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. The District deficit in the Special revenue fund in the GAAP fund statements is less than or equal to the last state aid payment.

In addition, the District had a deficit in unassigned net position balances in its Performing Arts Center funds of (\$488,587.40). The district plans to pay down this deficit over the next several budget cycles.

NOTE 23 – LITIGATION

The Board of Education is a defendant in legal proceedings that are in various stages of litigation. It is believed that the outcome or exposure to the Board, from such litigation could be material to the financial statements.

NOTE 24 – ECONOMIC DEPENDENCY

The District receives support from federal government and from the state governments. A significant reduction in the level of support, if this were to occur, would have an effect on the District's programs and activities.

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NOTE 25 – RIGHT TO USE ASSETS

The district has recorded right to use assets as a result of implementing GASB 87. The right to use assets are initially measured at an amount equal to the initial measurement of the related lease liability, plus any lease payments made prior to the lease term, less lease incentives, and plus ancillary charges necessary to place to lease into service. The District has determined the other charges and amortization to be immaterial to the government-wide financial statements and has elected to record the Right to Use Assets at their remaining liability payments.

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balance
Copiers	\$ 223,200.00		75,069.60	148,130.40
(1) 54 Passenger Buses		156,662.00	34,322.40	122,339.60
(1) 54 Passenger Bus & (1) 24 Passenger Bus	37,077.65		37,077.65	-
(2) 54 Passenger Buses	143,270.09		46,128.09	97,142.00
Right to use assets, net	\$ 403,547.74	156,662.00	192,597.74	367,612.00

NOTE 26 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Management has reviewed and evaluated all events and transactions that occurred from June 30, 2025 through December 1, 2025, the date that the financial statements were available to be issued for possible disclosure and recognition in the financial statements, and no items have come to the attention of the District that would require disclosure.

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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION – PART II

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULES

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
General Fund
Budgetary Comparison Schedule
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	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Under/(Over) Final Budget to Actual
REVENUES:					
Local Sources:					
Local Tax Levy	\$ 31,155,162.00		31,155,162.00	31,155,162.00	-
Tuition From Other LEAs Within the State	2,591,820.00		2,591,820.00	2,614,206.91	22,386.91
Other Tuition			-	356,772.06	356,772.06
Transportation Fees from Other LEA's	10,000.00		10,000.00	9,400.45	(599.55)
Rents and Royalties	210,000.00		210,000.00	209,799.28	(200.72)
Interest Earned on Maintenance Reserve	100.00		100.00	86,747.31	86,647.31
Interest Earned on Capital Reserve	100.00		100.00	861.78	761.78
Unrestricted Miscellaneous Revenues	81,582.00		81,582.00	153,498.46	71,916.46
Total Local Sources	34,048,764.00	-	34,048,764.00	34,586,448.25	537,684.25
Intermediate Sources:					
PILOT Payments to School District	55,000.00		55,000.00	58,000.00	3,000.00
Total Intermediate Sources	55,000.00	-	55,000.00	58,000.00	3,000.00
State Sources:					
Special Education Aid	1,437,131.00		1,437,131.00	1,437,131.00	-
Equalization Aid	8,437,475.00		8,437,475.00	8,437,475.00	-
Security Aid	608,776.00		608,776.00	608,776.00	-
Adjustment Aid	922,879.00		922,879.00	922,879.00	-
Transportation Aid	1,570,041.00		1,570,041.00	1,570,041.00	-
School Choice Aid	295,360.00		295,360.00	295,360.00	-
Extraordinary Aid	100,000.00		100,000.00	336,055.00	236,055.00
Nonpublic Transportation Aid			-	54,639.00	54,639.00
Stabilization Aid		283,014.00	283,014.00	283,014.00	-
TPAF Pension (On-Behalf - Non-Budget)			-	6,597,132.00	6,597,132.00
TPAF Pension - Post Retirement Medical (On Behalf - Non-Budgeted)			-	1,927,687.00	1,927,687.00
TPAF Pension - Long-Term Disability Insurance (On Behalf - Non-Budgeted)			-	3,030.00	3,030.00
TPAF Social Security (Reimbursed-Non-Budget)			-	1,470,006.14	1,470,006.14
Total State Sources	13,371,662.00	283,014.00	13,654,676.00	23,943,225.14	10,288,549.14
Federal Sources:					
Medicaid Reimbursement	60,763.00		60,763.00	34,789.70	(25,973.30)
Total Federal Sources	60,763.00	-	60,763.00	34,789.70	(25,973.30)
Total Revenues	47,536,189.00	283,014.00	47,819,203.00	58,622,463.09	10,803,260.09

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	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Under/(Over) Final Budget to Actual
EXPENDITURES:					
CURRENT EXPENSE					
REGULAR PROGRAMS - INSTRUCTION					
Kindergarten - Salaries of Teachers	624,866.00	15,691.50	640,357.50	640,357.50	-
Grades 1 - 5 Salaries of Teachers	3,641,184.00	(61,230.81)	3,579,953.19	3,570,422.30	9,530.89
Grades 6 - 8 Salaries of Teachers	2,140,306.00	34,744.30	2,175,050.30	2,162,235.49	12,814.81
Grades 9 - 12 Salaries of Teachers	4,134,865.00	(43,445.29)	4,091,219.71	4,070,265.50	20,954.21
Regular Programs - Home Instruction					
Salaries of Teachers	108,000.00	(5,036.00)	102,964.00	82,501.50	20,462.50
Purchased Professional - Educational Services	968.75		968.75	968.75	-
Regular Programs - Undistributed Instruction					
Other Salaries for Instruction	350,000.00	163,413.60	513,413.60	513,413.60	-
Purchased Technical Services	6,658.00	(609.67)	6,048.33		6,048.33
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	107,470.00	3,381.43	110,851.43	106,161.43	4,690.00
General Supplies	522,848.42	(29,311.96)	493,536.46	430,444.78	63,091.68
Textbooks	82,866.24	(16,019.00)	66,847.24	64,820.03	2,027.21
Other Objects	6,150.00	1,200.00	7,350.00	5,813.91	1,536.09
TOTAL REGULAR PROGRAMS - INSTRUCTION	11,725,782.41	62,778.10	11,788,560.51	11,647,404.79	141,155.72
SPECIAL EDUCATION - INSTRUCTION					
Emotional Regulation Impairment					
Salaries of Teachers	135,482.00	(134,716.00)	766.00		766.00
Other Salaries for Instruction	18,494.00		18,494.00	18,494.00	-
General Supplies	350.00		350.00	220.56	129.44
Total Emotional Regulation Impairment	154,326.00	(134,716.00)	19,610.00	18,714.56	895.44
Multiple Disabilities					
Salaries of Teachers	768,448.00	119,844.25	888,292.25	882,006.12	6,286.13
Other Salaries for Instruction	54,099.00	44,964.54	99,063.54	95,151.43	3,912.11
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	2,000.00	(2,000.00)	-		-
General Supplies	14,510.00	(5,000.00)	9,510.00	7,739.87	1,770.13
Textbooks	760.00		760.00		760.00
Total Multiple Disabilities	839,817.00	157,808.79	997,625.79	984,897.42	12,728.37
Resource Room/Resource Center					
Salaries of Teachers	2,395,442.00	(244,844.18)	2,150,597.82	2,130,872.94	19,724.88
Other Salaries for Instruction	138,008.00	(11,261.94)	126,746.06	92,048.38	34,697.68
General Supplies	8,266.00		8,266.00	5,578.79	2,687.21
Textbooks	4,279.00		4,279.00	700.00	3,579.00
Total Resource Room/Resource Center	2,545,995.00	(256,106.12)	2,289,888.88	2,229,200.11	60,688.77

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	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Under/(Over) Final Budget to Actual
Preschool Disabilities - Full Time					
Salaries of Teachers	165,020.00	270.00	165,290.00	165,290.00	-
General Supplies	500.00		500.00		500.00
Total Preschool Disabilities - Full Time	165,520.00	270.00	165,790.00	165,290.00	500.00
TOTAL SPECIAL EDUCATION - INSTRUCTION	3,705,658.00	(232,743.33)	3,472,914.67	3,398,102.09	74,812.58
Basic Skills/Remedial - Instruction					
Salaries of Teachers	964,622.00	(54,758.60)	909,863.40	909,162.14	701.26
Total Basic Skills/Remedial - Instruction	964,622.00	(54,758.60)	909,863.40	909,162.14	701.26
Bilingual Education - Instruction					
Salaries of Teachers	128,733.00	0.40	128,733.40	128,274.00	459.40
Total Bilingual Education - Instruction	128,733.00	0.40	128,733.40	128,274.00	459.40
School-Spon. Co curricular Activities - Instruction					
Salaries	358,862.00	(12,192.18)	346,669.82	337,309.17	9,360.65
Purchased Services (300-500 series)	24,000.00	(7,280.20)	16,719.80	15,543.63	1,176.17
Supplies & Materials	19,350.00	(4,222.40)	15,127.60	12,880.19	2,247.41
Other Objects	4,200.00	(2,550.00)	1,650.00		1,650.00
Total School-Spon. Co curricular Activities - Inst.	406,412.00	(26,244.78)	380,167.22	365,732.99	14,434.23
School-Spon. Co curricular Athletics - Instruction					
Salaries	699,978.00	32,242.22	732,220.22	732,219.86	0.36
Purchased Services (300-500 series)	83,375.00	15,108.30	98,483.30	97,434.56	1,048.74
Supplies & Materials	65,160.20	183.00	65,343.20	63,609.55	1,733.65
Other Objects	10,625.00	(791.00)	9,834.00	9,209.00	625.00
Total School-Spon. Co curricular Athletics - Inst.	859,138.20	46,742.52	905,880.72	902,472.97	3,407.75
Other Instructional Programs - Instruction					
Salaries	13,000.00	13,280.00	26,280.00	26,280.00	-
Purchased Services (300-500 series)	2,260.00	(2,238.05)	21.95	21.95	(0.00)
Supplies & Materials	1,000.00	(855.32)	144.68	144.68	-
Total Other Instructional Programs - Instruction	16,260.00	10,186.63	26,446.63	26,446.63	(0.00)
Other Alternative Education Program - Instruction					
Salaries of Teachers	93,420.00		93,420.00	93,420.00	-
Other Salaries for Instruction	22,554.00	(1,960.86)	20,593.14	20,593.14	-
Total Other Instructional Programs - Instruction	115,974.00	(1,960.86)	114,013.14	114,013.14	-
TOTAL INSTRUCTION	17,922,579.61	(195,999.92)	17,726,579.69	17,491,608.75	234,970.94

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	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Under/(Over) Final Budget to Actual
UNDISTRIBUTED EXPENDITURES					
Undistributed Expenditures - Instruction					
Tuition to Other LEAs Within the State - Regular	20,159.96	63,862.31	84,022.27	59,244.67	24,777.60
Tuition to Other LEAs Within the State - Special		59,924.46	59,924.46	50,912.00	9,012.46
Tuition to County Voc. School Dist. - Regular	1,700,994.00	(17,000.00)	1,683,994.00	1,683,994.00	-
Tuition to County Voc. School Dist. - Special	315,620.00		315,620.00	315,620.00	-
Tuition to CSSD & Regional Day Schools	2,150,133.00	(261,344.47)	1,888,788.53	1,879,108.53	9,680.00
Tuition to Private Schools for the Disabled - Within State	419,477.00	167,770.35	587,247.35	522,612.95	64,634.40
Tuition - State Facilities	293,279.00	(41,896.94)	251,382.06	251,382.06	-
Total Undistributed Expenditures - Instruction	<u>4,899,862.96</u>	<u>(28,684.29)</u>	<u>4,870,978.67</u>	<u>4,762,874.21</u>	<u>108,104.46</u>
Undistributed Expend. - Health Services					
Salaries	358,912.00	7,560.49	366,472.49	364,905.49	1,567.00
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	23,600.00		23,600.00	14,488.96	9,111.04
Purchased Services (400-500 series)	690.00		690.00	395.70	294.30
Supplies & Materials	15,813.00		15,813.00	9,233.20	6,579.80
Total Undistributed Expend. - Health Services	<u>399,015.00</u>	<u>7,560.49</u>	<u>406,575.49</u>	<u>389,023.35</u>	<u>17,552.14</u>
Undist. Expend. - Speech, OT, PT and Other Related Services					
Salaries	400,296.00	(19,121.39)	381,174.61	380,139.61	1,035.00
Purchased Professional - Educational Services	50,000.00	(2,399.36)	47,600.64	46,843.43	757.21
Total Undist. Expend. - Speech, OT, PT and Related Services	<u>450,296.00</u>	<u>(21,520.75)</u>	<u>428,775.25</u>	<u>426,983.04</u>	<u>1,792.21</u>
Undist. Expend. - Other Support Serv. Students - Extraordinary Services					
Salaries	655,937.00	(34,873.86)	621,063.14	604,984.82	16,078.32
Total Undist. Expend. - Other Support Services Students - Extraordinary Services	<u>655,937.00</u>	<u>(34,873.86)</u>	<u>621,063.14</u>	<u>604,984.82</u>	<u>16,078.32</u>
Undist. Expend. - Guidance					
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	677,726.00	11,222.61	688,948.61	685,507.46	3,441.15
Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	82,337.00		82,337.00	78,784.92	3,552.08
Other Salaries	4,000.00		4,000.00	4,000.00	-
Purchased Professional - Educational Services	200.00		200.00	162.68	37.32
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	500.00		500.00	205.40	294.60
Supplies & Materials	6,671.78		6,671.78	5,856.03	815.75
Total Undist. Expend. - Other Support Services Guidance	<u>771,434.78</u>	<u>11,222.61</u>	<u>782,657.39</u>	<u>774,516.49</u>	<u>8,140.90</u>
Undist. Expend. - Child Study Teams					
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	689,591.00	(11,616.04)	677,974.96	671,834.05	6,140.91
Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	94,549.00		94,549.00	82,274.40	12,274.60
Other Salaries	20,000.00	(20,000.00)	-	-	-
Purchased Professional - Educational Services	225,755.00	29,162.02	254,917.02	254,914.02	3.00
Other Purchased Professional and Tech. Services	313,651.00	(44,389.62)	269,261.38	263,702.28	5,559.10
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	10,800.00	(3,609.78)	7,190.22	278.00	6,912.22
Supplies & Materials	25,887.91		25,887.91	23,106.85	2,781.06
Other Objects	5,064.00		5,064.00	3,887.00	1,177.00
Total Undist. Expend. - Other Support Services Child Study Teams	<u>1,385,297.91</u>	<u>(60,453.42)</u>	<u>1,324,844.49</u>	<u>1,299,996.60</u>	<u>34,847.89</u>

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	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Under/(Over) Final Budget to Actual
Undist. Expend. - Improvement of Inst. Services					
Salaries of Supervisors of Instruction	169,679.00	1,124.92	170,803.92	170,803.92	-
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	274,013.00	(14,280.00)	259,733.00	246,783.42	12,949.58
Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	45,987.00	1,836.36	47,733.36	47,733.36	-
Other Salaries	7,500.00		7,500.00	6,000.00	1,500.00
Purchased Professional - Educational Services	25,000.00	21,598.00	46,598.00	44,048.00	2,550.00
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	26,443.50	(25,027.88)	1,415.62	163.50	1,252.12
Supplies & Materials	950.00		950.00	76.51	873.49
Other Objects	2,524.00		2,524.00	2,345.00	179.00
Total Undist. Expend. - Improvement of Inst. Serv.	552,006.50	(14,748.60)	537,257.90	517,953.71	19,304.19
Undist. Expend. - Edu. Media Serv./Sch. Library					
Salaries	388,103.00	7,325.50	395,428.50	395,428.10	0.40
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	19,802.51	(560.00)	19,242.51	15,741.77	3,500.74
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	1,350.00		1,350.00		1,350.00
Supplies & Materials	42,199.00		42,199.00	31,109.12	11,089.88
Total Undistributed Expenditures - Educational Media Services - School Library	451,454.51	6,765.50	458,220.01	442,278.99	15,941.02
Undist. Expend. - Instructional Staff Training Serv.					
Purchased Professional - Educational Services	28,708.00	(1,898.00)	26,810.00	19,274.20	7,535.80
Other Purchased Professional and Tech. Services	72,192.00	(32,000.00)	40,192.00	39,165.25	1,026.75
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	8,200.00		8,200.00	4,604.00	3,596.00
Supplies & Materials	19,171.00	(13,450.00)	5,721.00	4,938.90	782.10
Total Undistributed Expenditures - Instructional Staff Training Services	128,271.00	(47,348.00)	80,923.00	67,982.35	12,940.65
Undist. Expend. - Supp. Serv. - General Admin.					
Salaries	297,166.00	948.32	298,114.32	298,114.32	-
Legal Services	105,427.00	(5,948.28)	99,478.72	80,699.90	18,778.82
Audit Fees	40,000.00		40,000.00	38,600.00	1,400.00
Architectural/Engineering Services	27,330.98	(10,000.00)	17,330.98	4,967.00	12,363.98
Other Purchased Professional Services	42,000.00	23,504.26	65,504.26	64,504.26	1,000.00
Purchased Technical Services	76,065.51	1,422.09	77,487.60	76,230.13	1,257.47
Communications/Telephone	134,919.00	23,776.80	158,695.80	144,143.84	14,551.96
BOE - Other Purchased Services	8,000.00	(80.72)	7,919.28	7,633.62	285.66
Misc. Purch Serv (400-500) [Other than 530 & 585]	451,931.00	61,671.35	513,602.35	504,615.35	8,987.00
General Supplies	8,596.00	(0.04)	8,595.96	7,813.71	782.25
BOE - In House Training/Meeting Supplies	4,700.00		4,700.00	3,057.91	1,642.09
Miscellaneous Expenditures	26,500.00		26,500.00	55,777.60	70.09
BOE Membership Dues and Fees	24,675.00	29,277.60	53,952.60	55,707.51	1,754.91
Total Undistributed Expenditures - Support Services - General Administration	1,247,310.49	124,571.38	1,371,881.87	1,308,994.39	62,887.48

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	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Under/(Over) Final Budget to Actual
Undist. Expend. - Supp. Serv. - School Admin.					
Salaries of Principals/Assistant Principals	803,087.00	2,032.08	805,119.08	747,951.40	57,167.68
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	148,739.00		148,739.00	130,208.25	18,530.75
Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	522,305.00	4,140.76	526,445.76	467,164.15	59,281.61
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	5,425.00		5,425.00	927.09	4,497.91
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	21,859.00	(11,221.58)	10,637.42	5,785.76	4,851.66
Supplies & Materials	21,338.00	35.14	21,373.14	18,160.03	3,213.11
Other Objects	16,060.00	(35.14)	16,024.86	15,239.00	785.86
Total Undistributed Expenditures - Support					
Services - School Administration	1,538,813.00	(5,048.74)	1,533,764.26	1,385,435.68	148,328.58
Undist. Expend. - Central Services					
Salaries	389,118.00	(2,432.55)	386,685.45	384,402.46	2,282.99
Purchased Technical Services	67,886.95	1,797.60	69,684.55	68,408.75	1,275.80
Sale/Leaseback Payments	15,000.00	21,422.40	36,422.40	36,392.40	30.00
Supplies and Materials	10,200.44		10,200.44	6,381.43	3,819.01
Interest on Current Loans	24,779.00	20,275.00	45,054.00	43,757.69	1,296.31
Miscellaneous Expenditures	3,500.00		3,500.00	3,349.00	151.00
Total Undistributed Expenditures - Central Services	510,484.39	41,062.45	551,546.84	542,691.73	8,855.11
Undist. Expend. - Admin Info Tech					
Salaries	217,578.00	(1,892.64)	215,685.36	211,861.60	3,823.76
Purchased Technical Services	95,008.00	58,839.21	153,847.21	152,312.31	1,534.90
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	1,200.00		1,200.00	832.45	367.55
Supplies and Materials	24,358.00	(22,323.17)	2,034.83	1,456.87	577.96
Other Objects	5,500.00		5,500.00	4,620.49	879.51
Total Undistributed Expenditures - Admin Info Tech	343,644.00	34,623.40	378,267.40	371,083.72	7,183.68
Undist. Expend. - Required Maint. School Fac.					
Salaries	200,965.00	10,483.21	211,448.21	211,448.21	-
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Service	692,374.78	781,196.16	1,473,570.94	981,126.96	492,443.98
General Supplies	28,000.00	70,613.68	98,613.68	98,306.26	307.42
Total Undistributed Expenditures - Required					
Maintenance for School Facilities	921,339.78	862,293.05	1,783,632.83	1,290,881.43	492,751.40

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
General Fund
Budgetary Comparison Schedule
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Under/(Over) Final Budget to Actual
Undist. Expend. - Custodial Services					
Salaries	1,170,397.00	1,995.51	1,172,392.51	1,150,136.34	22,256.17
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	177,325.00	(128,620.52)	48,704.48	46,005.99	2,698.49
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Service	148,500.00	(42,229.89)	106,270.11	105,516.29	753.82
Other Purchased Property Services	183,783.00	12,840.83	196,623.83	191,770.45	4,853.38
Insurance	426,602.00	(72,917.00)	353,685.00	352,743.00	942.00
Miscellaneous Purchased Services	3,000.00		3,000.00		3,000.00
General Supplies	140,000.00	41,367.53	181,367.53	180,488.53	879.00
Energy (Natural Gas)	457,000.00	(88,234.31)	368,765.69	301,927.97	56,837.72
Energy (Electricity)	741,371.00	79,162.15	820,533.15	795,392.85	25,140.30
Other Objects	4,000.00		4,000.00	3,958.91	41.09
Total Undistributed Expenditures - Other Operations and Maintenance of Plant	3,451,978.00	(206,635.70)	3,245,342.30	3,127,940.33	117,401.97
Undist. Expend. - Care and Upkeep of Grounds					
Salaries	139,716.00	37,842.42	177,558.42	177,558.42	-
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Service	2,500.00	62,565.42	65,065.42	65,065.42	-
General Supplies	25,000.00	3,277.27	28,277.27	28,029.47	247.80
Other Objects	25,000.00	694.30	25,694.30	25,694.30	-
Total Care and Upkeep of Grounds	192,216.00	104,379.41	296,595.41	296,347.61	247.80
Undist. Expend. - Security					
Salaries	421,693.00	98,906.10	520,599.10	520,599.10	-
Purchased Technical Services	123,981.00	25,117.05	149,098.05	149,098.05	-
General Supplies	6,000.00	12,483.25	18,483.25	18,227.98	255.27
Total Security	551,674.00	136,506.40	688,180.40	687,925.13	255.27
Total Undistributed Expenditures Operations and Maintenance of Plant	5,117,207.78	896,543.16	6,013,750.94	5,403,094.50	610,656.44
Undist. Expend. - Student Transportation Serv.					
Sal.- Pup. Trans. (Bet. Home & School) - Reg.	1,330,648.00	165,816.33	1,496,464.33	1,496,464.33	-
Sal.- Pup. Trans. (Bet. Home & School) - Sp Ed	413,952.00	(49,688.70)	364,263.30	364,263.30	-
Sal.- Pup. Trans. (Other than Home & School)	50,000.00	(1,882.94)	48,117.06	48,117.06	-
Sal.- Pup. Trans. (Bet. Home/School) - Nonpublic	44,554.00	5,705.82	50,259.82	50,259.82	-
Other Purchased Professional and Tech. Services	13,000.00	15,124.80	28,124.80	28,124.80	-
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Service	44,500.00	(42,991.70)	1,508.30	1,377.99	130.31
Rental Payments - School Buses	12,755.00	15,319.05	28,074.05	28,074.05	-
Lease Purchase Payments - School Buses	121,254.00	(38,000.00)	83,254.00	83,205.74	48.26
Contr. Serv. - Aid in Lieu Payments - NonPub Sch	146,146.00	(26,098.00)	120,048.00	119,459.50	588.50
Contr. Serv. - Aid in Lieu Payments - Charter Sch	2,652.00	(2,652.00)	-	-	-
Contr. Serv. - Aid in Lieu Payments - Choice Sch	129,111.00	(129,020.22)	90.78	99,917.92	90.78
Contr. Serv. - (Sp Ed - Students) - Joint Agrmt	93,845.53	53,885.02	147,730.55	147,730.55	47,812.63
Contr. Serv. - (Sp Ed Students) - ESCs & CTSA	212,957.00	418,778.50	631,735.50	628,682.70	3,052.80
Misc. Purchased Service - Transportation	245,066.00	17,635.00	262,701.00	262,701.00	-
General Supplies	2,500.00	3,734.18	6,234.18	5,539.96	694.22
Transportation Supplies	388,560.59	(85,817.76)	302,742.83	301,171.82	1,571.01
Other Objects	8,000.00	5,186.94	13,186.94	12,569.82	617.12
Total Undistributed Expenditures - Student Transportation Services	3,259,501.12	325,034.32	3,584,535.44	3,529,929.81	54,605.63

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
General Fund
Budgetary Comparison Schedule
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Under/(Over) Final Budget to Actual
Student Transportation Services-Employee Benefits					
Social Security Contributions	150,000.00	1,633.12	151,633.12	151,633.12	-
Workers Compensation	111,559.00		111,559.00	111,558.25	0.75
Health Benefits	329,801.00	(42,547.27)	287,253.73	287,253.73	-
Total Student Transportation Services	591,360.00	(40,914.15)	550,445.85	550,445.10	0.75
Unallocated Benefits					
Social Security Contribution	465,000.00		465,000.00	465,000.00	-
Other Retirement Contributions - PERS	696,827.00	26,904.61	723,731.61	723,731.61	-
Unemployment Compensation	150,000.00	(94,861.66)	55,138.34	55,032.09	106.25
Workmen's Compensation	361,895.00	4,070.00	365,965.00	362,966.95	2,998.05
Health Benefits	6,719,400.00	(32,504.26)	6,686,895.74	6,686,895.74	-
Other Employee Benefits	185,010.00	(5,333.28)	179,676.72	173,784.03	5,892.69
Unused Sick Payment to Terminated/Retired Staff	42,495.00	58,872.79	101,367.79	101,367.79	-
Total Unallocated Benefits	8,620,627.00	(42,851.80)	8,577,775.20	8,568,778.21	8,996.99
On-Behalf Contributions					
On-Behalf TPAF Non-Cont. Life Insurance (non-bud)	-		-	6,597,132.00	(6,597,132.00)
On-Behalf TPAF Pension - Post Retirement	-		-	1,927,687.00	(1,927,687.00)
Medical Contribution (non-bud)	-		-	3,030.00	(3,030.00)
On-Behalf TPAF Pension - Long-Term	-		-	1,470,006.14	(1,470,006.14)
Disability Insurance (non-bud)	-		-	9,997,855.14	(9,997,855.14)
Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Cont.(non-bud)	-		-		
Total On-Behalf Contributions	-	-	-	-	-
Total Personal Services - Employee Benefits	9,211,987.00	(83,765.95)	9,128,221.05	19,117,078.45	(9,988,857.40)
TOTAL UNDISTRIBUTED EXPENDITURES	30,922,323.44	1,160,939.70	32,083,263.14	40,944,901.84	(8,861,638.70)
Interest Deposit to Maintenance Reserve	100.00		100.00		100.00
TOTAL GENERAL CURRENT EXPENSE	48,845,003.05	964,939.78	49,809,942.83	58,436,510.59	(8,626,567.76)
CAPITAL OUTLAY					
Interest Deposit to Capital Reserve	100.00		100.00		100.00
Total Interest Deposit to Capital Reserve	100.00	-	100.00	-	100.00
Facilities Acquisition/Construction Services					
Assessment for Debt Service on SDA Funding	139,087.00	0.08	139,087.08	139,087.08	-
Total Facilities Acquisition/Construction Services	139,087.00	0.08	139,087.08	139,087.08	-

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
General Fund
Budgetary Comparison Schedule
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Under/(Over) Final Budget to Actual
Assets Acquired Under Capital Lease (non-budget)					
Undistributed Expenditures:					
Equipment	-	-	-	156,662.00	(156,662.00)
One 2026 School Bus	-	-	-	156,662.00	(156,662.00)
Total Assets Acquired Under Capital Lease (non-bud)					
TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY	139,187.00	0.08	139,187.08	295,749.08	(156,562.00)
Transfer of Funds to Charter Schools	12,271.00	(3,896.00)	8,375.00	8,375.00	-
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	48,996,461.05	961,043.86	49,957,504.91	58,740,634.67	(8,783,129.76)
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(1,460,272.05)	(678,029.86)	(2,138,301.91)	(118,171.58)	2,020,130.33
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Capital Leases (non-budget)			-	156,662.00	156,662.00
Prior Year Accounts Payable			-	36.29	36.29
Prior Year Accounts Receivable			-	(3,021.79)	(3,021.79)
Prior Year Grant Correction			-	22,090.12	22,090.12
Transfer to Cover Deficit (Enterprise Funds)	(55,000.00)		(55,000.00)	(55,000.00)	-
Local Contribution- Transfer to Special Revenue	(220,560.00)		(220,560.00)	(220,560.00)	-
Total Other Financing Sources:	(275,560.00)	-	(275,560.00)	(99,793.38)	175,766.62
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(1,735,832.05)	(678,029.86)	(2,413,861.91)	(217,964.96)	2,195,896.95
Fund Balance July 1	6,914,717.17		6,914,717.17	6,914,717.17	-
Fund Balance June 30	\$ 5,178,885.12	(678,029.86)	4,500,855.26	6,696,752.21	2,195,896.95
Recapitulation:					
Nonspendable Fund Balance				\$ -	
None					
Restricted Fund Balance:					
Excess Surplus - Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures				813,424.00	
Excess Surplus - Current Year				850,000.00	
Reserve for Unemployment Compensation				235,469.27	
Committed Fund Balance:					
Capital Reserve				119,479.51	
Maintenance Reserve				2,229,172.28	
Assigned Fund Balance:					
Other Purposes				528,352.36	
Designated by BOE for Subsequent Expenditures				367,880.00	
Unassigned Fund Balance:					
General Fund				1,552,974.79	
Reconciliation to Governmental Funds Statements (GAAP):				6,696,752.21	
Last Two State Aid Payments not recognized on GAAP Basis				(1,058,195.00)	
Fund Balance per Governmental Funds (GAAP)				\$ 5,638,557.21	

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Special Revenue Fund
Budgetary Comparison Schedule
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Under/(Over) Final Budget to Actual
REVENUES:					
State Sources	\$ 4,396,494.00	539,225.64	4,935,719.64	3,916,784.89	(1,018,934.75)
Federal Sources	1,474,369.00	457,689.81	1,932,058.81	1,836,784.71	(95,274.10)
Local Sources	440,000.00	181,750.00	621,750.00	699,807.38	78,057.38
Total Revenues	6,310,863.00	1,178,665.45	7,489,528.45	6,453,376.98	(1,036,151.47)
EXPENDITURES:					
Instruction:					
Salaries of Teachers	1,841,055.00	215,554.28	2,056,609.28	1,895,583.68	161,025.60
Other Salaries for Instruction	364,266.00	51,798.75	416,064.75	335,028.34	81,036.41
Purchased Professional Educational Services	51,205.00	32,669.73	83,874.73	19,548.58	64,326.15
Purchased Services (400-500 series)	895,512.00	131,237.00	1,026,749.00	992,150.94	34,598.06
General Supplies	138,432.00	214,940.72	353,372.72	333,586.87	19,785.85
Textbooks	3,064.00	(456.00)	2,608.00	2,606.46	1.54
Other Objects	6,000.00	7,264.95	13,264.95	813.00	12,451.95
Total Instruction	3,299,534.00	653,009.43	3,952,543.43	3,579,317.87	373,225.56
Support Services:					
Salaries of Supervisors of Instruction	78,390.00	1,900.00	80,290.00	80,290.00	-
Salaries of Program Directors	68,415.00	-	68,415.00	66,873.36	1,541.64
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	101,428.00	12,356.00	113,784.00	113,784.00	-
Salaries of Secr. And Clerical Assistants	22,828.00	-	22,828.00	22,828.00	-
Other Salaries	88,271.00	53,958.00	142,229.00	136,977.00	5,252.00
Salaries of Community Parent Involvement Spec.	22,317.00	-	22,317.00	13,390.20	8,926.80
Salaries of Master Teachers	133,980.00	-	133,980.00	96,631.08	37,348.92
Personal Services - Employee Benefits	1,103,230.00	(36,211.28)	1,067,018.72	935,368.30	131,650.42
Other Purchased Professional Services	260,000.00	269,513.14	529,513.14	134,553.51	394,959.63
Purchased Technical Services	94,828.00	11,389.98	106,217.98	89,142.15	17,075.83
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	2,500.00	13,350.74	15,850.74	3,439.40	12,411.34
Supplies & Materials	50,365.00	108,039.38	158,404.38	134,608.59	23,795.79
Cleaning, Repair & Maintenance Svcs.	15,000.00	10,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	-
Rentals	95,000.00	16,385.54	111,385.54	72,278.00	39,107.54
Travel	500.00	891.90	1,391.90	-	1,391.90
Other Objects	4,000.00	8,308.17	12,308.17	-	12,308.17
Miscellaneous Purchased Services	8,300.00	24,857.00	33,157.00	-	33,157.00
Contract Services (Between Home & School) - Vendors	64,200.00	9,739.73	73,939.73	53,855.60	20,084.13
Scholarships Awarded	10,000.00	2,750.00	12,750.00	12,750.00	-
Student Activities	430,000.00	179,000.00	609,000.00	608,663.42	336.58
Total Support Services	2,653,552.00	686,228.30	3,339,780.30	2,600,432.61	739,347.69

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Special Revenue Fund
Budgetary Comparison Schedule
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual
EXPENDITURES(cont'd):					
Facilities Acquisitions and Construction Services:					
Construction			-	-	-
Instructional Equipment	350,000.00	24,000.00	374,000.00	373,187.63	812.37
Noninstructional Equipment	228,337.00	(184,572.28)	43,764.72	43,764.72	-
Total Facilities Acquisitions and Const. Services:	<u>578,337.00</u>	<u>(160,572.28)</u>	<u>417,764.72</u>	<u>416,952.35</u>	<u>812.37</u>
Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
Transfer in from General Fund	220,560.00		220,560.00	220,560.00	-
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>220,560.00</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>220,560.00</u>	<u>220,560.00</u>	<u>-</u>
Total Outflows	<u>6,310,863.00</u>	<u>1,178,665.45</u>	<u>7,489,528.45</u>	<u>6,376,142.83</u>	<u>1,113,385.62</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)					
Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>77,234.15</u>	<u>77,234.15</u>
Fund Balance, July 1				<u>\$ 597,636.49</u>	
Fund Balance, June 30				<u><u>674,870.64</u></u>	
Recapitulation:					
Restricted:					
Scholarship Fund				76,800.34	
Student Activities				<u>598,070.30</u>	
Total Fund Balance				<u><u>\$ 674,870.64</u></u>	

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NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Required Supplementary Information
Budgetary to GAAP Reconciliation
Note to RSI
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

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

		General Fund		Special Revenue Fund
		<u> </u>		<u> </u>
Sources/inflows of resources				
Actual amounts (budgetary basis) "revenue"				
from the budgetary comparison schedule	[C-1]	\$ 58,622,463.09	[C-2]	\$ 6,453,376.98
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				436,760.10
Current Year				(685,880.35)
Final State Aid payment was delayed until July 2024 is recorded				
as budgetary revenue but is not recognized under GAAP.				
		1,114,781.00		215,388.00
Final State Aid payment was delayed until July 2025 is recorded				
as budgetary revenue but is not recognized under GAAP.				
		(1,058,195.00)		(330,840.00)
	[B-2]	<u>\$ 58,679,049.09</u>	[B-2]	<u>\$ 6,088,804.73</u>
Uses/outflows of resources				
Actual amounts (budgetary basis) "total outflows"				
from the budgetary comparison schedule	[C-1]	\$ 58,740,634.67	[C-2]	\$ 6,376,142.83
Difference - budget to GAAP:				
Encumbrances for supplies and equipment ordered but				
not received are reported in the year the order is placed for				
budgetary purposes, but in the year the supplies are received				
for financial reporting purposes.				
Prior Year				436,760.10
Current Year				(685,880.35)
	[B-2]	<u>\$ 58,740,634.67</u>	[B-2]	<u>\$ 6,127,022.58</u>

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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION – PART III

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability
Public Employee Retirement System
Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
District's proportion of the net pension liability (asset)	0.0482208517%	0.0480652374%	0.0473908201%	0.0448059876%	0.0479145459%	0.4692643660%	0.0502997496%	0.0524873239%	0.0533544147%	0.0530876022%
District's proportionate of the net pension liability (asset)	\$ 6,552,271.00	\$ 6,961,949.00	\$ 7,151,927.00	\$ 5,693,413.00	\$ 7,813,610.00	\$ 8,455,432.00	\$ 9,903,770.00	\$ 12,218,210.00	\$ 15,802,047.00	\$ 11,917,103.00
District's covered payroll	\$ 3,818,233.00	\$ 3,704,402.00	\$ 3,526,479.00	\$ 3,465,726.00	\$ 3,548,495.00	\$ 3,446,326.00	\$ 3,405,997.00	\$ 3,537,786.00	\$ 3,610,157.00	\$ 3,612,796.00
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	171.60%	187.94%	202.81%	164.28%	220.20%	245.35%	290.77%	345.36%	437.71%	329.86%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	68.22%	65.23%	62.91%	70.33%	58.32%	56.27%	53.60%	48.10%	40.14%	47.93%

Source: GASB 68 report on Public Employees' Retirement System; District records

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of District Contributions
Public Employee Retirement System
Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Contractually required contribution	\$ 656,151.00	\$ 642,405.00	\$ 597,621.00	\$ 562,837.00	\$ 524,161.00	\$ 456,456.00	\$ 500,320.00	\$ 486,239.00	\$ 473,993.00	\$ 456,411.00
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	\$ 656,151.00	\$ 642,405.00	\$ 597,621.00	\$ 562,837.00	\$ 524,161.00	\$ 456,456.00	\$ 500,320.00	\$ 486,239.00	\$ 473,993.00	\$ 456,411.00
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
District's covered-employee payroll	\$ 3,818,233.00	\$ 3,704,402.00	\$ 3,526,479.00	\$ 3,465,726.00	\$ 3,548,495.00	\$ 3,446,326.00	\$ 3,405,997.00	\$ 3,537,786.00	\$ 3,610,157.00	\$ 3,612,796.00
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	17.18%	17.34%	16.95%	16.24%	14.77%	13.24%	14.69%	13.74%	13.13%	12.63%

Source: GASB 68 report on Public Employees' Retirement System; District records

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability
Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund
Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
District's proportion of the net pension liability (asset)	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
District's proportionate of the net pension liability (asset)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
State's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) associated with the District	78,402,352.00	80,925,578.00	81,949,179.00	74,690,537.00	101,234,097.00	96,591,493.00	99,662,810.00	105,572,161.00	128,573,724.00	103,651,961.00
Total	<u>\$ 78,402,352.00</u>	<u>\$ 80,925,578.00</u>	<u>\$ 81,949,179.00</u>	<u>\$ 74,690,537.00</u>	<u>\$ 101,234,097.00</u>	<u>\$ 96,591,493.00</u>	<u>\$ 99,662,810.00</u>	<u>\$ 105,572,161.00</u>	<u>\$ 128,573,724.00</u>	<u>\$ 103,651,961.00</u>
District's covered payroll	\$ 19,619,240.00	\$ 18,880,018.00	\$ 18,342,753.00	\$ 18,106,073.00	\$ 17,672,044.00	\$ 16,946,181.00	\$ 16,346,224.00	\$ 16,442,006.00	\$ 15,873,957.00	\$ 15,867,165.00
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	37.99%	34.68%	32.29%	35.52%	24.60%	26.95%	26.49%	25.41%	22.33%	28.71%

Source: GASB 68 report on Public Employees' Retirement System; District records

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability
Public Employee Retirement System and Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund
Last Nine Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
District's proportion of the net OPEB liability (asset)	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability (asset)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
State's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability (asset) associated with the District	\$ 122,520,414.00	\$ 108,001,718.00	\$ 103,864,217.00	\$ 122,646,968.00	\$ 138,428,923.00	\$ 87,853,982.00	\$ 100,775,141.00	\$ 118,250,047.00	\$ 128,265,224.00
Total	\$ 122,520,414.00	\$ 108,001,718.00	\$ 103,864,217.00	\$ 122,646,968.00	\$ 138,428,923.00	\$ 87,853,982.00	\$ 100,775,141.00	\$ 118,250,047.00	\$ 128,265,224.00
District's covered payroll	\$ 23,437,473.00	\$ 22,584,420.00	\$ 21,869,232.00	\$ 21,571,799.00	\$ 21,220,539.00	\$ 20,392,507.00	\$ 19,752,221.00	\$ 19,979,792.00	\$ 19,484,114.00
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
State's proportionate share of OPEB associated with the District:									
Service Cost	3,618,461.00	3,604,136.00	4,599,805.00	5,272,372.00	3,003,738.00	3,005,696.00	3,419,027.00	4,118,499.00	
Interest Cost	4,033,081.00	3,803,689.00	2,752,516.00	3,181,591.00	3,139,476.00	3,966,162.00	4,309,594.00	3,735,608.00	
Change in Benefit Terms				(130,543.00)					
Differences between Expected & Actual	675,661.00	(620,448.00)	4,386,419.00	(21,801,511.00)	21,482,408.00	(18,586,015.00)	(11,037,516.00)	(15,231,216.00)	
Changes in Assumptions	9,166,156.00	217,687.00	(27,862,508.00)	121,001.00	25,286,207.00	1,309,910.00	(11,564,452.00)	100,854.00	
Member Contributions	105,467.00	97,475.00	87,466.00	81,338.00	73,045.00	79,943.00	93,133.00	100,854.00	
Benefit Payments	(3,080,130.00)	(2,965,038.00)	(2,726,449.00)	(2,506,203.00)	(2,409,933.00)	(2,696,855.00)	(2,694,692.00)	(2,738,922.00)	
Change in Total Opeb Liability	14,518,696.00	4,137,501.00	(18,782,751.00)	(15,761,955.00)	50,574,941.00	(12,921,159.00)	(17,474,906.00)	(10,015,177.00)	
State's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability (asset) associated with the District - Beginning Balance	108,001,718.00	103,864,217.00	122,646,968.00	138,428,923.00	87,853,982.00	100,775,141.00	118,250,047.00	128,265,224.00	
Ending Balance	\$ 122,520,414.00	\$ 108,001,718.00	\$ 103,864,217.00	\$ 122,646,968.00	\$ 138,428,923.00	\$ 87,853,982.00	\$ 100,775,141.00	\$ 118,250,047.00	
State's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability associated with the District - as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	522.75%	478.21%	474.93%	568.55%	652.33%	430.82%	510.20%	591.85%	

Source: GASB 75 report on State of New Jersey State Health Benefits Program; District records

Note: This schedule is required by GASB 75 to be show information for a 10 year period.

However, information is only currently available for nine years.

Additional years will be presented as they become 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.

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Special Revenue Fund
Combining Schedule of Program Revenues and Expenditures - Budgetary Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Total Brought Forward (Ex. E-1a)	Preschool Education Aid	I.D.E.A. Preschool	I.D.E.A. Part B	Advanced Placement Expansion Grant	VANS	Totals 2025
REVENUES:							
State Sources	\$ 414,781.78	3,476,129.11	741,670.34	30,792.00	25,874.00		3,916,784.89
Federal Sources	1,064,322.37						1,836,784.71
Local Sources	698,647.57					1,159.81	699,807.38
Total Revenues	2,177,751.72	3,476,129.11	741,670.34	30,792.00	25,874.00	1,159.81	6,453,376.98
EXPENDITURES:							
Instruction:							
Salaries of Teachers	665,799.07	1,229,784.61					1,895,583.68
Other Salaries for Instruction	16,119.53	318,908.81					335,028.34
Purchased Professional Educational Services	18,677.18		871.40				19,548.58
Purchased Services (400-500 series)	-	220,560.00	740,798.94	30,792.00		1,159.81	992,150.94
General Supplies	169,067.74	163,359.32					333,586.87
Textbooks	2,606.46						2,606.46
Other Objects	813.00						813.00
Total Instruction	873,082.98	1,932,612.74	741,670.34	30,792.00	-	1,159.81	3,579,317.87
Support Services:							
Salaries of Supervisors of Instruction	-	80,290.00					80,290.00
Salaries of Program Directors	-	66,873.36					66,873.36
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	-	113,784.00					113,784.00
Salaries of Sec. And Clerical Assistants	-	22,828.00					22,828.00
Other Salaries	58,725.00	74,529.00			3,723.00		136,977.00
Salaries of Community Parent Involvement Spec.	-	13,390.20					13,390.20
Salaries of Master Teachers	-	96,631.08					96,631.08
Personal Services - Employee Benefits	244,983.46	690,099.84			285.00		935,368.30
Other Purchased Professional Services	130,000.00	4,553.51					134,553.51
Purchased Professional - Technical Services	67,276.15				21,866.00		89,142.15
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	3,439.40						3,439.40
Supplies & Materials	25,741.56	108,867.03					134,608.59
Cleaning, Repair & Maintenance Svcs.	-	25,000.00					25,000.00
Rentals	22,000.00	50,278.00					72,278.00
Travel	-						-
Other Objects	-						-
Miscellaneous Purchased Services	-						-
Contract Services (Between Home & School) - Vendors	53,855.60						53,855.60
Scholarships Awarded	12,750.00						12,750.00
Student Activities	608,663.42						608,663.42
Total Support Services	1,227,434.59	1,347,124.02	-	-	25,874.00	-	2,600,432.61
Facilities Acquisition and Constr. Services:							
Construction	-						-
Instructional Equipment	-	373,187.63					373,187.63
Noninstructional Equipment	-	43,764.72					43,764.72
Total Facilities Acquisition and Constr. Services	-	416,952.35	-	-	-	-	416,952.35
Other Financing Sources (Uses)							
Transfer in from General Fund	-	220,560.00					220,560.00
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	-	220,560.00	-	-	-	-	220,560.00
Total Outflows	2,100,517.57	3,476,129.11	741,670.34	30,792.00	25,874.00	1,159.81	6,376,142.83
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)	77,234.15	-	-	-	-	-	77,234.15
Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)	597,636.49	-	-	-	-	-	597,636.49
Fund Balance, July 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fund Balance, June 30	\$ 674,870.64	-	-	-	-	-	674,870.64

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Special Revenue Fund
Combining Schedule of Program Revenues and Expenditures - Budgetary Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Total Brought Forward (Ex. E-1b)	Recovery HS Access Project Grant	Nonpublic Security	Nonpublic Corrective Speech	Nonpublic Compensatory Ed	Nonpublic Exam & Class	Total Carried Forward
REVENUES:							
State Sources	\$ 15,761.11	365,875.21	10,030.34	5,952.00	14,130.78	3,032.34	414,781.78
Federal Sources	1,064,322.37						1,064,322.37
Local Sources	698,647.57						698,647.57
Total Revenues	1,778,731.05	365,875.21	10,030.34	5,952.00	14,130.78	3,032.34	2,177,751.72
EXPENDITURES:							
Instruction:							
Salaries of Teachers	586,375.40	79,423.67					665,799.07
Other Salaries for Instruction	16,119.53						16,119.53
Purchased Professional Educational Services	4,047.40	499.00			14,130.78		18,677.18
Purchased Services (400-500 series)	-						-
General Supplies	159,652.72	9,415.02					169,067.74
Textbooks	2,606.46						2,606.46
Other Objects	-	813.00					813.00
Total Instruction	768,801.51	90,150.69	-	-	14,130.78	-	873,082.98
Support Services:							
Salaries of Supervisors of Instruction	-						-
Salaries of Program Directors	-						-
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	-						-
Salaries of Secr. And Clerical Assistants	-						-
Other Salaries	-	58,725.00					58,725.00
Salaries of Community Parent Involvement Spec.	-						-
Salaries of Master Teachers	-						-
Personal Services - Employee Benefits	234,415.09	10,568.37					244,983.46
Other Purchased Professional Services	-	130,000.00					130,000.00
Purchased Professional - Technical Services	58,291.81			5,952.00		3,032.34	67,276.15
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	3,439.40						3,439.40
Supplies & Materials	15,135.67	575.55	10,030.34				25,741.56
Cleaning, Repair & Maintenance Svcs.	-						-
Rentals	-	22,000.00					22,000.00
Travel	-						-
Other Objects	-						-
Miscellaneous Purchased Services	-						-
Contract Services (Between Home & School) - Vendors	-	53,855.60					53,855.60
Scholarships Awarded	12,750.00						12,750.00
Student Activities	608,663.42						608,663.42
Total Support Services	932,695.39	275,724.52	10,030.34	5,952.00	-	3,032.34	1,227,434.59
Facilities Acquisition and Constr. Services:							
Construction	-						-
Instructional Equipment	-						-
Noninstructional Equipment	-						-
Total Facilities Acquisition and Constr. Services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Financing Sources (Uses)							
Transfer in from General Fund	-						-
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Outflows	1,701,496.90	365,875.21	10,030.34	5,952.00	14,130.78	3,032.34	2,100,517.57
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)							
Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)	77,234.15	-	-	-	-	-	77,234.15
Fund Balance, July 1	597,636.49	-	-	-	-	-	597,636.49
Fund Balance, June 30	\$ 674,870.64	-	-	-	-	-	674,870.64

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Special Revenue Fund
Combining Schedule of Program Revenues and Expenditures - Budgetary Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Total Brought Forward (Ex. E-1c)	Nonpublic Nurse	Nonpublic Supplemental Instruction	Nonpublic Technology	Nonpublic Textbooks	Title IV	Total Carried Forward
REVENUES:							
State Sources	\$ -	6,630.00	4,047.40	2,477.25	2,606.46	44,490.38	15,761.11
Federal Sources	1,019,831.99						1,064,322.37
Local Sources	698,647.57						698,647.57
Total Revenues	1,718,479.56	6,630.00	4,047.40	2,477.25	2,606.46	44,490.38	1,778,731.05
EXPENDITURES:							
Instruction:							
Salaries of Teachers	586,375.40						586,375.40
Other Salaries for Instruction	16,119.53		4,047.40				16,119.53
Purchased Professional Educational Services	-						4,047.40
Purchased Services (400-500 series)	-						-
General Supplies	149,971.64			2,477.25		7,203.83	159,652.72
Textbooks	-				2,606.46		2,606.46
Other Objects	-						-
Total Instruction	752,466.57	-	4,047.40	2,477.25	2,606.46	7,203.83	768,801.51
Support Services:							
Salaries of Supervisors of Instruction	-						-
Salaries of Program Directors	-						-
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	-						-
Salaries of Sec. And Clerical Assistants	-						-
Other Salaries	-						-
Salaries of Community Parent Involvement Spec.	-						-
Salaries of Master Teachers	-						-
Personal Services - Employee Benefits	234,415.09						234,415.09
Other Purchased Professional Services	-						-
Purchased Professional - Technical Services	14,375.26	6,630.00				37,286.55	58,291.81
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	3,439.40						3,439.40
Supplies & Materials	15,135.67						15,135.67
Cleaning, Repair & Maint. Maintenance Svcs.	-						-
Rentals	-						-
Travel	-						-
Other Objects	-						-
Miscellaneous Purchased Services	-						-
Contract Services (Between Home & School) - Vendors	-						-
Scholarships Awarded	12,750.00						12,750.00
Student Activities	608,663.42						608,663.42
Total Support Services	888,778.84	6,630.00	-	-	-	37,286.55	932,695.39
Facilities Acquisition and Constr. Services:							
Construction	-						-
Instructional Equipment	-						-
Noninstructional Equipment	-						-
Total Facilities Acquisition and Constr. Services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Financing Sources (Uses)							
Transfer in from General Fund	-						-
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Outflows	1,641,245.41	6,630.00	4,047.40	2,477.25	2,606.46	44,490.38	1,701,496.90
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)	-	-	-	-	-	-	77,234.15
Fund Balance, July 1	597,636.49	-	-	-	-	-	597,636.49
Fund Balance, June 30	\$ 597,636.49	-	-	-	-	-	674,870.64

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Special Revenue Fund
Combining Schedule of Program Revenues and Expenditures - Budgetary Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Total Brought Forward (Ex. E-1d)	Title I	Title I SIA	Title IIA	Title III	Title III Immigrant	Total Carried Forward
REVENUES:							
State Sources	-						-
Federal Sources	-	792,047.67	102,471.17	97,950.25	24,084.90	3,278.00	1,019,831.99
Local Sources	698,647.57						698,647.57
Total Revenues	698,647.57	792,047.67	102,471.17	97,950.25	24,084.90	3,278.00	1,718,479.56
EXPENDITURES:							
Instruction:							
Salaries of Teachers	-	517,319.05		62,598.85	6,457.50		586,375.40
Other Salaries for Instruction	-	16,119.53					16,119.53
Purchased Professional Educational Services	-						-
Purchased Services (400-500 series)	-						-
General Supplies	-	55,900.32	84,335.91		6,457.41	3,278.00	149,971.64
Textbooks	-						-
Other Objects	-						-
Total Instruction	-	589,338.90	84,335.91	62,598.85	12,914.91	3,278.00	752,466.57
Support Services:							
Salaries of Supervisors of Instruction	-						-
Salaries of Program Directors	-						-
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	-						-
Salaries of Secr. And Clerical Assistants	-						-
Other Salaries	-						-
Salaries of Community Parent Involvement Spec.	-						-
Salaries of Master Teachers	-	200,512.10		33,409.00	493.99		234,415.09
Personal Services - Employee Benefits	-						-
Other Purchased Professional Services	-		14,375.26				14,375.26
Purchased Professional - Technical Services	-			1,942.40	1,497.00		3,439.40
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	-				9,179.00		15,135.67
Supplies & Materials	-	2,196.67	3,760.00				
Cleaning, Repair & Maintenance Svcs.	-						-
Rentals	-						-
Travel	-						-
Other Objects	-						-
Miscellaneous Purchased Services	-						-
Contract Services (Between Home & School) - Vendors	-						-
Scholarships Awarded	12,750.00						12,750.00
Student Activities	608,663.42						608,663.42
Total Support Services	621,413.42	202,708.77	18,135.26	35,351.40	11,169.99	-	888,778.84
Facilities Acquisition and Constr. Services:							
Construction	-						-
Instructional Equipment	-						-
Noninstructional Equipment	-						-
Total Facilities Acquisition and Constr. Services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Financing Sources (Uses)							
Transfer in from General Fund	-						-
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Outflows	621,413.42	792,047.67	102,471.17	97,950.25	24,084.90	3,278.00	1,641,245.41
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)	77,234.15	-	-	-	-	-	77,234.15
Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)	597,636.49	-	-	-	-	-	597,636.49
Fund Balance, July 1							
Fund Balance, June 30	\$ 674,870.64	-	-	-	-	-	674,870.64

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Special Revenue Fund
Combining Schedule of Program Revenues and Expenditures - Budgetary Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Scholarship Fund	Elementary #1	Elementary #2	Middle School	High School	Total Carried Forward
REVENUES:						
State Sources						-
Federal Sources						-
Local Sources	15,389.07	43,886.37	48,594.33	92,833.51	498,144.29	698,647.57
Total Revenues	15,389.07	43,886.37	48,594.33	92,833.51	498,144.29	698,647.57
EXPENDITURES:						
Instruction:						
Salaries of Teachers						-
Other Salaries for Instruction						-
Purchased Professional Educational Services						-
Purchased Services (400-500 series)						-
General Supplies						-
Textbooks						-
Other Objects						-
Total Instruction	-	-	-	-	-	-
Support Services:						
Salaries of Supervisors of Instruction						-
Salaries of Program Directors						-
Salaries of Other Professional Staff						-
Salaries of Secr. And Clerical Assistants						-
Other Salaries						-
Salaries of Community Parent Involvement Spec.						-
Salaries of Master Teachers						-
Personal Services - Employee Benefits						-
Other Purchased Professional Services						-
Purchased Professional - Technical Services						-
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)						-
Supplies & Materials						-
Cleaning, Repair & Maintenance Svcs.						-
Rentals						-
Travel						-
Other Objects						-
Miscellaneous Purchased Services						-
Contract Services (Between Home & School) - Vendors	12,750.00	28,837.40	46,028.33	91,934.81	441,862.88	12,750.00
Scholarships Awarded						608,663.42
Student Activities						621,413.42
Total Support Services	12,750.00	28,837.40	46,028.33	91,934.81	441,862.88	621,413.42
Facilities Acquisition and Constr. Services:						
Construction						-
Instructional Equipment						-
Noninstructional Equipment						-
Total Facilities Acquisition and Constr. Services	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Financing Sources (Uses)						-
Transfer in from General Fund						-
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Outflows	12,750.00	28,837.40	46,028.33	91,934.81	441,862.88	621,413.42
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)	2,639.07	14,948.97	2,566.00	898.70	56,281.41	77,234.15
Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)	74,161.27	104,175.85	105,094.59	95,807.84	218,396.94	597,636.49
Fund Balance, July 1						
Fund Balance, June 30	76,800.34	119,024.82	107,660.59	96,706.54	274,678.35	674,870.64

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Special Revenue Fund
Schedule of Preschool Education Aid Expenditures
Preschool - All Programs
Budgetary Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

<u>District-Wide Total</u>	<u>Total</u>		
	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance</u>
EXPENDITURES:			
Instruction:			
Salaries of Teachers	\$ 1,306,572.00	1,229,784.61	76,787.39
Other Salaries for Instruction	398,414.00	318,908.81	79,505.19
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	255,158.00	220,560.00	34,598.00
General Supplies	163,385.00	163,359.32	25.68
Total Instruction	<u>2,123,529.00</u>	<u>1,932,612.74</u>	<u>190,916.26</u>
Support Services:			
Salaries of Supervisors of Instruction	80,290.00	80,290.00	-
Salaries of Program Directors	68,415.00	66,873.36	1,541.64
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	113,784.00	113,784.00	-
Salaries of Secr. and Clerical Assistants	22,828.00	22,828.00	-
Other Salaries	74,529.00	74,529.00	-
Salaries of Community Parent Involvement Spec.	22,317.00	13,390.20	8,926.80
Salaries of Master Teachers	133,980.00	96,631.08	37,348.92
Personal Services - Employee Benefits	751,066.00	690,099.84	60,966.16
Other Purchased Professional Services	22,842.28	4,553.51	18,288.77
Cleaning, Repair & Maintenance Svcs.	25,000.00	25,000.00	-
Rentals	65,000.00	50,278.00	14,722.00
Supplies and Materials	114,906.00	108,867.03	6,038.97
Total Support Services	<u>1,494,957.28</u>	<u>1,347,124.02</u>	<u>147,833.26</u>
Facilities Acquisition and Constr. Services:			
Instructional Equipment	374,000.00	373,187.63	812.37
Noninstructional Equipment	43,764.72	43,764.72	-
Total Facilities Acquisition and Constr. Services	<u>417,764.72</u>	<u>416,952.35</u>	<u>812.37</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>\$ 4,036,251.00</u>	<u>3,696,689.11</u>	<u>339,561.89</u>

CALCULATION OF BUDGET & CARRYOVER

Total Revised 2024-25 Preschool Education Aid Allocation	\$ 3,308,400.00
Actual Preschool Education Program Aid Carryover June 30, 2024	547,149.36
Add: Budget transfer from General Fund 2025	220,560.00
Total Preschool Education Aid Funds Available for 2024-25 Budget	4,076,109.36
Less: 2023-24 Budgeted Preschool Education Aid (Including prior year budgeted carryover)	(4,036,251.00)
Available & Unbudgeted Preschool Education Aid Funds as of June 30, 2025	39,858.36
Add: June 30, 2025 Unexpended Preschool Education Aid	339,561.89
2024-25 Actual Carryover -Preschool Education Aid/Preschool	<u>\$ 379,420.25</u>
2024-25 Preschool Education Aid Carryover Budgeted in 2025-26	<u>\$ 33,421.00</u>

**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.

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Capital Projects Funds
Summary Statement of Project Expenditures
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

Project Title/Issue	Date	Revised Appropriations	GAAP Expenditures to Date		Unexpended Balance June 30, 2025
			Prior Years	Current Years	
Middle Township Elementary School #1 Additions & Renovations	3/8/2016	11,325,277.39	10,817,056.50	-	508,220.89
Middle Township Elementary School #2 Renovations & Transportation Building	3/8/2016	2,035,353.58	2,027,231.12	-	8,122.46
Middle Township Elementary School #2 Transportation Building/Facilities	3/8/2016	6,599,819.74	6,580,799.74	-	19,020.00
Middle Township Middle School Annex Fields & Parking	3/8/2016	707,083.60	679,040.89	-	28,042.71
Middle Township High School Renovations	3/8/2016	653,504.69	580,061.06	-	73,443.63
Middle Township Elementary School #2 Annex-Fields & Parking	3/8/2016	3,324,099.00	2,909,037.89	-	415,061.11
		<u>\$ 24,645,138.00</u>	<u>23,593,227.20</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,051,910.80</u>

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Capital Projects Fund
Summary Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Budgetary Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES:

Miscellaneous	\$	40,166.08
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Total Revenues		40,166.08
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EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES:

Purchased Professional and Technical Services		-
Construction Services		-
Other Objects		-

Total Expenditures		-
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Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures		40,166.08
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OTHER FINANCING SOURCES/(USES):

Operating Transfers In (Out):		
Transfer to Debt Service		(40,166.08)

Total Other Financing Sources(Uses):		(40,166.08)
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Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over(Under) Expenditures		-
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Fund Balances, July 1		1,051,772.80
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Fund Balances, June 30	\$	1,051,772.80
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TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Capital Projects Fund
Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balance and Project Status - Budgetary Basis
Middle Township Elementary School #1 - Additions & Renovations
From Inception and for the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Prior Periods	Current Year	Totals	Revised Authorized Costs
REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES:				
Bond Proceeds	\$ 11,325,277.39		\$ 11,325,277.39	\$ 11,325,277.39
Total Revenues	<u>11,325,277.39</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>11,325,277.39</u>	<u>11,325,277.39</u>
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES:				
Purchased Professional/Technical Services	1,121,267.59	-	1,121,267.59	1,261,128.00
Construction Services	9,505,045.63		9,505,045.63	9,805,336.89
Other Objects	190,743.28		190,743.28	258,812.50
Total Expenditures	<u>10,817,056.50</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>10,817,056.50</u>	<u>11,325,277.39</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	<u>\$ 508,220.89</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 508,220.89</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
ADDITIONAL PROJECT INFORMATION:				
Project Number	3130-080-15-1000			
Bond Authorization Date	3/8/2016			
Bonds Authorized	\$ 11,325,277.39			
Bonds Issued	\$ 11,325,277.39			
Original Cost Authorized	\$ 11,836,760.00			
Additional Authorized Cost	\$ (511,482.61)			
Revised Authorized Cost	\$ 11,325,277.39			
Percentage Increase over Original Authorized Cost	-4.32%			
Percentage Completion	95.51%			
Target Completion Date	FY 2026			

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Capital Projects Fund
Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balance and Project Status - Budgetary Basis
Middle Township Elementary School #2 - Renovations & Transportation Building
From Inception and for the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Prior Periods	Current Year	Totals	Revised Authorized Costs
REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES:				
Bond Proceeds	\$ 2,035,353.58		\$ 2,035,353.58	\$ 2,035,353.58
Total Revenues	<u>2,035,353.58</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,035,353.58</u>	<u>2,035,353.58</u>
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES:				
Purchased Professional/Technical Services	136,706.42		136,706.42	144,828.88
Construction Services	1,862,595.46		1,862,595.46	1,862,595.46
Other Objects	27,929.24		27,929.24	27,929.24
Total Expenditures	<u>2,027,231.12</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,027,231.12</u>	<u>2,035,353.58</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	<u>\$ 8,122.46</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 8,122.46</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
ADDITIONAL PROJECT INFORMATION:				
Project Number	3130-085-15-1000			
Bond Authorization Date	3/8/2016			
Bonds Authorized	\$ -			
Bonds Issued	\$ 2,035,353.58			
Original Cost Authorized	\$ 1,472,476.00			
Additional Authorized Cost	\$ 562,877.58			
Revised Authorized Cost	\$ 2,035,353.58			
Percentage Increase over Original Authorized Cost	38.23%			
Percentage Completion	99.60%			
Target Completion Date	FY 2026			

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Capital Projects Fund
Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balance and Project Status - Budgetary Basis
Middle Township Elementary School #2 - Transportation Building/Facilities
From Inception and for the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Prior Periods	Current Year	Totals	Revised Authorized Costs
REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES:				
Bond Proceeds	\$ 6,599,819.74		\$ 6,599,819.74	\$ 6,599,819.74
Total Revenues	<u>6,599,819.74</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>6,599,819.74</u>	<u>6,599,819.74</u>
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES:				
Purchased Professional/Technical Services	562,484.25		562,484.25	581,504.25
Construction Services	5,808,921.97		5,808,921.97	5,808,921.97
Other Objects	209,393.52		209,393.52	209,393.52
Total Expenditures	<u>6,580,799.74</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>6,580,799.74</u>	<u>6,599,819.74</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	<u>\$ 19,020.00</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 19,020.00</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
ADDITIONAL PROJECT INFORMATION:				
Project Number	3130-085-15-4000			
Bond Authorization Date	3/8/2016			
Bonds Authorized	\$ -			
Bonds Issued	\$ 6,599,819.74			
Original Cost Authorized	\$ 6,510,725.00			
Additional Authorized Cost	\$ 89,094.74			
Revised Authorized Cost	\$ 6,599,819.74			
Percentage Increase over Original Authorized Cost	1.37%			
Percentage Completion	99.71%			
Target Completion Date	FY 2026			

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Capital Projects Fund
Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balance and Project Status - Budgetary Basis
Middle Township Middle School #4 - Renovations
From Inception and for the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Prior Periods	Current Year	Totals	Revised Authorized Costs
REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES:				
Bond Proceeds	\$ 707,083.60		\$ 707,083.60	\$ 707,083.60
Total Revenues	<u>707,083.60</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>707,083.60</u>	<u>707,083.60</u>
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES:				
Purchased Professional/Technical Services	62,812.97		62,812.97	74,654.88
Construction Services	615,018.18		615,018.18	623,601.72
Other Objects	1,209.74		1,209.74	8,827.00
Total Expenditures	<u>679,040.89</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>679,040.89</u>	<u>707,083.60</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	<u>\$ 28,042.71</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 28,042.71</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
ADDITIONAL PROJECT INFORMATION:				
Project Number	3130-091-15-1000			
Bond Authorization Date	3/8/2016			
Bonds Authorized	\$ -			
Bonds Issued	\$ 707,083.60			
Original Cost Authorized	\$ 765,050.00			
Additional Authorized Cost	\$ (57,966.40)			
Revised Authorized Cost	\$ 707,083.60			
Percentage Increase over Original Authorized Cost	-7.58%			
Percentage Completion	96.03%			
Target Completion Date	FY 2026			

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Capital Projects Fund
Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balance and Project Status - Budgetary Basis
Middle Township High School - Renovations
From Inception and for the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Prior Periods	Current Year	Totals	Revised Authorized Costs
REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES:				
Bond Proceeds	\$ 653,504.69		\$ 653,504.69	\$ 653,504.69
Total Revenues	653,504.69	-	653,504.69	653,504.69
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES:				
Purchased Professional/Technical Services	72,214.10		72,214.10	77,234.00
Construction Services	505,455.00		505,455.00	568,384.69
Other Objects	2,391.96		2,391.96	7,886.00
Total Expenditures	580,061.06	-	580,061.06	653,504.69
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	\$ 73,443.63	\$ -	\$ 73,443.63	\$ -
ADDITIONAL PROJECT INFORMATION:				
Project Number	3130-050-15-1000			
Bond Authorization Date	3/8/2016			
Bonds Authorized	\$ -			
Bonds Issued	\$ 653,504.69			
Original Cost Authorized	\$ 735,428.00			
Additional Authorized Cost	\$ (81,923.31)			
Revised Authorized Cost	\$ 653,504.69			
Percentage Increase over Original Authorized Cost	-11.14%			
Percentage Completion	88.76%			
Target Completion Date	FY 2026			

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Capital Projects Fund
Schedule of Project Revenues, Expenditures, Project Balance and Project Status - Budgetary Basis
Middle Township Elementary School #2 Annex - Fields & Parking
From Inception and for the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Prior Periods	Current Year	Totals	Revised Authorized Costs
REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES:				
Bond Proceeds	\$ 3,323,961.00		\$ 3,323,961.00	\$ 3,324,099.00
Total Revenues	<u>3,323,961.00</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,323,961.00</u>	<u>3,324,099.00</u>
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES:				
Purchased Professional/Technical Services	271,046.73		271,046.73	345,257.00
Construction Services	2,603,771.38		2,603,771.38	2,941,080.00
Other Objects	34,219.78		34,219.78	37,762.00
Total Expenditures	<u>2,909,037.89</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,909,037.89</u>	<u>3,324,099.00</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	<u>\$ 414,923.11</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 414,923.11</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
ADDITIONAL PROJECT INFORMATION:				
Project Number	3130-085-15-3000			
Bond Authorization Date	3/8/2016			
Bonds Authorized	\$ -			
Bonds Issued	\$ 3,323,961.00			
Original Cost Authorized	\$ 3,324,699.00			
Additional Authorized Cost	\$ (600.00)			
Revised Authorized Cost	\$ 3,324,099.00			
Percentage Increase over Original Authorized Cost	-0.02%			
Percentage Completion	87.51%			
Target Completion Date	FY 2026			

LONG-TERM DEBT SCHEDULES

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of General Serial Bonds and Loans
As of June 30, 2025

Improvement Description	Date of Issue	Amount of Original Issue	Maturities of Bonds			Interest Rate	Balance June 30, 2024	Increased	Decreased	Balance June 30, 2025
			Date	Outstanding June 30, 2025	Amount					
Middle Twp. Board of Education, School Bonds	7/13/2017	\$ 24,645,000	7/15/2025	\$ 1,100,000.00		3.000%	\$ 18,925,000.00			
			7/15/2026	1,125,000.00		3.000%			1,050,000.00	17,875,000.00
			7/15/2027	1,175,000.00		3.000%				
			7/15/2028	1,200,000.00		3.000%				
			7/15/2029	1,275,000.00		3.000%				
			7/15/2030	1,325,000.00		3.000%				
			7/15/2031	1,375,000.00		3.000%				
			7/15/2032	1,425,000.00		3.000%				
			7/15/2033	1,475,000.00		3.000%				
			7/15/2034	1,525,000.00		3.000%				
			7/15/2035	1,600,000.00		3.000%				
			7/15/2036	1,625,000.00		3.125%				
			7/15/2037	1,650,000.00		3.250%				
						\$	18,925,000.00		1,050,000.00	17,875,000.00

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of Obligations Under Lease
As of June 30, 2025

Description	Amount of Original Issue	Balance June 30, 2024	Issued Current Year	Retired Current Year	Balance June 30, 2025
One (1) 54-passenger 2021 School Bus, One (1) 24-passenger 2021 School Bus	180,500.00	\$ 37,077.65		37,077.65	-
Two (2) 2023 IC Corp CE 54-passenger School Buses	238,370.00	143,270.09		46,128.09	97,142.00
One (1) 54-passenger 2026 School Bus	156,662.00	-	156,662.00	34,322.40	122,339.60
Copiers	370,326.00	223,200.00		75,069.60	148,130.40
		\$ <u>403,547.74</u>	<u>156,662.00</u>	<u>192,597.74</u>	<u>367,612.00</u>

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Budgetary Comparison Schedule
Debt Service Fund
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative) Final to Actual
REVENUES:					
Local Sources:					
Local Tax Levy	\$ 1,463,866.00		1,463,866.00	1,463,866.00	-
Total Local Sources	1,463,866.00	-	1,463,866.00	1,463,866.00	-
State Sources:					
Debt Service Aid Type II	126,641.00		126,641.00	126,641.00	-
Total State Sources	126,641.00	-	126,641.00	126,641.00	-
Total Revenues	1,590,507.00	-	1,590,507.00	1,590,507.00	-
EXPENDITURES:					
Regular Debt Service:					
Interest on Bonds	558,157.00		558,157.00	558,156.26	0.74
Redemption of Principal	1,050,000.00		1,050,000.00	1,050,000.00	-
Total Regular Debt Service	1,608,157.00	-	1,608,157.00	1,608,156.26	0.74
Total Expenditures	1,608,157.00	-	1,608,157.00	1,608,156.26	0.74
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(17,650.00)	-	(17,650.00)	(17,649.26)	0.74
Other Financing Sources(Uses):					
Transfer from Capital Projects			-	40,166.08	40,166.08
Total Other Financing Sources(Uses):	-	-	-	40,166.08	40,166.08
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over(Under) Expenditures	(17,650.00)	-	(17,650.00)	22,516.82	(40,165.34)
Fund Balance, July 1	63,867.83	-	63,867.83	63,867.83	-
Fund Balance, June 30	\$ 46,217.83	-	46,217.83	86,384.65	(40,165.34)

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Statistical Section

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Net Position by Component,
Last Ten Fiscal Years
(accrual basis of accounting)

Exhibit J-1

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Governmental activities										
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$ 24,314,939.14	25,576,609.40	13,284,969.95	14,554,397.54	16,427,582.74	16,292,545.63	16,483,571.40	17,557,235.60	18,104,474.43	18,378,620.63
Restricted	2,402,999.09	469,759.60	11,543,493.00	7,399,357.07	5,261,857.73	6,032,998.29	6,850,635.96	8,331,299.40	7,308,881.44	6,983,131.96
Unrestricted	(13,352,503.89)	(14,831,404.05)	(13,659,161.17)	(13,488,349.04)	(13,175,940.42)	(11,541,742.54)	(9,368,282.05)	(9,434,708.15)	(8,501,321.48)	(7,839,943.49)
Total governmental activities net position	13,365,434.34	11,213,964.95	11,169,301.78	8,465,405.57	8,513,500.05	10,783,801.38	13,965,925.31	16,453,826.95	16,912,034.39	17,521,809.10
Business-type activities										
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	237,287.66	216,577.19	201,971.69	206,471.93	209,245.53	181,028.58	162,084.24	170,112.46	185,193.88	62,464.46
Unrestricted	(91,293.37)	(174,905.19)	(244,153.05)	(291,674.31)	(321,462.62)	(292,334.63)	372,994.30	479,754.21	395,421.42	380,422.53
Total business-type activities net position	145,994.29	41,672.00	(42,181.36)	(85,202.38)	(112,217.09)	(111,306.05)	535,078.54	649,866.67	580,615.30	442,886.99
District-wide										
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	24,552,226.80	24,552,226.80	14,760,869.47	16,636,828.27	16,473,574.21	16,645,655.64	17,727,348.06	17,727,348.06	18,289,668.31	18,441,085.09
Restricted	2,402,999.09	2,402,999.09	7,399,357.07	5,261,857.73	6,032,998.29	6,850,635.96	8,331,299.40	8,331,299.40	7,308,881.44	6,983,131.96
Unrestricted	(13,443,797.26)	(13,443,797.26)	(13,780,023.35)	(13,497,403.04)	(11,834,077.17)	(8,986,287.75)	(8,954,853.94)	(8,954,953.94)	(8,105,900.06)	(7,459,520.96)
Total district net position	13,511,428.63	13,511,428.63	8,380,203.19	8,401,282.96	10,672,495.33	14,501,003.85	17,103,893.52	17,103,893.52	17,492,649.69	17,964,696.09

* As Restated

Source: ACFR Schedule A-1

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Changes in Net Position,
Last Ten Fiscal Years
(accrual basis of accounting)

Exhibit J-2

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Expenses										
Governmental activities:										
Instruction:										
Regular	20,999,549.78	22,953,303.17	23,553,631.82	21,821,426.42	20,833,196.93	23,582,849.18	21,845,448.06	19,134,951.88	19,687,216.16	19,212,289.25
Special education	5,417,444.49	5,611,617.36	5,766,132.25	5,796,039.06	5,263,240.54	6,110,196.86	5,281,784.08	4,508,089.20	4,546,328.26	4,260,575.62
Other instruction	1,514,532.96	1,759,106.14	1,850,662.24	1,753,557.54	1,507,757.52	1,680,964.16	1,613,639.30	2,812,786.52	3,066,494.48	3,081,344.74
Support Services:										
Tuition	4,797,991.78	5,238,670.30	4,769,750.40	4,989,666.01	5,262,569.40	4,547,561.52	4,120,305.61	4,590,031.20	5,208,462.53	4,762,874.21
Student & instruction related services	5,768,899.39	9,870,904.47	8,652,408.96	8,820,832.35	7,639,046.03	10,567,584.15	9,616,630.74	9,575,143.91	10,122,966.31	8,532,814.79
General and business administrative services	2,694,406.24	2,688,897.46	3,167,230.86	2,735,539.58	2,576,620.14	2,799,420.97	2,686,251.96	2,628,549.74	2,866,955.52	3,240,316.90
School administrative services	1,592,532.89	1,716,402.78	1,806,681.74	1,659,674.09	1,778,991.79	2,033,187.46	1,826,954.79	1,753,914.11	1,941,958.46	2,019,665.09
Plant operations and maintenance	6,571,393.46	5,924,223.26	6,265,680.71	7,368,051.73	5,797,580.71	6,108,757.08	6,506,322.46	6,524,864.88	7,242,239.92	7,991,733.35
Pupil transportation	4,599,934.74	4,942,306.09	5,594,211.89	5,642,116.31	4,853,436.68	3,988,766.44	5,176,544.20	5,136,726.23	5,599,976.11	5,378,257.73
Special Schools	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Charter Schools	20,188.00	47,090.00	33,115.00	24,093.00	27,212.00	34,206.00	58,983.00	31,879.00	56,335.00	8,375.00
Interest on long-term debt	105,909.46	43,536.32	710,116.94	719,631.26	692,631.26	664,912.51	635,868.76	605,906.26	575,187.51	543,718.76
Unallocated depreciation and amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total governmental activities expenses	54,081,783.19	60,796,257.35	62,169,642.81	61,300,529.37	56,232,283.00	62,118,408.35	59,368,932.96	57,302,854.93	60,714,120.26	59,051,965.44
Business-type activities:										
Food service	968,541.65	940,149.63	939,662.28	882,466.87	828,114.68	818,179.94	1,488,336.41	1,220,767.30	1,373,110.34	1,436,087.38
Performing arts center	218,233.55	316,687.40	291,375.34	302,723.73	284,274.39	230,329.57	303,438.15	242,843.95	273,388.00	-
Total business-type activities expenses	1,186,775.20	1,256,837.03	1,231,037.62	1,185,190.60	1,112,389.07	1,048,509.51	1,771,774.56	1,463,611.25	1,646,498.34	1,436,087.38
Total district expenses	55,268,558.39	62,053,094.38	63,400,680.43	62,485,739.97	57,344,672.07	63,166,917.86	61,140,707.52	58,766,466.18	62,360,618.60	60,488,052.82
Program Revenues										
Governmental activities:										
Charges for services:										
Instruction (resource room) (drivers ed)	550,494.51	525,568.66	536,405.61	591,344.69	605,359.40	591,584.64	543,706.11	531,057.70	488,862.78	541,334.58
Tuition	2,132,811.03	2,149,517.27	2,191,114.60	2,226,345.34	2,396,161.00	2,283,273.26	2,248,767.34	2,254,117.65	2,214,362.71	2,429,644.39
Compact Tuition/Child Study Team	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pupil transportation	-	22,434.36	9,654.99	11,161.45	83,734.36	10,380.00	4,510.70	15,089.12	5,106.47	9,400.45
Plant operations - custodial fees/E-Rate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Interest on Long-Term Debt	-	-	24,025.00	158,198.00	126,392.00	126,205.00	127,511.00	127,546.00	127,123.00	126,641.00
Operating grants and contributions	14,888,906.29	18,160,669.31	21,026,476.04	17,047,555.89	14,760,392.52	22,100,050.30	20,009,389.24	16,329,566.19	15,722,441.84	12,708,629.57
Capital grants and contributions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total governmental activities program revenues	17,572,211.83	20,858,189.60	23,787,676.24	20,034,605.37	17,972,039.28	25,111,493.20	22,933,884.39	19,257,346.66	18,557,896.80	15,815,649.99
Business-type activities:										
Charges for services:										
Food service	332,079.29	288,072.19	229,809.36	239,161.31	167,933.40	10,668.27	82,835.38	375,052.23	377,238.66	363,067.12
Performing arts center	219,430.00	210,361.64	273,451.83	294,946.61	226,115.41	24,743.99	128,626.59	288,111.21	242,659.58	-
Operating grants and contributions	636,769.32	653,924.85	624,161.30	592,775.68	710,509.25	1,019,735.25	2,206,562.18	894,417.24	920,170.01	988,880.12
Total business-type activities program revenue	1,188,278.61	1,152,358.66	1,127,422.49	1,126,853.60	1,104,558.06	1,055,147.51	2,418,024.15	1,557,580.68	1,540,068.25	1,351,947.24
Total district program revenue	18,760,490.44	22,010,548.26	24,915,098.73	21,161,468.97	19,076,597.34	26,166,640.71	25,351,908.54	20,814,927.34	20,097,965.05	17,167,597.23

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Changes in Net Position,
Last Ten Fiscal Years
(accrual basis of accounting)

Exhibit J-2

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Net (Expense)/Revenue										
Governmental activities	\$ (36,509,571.36)	(39,033,067.75)	(38,381,966.57)	(41,265,924.00)	(38,260,243.72)	(37,006,915.15)	(36,435,048.57)	(38,045,508.27)	(42,156,223.46)	(43,236,315.45)
Business-type activities	1,503.41	(104,478.35)	(103,615.13)	(58,627.00)	(7,631.01)	6,838.00	646,249.59	94,169.43	(106,430.09)	84,140.14
Total district-wide net expense	<u>(36,508,067.95)</u>	<u>(40,042,546.10)</u>	<u>(38,485,581.70)</u>	<u>(41,324,551.00)</u>	<u>(38,268,074.73)</u>	<u>(37,000,077.15)</u>	<u>(35,788,798.98)</u>	<u>(37,951,338.84)</u>	<u>(42,262,653.55)</u>	<u>(43,320,455.59)</u>
General Revenues and Other Changes in Net Assets										
Governmental activities:										
Property taxes levied for general purposes, net	24,520,946.80	25,011,365.99	25,665,775.04	26,400,435.04	27,143,945.99	27,899,891.03	28,688,692.02	29,242,066.00	29,826,907.00	31,155,162.00
Taxes levied for debt service	1,639,250.00	1,589,992.00	1,671,568.00	1,458,866.00	1,220,702.00	1,434,779.00	1,467,227.00	1,491,533.00	1,486,895.00	1,463,866.00
Unrestricted grants and contributions	10,683,902.20	10,842,484.80	10,560,453.00	10,239,262.80	9,711,854.50	9,168,770.50	9,305,085.50	9,454,267.96	10,823,652.54	10,604,090.00
Investment earnings	3,041.66	3,092.96	842.71	1,937.02	49,423.07	2,887.48	1,813.96	105,953.29	239,945.61	127,451.30
Miscellaneous income	264,646.92	343,622.25	447,149.61	488,479.43	218,929.65	204,763.47	174,354.02	405,835.70	292,360.07	421,621.61
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	-	-	-	(36,952.50)	-	-	-	-	(55,329.22)	(5,397.40)
Prior Year (Receivable) Payable Cancelled	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2,985.50)	(2,985.50)
Prior Year Grant Correction	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22,090.12	22,090.12
Transfers	37,111,787.58	37,790,568.00	38,345,788.36	38,562,027.79	38,344,855.21	38,711,091.48	39,617,172.50	40,699,655.95	42,614,431.00	43,730,898.13
Total governmental activities	<u>37,111,787.58</u>	<u>37,790,568.00</u>	<u>38,345,788.36</u>	<u>38,562,027.79</u>	<u>38,344,855.21</u>	<u>38,711,091.48</u>	<u>39,617,172.50</u>	<u>40,699,655.95</u>	<u>42,614,431.00</u>	<u>43,730,898.13</u>
Business-type activities:										
Investment earnings	234.12	196.06	160.21	1,606.03	3,356.57	114.93	135.00	8,289.50	9,048.72	6,498.27
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	-	-	-	(254.13)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Prior Year (Receivable) Payable Cancelled	-	(4,009.64)	(8,494.96)	275.15	(36,517.01)	(5,841.89)	-	-	28,130.00	105.59
Chartwells guaranteed return	-	-	19,601.56	13,978.93	(23,966.64)	(5,841.89)	-	-	-	-
Transfers/Other	234.12	(3,813.59)	11,276.81	15,605.98	(55,700.71)	(5,726.98)	135.00	12,329.20	37,178.72	55,000.00
Total business-type activities	<u>234.12</u>	<u>(3,813.59)</u>	<u>19,601.56</u>	<u>15,605.98</u>	<u>(55,700.71)</u>	<u>(5,726.98)</u>	<u>135.00</u>	<u>12,329.20</u>	<u>37,178.72</u>	<u>55,000.00</u>
Total district-wide	<u>37,112,021.70</u>	<u>37,786,754.42</u>	<u>38,357,065.17</u>	<u>38,577,633.77</u>	<u>38,289,154.50</u>	<u>38,705,364.50</u>	<u>39,617,307.50</u>	<u>40,720,274.65</u>	<u>42,651,609.72</u>	<u>43,782,501.89</u>
Changes in Net Position										
Governmental activities	602,216.22	(2,147,499.75)	(36,778.21)	(2,703,896.21)	84,611.49	1,704,176.33	3,182,123.93	2,654,147.68	2,487,901.54	494,562.68
Business-type activities	1,737.53	(106,291.93)	(92,338.32)	(43,021.02)	(63,531.72)	911.04	646,384.59	114,785.13	(69,251.37)	(22,536.28)
Total district	<u>\$ 603,953.75</u>	<u>(2,253,791.68)</u>	<u>(128,516.53)</u>	<u>(2,746,917.23)</u>	<u>21,079.77</u>	<u>1,705,087.37</u>	<u>3,828,508.52</u>	<u>2,768,932.81</u>	<u>2,418,650.17</u>	<u>472,046.40</u>

Source: ACFR Schedule A-2

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Fund Balances, Governmental Funds,
Last Ten Fiscal Years
(modified accrual basis of accounting)

Exhibit J-3

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
General Fund										
Restricted	\$ 1,753,722.39	2,126,194.15	2,212,942.00	1,800,000.00	1,750,000.00	1,985,299.86	1,958,416.13	1,890,873.95	1,906,849.66	1,898,883.27
Committed	2,151,150.82	1,976,667.57	1,973,565.62	1,061,155.98	1,303,618.22	2,173,583.88	2,938,101.08	2,812,023.55	2,720,298.17	2,348,651.79
Assigned	81,074.00	288,232.00	852,130.68	743,475.56	802,363.69	770,505.73	351,748.14	1,972,155.97	982,907.54	886,232.36
Unassigned	112,826.82	248,234.31	62,574.62	176,347.45	117,112.33	740,022.49	1,741,022.23	221,169.14	239,880.60	494,779.79
Reserved										
Unreserved										
Total general fund	\$ 4,098,774.03	4,639,328.03	5,101,212.92	3,782,978.99	3,973,094.24	5,669,411.96	6,989,287.58	6,896,222.61	5,799,936.17	5,638,557.21
All Other Governmental Funds										
Restricted										
Debt Service Fund	2,681.09	17,622.88	272,854.86	299,561.26	66,117.11	25,047.07	842.00	17,914.08	63,867.83	86,384.65
Capital Projects Fund	(1,585,629.21)	(12,530,457.19)	3,617,216.03	1,412,442.03	1,020,220.30	1,043,012.80	1,051,772.80	1,051,772.80	1,051,772.80	1,051,772.80
Scholarships						66,266.28	67,832.25	64,382.61	74,161.27	76,800.34
Student Activities						321,878.39	446,374.61	486,627.49	523,475.22	598,070.30
Committed										
Assigned	1,267,589.51	8,591,500.19	2,614,783.81	2,082,722.24	319,538.41	35,548.95	35,548.95	35,548.95	35,548.95	26,326.45
Unassigned	(81,632.40)	(85,783.20)	(85,783.20)	(78,652.00)	(155,687.50)	(190,005.00)	(199,655.50)	(203,468.46)	(215,388.00)	(330,840.00)
Reserved										
Unreserved, reported in:										
Special revenue fund										
Capital projects fund										
Debt service fund										
Permanent fund										
Total all other governmental funds	\$ (396,991.01)	(4,007,117.32)	6,419,071.50	3,716,073.53	1,250,188.32	1,301,748.49	1,402,715.11	1,452,777.47	1,533,438.07	1,508,514.54

Source: ACFR Schedule B-1

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Changes in Fund Balances, Governmental Funds,
Last Ten Fiscal Years

Exhibit J-4

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Revenues										
Tax Levy	\$ 26,160,197	26,601,358	27,337,343	27,859,301	28,364,648	29,334,670	30,135,919	30,733,599	31,313,802	32,619,028
Tuition charges	2,683,306	2,675,086	2,727,520	2,817,690	3,001,520	2,874,858	2,792,473	2,785,175	2,703,225	2,970,979
Interest earnings	3,042	3,093	843	1,337	3,093	2,887	1,814	105,953	239,946	127,451
Miscellaneous	264,647	366,057	464,165	517,937	403,954	393,527	612,363	932,281	822,316	1,072,829
Intermediate Sources						55,000	55,000	58,000	58,000	58,000
State sources	18,539,934	19,216,330	19,651,255	20,588,828	21,201,402	22,440,254	24,853,594	25,066,991	27,342,916	27,581,670
Federal sources	1,585,344	1,427,957	1,767,558	1,388,474	1,561,392	2,325,641	3,864,482	5,322,386	4,178,945	1,968,569
Total revenue	49,236,470	50,289,881	51,948,684	53,173,568	54,282,339	57,426,838	62,315,655	65,004,386	66,659,150	66,398,527
Expenditures										
Instruction:										
Regular instruction	12,487,892	12,500,352	12,656,949	12,883,110	13,556,183	14,121,869	15,183,835	14,659,728	14,930,289	15,251,528
Special education instruction	3,216,583	3,055,410	3,098,541	3,421,912	3,424,796	3,658,905	3,671,142	3,453,751	3,296,146	3,398,102
Other instruction	899,247	957,763	994,485	1,035,279	981,099	1,006,594	1,121,711	2,154,950	2,325,552	2,446,102
Support Services:										
Tuition	4,797,992	5,238,670	4,769,750	4,959,568	5,262,569	4,547,562	4,120,306	4,590,031	5,208,463	4,762,874
Student & instruction related services	4,233,802	4,264,655	4,679,513	4,680,813	4,959,970	6,004,570	6,510,235	6,971,438	7,037,082	7,153,859
General administrative services	1,073,446	1,088,759	1,135,091	1,191,196	1,241,796	1,222,431	1,230,769	1,276,315	1,205,330	1,308,994
Business administrative services	719,953	662,320	811,711	627,280	657,120	682,924	754,100	734,144	862,936	913,775
School administrative services	1,059,991	1,098,616	1,110,513	1,103,289	1,311,081	1,383,837	1,349,935	1,341,489	1,400,959	1,385,436
Plant operations and maintenance	4,387,374	3,811,940	3,860,387	4,898,005	4,272,699	4,157,770	4,807,516	4,990,573	5,224,664	5,403,095
Pupil transportation	3,047,488	3,283,952	3,357,851	3,686,889	3,373,098	2,766,659	3,602,199	3,543,627	3,907,770	3,529,930
Unallocated employee benefits	11,439,046	12,042,672	13,058,129	14,175,428	13,594,469	14,461,873	16,206,213	17,471,628	18,838,554	19,117,078
Special schools										
Charter Schools	20,188	47,090	33,115	24,093	27,212	34,206	58,983	31,879	56,335	8,375
Capital outlay	1,052,770	4,334,004	15,290,530	3,339,023	2,912,041	773,753	658,664	2,280,304	1,711,075	418,291
Debt service:										
Principal	1,440,000	1,450,000	1,095,000	900,000	900,000	925,000	970,000	1,000,000	1,025,000	1,050,000
Interest and other charges	199,250	127,250	431,645	732,006	705,006	677,631	649,206	619,656	589,281	558,156
Total Expenditures	50,075,022	53,933,453	66,383,010	57,657,899	57,139,140	56,425,585	60,894,813	65,119,512	67,619,447	66,705,596
Excess (Deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	(3,643,572)	(14,434,326)	(4,484,332)	(2,856,801)	1,001,253	1,420,842	(115,126)	(115,126)	(960,297)	(307,069)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)										
Capital leases										
Bond proceeds	591,256	574,000	677,400	463,100	617,548	180,500	-	238,370	-	156,662
Prior Year Accounts Payable										36
Prior Year Grant Correction										22,090
Prior Year Accounts Receivable Adjustment										(3,022)
Transfers in										260,726
Transfers (out)										(315,726)
Total other financing sources (uses)	591,256	96,590	86,284	41,649	-365,170	216,291	216,291	(153,917)	(55,329)	36
		(96,590)	(86,284)	(41,649)	24,468	(216,291)	(216,291)	148,919	185,177	260,726
		574,000	25,322,400	463,100	581,031	180,500	-	(161,249)	(185,177)	(315,726)
								72,124	(55,329)	120,767
Net change in fund balances	(3,052,316)	(13,860,326)	20,838,068	(2,393,701)	1,582,284	1,601,342	(115,126)	(43,003)	(1,015,626)	(186,302)
Debt service as a percentage of noncapital expenditures	3.34%	3.18%	2.99%	3.00%	2.96%	2.88%	2.69%	2.58%	2.58%	2.43%

Source: ACFR Schedule B-2

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
General Fund Other Local Revenue by Source,
Last Ten Fiscal Years
 Unaudited

Exhibit J-5

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Interest on Investments	Tuition	Transportation	Driver Education	Child Study Team	E-Rate	Rentals	Admissions	Sale of Assets	Miscellaneous	Totals
2016	3,041.66	2,683,305.54	12,497.50	12,705.00	57,174.87	54,001.83	4,075.00	16,023.00		108,169.72	2,950,994.12
2017	3,160.51	2,675,085.93	22,434.36	20,215.00	56,832.89	39,928.52	5,488.75	13,662.00		50,236.00	2,887,043.96
2018	8,330.97	2,727,520.21	9,654.99	22,560.00	83,050.34	39,411.35	5,720.00	14,416.00		130,070.85	3,046,223.46
2019	40,898.74	2,817,690.03	11,161.45	27,980.00		110,757.65	7,688.75	12,366.00	14,093.30	186,983.35	3,229,619.27
2020	49,423.07	3,001,520.40	83,734.36	15,535.00		36,228.39	4,235.00	10,995.00		69,468.15	3,271,139.37
2021	2,776.80	2,874,857.90	10,380.00	32,665.00		36,386.93				80,245.00	3,037,311.63
2022	1,754.39	2,792,473.45	4,510.70	21,393.00		55,590.98	1,000.00	5,576.00		35,590.42	2,917,888.94
2023	80,781.24	2,785,175.35	15,059.12	25,380.00		34,152.55	1,500.00	20,797.00		248,355.73	3,211,200.99
2024	136,241.69	2,703,225.49	5,106.47	23,500.00		56,240.72	75.00	24,466.00		187,565.26	3,136,420.63
2025	127,451.30	2,970,978.97	9,400.45	31,960.00		45,717.64	210,799.28	19,455.00		15,523.61	3,431,286.25

Source: District Records

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Assessed Value and Actual Value of Taxable Property,
Last Ten Fiscal Years

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Vacant Land	Residential	Farmland	Farm Homestead	Commercial	Industrial	Apartment	Total Assessed Value	Public Utilities	Net Valuation Taxable	Total District School Tax Rate	Estimated County Equalized Value
2016	116,448,800	2,039,926,900	9,243,800	1,162,500	544,935,300	4,844,200	3,738,400	2,720,299,900	6,816,205	2,727,116,105	0.976	2,624,440,061
2017	120,239,200	2,051,441,900	8,229,100	1,113,700	542,470,800	4,844,200	3,738,400	2,732,077,300	7,898,823	2,739,976,123	0.998	2,633,359,335
2018	107,193,000	2,069,447,800	8,999,600	1,272,700	542,352,600	4,844,200	3,738,400	2,737,848,300	7,669,326	2,745,517,626	1.015	2,664,444,324
2019	97,945,900	2,094,240,800	9,081,800	1,273,000	541,438,700	4,785,100	3,738,400	2,752,503,700	7,942,221	2,760,445,921	1.028	2,741,196,146
2020	95,659,700	2,102,216,700	8,921,000	1,255,100	539,785,800	4,785,100	4,936,500	2,757,559,900	8,221,246	2,765,781,146	1.061	2,810,010,304
2021	91,930,300	2,113,696,400	9,394,200	1,257,200	546,877,900	4,785,100	4,936,500	2,772,877,600	8,402,620	2,781,280,220	1.136	2,865,927,382
2022	95,123,700	2,142,413,800	7,916,500	838,700	550,786,100	4,785,100	4,936,500	2,806,800,400	8,110,082	2,814,910,482	1.092	3,040,929,608
2023	91,073,600	2,178,767,300	7,685,600	776,600	556,564,300	4,785,100	4,936,500	2,844,589,000	7,600,393	2,852,189,393	1.098	3,479,504,666
2024	94,629,300	2,209,003,200	7,758,700	788,000	566,500,000	2,945,300	7,479,600	2,889,104,100	6,998,848	2,896,102,948	1.127	3,934,096,429
2025	90,487,100	2,274,951,800	7,895,900	803,600	562,316,100	2,945,300	7,648,000	2,947,047,800	6,375,824	2,953,423,624	1.150	4,429,858,601

Source: County Abstract of Ratables & Municipal Tax Assessor

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Direct and Overlapping Property Tax Rates,
Last Ten Fiscal Years
(rate per \$100 of assessed value)

Exhibit J-7

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	MIDDLE TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT			Overlapping Rates				Total Direct and Overlapping Tax Rate
	Basic Rate	General		County General	County Open Space	County Library	Municipal Local Purpose	
		Obligation Debt Service	Total Direct					
2016	0.916	0.060	0.976	0.210	0.010	0.028	0.452	1.676
2017	0.940	0.058	0.998	0.210	0.010	0.032	0.472	1.722
2018	0.954	0.061	1.015	0.218	0.010	0.033	0.483	1.759
2019	0.975	0.053	1.028	0.227	0.010	0.033	0.483	1.781
2020	1.017	0.044	1.061	0.232	0.011	0.035	0.484	1.823
2021	1.084	0.052	1.136	0.242	0.011	0.035	0.492	1.916
2022	1.040	0.052	1.092	0.254	0.011	0.037	0.519	1.913
2023	1.046	0.052	1.098	0.254	0.013	0.042	0.566	1.973
2024	1.076	0.051	1.127	0.255	0.014	0.037	0.595	2.028
2025	1.100	0.050	1.150	0.254	0.015	0.040	0.623	2.082

Source: District Records and Municipal Tax Collector

Rate does not include fire district tax. This rate will vary depending on the district.

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Principal Property Tax Payers,
Current Year and Ten Years Ago

Exhibit J-8

Taxpayer	2025				2016			
	Taxable Assessed Value	Rank	% of Total District Net Assessed Value		Taxable Assessed Value	Rank	% of Total District Net Assessed Value	
Delco, LLC/Grande Properties LLC	\$ 56,293,500	1	1.91%		\$ 29,992,800	1	1.10%	
Lou Altobelli	22,266,600	2	0.75%					
Plaza at Cape May Courthouse LLC	21,939,700	3	0.74%					
Cape Regional	20,258,700	4	0.69%		8,201,000	7	0.30%	
MHC - Sea Pines, King Nummy, Acorn LLC	13,458,000	5	0.46%					
Rio Grande Associates	12,201,100	6	0.41%		11,962,500	4	0.44%	
HD Development of Maryland LLC	10,522,300	7	0.36%		10,726,600	5	0.39%	
Union League National Golf Club	9,105,600	8	0.31%					
Atlanticare	8,832,100	9	0.30%					
Thomas Kapp/Garden Lake	8,176,300	10	0.28%					
Shelvin Two (Acme/Pier 1)					17,323,400	2	0.64%	
Grande Prop Dev LLC (Walmart)					16,218,500	3	0.59%	
Rio Mall, LLC					10,598,900	6	0.39%	
Starn's Market, Inc.					7,708,200	8	0.28%	
Phntus Lo Cape May, LLC					7,364,100	9	0.27%	
Ocean Drive Cleveland Inc					7,256,900	10	0.27%	
Totals	<u>\$ 183,053,900</u>		<u>6.20%</u>		<u>\$ 127,352,900</u>		<u>4.67%</u>	
	District Assessed Value		<u>\$ 2,953,423,624</u>				<u>\$ 2,727,116,105</u>	

Source: District ACFR & Municipal Tax Assessor

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Property Tax Levies and Collections,
Last Ten Fiscal Years

Exhibit J-9

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Taxes Levied for the Fiscal Year	Collected within the Fiscal Year of the Levy		Collections in Subsequent Years
		Amount	Percentage of Levy	
2016	26,160,196.80	26,160,196.80	100%	-
2017	26,601,357.99	26,601,357.99	100%	-
2018	27,337,343.04	27,337,343.04	100%	-
2019	27,859,301.04	27,859,301.04	100%	-
2020	28,364,647.99	28,364,647.99	100%	-
2021	29,334,670.03	29,334,670.03	100%	-
2022	30,135,919.02	30,135,919.02	100%	-
2023	30,733,599.00	30,733,599.00	100%	-
2024	31,313,802.00	31,313,802.00	100%	-
2025	32,619,028.00	32,619,028.00	100%	-

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

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Ratios of Outstanding Debt by Type,
Last Ten Fiscal Years

Exhibit J-10

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Governmental Activities				Business-Type Activities			
	General Obligation Bonds	Net Pension Liability	Temporary Bond Anticipation Notes (BANs)		Capital Leases	Total District	Percentage of Personal Income	Per Capita Personal Income
2016	2,545,000	11,424,174	745,837	2,000,000		16,715,011	0.32%	52,828
2017	1,095,000	12,272,633	940,503	11,000,000		25,308,136	0.22%	55,496
2018	24,645,000	12,446,947	1,142,053			38,234,000	0.15%	58,051
2019	23,745,000	12,187,280	1,115,566			37,047,846	0.17%	62,184
2020	22,845,000	11,667,806	1,157,910			35,670,716	0.19%	67,991
2021	21,920,000	11,017,594	840,230			33,777,824	0.22%	73,283
2022	20,950,000	9,463,187	454,008			30,867,195	0.24%	73,240
2023	19,950,000	8,120,804	387,461			28,458,265	0.28%	78,963
2024	18,925,000	7,252,520	180,348			26,357,868	0.30%	78,963
2025	17,875,000	6,759,184	367,612			25,001,796	0.32%	78,963

Source: District ACFR Schedules I-1, I-2

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Ratios of Net General Bonded Debt Outstanding,
Last Ten Fiscal Years

Exhibit J-11

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Governmental Activities			Percentage of Actual Taxable Value of Property	Per Capita Personal Income
	General Obligation Bonds	Deductions	Net General Bonded Debt Outstanding		
2016	2,545,000		2,545,000	0.09%	52,828
2017	1,095,000		1,095,000	0.04%	55,496
2018	24,645,000		24,645,000	0.90%	58,051
2019	23,745,000		23,745,000	0.86%	62,184
2020	22,845,000		22,845,000	0.83%	67,991
2021	21,920,000		21,920,000	0.79%	73,283
2022	20,950,000		20,950,000	0.74%	73,240
2023	19,950,000		19,950,000	0.70%	78,963
2024	18,925,000		18,925,000	0.65%	78,963
2025	17,875,000		17,875,000	0.61%	78,963

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Direct and Overlapping Governmental Activities Bonded Debt and Loans,
As of December 31, 2024

Exhibit J-12

<u>Governmental Unit</u>	<u>Debt Outstanding</u>	<u>Estimated Percentage Applicable</u>	<u>Estimated Share of Overlapping Debt</u>
Debt Repaid with Property Taxes			
Township of Middle	\$ 13,298,192	100.00%	\$ 13,298,192
Other Debt			
County of Cape May	344,761,536	4.48%	15,437,186.66
Subtotal, Overlapping Debt			28,735,378.82
Township of Middle School District Direct Debt			<u>17,875,000</u>
Total Direct and Overlapping Debt			<u>\$ 46,610,379</u>

Sources: Assessed value data used to estimate applicable percentages provided by the County Board of Taxation.
Debt outstanding data includes only permanent debt and was provided by each governmental unit.

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Legal Debt Margin Information,
Last Ten Fiscal Years

Exhibit J-13

Equalized valuation basis									
	2024	\$	4,330,190,498						
	2023		3,860,734,256						
	2022		3,420,424,567						
		\$	<u>11,611,349,321</u>						
Average equalized valuation of taxable property									
		\$	3,870,449,774						
Debt limit (4% of average)									
			154,817,991						
Net bonded school debt									
			17,875,000						
Legal debt margin									
		\$	<u>136,942,991</u>						
	2016		2017		2018		2019		2020
		\$	105,703,315	\$	105,168,997	\$	106,238,675	\$	108,674,050
			2,545,000		1,095,000		23,745,000		22,845,000
Debt limit									
Total net debt applicable to limit									
Legal debt margin									
		\$	<u>103,158,315</u>	\$	<u>104,073,997</u>	\$	<u>82,493,675</u>	\$	<u>85,829,050</u>
Total net debt applicable to the limit									
as a percentage of debt limit			2.41%		1.04%		23.50%		21.02%
							22.35%		19.71%
							18.23%		16.18%
							13.82%		11.55%

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

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Demographic and Economic Statistics,
Last Ten Fiscal Years

Exhibit J-14

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	(a) Population	(b) Personal Income (thousands of dollars)	(c) * Per Capita Personal Income	(d) Unemployment Rate
2016	18,577	981,385,756	52,828	10.0%
2017	18,490	1,026,121,040	55,496	9.4%
2018	18,400	1,068,138,400	58,051	8.5%
2019	18,306	1,138,340,304	62,184	7.2%
2020	18,119	1,231,928,929	67,991	14.6%
2021	20,716	1,518,130,628	73,283	9.9%
2022	20,533	1,503,836,920	73,240	7.1%
2023	20,184	1,593,789,192	78,963	7.9%
2024	19,944	1,574,838,072	78,963	8.0%
2025	19,944	1,574,838,072	78,963	Not Available

* Income information is county wide

Source:

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

^b Personal income has been estimated based upon the municipal population and per capita personal income presented

^c Per capita personal income by county estimated based upon the 2000 Census published by the US Bureau of Economic Analysis.

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

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Principal Employers,
Current Year and Nine Years Ago

Exhibit J-15

Employer	2025			2016		
	Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total Employment	Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total Employment
This Information is not available for this district.		1	0.00%			0.00%
		2				
		3				
		4				
		5				
		6				
		7				
		8				
		9				
		10				
Totals	-		0.00%	-		0.00%

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Full-time Equivalent District Employees by Function/Program,
Last Ten Fiscal Years

Exhibit J-16

Function/Object

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
100 101 Teachers - General Fund	204.7	205.7	205.7	206.7	208.7	209.7	210.5	211.5	212.5	212.5
100 101 Teachers - Special Revenue Funds	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.1
100 106 Classroom Aides - General Fund	21.2	23.0	23.0	23.0	23.0	23.0	23.0	23.0	23.0	23.0
100 106 Classroom Aides - Special Revenue Funds	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0
211 100 Attendance & Social Work										
213 100 Health Services	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
216 100 Related Services							6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
217 100 Extraordinary Services	46.2	45.0	45.0	42.0	42.0	42.0	42.0	42.0	42.0	42.0
218 104 Guidance - Professional	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	7.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
218 105 110 Guidance - Support	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
219 104 Child Study Team	14.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	13.0	13.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0
219 105 110 Child Study Team - Support	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
221 102 104 Supervisors & Other Professionals										
221 105 110 Improvement of Instruction - Support	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	1.0
222 100 Media Services/Technology	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.0	5.0
223 102 104 Professional Development - Professionals										
223 105 110 Professional Development - Support	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
230 100 General District Administrators										
230 100 Gen. Administration - Professionals	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.5	1.5	1.5
230 100 Gen. Administration - Support	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0
240 103 Principals/Assistant Principals										
240 104 School Admin. - Other Professionals										
240 105 110 School Admin. - Support	13.0	13.0	13.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
251 100 Central Services - Administrators	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
251 100 Central Services - Professionals										
251 100 Central Services - Support	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
252 100 Admin. Information Technology Services	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
26X 100 Oper. & Maint. - Security Guards	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
26X 100 Operation & Maintenance - Other	29.0	29.0	29.0	30.0	30.0	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5
270 160 Transportation	60.0	60.0	60.0	61.0	61.0	61.0	61.0	60.0	60.0	60.0
290 100 Other Support - Administrators										
290 100 Other Support - Professionals										
290 100 Other Support - Support										
200 102 104 Sup. & Other Prof. Staff - Special Revenue				2	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
200 105 110 Support - Special Revenue										
200 103 Directors - Special Revenue										
Various - Other										
	449.1	450.8	450.8	449.8	478.8	480.8	483.1	487.6	487.6	486.6

Source: District Personnel Records

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Operating Statistics,
Last Ten Fiscal Years

Exhibit J-17

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Enrollment	Operating Expenditures	Cost per Pupil	% Change	Teaching Staff	Pupil/Teacher Ratio			Average Daily Enrollment (ADE)	Average Daily Attendance (ADA)	% Change in Average Daily Enrollment	Student Attendance Percentage
						Elementary School	Middle School	High School				
2016	2,484	47,362,814	19,067	3.36%	204	1:12.2	1:12.2	1:10.6	2,484	2,325	0.61%	93.60%
2017	2,518	47,975,109	19,053	-0.07%	205	1:12.7	1:12.5	1:10.8	2,518	2,364	1.37%	93.88%
2018	2,448	49,532,720	20,234	6.20%	205	1:12.4	1:11.3	1:10.7	2,448	2,297	-2.78%	93.83%
2019	2,469	52,662,777	21,330	5.41%	206	1:13.1	1:11.9	1:10.9	2,469	2,316	0.86%	93.80%
2020	2,529	52,594,882	20,797	-2.50%	210	1:12.1	1:11.9	1:10.9	2,529	2,419	2.43%	95.65%
2021	2,445	54,014,994	22,092	6.23%	211	1:11.1	1:10.9	1:9.9	2,445	2,300	-3.32%	94.07%
2022	2,525	58,557,960	23,191	4.98%	213	1:11.3	1:11.4	1:9.9	2,525	2,336	3.27%	92.51%
2023	2,546	61,187,673	24,045	3.68%	215	1:11.3	1:12.4	1:9.9	2,546	2,371	0.83%	93.13%
2024	2,527	63,549,085	25,148	4.59%	215	1:11.3	1:12.4	1:9.9	2,527	2,368	-0.75%	93.71%
2025	2,534	64,294,091	25,373	5.52%	215	1:11.3	1:12.4	1:9.9	2,534	2,373	0.28%	93.65%

Source: District records, ASSA and Schedules J-12, J-14

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
School Building Information,
Last Ten Fiscal Years

Exhibit J-18

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
<u>District Buildings</u>										
<u>Elementary</u>										
Elementary #1										
Square Feet	70,820	70,820	86,550	86,550	86,550	86,550	86,550	86,550	86,550	86,550
Capacity (students)	692	692	692	832	832	832	832	832	832	832
Enrollment	714	709	655	660	663	642	643	655	657	676
Elementary #2										
Square Feet	87,674	87,674	87,674	87,674	87,674	87,674	87,674	87,674	87,674	87,674
Capacity (students)	625	625	625	625	625	625	625	625	625	625
Enrollment	526	525	542	560	559	522	531	539	531	522
<u>Middle School</u>										
Square Feet	88,369	88,369	88,369	88,369	88,369	88,369	88,369	88,369	88,369	88,369
Capacity (students)	617	617	617	617	617	617	617	617	617	617
Enrollment	543	538	537	528	552	559	577	590	542	547
<u>High School</u>										
Square Feet	176,891	176,891	176,891	176,891	176,891	176,891	176,891	176,891	176,891	176,891
Capacity (students)	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116
Enrollment	701	745	714	721	755	722	774	762	798	789
<u>Other</u>										
Administration										
Square Feet	5,760	5,760	5,760	5,760	5,760	5,760	5,760	5,760	5,760	5,760
Transportation Office										
Square Feet	900	900	900	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transportation Garage										
Square Feet	2,700	2,700	2,700	12,134	12,134	12,134	12,134	12,134	12,134	12,134

Number of Schools at June 30, 2025

- Elementary - 2
- Middle - 1
- High School - 1
- Other - 3

Source: District Records, ASSA

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT

General Fund

Schedule of Required Maintenance for School Facilities,

Last Ten Fiscal Years

(Unaudited)

Exhibit J-19

Undistributed Expenditures - Allowable Maintenance for School Facilities

School Facilities	Project # (s)	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Elementary #1	\$	76,575	109,998	149,283	258,239	240,970	470,118	299,629	318,733	146,123	346,653
Elementary #2		910,612	188,567	105,865	110,701	108,539	96,490	117,468	153,263	323,116	131,028
Elementary #4		33,545	98,366	82,261	125,350	265,140	132,596	193,125	134,038	179,961	211,183
High School		199,001	249,492	252,784	334,982	386,379	166,490	316,411	268,184	399,367	521,943
Total School Facilities		1,219,733	646,423	590,193	829,272	1,001,028	865,694	926,633	874,218	1,048,567	1,210,807
Other Facilities		6,772	46,736	23,332	673,384	179,419	46,574	404,901	248,448	284,114	80,074
Grand Total	\$	1,226,505	693,159	613,525	1,502,656	1,180,447	912,268	1,331,534	1,122,666	1,332,682	1,290,881

Source: District Records

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Insurance Schedule
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2025
(Unaudited)

Exhibit J-20

	Coverage	Deductible
Property, Inland Marine and Automobile Physical Damages		
A. Limit of Liability	\$ 175,000,000	
ACCASBOJIF Self Insured Retention, per occurrence	250,000	
Members District Deductible, per occurrence		500
Perils Included	"All Risk"	
B. Property Valuation		
Buildings and Contents	Replacement Cost	
Contractors Equipment	Actual Cash Value	
Automobiles	Replacement Cost	
Boiler and Machinery		
A. Limit of Liability	125,000,000	
ACCASBOJIF Self Insured Retention	None	
Members District Deductible		1,000
Crime		
A. Limit of Liability	500,000	
ACCASBOJIF Self Insured Retention	250,000	
Members District Deductible		500
General and Automobile Liability		
A. Limit of Liability	27,000,000	
ACCASBOJIF Self Insured Retention	250,000	
Members District Deductible		None
Workers' Compensation		
A. Limit of Liability	Statutory	
ACCASBOJIF Self Insured Retention	250,000	
Members District Deductible		None
Educator's Legal Liability		
A. Limit of Liability	27,000,000	
ACCASBOJIF Self Insured Retention	250,000	
Members District Deductible		None
Pollution Legal Liability		
A. Limit of Liability	3,000,000	
ACCASBOJIF Self Insured Retention	None	
Members District Deductible - Pollution Incident		25,000
Members District Deductible - Mold Incident		\$100,000 - \$250,000
Cyber Liability		
A. Limit of Liability	2,000,000	
ACCASBOJIF Self Insured Retention	None	
Members District Deductible		\$50,000 - \$100,000
Crisis Protection & Disaster Management Services		
A. Limit of Liability	1,000,000	
ACCASBOJIF Self Insured Retention	None	
Members District Deductible		10,000

Source: District Records (Coverage is through the Atlantic & Cape May Counties
Association of School Business Officials Joint Insurance Fund (ACCASBOJIF))

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Single Audit Section



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

Honorable President and
Members of the Board of Education
Middle Township School District
County of Cape May
Township of Middle, New Jersey

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Middle Township School District, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2025, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Middle Township School District's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 1, 2025.

Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

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

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

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

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

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

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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December 1, 2025



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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL AND STATE PROGRAM; REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE; AND REPORT ON SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE REQUIRED BY UNIFORM ADMINISTRATIVE AWARDS (UNIFORM GUIDANCE), AND NEW JERSEY OMB'S CIRCULAR 15-08

The Honorable President and
Members of Board of Education
Middle Township School District
County of Cape May

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal & State Program

Opinion on Each Major Federal & State Program

We have audited the Middle Township School District's 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 Middle Township School District's major federal and state programs for the year ended June 30, 2025. The Middle Township School District'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.

In our opinion, the Middle Township School District complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal and state programs for the year ended June 30, 2025.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal & State Program

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS), the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, 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) and NJ OMB 15-08. Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the Middle Township School District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on compliance for each major federal and state program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Middle Township School District's compliance with the requirements referred to above.

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to its Federal and State programs.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the Middle Township School District's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, *Government Auditing Standards*, the Uniform Guidance and NJ OMB 15-08 will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about Middle Township School District's compliance with the requirements of each major federal or state program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding Middle Township School District's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of Middle Township School District's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance and NJ OMB 15-08, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Middle Township's School District's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

Other Matters

The results of our auditing procedures disclosed no instances of noncompliance which are required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance or NJ OMB 15-08.

Report on 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 a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal or state program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance 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. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance may exist that have not been identified.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

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

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TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2025

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/ Program Title	Federal FAN Number	Grant or State Project Number	Grant Period	Program or Award Amount	Balance June 30, 2024	Carryover/ Amount	Cash Received	Budgetary Expenditures			(MEMO) Passed Through to Sub-Recipients	Adjustments	Repayment of Prior Years' Balances	Balance June 30, 2025	
								Source Paid Through	Direct	Total				Accounts Receivable	Unearned Revenue
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services															
Passed Through State Department of Health and Human Services:															
Community Health Improvement Program	93.778	2009NJMAP	N/A		-	-	34,789.70	(34,789.70)	-	(34,789.70)	-	-	-	-	-
Medical Assistance (SEMI) Program															
Total General Fund					-	-	34,789.70	(34,789.70)	-	(34,789.70)	-	-	-	-	-
Special Revenue Fund:															
U.S. Department of Education															
Passed Through State Department of Education															
Title I - Part A Cluster:															
Title I - Part A	84.010	S010A250030	7/1/2024	9/30/2025	856,133.00	-	429,146.00	(792,047.67)	-	(792,047.67)	(0.84)	A	(362,902.51)	-	-
Title I - Part A	84.010	S010A240030	7/1/2023	9/30/2024	829,689.00	-	362,525.00	-	-	-	(2,175.00)	B	-	-	-
Title I - Part A	84.010	S010A230030	7/1/2022	9/30/2023	888,577.00	3,698.41	-	-	-	-	(3,699.41)	A	(33,501.00)	-	-
Title I - SIA	84.010	S010A250030	7/1/2024	9/30/2025	104,100.00	-	68,970.00	(102,471.17)	-	(102,471.17)	0.17	A	-	-	-
Title I - SIA	84.010	S010A240030	7/1/2023	9/30/2024	28,729.00	-	629.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Title I - SIA	84.010	S010A230030	7/1/2022	9/30/2023	28,456.00	-	861,370.00	(894,518.84)	-	(894,518.84)	17,725.00	A	-	-	-
Total Title I - Part A Cluster					(373,032.59)	-	-	-	-	-	11,689.92	-	(398,403.51)	-	-
Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA)															
Title II - Part A	84.367A	S367A250029	7/1/2024	9/30/2025	99,268.00	-	43,422.00	(97,950.25)	-	(97,950.25)	0.25	A	(54,528.00)	-	-
Title II - Part A	84.367A	S367A240029	7/1/2023	9/30/2024	87,227.00	-	36,198.00	-	-	-	(207.00)	A	-	-	-
Title II - Part A	84.367A	S366A210030	7/1/2020	9/30/2021	91,819.00	9.20	-	-	-	-	(9.20)	A	-	-	-
Title II	84.366A	S366A250030	7/1/2024	9/30/2025	30,533.00	-	11,989.00	(24,084.90)	-	(24,084.90)	(0.10)	A	(12,696.00)	-	-
Title II	84.366A	S366A240030	7/1/2023	9/30/2024	34,452.00	-	9,901.00	-	-	-	(5.00)	A	(0.00)	-	-
Title II	84.366A	S366A230030	7/1/2022	9/30/2023	38,767.00	(400.00)	-	-	-	-	400.00	A	(3,278.00)	-	-
Title II - Immigrant	84.365A	S365A250030	7/1/2024	9/30/2025	2,278.00	-	7,706.00	(3,278.00)	-	(3,278.00)	-	A	(29,724.00)	-	-
Title II - Immigrant	84.365A	S365A240030	7/1/2023	9/30/2024	57,437.00	-	14,767.00	(44,480.38)	-	(44,480.38)	(0.82)	A	-	-	-
Title IV	84.424A	S424A250031	7/1/2024	9/30/2025	83,445.00	-	23,723.00	(169,803.53)	-	(169,803.53)	178.33	A	-	-	-
Title IV	84.424A	S424A240031	7/1/2023	9/30/2024	-	-	147,106.00	-	-	-	-	-	(100,226.00)	-	-
Total Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA)					(77,708.80)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Special Education Cluster:															
IDEA - Part B Basic	84.037A	H037A250100	7/1/2024	9/30/2025	748,358.00	-	593,976.00	(741,670.34)	-	(741,670.34)	0.34	A	(207,594.00)	-	-
IDEA - Part B Basic	84.037A	H037A240100	7/1/2023	9/30/2024	768,436.00	-	87,191.00	-	-	-	1,961.00	B	(8,553.00)	-	-
IDEA - Part B Preschool	84.173A	H173A250114	7/1/2024	9/30/2025	30,782.00	-	22,239.00	(30,792.00)	-	(30,792.00)	-	-	-	-	-
IDEA - Part B Preschool	84.173A	H173A240114	7/1/2023	9/30/2024	32,004.00	-	3,556.00	-	-	-	-	-	(216,547.00)	-	-
Total Special Education Cluster					(92,708.00)	-	646,862.00	(772,462.34)	-	(772,462.34)	-	-	-	-	-
Education Stabilization Fund - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund:															
ARP ESSER II	84.425D	S425D210027	3/13/2020	9/30/2023	2,063,682.00	(5.88)	-	-	-	-	5.88	A	-	-	-
ARP ESSER II	84.425D	S425D200027	3/13/2020	9/30/2024	4,229,587.00	-	527,966.00	-	-	-	(52,010.21)	A, B	-	52,009.12	-
ARP ESSER Accelerated Learning PD	84.425U	S425U210027	3/13/2020	9/30/2024	220,597.00	-	67,188.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ARP ESSER Beyond the School Day	84.425U	S425U210027	3/13/2020	9/30/2024	40,000.00	-	26,544.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ARP ESSER Mental Health	84.425U	S425U210027	3/13/2020	9/30/2024	445,613.00	-	110,157.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ARP HCY II	84.425W	S425W210031	3/13/2020	9/30/2024	101,271.00	-	28,542.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Education Stabilization Fund					(695,483.54)	-	760,497.00	-	-	-	(52,004.54)	A	-	52,009.12	-
Additional or Compensatory Special Education and Related Services (AC-SERS)															
21.027	SLEFDOE1SES	N/A	7/1/2023	6/30/2024	71,650.00	-	35,825.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Special Revenue Fund					(1,237,727.93)	-	2,451,360.00	(1,836,784.71)	-	(1,836,784.71)	(38,014.75)	-	(713,176.51)	52,009.12	-
U.S. Department of Agriculture															
Passed Through State Department of Education:															
Enterprise Fund:															
Child Nutrition Program Cluster:															
Child Nutrition Program Cluster:	10.555	251N304N1099	7/1/2024	6/30/2025	80,915.26	-	80,915.26	(80,915.26)	-	(80,915.26)	-	-	-	-	-
Child Nutrition Program Cluster:	10.646	2024NAN180341	7/1/2023	6/30/2024	3,112.00	-	3,112.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P-EBT Administrative Cost	10.553	251N304N1099	7/1/2024	6/30/2025	196,944.31	-	161,497.06	(196,944.31)	-	(196,944.31)	(15,447.25)	-	-	-	-
School Breakfast Program	10.553	241N304N1089	7/1/2023	6/30/2024	172,448.07	-	8,700.46	-	-	-	-	-	(15,447.25)	-	-
School Breakfast Program	10.555	251N304N1099	7/1/2024	6/30/2025	671,332.85	-	617,664.20	(671,332.85)	-	(671,332.85)	(83,668.65)	-	-	-	-
School Lunch Program	10.555	241N304N1099	7/1/2023	6/30/2024	952,413.70	-	31,890.95	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Child Nutrition Program Cluster					(43,703.41)	-	923,779.93	(949,192.42)	-	(949,192.42)	-	-	(68,115.90)	-	-
Total Enterprise Fund					(43,703.41)	-	923,779.93	(949,192.42)	-	(949,192.42)	-	-	(68,115.90)	-	-
Total Federal Financial Awards					\$ (1,281,431.34)	-	3,409,929.63	(2,820,766.83)	-	(2,820,766.83)	(38,014.75)	A, B	(782,292.41)	52,009.12	-

TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of Expenditures of State Financial Assistance
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2025

State Grantor/Program Title	Grant or State Project Number	Grant Period	Program or Award Amount	Balance at June 30, 2024			Carryover (Walkover) Amount	Cash Received	Budgetary Expenditures	Adjustment/ Repayment of Prior Years' Balances	(Accounts Receivable)	Balance June 30, 2025		MEMO	
				Unearned Revenue (Acts Recv.)	Due to Grantor	Unearned Revenue						Unearned Revenue	Due to Grantor	Budgetary Receivable	Cumulative Total Expenditures
State Department of Education General Fund: State Aid - Public Cluster: Equalization Aid Special Education Aid Security Aid State School Breakfast Program State School Lunch Program Adjustment Aid Stabilization Aid Total State Aid - Public Cluster Transportation Aid Extraordinary Aid Non-Public Transportation On-Behalf TPAF Payments - Pension Contribution Post-Retirement Medical Long-Term Disability Insurance Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contributions Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contributions Total General Fund Special Revenue Fund: Preschool Education Aid Preschool Education Aid Local Efficiency Achievement Program (LEAP) Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate Course Expansion Grant Recovery HS Access Project Recovery HS Access Project Recovery HS Access Project Recovery HS Access Project Recovery HS Access Project Recovery HS Access Project Recovery HS Access Project NJ Nonpublic Aid: Textbook Aid Textbook Aid Technology Aid Security Aid Library Services: Compulsory Education Compulsory Education Handicapped Services: Exam & Classification Exam & Classification Corrective Speech Corrective Speech Supplemental Instruction Supplemental Instruction Nursing Aid Total Special Revenue Fund Debt Service Fund: School Construction Debt Service Aid Total Debt Service Fund	25-495-034-5120-078	7/1/2024	8,437,475.00	-	-	8,437,475.00	-	8,437,475.00	(8,437,475.00)	-	-	-	-	(672,748.74)	8,437,475.00
	25-495-034-5120-089	7/1/2024	1,437,131.00	-	-	1,437,131.00	-	1,437,131.00	(1,437,131.00)	-	-	-	-	(114,587.37)	1,437,131.00
	25-495-034-5120-090	7/1/2024	968,176.00	-	-	968,176.00	-	968,176.00	(968,176.00)	-	-	-	-	(48,558.09)	968,176.00
	25-495-034-5120-098	7/1/2024	298,349.00	-	-	298,349.00	-	298,349.00	(298,349.00)	-	-	-	-	(73,584.30)	298,349.00
	25-495-034-5120-095	7/1/2024	922,879.00	-	-	922,879.00	-	922,879.00	(922,879.00)	-	-	-	-	-	922,879.00
	25-100-034-5120-085	7/1/2024	283,014.00	-	-	283,014.00	-	283,014.00	(283,014.00)	-	-	-	-	-	283,014.00
	25-100-034-5120-094	7/1/2024	11,984,635.00	-	-	11,984,635.00	-	11,984,635.00	(11,984,635.00)	-	-	-	-	(933,010.26)	11,984,635.00
	25-495-034-5120-014	7/1/2024	1,570,041.00	-	-	1,570,041.00	-	1,570,041.00	(336,055.00)	-	(336,055.00)	-	-	(125,184.74)	1,570,041.00
	25-100-034-5120-044	7/1/2023	423,385.00	(432,198.00)	-	-	-	432,198.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	25-495-034-5120-044	7/1/2023	54,639.00	(54,145.00)	-	-	-	54,145.00	(54,639.00)	-	(54,639.00)	-	-	-	54,639.00
	25-495-034-5120-014	7/1/2023	6,597,132.00	-	-	6,597,132.00	-	6,597,132.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,597,132.00
	25-495-034-5094-002	7/1/2024	1,927,687.00	-	-	1,927,687.00	-	1,927,687.00	(1,927,687.00)	-	-	-	-	-	1,927,687.00
	25-495-034-5094-004	7/1/2024	3,030.00	-	-	3,030.00	-	3,030.00	(3,030.00)	-	-	-	-	-	3,030.00
	25-495-034-5094-003	7/1/2023	1,455,329.01	(71,125.66)	-	-	-	71,125.66	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	24-495-034-5094-003	7/1/2023	1,470,006.14	-	-	1,398,760.07	-	1,398,760.07	(1,470,006.14)	-	(71,246.07)	-	-	-	1,470,006.14
	25-495-034-5094-003	7/1/2024	657,468.66	(57,149.36)	-	-	-	24,036,753.73	(23,943,225.14)	-	(461,940.07)	-	-	(1,056,195.00)	23,943,225.14
	25-495-034-5120-086	7/1/2024	3,528,960.00	-	-	3,528,960.00	547,149.36	3,528,960.00	(3,697,799.46)	-	-	378,309.90	-	(330,840.00)	3,697,799.46
	24-495-034-5120-086	7/1/2023	2,153,880.00	540,711.75	-	-	(540,711.75)	1,110.35	-	-	(1,110.35)	-	-	-	(1,110.35)
	23-495-034-5120-086	6/30/2023	2,034,685.00	6,437.61	-	-	(6,437.61)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	IS-2021-2022-05	4/22/2021	47,000.00	(63.11)	-	-	-	-	(2,422.00)	-	(2,422.00)	2,368.89	-	-	-
	24-TE12-G03	8/28/2025	26,448.00	-	-	25,874.00	-	-	(25,874.00)	-	-	-	-	-	25,874.00
	Baccalaureate Course Expansion Grant	12/1/2018	500,000.00	8.89	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.89	-	-	-
	Recovery HS Access Project	6/30/2019	500,000.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Recovery HS Access Project	12/1/2019	500,000.00	33.18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.18	-	-	-
	Recovery HS Access Project	6/30/2020	500,000.00	378,023.42	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	378,023.42	-	-	-
	Recovery HS Access Project	12/1/2020	500,000.00	26,932.42	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26,932.42	-	-	-
	Recovery HS Access Project	6/30/2022	500,000.00	82,331.09	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	82,331.09	-	-	-
	Recovery HS Access Project	12/1/2022	500,000.00	46,855.13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46,855.13	-	-	-
	Recovery HS Access Project	6/30/2024	500,000.00	-	-	500,000.00	-	-	(385,875.21)	-	-	134,124.79	-	-	365,875.21
	24-495-034-5120-107	12/1/2024	3,064.00	-	2.00	-	-	-	-	(2.00)	-	-	-	-	-
	24-100-034-5120-064	7/1/2023	2,608.00	-	-	2,608.00	-	-	(2,606.46)	0.46	A	-	2.00	-	2,606.46
	25-100-034-5120-064	7/1/2024	2,597.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	(47.00)	-	-	-	-	-
	24-100-034-5120-373	6/30/2024	2,469.00	47.00	-	-	-	-	(2,477.25)	0.25	A	22.00	-	-	2,477.25
	25-100-034-5120-569	6/30/2025	10,465.00	-	-	-	-	10,465.00	(10,030.34)	0.34	A	425.00	-	-	10,030.34
	24-100-034-5120-067	7/1/2023	28,771.00	-	24,006.00	-	-	-	-	(24,006.00)	-	-	-	-	-
	25-100-034-5120-067	7/1/2024	16,126.00	-	-	16,126.00	-	-	(14,130.78)	(2,022)	A	1,995.00	-	-	14,130.78
	25-100-034-5120-066	6/30/2025	9,291.00	-	-	9,291.00	-	-	(3,032.34)	0.34	A	6,259.00	-	-	3,032.34
	24-100-034-5120-066	7/1/2023	17,062.00	-	7,965.00	-	-	-	-	(7,965.00)	-	-	-	-	-
	25-100-034-5120-066	6/30/2025	9,300.00	-	-	9,300.00	-	-	(5,952.00)	-	-	3,348.00	-	-	5,952.00
	24-100-034-5120-066	7/1/2023	4,650.00	-	1,953.00	-	-	-	-	(1,953.00)	-	-	-	-	-
	25-100-034-5120-066	6/30/2025	7,434.00	-	-	7,434.00	-	-	(4,047.40)	0.40	A	3,387.00	-	-	4,047.40
	24-100-034-5120-066	7/1/2023	7,434.00	-	4,626.00	-	-	-	-	(4,626.00)	-	-	-	-	-
	25-100-034-5120-070	7/1/2024	6,630.00	-	-	6,630.00	-	-	(6,630.00)	-	-	-	-	-	6,630.00
	Total Special Revenue Fund		1,081,280.38	38,599.00	-	4,119,177.00	(0.00)	-	(4,137,344.89)	(38,597.43)	(2,422.00)	1,050,098.06	15,438.00	(330,840.00)	4,137,344.89
	Debt Service Fund: School Construction Debt Service Aid Total Debt Service Fund	7/1/2024	126,641.00	-	-	126,641.00	-	-	(126,641.00)	-	-	-	-	-	126,641.00
State Department of Agriculture Enterprise Fund: State School Breakfast Program State School Lunch Program State School Lunch Program Total Enterprise Fund Total State Financial Assistance (A) Transfer to General Fund Less: On-Behalf System Contributions Pension Contribution Post-Retirement Medical Long-Term Disability Insurance	25-100-010-0350-023	7/1/2024	6,571.75	-	-	5,968.90	-	5,968.90	(6,571.75)	-	(602.85)	-	-	-	6,571.75
	24-100-010-0350-023	7/1/2023	4,622.25	(288.45)	-	-	-	288.45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	25-100-010-0350-023	7/1/2024	33,115.95	-	-	30,431.26	-	30,431.26	(33,115.95)	-	(2,684.69)	-	-	-	33,115.95
	24-100-010-0350-023	7/1/2023	25,397.68	(1,749.44)	-	-	-	1,749.44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total Enterprise Fund		(2,917.89)	-	-	38,218.05	-	38,218.05	(39,687.70)	-	(3,287.54)	-	-	-	39,687.70
	Total State Financial Assistance		\$ 521,793.83	38,599.00	-	28,322,989.78	(0.00)	-	(28,246,898.73)	(38,597.43)	(467,646.61)	1,050,098.06	15,438.00	(1,389,035.00)	28,246,898.73
	(A) Transfer to General Fund														
	Less: On-Behalf System Contributions														
	Pension Contribution	7/1/2024	6,597,132.00	-	-	6,597,132.00	-	6,597,132.00	(6,597,132.00)	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Post-Retirement Medical	7/1/2024	1,927,687.00	-	-	1,927,687.00	-	1,927,687.00	(1,927,687.00)	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Long-Term Disability Insurance	7/1/2024	3,030.00	-	-	3,030.00	-	3,030.00	(3,030.00)	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total for State Financial Assistance-Major Program Determination		\$ 19,795,140.78	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 19,719,049.73	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,050,098.06	\$ 15,438.00	\$ (1,389,035.00)	\$ 28,246,898.73

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

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Note 1: General

The accompanying schedules of expenditures of awards and financial assistance present the activity of all federal and state award programs of the Board of Education, Township of Middle 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 schedule 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 1 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*. 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% de minimis indirect cost rate.

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 last state aid payment in the current budget year, which is mandated pursuant to *N.J.S.A. 18A:22-44.2*. For GAAP purposes that payment is not recognized until the subsequent budget year due to the state deferral and recording of the last state aid payment 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 last state aid payment in the current budget year, consistent with *N.J.S.A. 18A:22-4.2*.

The net adjustment to reconcile from the budgetary basis to the GAAP basis is \$58,586.00 for the general fund and (\$364,572.25) for the Special Revenue Fund. See the Notes to Required Supplementary Information for a reconciliation of the budgetary basis to the modified accrual basis of accounting for the general and special revenue funds. Awards and financial assistance revenues are reported in the Board's basic financial statements on a GAAP basis as follows:

	Federal	State	On-Behalf Payments	Total
General Fund	\$ 34,789.70	23,943,225.14	(8,527,849.00)	15,450,165.84
Special Revenue Fund	1,836,784.71	4,137,344.89		5,974,129.60
Debt Service Fund		126,641.00		126,641.00
Food Service Fund	949,192.42	39,687.70		988,880.12
Total Financial Award Revenues	\$ 2,820,766.83	28,246,898.73	(8,527,849.00)	22,539,816.56

The On-Behalf Pension Contributions made for the district by the State of New Jersey are recognized as revenue in the basic financial statements but are not considered in the major program determination.

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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: 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, 2025. 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, 2025.

Note 6: Adjustments

Both favorable and unfavorable differences incurred as a result of final grant payments being rounded by the grantor and are included in the schedule(s) of financial assistance in a column entitled "Adjustments."

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Section I – Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements

Type of auditor's report issued: Unmodified Opinion

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 Opinion

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance?

Yes X No

Identification of major programs:

<u>AL Number(s)</u>	<u>FAIN Number(s)</u>	<u>Name of Federal Program or Cluster</u>
		Child Nutrition Cluster:
10.555	251NJ304N1099	Food Distribution Program
10.553	251NJ304N1099	School Breakfast Program
10.553	241NJ304N1099	School Breakfast Program
10.555	251NJ304N1099	School Lunch Program
10.555	241NJ304N1099	School Lunch Program

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

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? X Yes No

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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

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

Internal Control over major programs:

1) Material weakness(es) identified? Yes X No

2) Significant deficiencies identified? Yes X None reported

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with NJOMB Circular Letter 15-08 Yes X No

Identification of major programs:

<u>State Grant/Project Number(s)</u>	<u>Name of State Program</u>
	State Aid - Public Cluster
495-034-5120-068	School Choice Aid
495-034-5120-078	Equalization Aid
495-034-5120-084	Security Aid
495-034-5120-085	Adjustment Aid
495-034-5120-089	Special Education Categorical Aid
100-034-5120-494	Stabilization Aid

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Section II – Financial Statement Findings

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, our audit disclosed no findings relating to the financial statements that are required to be reported under this section.

Section III – Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance Findings and Questioned Costs

FEDERAL AWARDS

Our audit disclosed no matters to be reported.

STATE AWARDS

Our audit disclosed no matters to be reported.

STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS (K-7)

FEDERAL AWARDS

Our audit disclosed no matters to be reported.

STATE AWARDS

Our audit disclosed no matters to be reported.