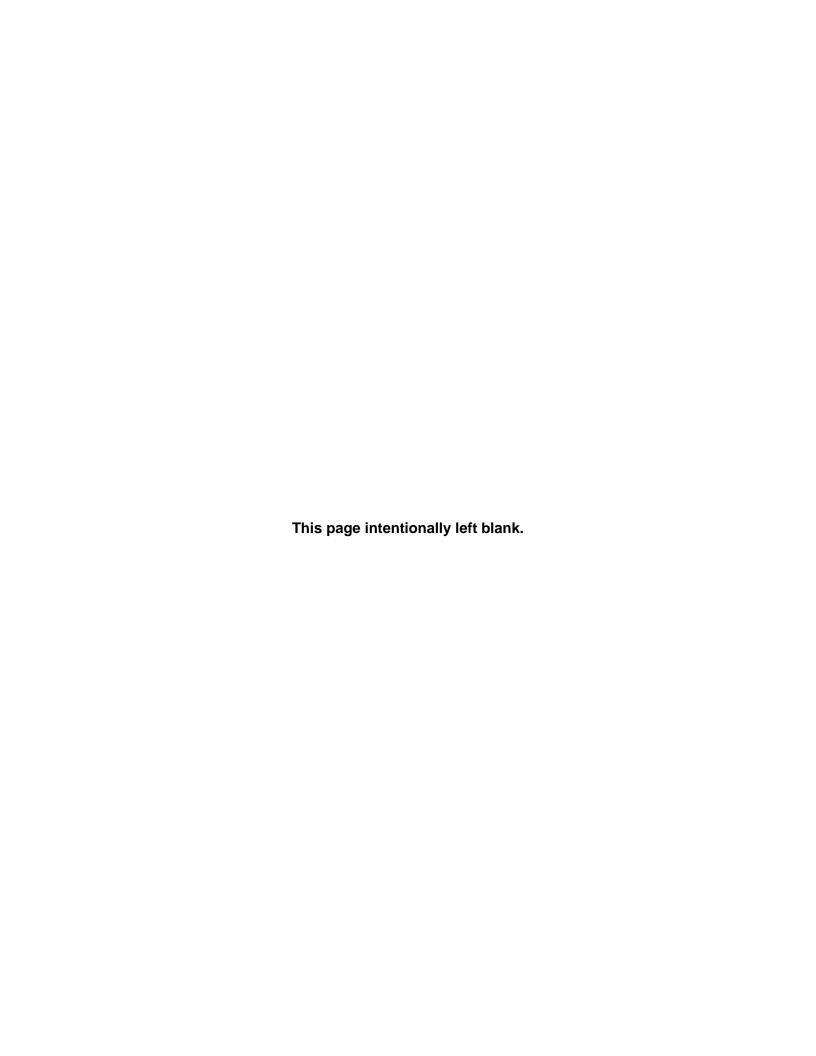




BOARDMAN LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MAHONING COUNTY

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Boardman Local School District Mahoning County 7410 Market Street Boardman, Ohio 44512

To the Board of Education:

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Boardman Local School District, Mahoning County, Ohio (the District), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2016, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for preparing and fairly presenting these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes designing, implementing, and maintaining internal control relevant to preparing and fairly presenting financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to opine on these financial statements based on our audit. We audited in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the financial audit standards in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. Those standards require us to plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit requires obtaining evidence about financial statement amounts and disclosures. The procedures selected depend on our judgment, including assessing the risks of material financial statement misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. In assessing those risks, we consider internal control relevant to the District's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not to the extent needed to opine on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we express no opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of management's accounting policies and the reasonableness of their significant accounting estimates, as well as our evaluation of the overall financial statement presentation.

We believe the audit evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to support our audit opinions.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Boardman Local School District, Mahoning County, Ohio, as of June 30, 2016, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof and the budgetary comparison for the General Fund thereof for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require this presentation to include *Management's discussion and analysis*, and schedules of net pension liabilities and pension contributions listed in the table of contents, to supplement the basic financial statements. Although this information is not part of the basic financial statements, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board considers it essential for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, consisting of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, to the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not opine or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to opine or provide any other assurance.

Supplementary and Other Information

Our audit was conducted to opine on the District's basic financial statements taken as a whole.

The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards presents additional analysis as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards and is not a required part of the financial statements.

The schedule is management's responsibility, and derives from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. We subjected this schedule to the auditing procedures we applied to the basic financial statements. We also applied certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling the schedule directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, this schedule is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated February 16, 2017, on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. That report describes the scope of our internal control testing over financial reporting and compliance, and the results of that testing, and does not opine on 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 District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Dave Yost Auditor of State Columbus, Ohio

February 16, 2017

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Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2016 Unaudited

The discussion and analysis of Boardman Local School District's (the "District") financial performance provides an overall review of the District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the District's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the notes to the basic financial statements and financial statements to enhance their understanding of the District's financial performance.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for fiscal year 2016 are as follows:

In total, Net Position increased \$1,798,642, which represents a 5 percent increase from fiscal year 2015.

General revenues accounted for \$44,856,779 in revenue or 90 percent of all revenues. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services and sales, grants and contributions accounted for \$5,129,300 or 10 percent of total revenues of \$49,986,079.

The District had \$48,187,437 in expenses related to governmental activities; only \$5,089,527 of these expenses was offset by program specific charges for services, grants or contributions. General revenues supporting governmental activities (primarily taxes and unrestricted grants and entitlements) of \$44,896,552 were adequate to provide for these programs, as evidenced by the increase in Net Position of \$1,798,642.

The District's major fund is the general. The general fund had \$43,906,792 in revenues and other financing sources and \$44,295,073 in expenditures and other financing uses. The general fund balance decreased \$388,281 from \$5,410,769 to a balance of \$5,022,488.

The District's total net pension liability increased to \$62,286,757 from \$55,425,179. For more information on this liability see Note 15 to the basic financial statements.

Using these Basic Financial Statements

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements and notes to those statements. These statements are organized so the reader can understand Boardman Local 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 District, presenting both an aggregate view of the District's finances and a longer-term view of those finances. Fund financial statements provide the next level of detail. For governmental funds, these statements tell how services were financed in the short-term and what remains for future spending. The fund financial statements also look at the District's most significant funds with all other non-major funds presented in total in one column. In the case of the Boardman Local School District, the general fund is by far the most significant, and is the only fund reported as major.

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Reporting the 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 District to provide programs and activities, the view of the District as a whole looks at all financial transactions and asks the question, "How did we do financially during fiscal year 2016?" The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities answers this question. These statements include all assets, deferred inflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred outflows of resources using the accounting basis of accounting similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. This basis of accounting takes into account all of the current year's revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid.

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

In the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities, the District has only one kind of activity:

Governmental Activities - Most of the District's programs and services are reported here
including instruction, support services, operation and maintenance of plant, pupil transportation
and extracurricular activities. Due to the continuing subsidies that go to the lunchroom fund from
the general fund, the lunchroom operation is also being considered as governmental activities.

Reporting the District's Most Significant Funds

Fund Financial Statements

The analysis of the District's major funds begins on page 9. Fund financial reports provide detailed information about the District's major funds. The District uses many funds to account for a multitude of financial transactions. However, these financial statements focus on the District's most significant funds. The District's major governmental fund is the general fund.

Governmental Funds Most of the District's activities are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and balances left at year-end available for spending in future periods. These funds are reported using an accounting method called *modified accrual*, 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 District's general governmental operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance educational programs. The relationship (or difference) between governmental *activities* (reported in the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) and governmental *funds* is reconciled in the financial statements.

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Reporting the District's Fiduciary Responsibilities

The District is the trustee, or fiduciary, for its scholarship programs. This activity is presented as private-purpose trust funds. The District also acts in a trustee capacity as an agent for individuals, private organizations, other governmental units and/or other funds. These activities are reported in two agency funds. The District's fiduciary activities are reported in separate Statements of Fiduciary Net Position and Changes in Fiduciary Net Position. These activities are excluded from the District's other financial statements because the assets cannot be utilized by the District to finance its operations.

The District as a Whole

Table 1 shows Net Position for fiscal year 2016 as compared to fiscal year 2015.

Net Position (Table 1) Governmental Activities

	2016	2015	Change
Assets			
Current and Other Assets	\$46,722,900	\$48,139,647	(\$1,416,747)
Capital Assets, Net	27,097,340	26,415,197	682,143
Total Assets	73,820,240	74,554,844	(734,604)
Deferred Outflows of Resources			
Pension	6,181,820	4,323,301	1,858,519
Liabilities			
Current Liabilities	6,848,086	7,454,116	(606,030)
Long-Term Liabilities			
Due within One Year	1,524,263	1,262,755	261,508
Due in More than One Year:			
Net Pension Liability	62,286,757	55,425,179	6,861,578
Other Amounts	11,724,852	13,569,828	(1,844,976)
Total Liabilities	82,383,958	77,711,878	4,672,080
Deferred Inflows of Resources			
Property Taxes	30,026,370	29,836,328	190,042
Pension	4,481,608	10,018,457	(5,536,849)
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	34,507,978	39,854,785	(5,346,807)
Net Position			
Net Investment in Capital Assets	16,105,565	13,657,424	2,448,141
Restricted	3,419,818	3,502,305	(82,487)
Unrestricted (Deficit)	(56,415,259)	(55,848,247)	(567,012)
Total Net Position	(\$36,889,876)	(\$38,688,518)	\$1,798,642

The net pension liability (NPL) is the largest single liability reported by the District and is reported pursuant to GASB Statement No 68, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions-an Amendment of GASB Statement 27". For reasons discussed below, many end users of this financial statement will gain a clearer understanding of the District's actual financial condition by adding deferred inflows related to pension and the net pension liability to the reported net pension and subtracting deferred outflows related to pension.

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Governmental Accounting Standards Board standards are national and apply to all governmental financial reports prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. When accounting for pension costs, GASB No. 27 focused on a funding approach. This approach limited pension costs to contributions manually required by law, which may or may not be sufficient to fully fund each plan's net pension liability. GASB No. 68 takes an earnings approach to pension accounting; however, the nature of Ohio's statewide pension systems and state law governing those systems requires additional explanation in order to properly understand the information presented in these statements.

Under the new standards required by GASB No. 68, the net pension liability equals the District's proportionate share of each plan's collective:

- 1. Present value of estimated future pension benefits attributable to active and inactive employees' past service.
- 2. Minus plan assets available to pay these benefits.

GASB notes that pension obligations, whether funded or unfunded, are part of the "employment exchange" - that is, the employee is trading his or her labor in exchange for wages, benefits and the promise of a future pension. GASB noted that the unfunded portion of this pension promise is a present obligation of the District, part of a bargained-for benefit to the employee, and should accordingly be reported by the District as a liability since they received the benefit of the exchange. However, the District is not responsible for certain key factors affecting the balance of this liability. In Ohio, the employee shares the obligation of funding pension benefits with the employer. Both employer and employee contribution rates are capped by state statute. A change in these caps requires action of both Houses of the General Assembly, and approval of the Governor. Benefit provisions are also determined The employee enters the employment exchange with the knowledge that the employer's promise is limited not by contract but by law. The employer enters the exchange also knowing that there is a specific, legal limit to its contribution to the pension system. In Ohio, there is no legal means to enforce the unfunded liability of the pension system as against the public employer. State law operates to mitigate/lessen the moral obligation of the public employer to the employee, because all parties enter the employment exchange with notice as to the law. The pension system is responsible for the administration of the plan.

Most long-term liabilities have set repayment schedules or, in the case of compensated absences (i.e. sick and vacation leave), are satisfied through paid time-off or termination payments. There is no repayment schedule for the net pension liability. As explained above, changes in pension benefits, contribution rates, and return on investments affect the balance of the net pension liability, but are outside the control of the District. In the event that contributions, investment returns and other changes are insufficient to keep up with required pension payments, state statute does not assign/identify the responsible party for the unfunded portion. Due to the unique nature of how the net pension liability is satisfied, this liability is separately identified within the long-term liability section of the statement of net position.

In accordance with GASB No. 68, the District's statements prepared on an accrual basis of accounting include an annual pension expense for their proportionate share of each plan's *change* in net pension liability.

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Over time, Net Position can serve as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. At June 30, 2016, the District's assets and deferred outflows of resources were less than liabilities and deferred inflows of resources by \$36,889,876. Of this total, \$3,419,818 is restricted in use.

At fiscal year-end, capital assets represented 37 percent of total assets. Capital assets include land, land improvements, buildings and improvements, furniture and equipment and vehicles. Capital assets, net of related debt to acquire the assets at June 30, 2016, were \$16,105,565. These capital assets are used to provide services to the students and are not available for future spending. Although the District's investment in capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources to repay the debt must be provided from other sources, since capital assets may not be used to liquidate these liabilities.

A portion of the District's Net Position, \$3,419,818 represents resources that are subject to external restriction on how they may be used. The remaining balance of governmental unrestricted Net Position of a negative \$56,415,259 may be used to meet the District's ongoing obligations to the students and creditors.

Table 2
Change in Net Position
Governmental Activities

			Increase
	2016	2015	(Decrease)
Revenues			
Program Revenues			
Charges for Services and Sales	\$1,802,966	\$1,855,766	(\$52,800)
Operating Grants and Contributions	3,326,334	2,815,520	510,814
Capital Grants and Contributions	0	250,000	(250,000)
Total Program Revenues	5,129,300	4,921,286	208,014
General Revenues			
Property Taxes	29,984,057	29,330,020	654,037
Intergovernmental	14,373,585	14,538,866	(165,281)
Investment Earnings	12,104	11,531	573
Miscellaneous	475,218	253,566	221,652
Gain on Sale of Capital Assets	11,815	0	11,815
Total General Revenues	44,856,779	44,133,983	722,796
Total Revenues	49,986,079	49,055,269	930,810

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Table 2 (continued)

Change in Net Position Governmental Activities

			Increase
	2016	2015	(Decrease)
Program Expenses			
Current:			
Instruction:			
Regular	22,294,427	22,402,623	(108,196)
Special	6,257,108	5,757,746	499,362
Adult/Continuing	2,647	2,209	438
Other	81,190	83,460	(2,270)
Support Services:			
Pupil	1,962,171	1,959,495	2,676
Instructional Staff	1,688,350	1,646,326	42,024
Board of Education	222,178	235,498	(13,320)
Administration	2,785,419	2,625,944	159,475
Fiscal	999,177	1,027,887	(28,710)
Business	197,587	203,994	(6,407)
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	4,692,236	4,846,827	(154,591)
Pupil Transportation	3,039,165	2,832,712	206,453
Central	435,343	414,658	20,685
Operation of Non-Instructional Services	619,870	568,882	50,988
Operation of Food Services	1,190,215	1,313,871	(123,656)
Extracurricular Activities	1,173,212	1,199,090	(25,878)
Interest and Fiscal Charges	547,142	358,032	189,110
Total Program Expenses	48,187,437	47,479,254	(708,183)
Change in Net Position	1,798,642	1,576,015	222,627
Net Position Beginning of Year	(38,688,518)	(40,264,533)	1,576,015
Net Position End of Year	(\$36,889,876)	(\$38,688,518)	\$1,798,642

Governmental Activities

Total Net Position of the District increased \$1,798,642 during fiscal year 2016. The governmental expenses of \$48,187,437 were offset by program revenues of \$5,129,300 and general revenues of \$44,856,779. Program revenues supported 11 percent of the total governmental activities expenses.

The primary sources of revenue for governmental activities are derived from property taxes and grants and entitlements. These two revenue sources represent 89 percent of total governmental revenue. Property taxes support 62 percent of total expenses while grants and entitlements supported 30 percent of total expenses. Between these two revenue items, nearly 92 percent of total expenses were funded.

The Statement of Activities shows the cost of program services and the charges for services and grants offsetting those services. Table 3 shows, for governmental activities, the total cost of services and the net cost of services for fiscal year 2016 and 2015. That is, it identifies the cost of these services supported by tax revenue and unrestricted State grants and entitlements.

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Table 3Total and Net Cost of Program Services

	2016		2015	
	Total Cost	Net Cost	Total Cost	Net Cost
	of Services	of Services	of Services	of Services
Program Expenses				
Instruction	\$28,635,372	\$26,550,509	\$27,979,051	\$26,360,516
Support Services:				
Pupil	1,962,171	1,571,913	1,949,778	1,530,669
Instructional Staff	1,688,350	1,532,100	1,645,090	1,521,357
Board of Education	222,178	222,178	235,513	235,513
Administration	2,785,419	2,624,825	2,613,813	2,444,586
Fiscal	999,177	999,177	1,028,421	1,028,421
Business	197,587	197,587	202,980	202,980
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	4,692,236	4,692,236	4,851,006	4,851,006
Pupil Transportation	3,039,165	3,030,999	2,835,042	2,826,989
Central	435,343	435,343	414,374	414,374
Operation of Non-Instructional Services	619,870	18,894	569,828	26,067
Food Service Operation	1,190,215	(88,229)	1,313,871	109,457
Extracurricular Activities	1,173,212	723,463	1,191,172	356,718
Interest and Fiscal Charges	547,142	547,142	358,032	358,032
Total Expenditures	\$48,187,437	\$43,058,137	\$47,187,971	\$42,266,685

The dependence upon general tax revenues for governmental activities is apparent. Over 62 percent of all District expenses are supported through property taxes alone. For all governmental activities, general revenue and prior year cash balances support all expenses as shown in the above table. The community, as a whole, is by far the primary support for Boardman Local School District students.

The District's Funds

The District's funds (as presented on the balance sheet) reported a combined fund balance of \$7,346,368 which is less than last year's total of \$8,649,678 by 15 percent. The schedule below indicates the fund balance and the total change in fund balance as of June 30, 2016 and 2015.

	Fund BalanceJune 30, 2016	Fund Balance June 30, 2015	Increase (Decrease)
General Other Governmental	\$5,022,488 2,323,880	\$5,410,769 3,238,909	(\$388,281) (915,029)
Total	\$7,346,368	\$8,649,678	(\$1,303,310)

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General Fund

During fiscal year 2016, the District's general fund balance decreased on a modified accrual basis by \$388,281; total revenues within the general fund decreased slightly by 0.4 percent and expenditures increased by 1.1 percent. The primary reason for the overall decrease in fund balance this fiscal year is that revenues and other financing sources were slightly exceeded by expenditures and transfers out. The District has built a surplus by balancing its budget and by spending less than total revenues over the past few years. Various major expenditure savings policies were applied to the District's budget with great success. The District has utilized various phases of energy conservation permanent improvements that decrease utility expenditures and yet maintain the buildings. In addition, the District utilizes a negotiated Retire/Rehire Program for the professional staff yielding extensive savings in payroll. The use of these expenditure policies has extended the operating lives of the District's existing levies and also these policies have counteracted the recent environment of eroding tax revenues for the District. As a result, the control of expenditures has preserved the accumulation of prior year-end positive fund balances.

The table that follows assists in illustrating the financial activities and fund balance of the general fund.

	2016	2015	% Change
Revenues			
Taxes	\$28,641,135	\$28,646,150	(0.0) %
Tuition	799,864	788,579	1.4 %
Earnings on investments	11,736	11,199	4.8 %
Intergovernmental	13,968,114	14,150,314	(1.3) %
Other revenues	474,128	486,124	(2.5) %
Total	\$43,894,977	\$44,082,366	(0.4) %
Expenditures			
Instruction	27,581,416	27,097,783	1.8 %
Support services	14,355,895	14,276,418	0.6 %
Operation of non-instructional services	271,964	274,277	(0.8) %
Extracurricular activities	798,471	881,470	(9.4) %
Debt service	151,327	151,294	0.0 %
Total	\$43,159,073	\$42,681,242	1.1 %

General Fund Budgeting Highlights

The District's budget is prepared according to Ohio 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.

During the course of fiscal year 2016 the District amended its General Fund budget at various times. The District uses site-based budgeting and the budgeting systems are designed to tightly control total site budgets but provide flexibility for site management.

For the General Fund, actual revenue, including other financing sources, was \$43,084,450, which was \$552,850 less than the original budget of \$43,637,300 and \$2,105,066 less than the final budgeted revenue estimate of \$45,189,516. The actual revenue amounts include revenue sources that were not anticipated at the beginning of the fiscal year, due to a conservative approach of estimating revenue used by the District.

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Total actual expenditures, including other financing uses, were \$44,065,433, which was \$890,567 less than final budgeted expenditures of \$44,956,000 and \$983,017 less than original budgeted expenditures of \$45,048,450. The variance with original and final appropriations was due to a conservative estimates approach and insignificant when compared to an entire year of operation.

Capital Assets and Debt Administration

Capital Assets

At the end of fiscal year 2016, the District had \$27,097,340 invested in land, construction in progress, land improvements, buildings and improvements, furniture, fixtures and equipment and vehicles.

Table 4 shows fiscal year 2016 balances compared to fiscal year 2015:

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

	2016	2015
Land	\$3,745,329	\$3,745,329
Construction in Progress	0	1,250,407
Land Improvements	1,144,512	1,203,335
Buildings and Improvements	20,439,203	18,255,367
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment	213,868	449,892
Vehicles	1,554,428	1,510,867
Total	\$27,097,340	\$26,415,197

All capital assets, except land and construction in progress, are reported net of depreciation. As one can see, the District had an overall increase in capital assets of \$682,143. The majority of this increase is due to current year additions exceeding current year depreciation expense of \$1,332,423. For more information about the District's capital assets, see Note 9 to the basic financial statements.

Long-Term Debt Obligations

At June 30, 2016, the District had qualified school construction bonds, one energy conservation note, a bus loan and lease purchase agreements outstanding. Of this total, \$1,067,433 is due within one year and \$9,924,342 is due in more than one year. The following table summarizes these loans and the District's outstanding capital lease obligations.

Table 5Outstanding Debt at Year End

	2016	2015
Qualified School Construction Bonds	\$2,557,867	\$3,488,000
Energy Conservation Note	2,151,758	2,375,729
Bus Purchase Loan	213,484	315,911
Capital Lease Obligations	6,068,666	6,578,133
Total	\$10,991,775	\$12,757,773

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The qualified school construction bonds, the energy conservation note and the bus loan are general obligations of the District for which the full faith and credit of the District is pledged for repayment. The energy conservation note is scheduled to mature in fiscal year 2024.

See Note 12 to the basic financial statements for additional information on the District's debt administration.

Current Financial Related Activities

The District has carefully managed its general fund budgets in order to optimize the dollars available for educating the students it serves, and to minimize the levy millage amounts needed periodically from the community's citizens. In Mahoning County, our District's state funding per pupil is the one of the lowest in the State of Ohio. Boardman Local School District local taxes are represented by one permanent improvement levy, three emergency levies, and three current expense levies. These levies all need to be renewed and vary from three to five year terms.

The District continues to be very aggressive in cost cutting measures, while maintaining the high quality programs that are a tradition of our District. Retire/rehire has been a very successful cost savings program. The District is afforded a lower cost per employee, while retaining quality and expertise for up to a three year period. The Board continues to explore areas to reduce operating costs. These areas include staffing, health care, natural gas, electricity, workers' compensation and all insurances. The District is also exploring shared services with neighboring districts. The District negotiated a new three year contract with all employee groups which commenced in fiscal year 2014 and expires in fiscal year 2017. The base wage increased on average 1 percent each year of the contract.

Several significant legislative and judicial actions have occurred that have had a major impact on our District - community schools, open enrollment, autistic scholarships, and the Jon Peterson Scholarship. The Jon Peterson scholarship gives more choice to special education students. In fiscal year 2016 four parochial and community schools received approximately \$270,142 for 19.5 students. The scholarship cost per pupil ranges from \$9,647 to \$27,000 and is paid 100 percent with local funds. This is a major concern for the District, which has over 400 students attend parochial schools. The District will continue to lobby to the State of Ohio for changes in the way the funding is distributed for Community Schools, open enrollment, autistic scholarships and the Jon Peterson Scholarship. The District receives approximately \$1,901 for each student through the State foundation. When a student leaves Boardman to go to a Community School or Open Enrollment, approximately \$5,900 is reduced from our District's funding. The numbers above representing fiscal year 2003 through 2016 are evidence of the increased dollars that are being diverted to Community Schools, Open Enrollment Schools, and private schools that receive autistic scholarship funding.

The State's 2016 school foundation level increased approximately \$699,280 from the fiscal year 2015 level. This was the first year of the new two year state budget. In the prior two year state budget which commenced in fiscal year 2012 the District continues to lose personal property reimbursement. The District collected \$2,522,536 in personal property loss reimbursement from the State in fiscal year 2015, and \$1,783,163 in fiscal year 2016, a \$739,373 revenue loss. New legislation passed in the new State Biennial budget will phase out the tangible personal property reimbursement by fiscal year 2019. This has a negative effect on school districts throughout the State. The Board of Education is very concerned about the loss of this revenue stream after fiscal year 2019.

Personal Property Tax revenue at one time represented ten percent of the District's revenue. In fiscal year 2003, the District collected \$3,764,061 on personal property and zero for fiscal 2016. This decrease has put a tremendous strain on the District's revenue and the ability to maintain financial stability.

Mahoning County, Ohio

Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2016 Unaudited

The District has committed itself to educational and financial excellence for many years and is very proud of the 4 A's of the District: Academics, Arts, Athletics and Accountability. The diverse curriculum programs offered to the students, our excellent test score ratings for past school years in addition to unqualified audits, are evidence of the Board's commitment to maximize the resources that are provided to educate the students of the District. The District is committed to living within its financial means, and working with the community it serves in order to provide adequate resources to support the education program.

Contacting the District's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to show the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information contact Mrs. Kim Yauman, Interim Treasurer, Boardman Local School District, 7410 Market Street, Youngstown, Ohio 44512.

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Mahoning County, Ohio

Statement of Net Position June 30, 2016

	Governmental
	Activities
Assets	
Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$15,058,116
Accounts Receivable	5,719
Intergovernmental Receivable	89,081
Property Taxes Receivable	31,485,750
Inventory Held for Resale	18,026
Materials and Supplies Inventory	66,208
Nondepreciable Capital Assets	3,745,329
Depreciable Capital Assets, Net	23,352,011
Total Assets	73,820,240
Deferred Outflows of Resources	
Pension:	
STRS	4,990,424
SERS	1,191,396
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	6,181,820
Liabilities	
Accounts Payable	122,969
Accrued Wages and Benefits Payable	4,868,182
Intergovernmental Payable	1,245,985
Matured Compensated Absences Payable	101,764
Accrued Interest Payable	85,886
Claims Payable	423,300
Long-Term Liabilities:	1 504 000
Due Within One Year	1,524,263
Due In More Than One Year:	60 006 757
Net Pension Liability (See Note 15) Other Amounts Due in More than One Year	62,286,757
Other Amounts Due in More than One Year	11,724,852
Total Liabilities	82,383,958
Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Property Taxes	30,026,370
Pension:	00,020,020
STRS	4,092,875
SERS	388,733
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	34,507,978
Net Position	
Net Investment in Capital Assets	16,105,565
Restricted for:	
Capital Projects	2,663,033
Other Purposes	522,887
Set-asides	233,898
Unrestricted	(56,415,259)
Total Net Position	(\$36,889,876)
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Mahoning County, Ohio

Statement of Activities For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2016

		Program I	Revenues	Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position
	Expenses	Charges for Services and Sales	Operating Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities
Governmental Activities				
Current:				
Instruction:				
Regular	\$22,294,427	\$428,877	\$102,380	(\$21,763,170)
Special	6,257,108	153,180	1,376,463	(4,727,465)
Adult/Continuing	2,647	4,535	0	1,888
Other	81,190	19,428	0	(61,762)
Support Services:				
Pupils	1,962,171	0	390,258	(1,571,913)
Instructional Staff	1,688,350	0	156,250	(1,532,100)
Board of Education	222,178	0	0	(222,178)
Administration	2,785,419	0	160,594	(2,624,825)
Fiscal	999,177	0	0	(999,177)
Business	197,587	0	0	(197,587)
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	4,692,236	0	0	(4,692,236)
Pupil Transportation	3,039,165	0	8,166	(3,030,999)
Central	435,343	0	0	(435,343)
Operation of Non-Instructional Services	619,870	257,747	343,229	(18,894)
Operation of Food Services	1,190,215	508,377	770,067	88,229
Extracurricular Activities	1,173,212	430,822 0	18,927 0	(723,463)
Interest and Fiscal Charges	547,142	U	U	(547,142)
Total Governmental Activities	\$48,187,437	\$1,802,966	\$3,326,334	(43,058,137)
		General Revenues Property Taxes Levi	ad for	
		General Purposes		28,486,888
		Debt Service		256,273
		Capital Outlay		1,240,896
		Grants and Entitlem	ents not	-,,
		Restricted to Spec		14,373,585
		Investment Earnings	•	12,104
		Miscellaneous		475,218
		Gain on Sale of Capi	ital Assets	11,815
		Total General Reven	ues	44,856,779
		Change in Net Positi	ion	1,798,642
		Net Position Beginnin	ng of Year	(38,688,518)
		Net Position End of Y	ear	(\$36,889,876)

Mahoning County, Ohio

Balance Sheet Governmental Funds June 30, 2016

Assets	General	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$10,274,948	\$2,693,662	\$12,968,610
Accounts Receivable	5,719	φ <u>σ</u> ,000,00 <u>σ</u>	5,719
Interfund Receivable	11,500	0	11,500
Intergovernmental Receivable	0	89,081	89,081
Property Taxes Receivable	29,820,520	1,665,230	31,485,750
Inventory Held for Resale	0	18,026	18,026
Materials and Supplies Inventory	59,481	6,727	66,208
Restricted Assets:	00,401	0,121	00,200
Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents	233,898	0	233,898
Total Assets	\$40,406,066	\$4,472,726	\$44,878,792
Liabilities			
Accounts Payable	\$13,328	\$109,641	\$122,969
Accrued Wages and Benefits Payable	4,670,073	198,109	4,868,182
Intergovernmental Payable	1,153,667	92,318	1,245,985
Matured Compensated Absences Payable	98,041	3,723	101,764
Interfund Payable	0	11,500	11,500
Total Liabilities	5,935,109	415,291	6,350,400
Deferred Inflows of Resources			
Property Taxes	28,476,609	1,549,761	30,026,370
Unavailable Revenue - Property Taxes	971,860	108,520	1,080,380
Unavailable Revenue - Intergovernmental	0	75,274	75,274
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	29,448,469	1,733,555	31,182,024
Fund Balances			
Nonspendable	59,481	6,727	66,208
Restricted	0	2,001,599	2,001,599
Committed	136,901	359,295	496,196
Assigned	542,023	37	542,060
Unassigned (Deficit)	4,284,083	(43,778)	4,240,305
Total Fund Balances	5,022,488	2,323,880	7,346,368
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of	040 400 000	04 450 500	044.050.500
Resources and Fund Balances	\$40,406,066	\$4,472,726	\$44,878,792

Mahoning County, Ohio

Reconciliation of Total Governmental Fund Balances to Net Position of Governmental Activities June 30, 2016

Total Governmental Fund Balances		\$7,346,368
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds.	al	27,097,340
Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current- period expenditures and therefore are reported as unavailarevenue in the funds:	able	
Delinquent Property Taxes Intergovernmental	1,080,380 75,274	
Total		1,155,654
Some liabilities, including net pension obligations, are not do in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the STRS SERS		
Total		(62,286,757)
Deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pension applicable to future periods and, therefore, are not reported Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions: STRS SERS		
Total		6,181,820
Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions: STRS SERS	(4,092,875) (388,733)	
Total		(4,481,608)
An internal service fund is used by management to charge the costs of insurance to individual funds. The assets and liabilities of the internal service fund are included in governmental activities in the statement of net position.		1,432,308
In the statement of activities, interest is accrued on outstandin	~	1,402,000
bonds and lease purchase agreements, whereas in governing funds, an interest expenditure is reported when due.	mental	(85,886)
Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds: Energy Conservation Loan Qualified School Construction Bonds Bus Loan Capital Leases Compensated Absences	(2,151,758) (2,557,867) (213,484) (6,068,666) (2,257,340)	
Total		(13,249,115)
Net Position of Governmental Activities		(\$36,889,876)

Mahoning County, Ohio

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Governmental Funds For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2016

Property Taxes	Revenues	General	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Tuition and Fees		\$28 641 13E	¢1 /20 215	\$30 080 480
Interest	<u> </u>			
Charges for Services 0 508,377 508,377 Extracurricular Activities 136,107 281,988 418,068 76,660 0 76,660 Contributions and Donations 55,849 18,927 74,776 T47,776		•		,
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	Net Change in Fund Balances	(388,281)	(915,029)	(1,303,310)
Fund Balance End of Year \$5,022,488 \$2,323,880 \$7,346,368	Fund Balance Beginning of Year	5,410,769	3,238,909	8,649,678
	Fund Balance End of Year	\$5,022,488	\$2,323,880	\$7,346,368

Mahoning County, Ohio

Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2016

Net Change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds		(\$1,303,310)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital outlay exceeded depreciation in the current period. Capital Outlay Current Year Depreciation	2,014,566 (1,332,423)	
Total		682,143
The net effect of various transactions involving capital assets (i.e.; disposals and sales) is a decrease in net position. Assets Disposed Accumulated Depreciation on Disposals	(81,122) 81,122	
Total		0
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds. Property Taxes Intergovernmental Total	(96,393) (130,797)	(227,190)
	***	(==1,100)
Governmental funds report district pension contributions as expe However, in the statement of activities, the cost of pension bene earned net of employee contributions is reported as pension ex Direct pension contributions STRS SERS	fits	
Total		3,687,011
Cost of benefits earned net of employee contributions STRS SERS Total	(2,187,307) (965,914)	(3,153,221)
Repayment of long-term bond and lease/purchase principal is an in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces the long-liabilities in the statement of net position.	•	1,765,998
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Accrued Interest on Bonds and Lease Purchases Some expenses reported in the statement of activities, do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore		8,372
are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Compensated Absences		(182,530)
The internal service fund used by management to charge the cost insurance to individual funds are not reported in the district-wice statement of activities. Governmental fund expenditures and re internal service fund revenues are eliminated. The net revenue (expense) of the internal service fund is allocated among the governmental activities.	le lated	521,369
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Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities		\$1,798,642

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Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes In Fund Balance - Budget (Non-GAAP Basis) and Actual General Fund For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2016

	Budgeted Amounts			Variance with Final Budget Positive
	Original	Final	Actual	(Negative)
Revenues				
Property Taxes	\$28,675,174	\$29,652,376	\$28,269,084	(\$1,383,292)
Tuition and Fees	583,697	603,589	575,431	(28,158)
Interest	11,818	12,221	11,651	(570)
Extracurricular Activities	41,528	42,943	40,940	(2,003)
Rentals	19,534	20,199	19,257	(942)
Contributions and Donations	456	472	450	(22)
Intergovernmental	14,169,045	14,651,903	13,968,387	(683,516)
Miscellaneous	136,048	140,684	134,121	(6,563)
Total Revenues	43,637,300	45,124,387	43,019,321	(2,105,066)
Expenditures				
Current:				
Instruction:				
Regular	22,690,744	22,658,725	22,194,699	464,026
Special	5,196,441	5,189,108	5,082,841	106,267
Other	82,705	82,589	80,897	1,692
Support Services:				
Pupils	1,585,110	1,582,874	1,550,458	32,416
Instructional Staff	1,468,002	1,465,931	1,435,910	30,021
Board of Education	238,729	238,391	233,510	4,881
Administration	2,587,261	2,583,611	2,530,701	52,910
Fiscal	999,051	997,642	977,211	20,431
Business	214,583	214,280	209,892	4,388
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	4,380,770	4,374,589	4,285,002	89,587
Pupil Transportation	2,962,164	2,957,984	2,897,408	60,576
Central	312,841	312,400	306,002	6,398
Extracurricular Activities	830,049	828,876	811,902	16,974
Total Expenditures	43,548,450	43,487,000	42,596,433	890,567
Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	88,850	1,637,387	422,888	(1,214,499)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)				
Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assets	0	11,815	11,815	0
Advances In	0	53,314	53,314	0
Advances Out	0	(11,500)	(11,500)	0
Transfers Out	(1,500,000)	(1,457,500)	(1,457,500)	0
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(1,500,000)	(1,403,871)	(1,403,871)	0
Net Change in Fund Balance	(1,411,150)	233,516	(980,983)	(1,214,499)
Fund Balance Beginning of Year	10,637,679	10,637,679	10,637,679	0
Prior Year Encumbrances Appropriated	397,811	397,811	397,811	0
Fund Balance End of Year	\$9,624,340	\$11,269,006	\$10,054,507	(\$1,214,499)

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Statement of Fund Net Position Proprietary Fund June 30, 2016

	Internal Service
Assets Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$1,855,608
Equity in Fooled Cash and Cash Equivalents	φ1,000,000
Liabilities	
Claims Payable	423,300
Net Position	#1 400 000
Unrestricted	\$1,432,308

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Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Position Proprietary Fund For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2016

Internal Service
\$6,486,929
268,090
5,697,470
5,965,560
521,369
910,939
\$1,432,308

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Statement of Cash Flows Proprietary Fund For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2016

	Internal Service
Change in Cash and Cash Equivalents	
Cash Flows from Operating Activities Cash Received from Charges for Services Cash Payments for Goods and Services	\$6,486,929 (268,090)
Cash Payments for Claims	(5,758,370)
Net Change in Cash and Cash Equivalents	460,469
Cash and Cash Equivalents Beginning of Year	1,395,139
Cash and Cash Equivalents End of Year	\$1,855,608
Reconciliation of Operating Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	
Operating Income	\$521,369
Adjustments: Change in Claims Payable	(60,900)
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	\$460,469

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Statement of Net Position Fiduciary Fund June 30, 2016

Private Purpose Trust	
Scholarship	Agency
\$604,015	\$143,435
0	143,435
	\$143,435
	φ143,433
\$604,015	
	Trust Scholarship \$604,015

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Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position Private Purpose Trust Fund For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2016

	Scholarship
Additions	Scholarship
Interest	\$177
Contributions and Donations	15,079
Total Additions	15,256
Deductions	
Scholarships Awarded	5,750
Change in Net Position	9,506
Net Position Beginning of Year	594,509
Net Position End of Year	\$604,015

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Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2016

Note 1 - Description of the District

The Boardman Local School District (the "District") is organized under Section 2 and 3, Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Ohio to provide educational services to the students and other community members of the District. Under such laws there is no authority for a District to have a charter or adopt local laws. The legislative power of the District is vested in the Board of Education, consisting of five members elected at large for staggered four-year terms by the citizens of the District. The District serves an area of approximately 25 square miles in Mahoning County.

The District is the 72nd largest in the State of Ohio (among the 876 public school districts in the State of Ohio) in terms of enrollment. The District is staffed by 309 non-certificated and 355 certificated personnel to provide services to approximately 4,536 students and other community members.

Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The financial statements of the School 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. The more significant of the School District's accounting policies are described below.

A. - Reporting Entity

The reporting entity has been defined in accordance with GASB Statement No. 14, "The Financial Reporting Entity: Omnibus an amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 34", and as amended by GASB Statement No. 39, "Determining Whether Certain Organizations Are Component Units" and GASB Statement No. 61, "The Financial Reporting Entity: Omnibus an amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 34". A reporting entity is comprised of the primary government, component units, and other organizations that are included to insure that the financial statements of the District are not misleading. The primary government consists of all funds, departments, boards, and agencies that are not legally separate from the District. For the District, this includes general operations, food service, and student related activities of the District. When applying GASB Statement No. 14, management has considered all potential component units.

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the District is financially accountable. The District is financially accountable for an organization if the District appoints a voting majority of the organization's governing board and (1) the District is able to significantly influence the programs or services performed or provided by the organization; or (2) the District is legally entitled to or can otherwise access the organization's resources; or (3) the District is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the responsibility to finance the deficits of, or provide financial support to the organization; or (4) the District is obligated for the debt of the organization. Component units may also include organizations that are fiscally dependent on the District in that the District approves the debt, the issuance of debt, or the levying of taxes. Based upon the application of these criteria, the Boardman School Building Corporation (blended component unit) has been included in the District's financial reporting entity. The financial statements of the reporting entity include only those of the District (the primary government). The following organizations are described due to their relationship to the District.

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Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2016

Blended Component Unit

Boardman School Building Corporation The Boardman School Building Corporation is considered a component unit of the District by virtue of meeting the criteria noted above. The corporation is a nonprofit organization with the specific purpose of purchasing, leasing or otherwise acquiring real estate and to construct thereon any and all public improvements, within the boundaries of the District.

Jointly Governed Organizations

Area Cooperative Computerized Educational Service System (ACCESS) Council of Governments The Area Cooperative Computerized Educational Service System/ACCESS Assembly (ACCESS) is a consortium of twenty-six school districts in Mahoning and Columbiana Counties, two educational service centers, twenty non-public schools and two Special Education Regional Resource Centers.

The jointly governed organization was formed for the purpose of utilizing computers and other electronic equipment for administrative and instructional functions among member districts. These include educational management information system services, fiscal services, library services, network services and student services.

ACCESS is governed by an Assembly, which makes all decisions regarding programs, fees, budget and policy. The Assembly is composed of the Superintendent of each of the member districts. Assembly members may designate proxy attendees at meetings for voting purposes. The Assembly meets twice per year, once in November and once in May. Budgets and fees are discussed at the fall meeting, while the Board of Directors are chosen at the spring meeting.

While the Assembly has overall governance for ACCESS, the Board of Directors is selected to make the majority of the day to day operational decisions. Everything from equipment purchases, contracts, personnel action and financial oversight is handled by the Board. The Board is made up of two superintendents each from both Mahoning and Columbiana counties, and the superintendents from both the Mahoning County and Columbiana County Educational Service Centers. The ACCESS Executive Director and the Treasurer are also part of the Board of Directors, but are non-voting members.

All ACCESS revenues are generated from charges for services and State funding. Each of the members supports the ACCESS Assembly based upon a per pupil charge. Financial information can be obtained by contacting the Treasurer at the Mahoning County Educational Service Center, who serves as fiscal agent, at 100 DeBartolo Place, Suite 220, Youngstown, Ohio, 44512.

Mahoning County Career and Technical Center The Mahoning County Career and Technical Center is a distinct political subdivision of the State of Ohio operated under the direction of a Board consisting of representatives from the participating school districts' elected boards, which possess its own budgeting and taxing authority. To obtain financial information, write to the Treasurer of the Career and Technical Center, at 7300 North Palmyra Road, Canfield, Ohio 44406.

Public Entity Risk Pools

Ohio School Boards Association Workers' Compensation Group Rating Plan The District participates in a group rating plan for workers' compensation as established under Section 4123.29 of the Ohio Revised Code. The Ohio School Boards Association Workers' Compensation Group Rating Plan (the "Plan") was established through the Ohio School Boards Association (OSBA) as a group purchasing pool.

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The Plan's business and affairs are conducted by a three member Board of Directors consisting of the President, the President-Elect, and the Immediate Past President of the OSBA. The Executive Director of the OSBA, or his designee, serves as coordinator of the Plan. Each year, the participating school districts pay an enrollment fee to the Plan to cover the costs of administering the program.

Stark County Schools Council of Governments The Stark County Schools Council of Governments (the "COG") is governed by an assembly which consists of one representative from each participating school district (usually the superintendent or designee). The assembly elects officers for one year terms to serve as the Board of Directors. The assembly exercises control over the operation of the COG. All COG's revenues are generated from charges for services. The COG has a Health Benefits Program which is a shared risk pool comprised of various entities, most of which are school districts.

B. - Fund Accounting

The District uses funds to report its financial Position and the results of its operations. A fund is a separate accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid financial management by segregating transactions related to certain school district activities or functions. Funds are classified into three categories: governmental, proprietary and fiduciary. Each category is divided into separate fund types.

Governmental Funds

Governmental funds focus on the sources, uses and balances of current financial resources. Expendable assets are assigned to the various governmental funds according to the purposes for which they may or must be used. Current liabilities are assigned to the fund from which they will be paid. The difference between governmental fund assets and liabilities is reported as fund balance. The following is the District's major governmental fund:

General Fund - The general fund is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund. The general fund balance is available for any purpose provided it is expended or transferred according to the general laws of Ohio.

Other governmental funds of the District are used to account for (a) financial resources to be used for the acquisition, construction, or improvement of capital facilities other than those financed by proprietary and trust funds; and (b) for the accumulation of resources for, and the repayment of, general long-term debt principal, interest and related costs; (c) for grants and other resources whose use is restricted, committed or assigned to a particular purpose.

Proprietary Fund Type Proprietary fund reporting focuses on the determination of operating income, changes in net position, financial position and cash flows. Proprietary funds are classified as enterprise or internal service. The School District has no enterprise funds. The following is a description of the School District's internal service fund.

Internal Service Fund The internal service fund accounts for the financing of services provided by one department or agency to other departments or agencies of the School District on a cost reimbursement basis. The School District's only internal service fund is a self-insurance fund that accounts for prescription drug, dental and vision claims of the School District's employees.

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Fiduciary Funds

Fiduciary fund reporting focuses on Net Position and changes in Net Position. The fiduciary fund category is split into two classifications: private-purpose trust funds and agency funds. Trust funds are used to account for assets held by the District under a trust agreement for individuals, private organizations, or other governments and are therefore not available to support the District's own programs. The private purpose trust fund accounts for scholarship programs for students. Agency funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of results of operations. The District's agency funds are used to account for student activities and monies held on behalf of others.

C. - Basis of Presentation and Measurement Focus

Government-wide Financial Statements - The statement of net position and the statement of activities display information about the District as a whole. These statements include the financial activities of the primary government, except for fiduciary funds. The activity of the internal service fund is eliminated to avoid "doubling up" revenues and expenses. The statements distinguish between those activities of the District that are governmental and those that are considered business-type activities.

The statement of net position presents the financial condition of the governmental activities of the School District at fiscal year-end. The statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each program or function of the School District's governmental activities. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a service, program or department and therefore clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include charges paid by the recipient of the goods or services offered by the program, grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program and interest earned on grants that is required to be used to support a particular program. Revenues which are not classified as program revenues are presented as general revenues of the School District, with certain limited exceptions. The comparison of direct expenses with program revenues identifies the extent to which each governmental function is self-financing or draws from the general revenues of the School District.

Fund Financial Statements - Fund financial statements report detailed information about the District. The focus of governmental fund financial statements is on major funds rather than reporting funds by type. Each major fund is presented in a separate column. Nonmajor funds are aggregated and presented in a single column. The internal service fund is presented in a single column. Fiduciary funds are reported by fund type.

The accounting and financial reporting treatment applied to a fund is determined by its measurement focus. All governmental funds are accounted for using a flow of current financial resources measurement focus. The financial statements for governmental funds are a balance sheet, which generally includes only current assets, deferred outflows of resources, current liabilities and deferred inflows of resources, and a statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances, which reports on the sources (i.e., revenues and other financing sources) and uses (i.e., expenditures and other financing uses) of current financial resources.

The private-purpose trust fund is reported using the economic resources measurement focus. Agency funds do not report a measurement focus as they do not report operations.

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D. - Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting determines when transactions are recorded in the financial records and reported on the financial statements. Government-wide financial statements and the statements for the proprietary and fiduciary funds are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Governmental funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting. Differences in the accrual and the modified accrual bases of accounting arise in the recognition of revenue, the recording of deferred inflows/outflows of resources and in the presentation of expenses versus expenditures.

Revenues - Exchange and Non-exchange Transactions - Revenue resulting from exchange transactions, in which each party gives and receives essentially equal value, is recorded on the accrual basis when the exchange takes place. On a modified accrual basis, revenue is recorded in the fiscal year in which the resources are measurable and become available. Available means that the resources will be collected within the current fiscal year or are expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current fiscal year. For the District, available means expected to be received within sixty days of fiscal year-end.

Nonexchange transactions, in which the District receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include property taxes, grants, entitlements and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied (see Note 7). Revenue from grants, entitlements and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied.

Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the year when the resources are required to be used or the fiscal year when use is first permitted, matching requirements, in which the District must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the District on a reimbursement basis. On a modified accrual basis, revenue from nonexchange transactions must also be available before it can be recognized.

Under the modified accrual basis, the following revenue sources are considered to be both measurable and available at fiscal year-end: interest, tuition, grants, student fees and rentals.

Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources In addition to assets, the statements of net position and balance sheets will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. Deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period and will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. For the District, deferred outflows of resources are reported on the government-wide statement of net position for pension. The deferred outflows of resources related to pension are explained in Note 15.

In addition to liabilities, the statements of net position and balance sheets report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. Deferred inflows of resources represent an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period and will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. For the District, deferred inflows of resources include property taxes, pension and unavailable revenue. Property taxes represent amounts for which there is an enforceable legal claim as of June 30, 2016, but which were levied to finance fiscal year 2016 operations. These amounts have been recorded as a deferred inflow on both the government-wide statement of net position and the governmental fund financial statements. Unavailable revenue is reported only on the governmental funds balance sheet, and represents receivables which will not be collected within the available period. For the District unavailable revenue includes delinquent property taxes and intergovernmental grants. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period the amounts become available. Deferred inflows of resources related to pension are

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reported on the government-wide statement of net position (see Note 15).

Expenses/Expenditures - On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred.

The measurement focus of governmental fund accounting is on decreases in net financial resources (expenditures) rather than expenses. Expenditures are generally recognized in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred, if measurable. Allocations of cost, such as depreciation and amortization, are not recognized in governmental funds.

E. - Budgets

The District is required by state statute to adopt an annual appropriated cash basis budget for all funds. The specific timetable for fiscal year 2016 is as follows:

- Prior to January 15 of the preceding year, the Superintendent and Treasurer submit to the Board of Education a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing the following July 1. The budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing for all funds. Public hearings are publicized and conducted to obtain taxpayers' comments. The expressed purpose of this budget document is to reflect the need for existing (or increased) tax rates.
- 2. By no later than January 20, the board-adopted budget is filed with the Mahoning County Budget Commission for tax rate determination.
- 3. Prior to April 1, the Board of Education accepts, by formal resolution, the tax rates as determined by the Budget Commission and receives the Commission's Certificate of Estimated Resources which states the projected revenue of each fund. Prior to June 30, the District must revise its budget so that total contemplated expenditures from any fund during the ensuing year will not exceed the amount stated in the Certificate of Estimated Resources. The revised budget then serves as a basis for the appropriation measure. On or about July 1, the Certificate is amended to include any unencumbered balances from the preceding year as reported by the District Treasurer.

The Certificate may be further amended during the year if projected increases or decreases in revenue are identified by the District Treasurer. The amounts reported in the budgetary statement reflect the amounts set forth in the original and final Amended Certificate issued for fiscal year 2016.

- 4. By July 1, the annual Appropriation Resolution is legally enacted by the Board of Education at the object level within the general fund and at the fund level of expenditures for all other District funds, which is the legal level of budgetary control. State statute permits a temporary appropriation to be effective until no later than October 1 of each year. Although the legal level of budgetary control was established at the object level of expenditures for the general fund, the District has elected to present the budgetary statement comparison at the fund and function level of expenditures. Resolution appropriations by fund must be within the estimated resources as certified by the County Budget Commission and the total of expenditures and encumbrances may not exceed the appropriation totals.
- 5. Any revisions that alter the total of any fund appropriation must be approved by the Board of Education.

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- 6. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year for all funds consistent with the general obligation bond indenture and other statutory provisions. All funds completed the year within the amount of their legally authorized cash basis appropriation.
- 7. Appropriation amounts are as originally adopted, or as amended by the Board of Education through the year by supplemental appropriations, which either reallocated or increased the original appropriated amounts. All supplemental appropriations were legally enacted by the Board during fiscal year 2016.
- 8. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at year-end. Encumbered appropriations are carried forward to the succeeding fiscal year and need not be reappropriated. Expenditures plus encumbrances may not legally exceed budgeted appropriations at the fund level.

F. - Cash and Investments

To improve cash management, cash received by the District is pooled. Monies for all funds are maintained in this pool. Individual fund integrity is maintained through the District's records. Each fund's interest in the pool is presented as "Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents" on the financial statements. During fiscal 2016, the District's investments were limited to investments in the State Treasury Asset Reserve of Ohio (STAR Ohio), a repurchase agreement, and a money market fund.

STAR Ohio is an investment pool managed by the State Treasurer's Office, which allows governments within the State to pool their funds for investment purposes. STAR Ohio is not registered with the SEC as an investment company, but has adopted Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 79' "Certain External Investment Pools and Pool Participants." The District measures their investment in STAR Ohio at the net asset value (NAV) per share provided by STAR Ohio. The NAV per share is calculated on an amortized cost basis that provides a NAV per share that approximates fair value.

For fiscal year 2016, there were no limitations or restrictions on any participant withdrawals due to redemption notice periods, liquidity fees, or redemption gates. However, notice must be given 24 hours in advance of all deposits and withdrawals exceeding \$25 million. STAR Ohio reserves the right to limit the transaction to \$50 million, requiring the excess amount to be transacted the following business days(s), but only to the \$50 million limit. All accounts of the participant will be combined for these purposes.

Under existing Ohio statutes all investment earnings are assigned to the General fund unless statutorily required to be credited to a specific fund. Interest revenue credited to the general fund during fiscal 2016 amounted to \$11,736, of which \$1,379 was assigned from other District funds.

For purposes of the statement of net position, investments of the cash management pool and investments with original maturities of three months or less at the time they are purchased by the District are considered to be cash equivalents. Investments with an initial maturity of more than three months are reported as investments.

An analysis of the District's investment account at year-end is provided in Note 6.

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G - Inventory

On government-wide financial statements, inventories are presented at the lower of cost or market on a first-in, first-out basis and are expensed when used. Inventories consist of donated food, purchased food, and non-food supplies held for resale and are expensed when used.

H. - Capital Assets

The District's only capital assets are classified as general capital assets. These assets generally result from expenditures in the governmental funds. These assets are reported in the governmental activities column of the government-wide statement of net position but are not reported in the fund financial statements.

All capital assets are capitalized at cost (or estimated historical cost) and updated for additions and retirements during the year. The District was able to estimate the historical cost for the initial reporting of assets by backtrending (i.e., estimating the current replacement cost of the asset to be capitalized and using an appropriate price-level index to deflate the cost to the acquisition year or estimated acquisition year.) Donated capital assets are recorded at their fair market values as of the date received. The District maintains a capitalization threshold of four thousand dollars. The District does not possess any infrastructure. Improvements are capitalized; the costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend an asset's life are not.

All reported capital assets except land and construction in progress are depreciated. Improvements are depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related capital assets. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

Description	Estimated Lives
Land Improvements	15 - 50 years
Buildings and Improvements	10 - 50 years
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment	5 - 20 years
Vehicles	6 - 10 years

I. - Interfund Balances

On the fund financial statements, receivables and payables resulting from short-term interfund loans are classified as "interfund receivables/payables." These amounts are eliminated in the governmental column of the Statement of Net Position.

J. – Interfund Activity

Exchange transactions between funds are reported as revenues in the seller funds and as expenditures/expenses in the purchaser funds. Flows of cash or goods from one fund to another without a requirement for repayment are reported as interfund transfers. Interfund transfers are reported as other financing sources/uses in governmental funds. Repayments from funds responsible for particular expenditures/expenses to the funds that initially paid from them are not presented on the financial statements.

K. - Compensated Absences

Compensated absences of the District consist of vacation leave and severance liability to the extent that payments to the employee for these absences are attributable to services already rendered and are not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the District and the employee.

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In accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement No. 16, "Accounting for Compensated Absences", a liability for vacation leave is accrued if a) the employees' rights to payment are attributable to services already rendered; and b) it is probable that the employer will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or other means, such as cash payment at termination or retirement. A liability for severance is accrued using the vesting method; i.e., the liability is based on the sick leave accumulated at the balance sheet date by those employees who are currently eligible to receive termination (severance) payments, as well as those employees expected to become eligible in the future. For purposes of establishing a liability for severance on employees expected to become eligible to retire in the future, all employees with at least 10 years of service at any age were considered expected to become eligible to retire in accordance with GASB Statement No. 16.

The total liability for vacation and severance payments has been calculated using pay rates in effect at June 30, 2016, and reduced to the maximum payment allowed by labor contract and/or statute, plus any additional salary related payments.

On the governmental fund financial statements, compensated absences are recognized as liabilities and expenditures to the extent payments come due each period upon the occurrence of employee resignations and retirements. These amounts are recorded in the account "Matured Compensated Absences Payable" in the fund or funds from which the employees who have accumulated the leave are paid.

L. - Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Obligations

All payables, accrued liabilities and long-term obligations are reported in the government-wide financial statements.

In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities are reported as obligations of the funds regardless of whether they will be liquidated with current resources. However, claims and judgments, compensated absences, contractually required pension contributions and special termination benefits that will be paid from governmental funds are reported as a liability in the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are due for payment during the current fiscal year. In general, liabilities that mature or come due for payment during the fiscal year are considered to have been made with current available financial resources. Bonds and other long-term obligations that will be paid from governmental funds are not recognized as a liability in the fund financial statements when due.

M. - Fund Balance

Fund balance is divided into five classifications based primarily on the extent to which the District is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources in the governmental funds. The classifications are as follows:

Nonspendable The nonspendable fund balance category includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are not in spendable form, or legally or contractually required to be maintained intact. The "not in spendable form" criterion includes items that are not expected to be converted to cash. It also includes the long-term amount of loans receivable, as well as property acquired for resale, unless the use of the proceeds from the collection of those receivables or from the sale of those properties is restricted, committed, or assigned.

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Restricted Fund balance is reported as restricted when constraints placed on the use of resources are either externally imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments or is imposed by law through constitutional provisions.

Committed The committed fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes imposed by a formal action (resolution) of the District Board of Education. Those committed amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the District Board of Education removes or changes the specified use by taking the same type of action (resolution) it employed to previously commit those amounts. Committed fund balance also incorporates contractual obligations to the extent that existing resources in the fund have been specifically committed for use in satisfying those contractual requirements.

Assigned Amounts in the assigned fund balance classification are intended to be used by the District for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted or committed. In governmental funds other than the general fund, assigned fund balance represents the remaining amount that is not restricted or committed. In the general fund, assigned amounts represent intended uses established by the District Board of Education, which may be expressed by a motion but need not be passed by formal action, such as a Board Resolution.

Unassigned Unassigned fund balance is the residual classification for the general fund and includes all spendable amounts not contained in the other classifications. In other governmental funds, the unassigned classification is used only to report a deficit balance resulting from overspending for specific purposes for which amounts had been restricted, committed, or assigned.

The District applies restricted resources first when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which either restricted or unrestricted (committed, assigned, and unassigned) amounts are available. Similarly, within unrestricted fund balance, committed amounts are reduced first followed by assigned, and then unassigned amounts when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used.

N. - Net Position

Net position represents the difference between all other elements in a statement of financial position. Net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowings used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Net position is reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments. Net position restricted for other purposes include operation of instructional services, food service operations and extracurricular activities.

The School District applies restricted resources first when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net positions are available.

O. - Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

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P. - Restricted Assets

Assets are reported as restricted assets when limitations on their use change the normal understanding of the availability of the asset. Such constraints are either imposed by creditors, contributors, grantors, or laws of other governments or imposed by enabling legislation. Restricted assets include the amounts required by state statute to be set aside for budget stabilization. See Note 18 for details.

O. 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 pension plans and additions to/deductions from their fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the pension systems. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. The pension systems report investments at fair value.

Note 3 - Change in Accounting Principle

For fiscal year 2016, the District has implemented Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 72, "Fair Value Measurement and Application", Statement No. 76, "The Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for State and Local Governments", and Statement No. 79, "Certain External Investment Pools and Pool Participants", and GASB Statement No. 82, "Pension Issues an Amendment of GASB Statements No. 67, No. 68 and No. 73".

GASB Statement No. 72 addresses accounting and financial reporting issues related to fair value measurements. The Statement provides guidance for determining a fair value measurement for financial reporting purposes for applying fair value to certain investments and disclosures related to all fair value measurements. These changes were incorporated in the District's fiscal year 2016 financial statements, however, there was no effect on beginning net position or fund balance.

GASB Statement No. 76 reduces the GAAP hierarchy to two categories of authoritative GAAP and addresses the use of authoritative and non-authoritative literature in the event that accounting treatment for a transaction or other event is not specified within a source of authoritative GAAP. The Statement supersedes Statement No. 55, "The Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for State and Local Governments". The implementation of GASB Statement No. 76 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the District.

GASB Statement No. 79 establishes accounting and financial reporting standards for qualifying external investment pools that elect to measure for financial reporting purposes, all of their investment at amortized cost. This Statement provides accounting and financial reporting guidance and also establishes additional note disclosure requirements for governments that participate in those pools. The District participates in STAR Ohio which implemented GASB Statement No. 79 for fiscal year 2016. The District also incorporated the corresponding GASB 79 guidance into their fiscal year 2016 financial statements; however, there was no effect on beginning net position or fund balance.

GASB Statement No. 82 improves consistency in the application of pension accounting. These changes were incorporated in the District's fiscal year 2016 financial statements; however, there was no effect on beginning net position or fund balance.

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Note 4 - Fund Deficits

Fund balances at June 30, 2016 included the following individual fund deficits:

Nonmajor Governmental Funds:	Deficit
IDEA Part B Grant	\$43,546

This fund complied with Ohio state law, which does not permit a cash basis deficit at year-end. The general fund is liable for any deficit in this fund and provides transfers when cash is required, not when accruals occur. This deficit fund balance is the result of adjustments for accrued liabilities.

Note 5 - Budgetary Basis of Accounting

While the District is reporting its financial Position, results of operations, and changes in fund balance on the basis of generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP), the budgetary basis as provided by law is based upon accounting for certain transactions on a basis of cash receipts, disbursements, and encumbrances. The Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance - Budget (Non-GAAP Basis) and Actual presented for the General Fund is presented on the budgetary basis to provide a meaningful comparison of actual results with the budget. The major differences between the budget basis and GAAP (modified accrual) basis are as follows:

- 1. Revenues are recorded when received in cash (budget) as opposed to when susceptible to accrual (GAAP).
- 2. Expenditures are recorded when paid in cash (budget) as opposed to when the fund liability is incurred (GAAP).
- 3. Encumbrances are treated as expenditures (budget) rather than restricted, committed or assigned fund balances (GAAP).
- 4. Advances In and Advances Out are operating transactions (budget) as opposed to balance sheet transaction (GAAP).
- 5. *Certain funds have legally separate adopted budgets (budget) but are included in the General Fund (GAAP).

^{*}As part of Governmental Accounting Standards Board No. 54 "Fund Balance Reporting", certain funds that are legally budgeted in separate special revenue funds are considered part of the General fund on a GAAP basis. These include the uniform school supplies, adult education, public school support, television network and separation special revenue funds.

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The following table summarizes the adjustments necessary to reconcile the GAAP basis statements to the budgetary basis statements for the general fund.

Net Change in Fund Balance

GAAP Basis	(\$388,281)
Net Adjustment for Revenue Accruals	(881,258)
Advances In	53,314
Net Adjustment for Expenditure Accruals	455,556
Advance Out	(11,500)
Net Adjustment for Funds Budgeted as Special Revenue	5,602
Adjustment for Encumbrances	(214,416)
Budget Basis	(\$980,983)

Note 6 - Deposits and Investments

Monies held by the District are classified by State statute into three categories.

Active deposits are public deposits determined to be necessary to meet current demands upon the District treasury. Active monies must be maintained either as cash in the District Treasury, in commercial accounts payable or withdrawable on demand, including negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) accounts, or in money market deposit accounts.

Inactive deposits are public deposits that the Board of Education has identified as not required for use within the current five year period of designation of depositories. Inactive deposits must either be evidenced by certificates of deposit maturing not later than the end of the current period of designation of depositories, or by savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to, passbook accounts.

Interim deposits are deposits of interim monies. Interim monies are those monies which are not needed for immediate use but which will be needed before the end of the current period of designation of depositories. Interim deposits must be evidenced by time certificates of deposit maturing not more than one year from the date of deposit or by savings or deposit accounts including passbook accounts.

Interim monies held by the District can be deposited or invested in the following securities:

- United States Treasury Notes, Bills, Bonds, or any other obligation or security issued by the United States Treasury, or any other obligation guaranteed as to payment of principal and interest by the United States;
- 2. Bonds, notes, debentures, or any other obligations or securities issued by any federal government agency or instrumentality, including, but not limited to, Federal National Mortgage Association, Federal Home Loan Bank, Federal Farm Credit Bank, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, Government National Mortgage Association, and Student Loan Marketing Association. All federal agency securities shall be direct issuances of federal government agencies or instrumentalities;
- 3. Written repurchase agreements in securities listed above;
- Bonds and other obligations of the State of Ohio or Ohio local governments;

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- 5. Time certificates of deposit or savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to, passbook accounts;
- 6. No-load money market mutual funds consisting exclusively of obligations described in division (1) or (2) and repurchase agreements secured by such obligations;
- 7. The State Treasurer's investment pool (STAROhio);
- 8. Commercial paper and bankers acceptances if training requirements have been met.

Protection of District's deposits is provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), by eligible securities pledged by the financial institution as security for repayment, by surety company bonds deposited with the Treasurer by the financial institution or by a single collateral pool established by the financial institution to secure the repayment of all public monies deposited with the institution.

Investments in stripped principal or interest obligations, reverse repurchase agreements and derivatives are prohibited. The issuance of taxable notes for the purpose of arbitrage, the use of leverage and short selling are also prohibited. An investment must mature within five years from the date of purchase unless matched to a specific obligation or debt of the District, and must be purchased with the expectation that it will be held to maturity. Investments may only be made through specified dealers and institutions. Payment for investments may be made only upon delivery of the securities representing the investments to the Treasurer or, if the securities are not represented by a certificate, upon receipt of confirmation of transfer from the custodian.

A. Cash on Hand

At fiscal year-end, the District had \$100 in undeposited cash on hand, which is included in the Basic Financial Statements of the District as part of "Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents".

B. Deposits

At June 30, 2016, the carrying value amount of all the District's deposits was \$2,475,493, exclusive of the \$669,330 repurchase agreement and \$12,213,431 money market fund and \$447,212 in STAR Ohio, included in investments below. Based on the criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, "Deposits and Investments Risk Disclosures", as of June 30, 2016, \$1,350,000 of the District's bank balance of \$1,600,000 was exposed to custodial risk as described below, meaning \$250,000 was covered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC).

Custodial Credit Risk Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of bank failure, the District's deposits may not be returned. All deposits are collateralized with eligible securities in amounts equal to at least 105 percent of the carrying value of the deposits. Such collateral, as permitted by the Ohio Revised Code, is held in single financial institution collateral pools at Federal Reserve Banks, or at member banks of the federal reserve system, in the name of the respective depository bank and pledged as a pool of collateral against all of the public deposits it holds or as specific collateral held at the Federal Reserve Bank in the name of the District.

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C. Investments

As of June 30, 2016, the District had the following investments. All investments are in an internal investment pool.

	Fair Value	Maturity
Repurchase Agreements STAROhio Money Market Fund	\$669,330 447,212 12,213,431	6 months or less 6 months or less 6 months or less
Total Portfolio	\$13,329,973	

The weighted average of maturities is one day.

Interest Rate Risk As a means of limiting its exposure to fair value losses caused by rising interest rates, the District's investment policy requires that operating funds be invested primarily in short-term investments maturing within five years from the date of purchase.

Credit Risk The securities underlying the repurchase agreement and money market fund had a credit risk rating of AAA by Standard and Poors. STAROhio carries a rating of AAAm by Standard & Poor's. Ohio law requires that STAROhio maintain the highest rating provided by at least one nationally recognized standard rating service. The District has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices.

Custodial Credit Risk For an investment, custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the District will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. Of the District's investment in repurchase agreements and money market funds, the entire balance is collateralized by underlying securities that are held by the investment's counterparty, not in the name of the District. The District has no investment policy dealing with investment custodial risk beyond the requirement in State statute that prohibits payment for investments prior to the delivery of the securities representing such investments to the treasurer or qualified trustee.

Concentration of Credit Risk The District places no limit on the amount it may invest in any one issuer. The District's investment in STAROhio, repurchase agreements and the money market fund represent 3, 5 and 92 percent, respectively, of the District's total investments.

D. Reconciliation of Cash and Investments to the Statement of Net Position

The following is a reconciliation of cash and investments as reported in the footnote above to cash and investments as reported on the Statement of Net Position as of June 30, 2016:

Cash and Investments per Note Disclosi	<u>ure</u>	Cash and Investments per Statemer	nt of Net Position
Carrying amount of deposits	\$2,475,493	Governmental Activities	\$15,058,116
Investments	13,329,973	Private-purpose trust funds	604,015
Cash on hand	100	Agency funds	143,435
Total	\$15,805,566	Total	\$15,805,566

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Note 7 - Property Taxes

Property taxes are levied and assessed on a calendar year basis while the school district fiscal year runs from July through June. First half tax collections are received by the school district in the second half of the fiscal year. Second half tax distributions occur in the first half of the following fiscal year.

Property taxes include amounts levied against all real property and public utility property located in the School District. Real property tax revenue received in calendar 2016 represent collections of calendar year 2015 taxes. Real property taxes received in calendar year 2016 were levied after April 1, 2015, on the assessed value listed as of January 1, 2015, the lien date. Assessed values for real property taxes are established by State law at thirty-five percent of appraised market value. Real property taxes are payable annually or semi-annually. If paid annually, payment is due December 31; if paid semi-annually, the first payment is due December 31 with the remainder payable by June 20. Under certain circumstances, State statute permits alternate payment dates to be established.

Public utility property tax revenue received in calendar 2016 represents collections of calendar year 2015 taxes. Public utility real and tangible personal property taxes received in calendar year 2015 became a lien December 31, 2014, were levied after April 1, 2015 and are collected in 2016 with real property taxes. Public utility real property is assessed at thirty-five percent of true value; public utility tangible personal property currently is assessed at varying percentages of true value.

The District receives property taxes from Mahoning County. The County Auditor periodically advances to the District its portion of the taxes collected. Second-half real property tax payments collected by the County by June 30, 2016, are available to finance fiscal year 2016 operations. The amount available to be advanced can vary based on the date the tax bills are sent.

Accrued property taxes receivable includes real property and public utility property taxes which are measurable as of June 30, 2016 and for which there is an enforceable legal claim. Although total property tax collections for the next fiscal year are measurable, only the amount of real property taxes available as an advance at June 30 was levied to finance current fiscal year operations and is reported as revenue at fiscal year end. The portion of the receivable not levied to finance current fiscal year operations is offset by a credit to deferred inflows of resources – property taxes.

The amount available as an advance at June 30, 2016 was \$372,051 in the general fund, and \$6,949 in the permanent improvement capital projects fund.

On a full accrual basis, collectible delinquent property taxes have been recorded as a receivable and revenue, while on a modified accrual basis the revenue has been made unavailable. The assessed values upon which the fiscal year 2016 taxes were collected are:

	2015 Fir	rst	2016 Fir	st	
	Half Collec	Half Collections		Half Collections	
	Amount	Percent	Amount	Percent	
Agricultural/Residential					
and Other Real Estate	\$795,676,160	96.46 %	\$807,779,310	94.96 %	
Public Utility Personal	29,234,370	3.54	42,912,350	5.04	
Total	\$824,910,530	100.00 %	\$850,691,660	100.00 %	
Tax rate per \$1,000 of assessed valuation	\$58.15		\$58.15	_	

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Note 8 - Fund Balances

Fund balance is classified as nonspendable, restricted, committed, assigned and/or unassigned based primarily on the extent to which the District is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources in the government funds. The constraints placed on fund balance for the major governmental funds and all other governmental funds are presented below:

		Nonmajor	
Fund Balances	General	Governmental	Total
Nonspendable:			
Inventory	\$59,481	\$6,727	\$66,208
Restricted for:			
Food Service Operations	0	351,731	351,731
Technology Improvements	0	2,649	2,649
Athletics & Music	0	135,511	135,511
Auxiliary Services	0	23,779	23,779
Preschool	0	2,566	2,566
Fiscal Stabilization	0	0	0
Special Education	0	40,242	40,242
Classroom Size Reduction	0	2,345	2,345
Teacher Development	0	22	22
Capital Improvements	0	1,442,754	1,442,754
Total Restricted	0	2,001,599	2,001,599
Committed to:			
Boardman Schools Television Network	132,992	0	132,992
Termination Payments	3,909	0	3,909
Capital Improvements	0	359,295	359,295
Total Committed	136,901	359,295	496,196
Assigned to:			
College Scholarships	0	37	37
Other Purposes	103,023	0	103,023
Budget Stabilization	233,898	0	233,898
Encumbrances	205,102	0	205,102
Total Assigned	542,023	37	542,060
Unassigned (Deficit)	4,284,083	(43,778)	4,240,305
Total Fund Balances	\$5,022,488	\$2,323,880	\$7,346,368

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Note 9 - Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016, was as follows:

	Balance 6/30/15	Additions	Reductions	Balance 6/30/16
Governmental Activities:				
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	\$3,745,329	\$0	\$0	\$3,745,329
Construction in progress	1,250,407	1,654,946	(2,905,353)	0
Total capital assets not being depreciated	4,995,736	1,654,946	(2,905,353)	3,745,329
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Land improvements	2,448,541	0	0	2,448,541
Buildings and improvements	38,076,136	2,923,353	0	40,999,489
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	4,599,024	63,368	(19,014)	4,643,378
Vehicles	4,429,300	278,252	(62,108)	4,645,444
Total capital assets being depreciated	49,553,001	3,264,973	(81,122)	52,736,852
Accumulated depreciation:				
Land improvements	(1,245,206)	(58,823)	0	(1,304,029)
Buildings and improvements	(19,820,769)	(739,517)	0	(20,560,286)
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	(4,149,132)	(299,392)	19,014	(4,429,510)
Vehicles	(2,918,433)	(234,691)	62,108	(3,091,016)
Total accumulated depreciation	(28,133,540)	(1,332,423) *	81,122	(29,384,841)
Capital assets being depreciated, net	21,419,461	1,932,550	0	23,352,011
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$26,415,197	\$3,587,496	(\$2,905,353)	\$27,097,340

^{*} Depreciation expense was charged to governmental functions as follows:

Instruction:	
Regular	\$246,811
Special	18,545
Vocational	300
Support Services:	
Pupil	202
Instructional Staff	72,163
Administration	12,439
Fiscal	315
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	448,883
Pupil Transportation	393,049
Central	8,873
Operation of Non-Instructional Services	19,515
Operation of Food Services	41,684
Extracurricular	69,644
Total Depreciation Expense	\$1,332,423

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Note 10 - Receivables

Receivables at June 30, 2016, consisted of taxes, accounts (rent, student fees and tuition), accrued interest and intergovernmental distributions and grants. All receivables are considered collectible in full due to the ability to foreclose for the nonpayment of taxes, the stable condition of State programs and the current fiscal year guarantee of Federal funds. All receivables are expected to be collected within one year.

A summary of the principal items of intergovernmental receivables are as follows:

Non-major Governmental Funds:	
IDEA Part B Grant	\$48,098
Title I Grant	40,983
Total Intergovernmental Receivable	\$89,081

Note 11 - Interfund Activity

A. Interfund Transfers

Interfund transfers for the year ended June 30, 2016, consisted of the following, as reported on the fund financial statements:

	Transfers In	Transfers Out
Major Governmental Fund: General	\$0	\$1,136,000
Non-major Governmental Funds:	ΦΟ	\$1,130,000
Permanent Improvement	1,100,000	0
District Managed Student Activity	36,000	0
	\$1,136,000	\$1,136,000

Transfers are used to (1) move revenues from the fund that statute or budget requires to collect them to the fund that statute or budget requires to expend them, and (2) use unrestricted revenues collected in the general fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations. Transfers between governmental funds are eliminated on the government-wide financials. All transfers were made in compliance with Ohio Revised Code Sections 5705.14, 5705.15 and 5705.16.

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B. Interfund Receivable/Payable

	Interfund	Interfund
	Receivable	Payable
Major Governmental Fund:		
General	\$11,500	\$0
Non-major Governmental Funds:		
Title I	0	10,500
Improving Teacher Quality	0	1,000
Total	\$11,500	\$11,500

The primary purpose of the interfund balances is to cover costs in specific funds where revenues were not received by June 30. These interfund balances will be repaid once the anticipated revenues are received.

Note 12 - Long-term Obligations

The changes in the District's long-term obligations during fiscal year 2016 were as follows:

	Amount			Amount	Amounts
	Outstanding			Outstanding	due in
	6/30/15	Additions	Deductions	6/30/16	One Year
Governmental-Type Activities					
2011 Qualified School Construction Bonds	\$3,488,000	\$0	(\$930,133)	\$2,557,867	\$232,533
2009 Energy Conservation Note 3.30% - 3.62%	2,375,729	0	(223,971)	2,151,758	232,906
Bus Purchase Loan	315,911	0	(102,427)	213,484	105,266
Capital Lease Obligations	6,578,133	0	(509,467)	6,068,666	496,728
Compensated Absences	2,074,810	615,024	(432,494)	2,257,340	456,830
Total Before Net Pension Liability	14,832,583	615,024	(2,198,492)	13,249,115	1,524,263
Net Pension Liability:					
STRS	45,055,105	8,302,752	(2,761,329)	50,596,528	0
SERS	10,370,074	2,360,114	(1,039,959)	11,690,229	0
Total Net Pension Liability	55,425,179	10,662,866	(3,801,288)	62,286,757	0
Total Long-Term Obligations	\$70,257,762	\$11,277,890	(\$5,999,780)	\$75,535,872	\$1,524,263

On August 10, 2011, the District issued Qualified School Construction Bonds of \$3,488,000 (par value) with an interest rate of 5.14 percent and maturing on 12/1/2026. The purpose of the issuance is to assist the District in paying the costs of installations, modifications and remodeling of school buildings to conserve energy. After paying issuance costs of \$69,760, the net proceeds were \$3,418,240.

The District has implemented House Bill 264 (HB264) energy conservation projects. The HB264 program is a state house bill that allows special financing opportunities for energy conservation permanent improvements in school districts. The project will encompass heating, air conditioning, and lighting improvements. The special HB264 capital lease financing agreement was for \$3,488,480 over 15 years at rates ranging from 3.30 percent to 3.62 percent. The notes mature January 1st, 2024.

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On October 26, 2012 the District entered into a loan agreement in the amount of \$516,910 for the purchase of busses. The loan is for 5 years at a rate of 2.75 percent and will mature on July 1, 2017.

On July 3, 2008 the District entered into a lease purchase agreement in the amount of \$6,050,000 for classroom additions. The term of the lease is for 28 years at a rate of 4.40 percent and will mature on December 1, 2036.

On July 3, 2008 the District entered into a lease purchase agreement in the amount of \$1,010,000 for the performing arts center refinancing. The term of the lease is for 12 years at a rate of 4.45 percent and will mature on June 1, 2020.

On May 28, 2016 the District entered into a lease purchase agreement in the amount of \$1,350,000 for Phase II of the stadium project. The term of the lease is for 8 years at a rate of 3.2 percent and will mature on June 1, 2023.

Compensated absences will be paid from the General fund and the Food Service, Auxiliary Services, IDEA Grant and Title I special revenue funds. The District pays obligations related to employee compensation from the fund benefitting from their service.

The capital leases are being repaid from the Permanent Improvement capital projects fund.

The District's overall legal debt margin was \$71,852,624 with an unvoted debt margin of \$850,692, and a legal energy conservation debt margin of \$5,504,467 at June 30, 2016.

Principal and interest requirements to retire the school construction bonds, energy conservation note and bus purchase loan outstanding at June 30, 2016, are as follows:

	2011 Quali	fied School	2009 E	nergy		
Fiscal year	Construct	ion Bonds	Conservat	tion Note	Bus Purch	ase Loan
Ending						
June 30,	Principal	***Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest
2017	\$232,533	\$179,283	\$232,906	\$85,544	\$105,266	\$5,969
2018	232,533	179,283	242,198	76,252	108,218	3,017
2019	232,533	179,283	251,860	66,590	0	0
2020	232,533	179,283	262,040	56,410	0	0
2021	232,533	179,283	273,029	45,421	0	0
2022 - 2026	1,162,669	896,415	889,725	65,625	0	0
2027	232,533	89,642	0	0	0	0
Total	\$2,557,867	\$1,882,472	\$2,151,758	\$395,842	\$213,484	\$8,986

***Interest payments made on the 2012 Qualified School Construction Bonds are being offset by tax credits receipted from the Federal government in the approximate amount of \$2,744,527 through 2026. These tax credits will reduce the net amount of interest paid by the District over the life of the bonds.

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Note 13 - Capitalized Lease - Lessee Disclosure

In prior fiscal years, the District entered into capital lease obligations for a performing arts center, classroom additions and for the purchase of copiers. Capital lease payments have been reclassified and are reflected as debt service expenditures in the basic financial statements. These expenditures are reflected as program/function expenditures on a budgetary basis.

Governmental activities capital assets consisting of building improvements and equipment have been capitalized in the amount of \$10,761,710. This amount represents the present value of the future minimum lease payments at the time of acquisition.

A corresponding liability is recorded in the government-wide financial statements. Principal and interest payments on the performing arts center lease in the 2016 fiscal year totaled \$88,000 and \$19,400, respectively. These amounts are reported as debt service payments of the Permanent Improvement capital projects fund.

Principal and interest payments on the classroom additions lease in the 2016 fiscal year totaled \$227,000 and \$207,919, respectively. These amounts are reported as debt service payments of the Permanent Improvement capital projects fund.

Principal and interest payments on the copiers lease in the 2016 fiscal year totaled \$38,867 and \$1,225, respectively. These amounts are reported as debt service payments of the general fund.

Principal and interest payments on the Phase II stadium lease in the 2016 fiscal year totaled \$155,600 and \$44,400, respectively. These amounts are reported as debt service payments of the Building capital projects fund.

The following is a schedule of the future minimum lease payments required under the capital lease obligations and the present value of the future minimum lease payments as of June 30, 2016:

Fiscal Year Ending June 30,	
2017	\$739,700
2018	724,608
2019	724,343
2020	724,477
2021	617,885
2022 - 2026	2,494,463
2027 - 2031	1,072,914
2032 - 2036	811,947
2037	161,768
Total Minimum Lease Payments	8,072,105
Less: Amount Representing Interest	(2,003,439)
Present Value of Minimum Lease	\$6,068,666

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Note 14 - Risk Management

A. Property, Fleet and Liability Insurance

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. The District maintains comprehensive commercial insurance coverage for real property, building contents, vehicles, boilers, electronic data processing equipment and instruments.

The comprehensive commercial property coverage limit is \$169,363,715. The deductible is \$1,000 and the coinsurance is 100 percent. The business auto coverage limits are \$6,000,000 for liability and \$1,000,000 for uninsured motorists with no deductible. The District's audio-visual and computer equipment policy and musical instrument policy are covered under the commercial property coverage limit. The District's machinery and equipment policy has a \$100,000,000 annual aggregate with a \$1,000 deductible. The District's commercial crime coverage liability limit is \$100,000. The District has general liability coverage limits of \$6,000,000 each occurrence and \$8,000,000 annual aggregate.

Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the past three years, and there has been no significant reduction in insurance coverage from last year.

B. Employee Medical Benefits

During the fiscal year, the School District elected to provide medical, vision, dental and prescription drug benefits through a self-insurance program. The School District maintains an insurance reserve internal service fund to account for and finance its uninsured risks of loss in this program. A third party administrator, Medical Mutual of Ohio, reviews all claims which are then paid by the School District. The School District pays into the insurance reserve internal service fund \$12 for family vision coverage and \$4 for single vision coverage per employee per month, \$107 for family dental and \$38 for single dental per month and \$1,733 for family and \$619 for single medical/prescription drug coverage per month which represents the entire premium required. The premium is paid by the fund that pays the salary for the employee and is based on historical cost information.

The claims liability of \$423,300 reported in the internal service fund at June 30, 2016, is based on an estimate provided by the third party administrator and the requirements of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 30 which requires that a liability for unpaid claim costs, including estimates of costs relating to incurred but not reported claims, be reported. The estimate was not affected by incremental claim adjustment expenses and does not include other allocated or unallocated claim adjustment expenses.

Changes in the claims liability amount during the last fiscal year was as follows:

	Balance at			
	Beginning	Current Year	Claim	Balance at
	of Year	Claims	Payments	End of Year
2015	\$508,600	6,820,682	6,845,082	\$484,200
2016	484,200	5,697,470	5,758,370	423,300

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C. Workers' Compensation

The District participates in the Retrospective Rating Plan (Retro Plan) for Workers' Compensation. In 1997, the BWC began offering a two tier Retro Plan to private and public employers. With the Retro Plan, employers initially pay the BWC less premiums than required without the plan. Participants in the Retro Plan may earn possible premium reductions by assuming a portion of the risk. The greater the portion of assumed risk taken by the District, the greater the possibility of a premium reduction there is. The District was accepted into the Retro Plan for policy year 2005. The District was no longer able to qualify for the group rating through OSBA.

The District meets monthly with representatives from PRM, our third party administrator, and Comp 1, our MCO, and a consultant from the BWC. Claims are reviewed and watched to ensure that the District has maximized the potential for savings.

Note 15 – Defined Benefits Pension Plans

A. Net Pension Liability

Pensions are a component of exchange transactions—between an employer and its employees—of salaries and benefits for employee services. Pensions are provided to an employee—on a deferred-payment basis—as part of the total compensation package offered by an employer for employee services each financial period.

The net pension liability reported on the statement of net position represents a liability to employees for pensions. Pensions are a component of exchange transactions - between an employer and its employees of salaries and benefits for employee services. Pensions are provided to an employee - on a deferred payment basis - as part of the total compensation package offered by an employer for employee services each financial period. The obligation to sacrifice resources for pensions is a present obligation because it was created as a result of employment exchanges that already have occurred.

The net pension liability represents the District's proportionate share of each pension plan's collective actuarial present value of projected benefit payments attributable to past periods of service, net of each pension plan's fiduciary net position. The net pension liability calculation is dependent on critical long-term variables, including estimated average life expectancies, earnings on investments, cost of living adjustments and others. While these estimates use the best information available, unknowable future events require adjusting this estimate annually.

Ohio Revised Code limits the District's obligation for this liability to annually required payments. The District cannot control benefit terms or the manner in which pensions are financed; however, the District does receive the benefit of employees' services in exchange for compensation including pension.

GASB 68 assumes the liability is solely the obligation of employer, because (1) they benefit from employee services; and (2) State statute requires all funding to come from these employers. All contributions to date have come solely from these employers (which also includes costs paid in the form of withholdings from employees). State statute requires the pension plans to amortize unfunded liabilities within 30 years. If the amortization period exceeds 30 years, each pension plan's board must propose corrective action to the State legislature. Any resulting legislative change to benefits or funding could significantly affect the net pension liability. Resulting adjustments to the net pension liability would be effective when the changes are legally enforceable.

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The proportionate share of each plan's unfunded benefits is presented as a long-term *net pension liability* on the accrual basis of accounting. A liability for the contractually-required pension contribution outstanding at the end of the year is included in *intergovernmental payable* on both the accrual and modified accrual bases of accounting.

B - School Employees Retirement System

<u>Plan Description</u> - District non-teaching employees participate in the School Employees Retirement System (SERS), a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by SERS. SERS provides retirement, disability, survivor benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Authority to establish and amend benefits is provided by Chapter 3309 of the Ohio Revised Code. SERS issues a publicly available, stand-alone financial report that includes financial statements, required supplementary information and detailed information about SERS' fiduciary net position. That report can be obtained on SERS' website at www.ohsers.org, under Employers/Audit Resources.

Age and service requirements for retirement are as follows:

	Eligible to	Eligible to
	Retire on or Before August 1, 2017*	Retire on or After August 1, 2017
	<u> </u>	
Full Benefits	Any age with 30 years of service credit	Age 67 with 10 years of service credit; or Age 57 with 30 years of service credit
Actuarially Reduced Benefits	Age 60 with 5 years of service credit Age 55 with 25 years of service credit	Age 62 with 10 years of service credit; or Age 60 with 25 years of service credit

^{*} Members with 25 years of service credit as of August 1, 2017, will be included in this plan

Annual retirement benefits are calculated based on final average salary multiplied by a percentage that varies based on year of service; 2.2 percent for the first thirty years of service and 2.5 percent for years of service credit over 30. Final average salary is the average of the highest three years of salary.

One year after an effective benefit date, a benefit recipient is entitled to a three percent cost-of-living adjustment (COLA). This same COLA is added each year to the base benefit amount on the anniversary date of the benefit.

<u>Funding Policy</u> - Plan members are required to contribute 10 percent of their annual covered salary and the District is required to contribute 14 percent of annual covered payroll. The contribution requirements of plan members and employers are established and may be amended by the SERS' Retirement Board up to statutory maximum amounts of 10 percent for plan members and 14 percent for employers. The Retirement Board acting with the advice of the actuary, allocates the employer contribution rate among four of the System's funds (Pension Trust Fund, Death Benefit Fund, Medicare B Fund, and Health Care Fund). For fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, the allocation to pension, death benefits, and Medicare B was 14 percent. No allocation was made to the Health Care Fund.

The District's contractually required contribution to SERS was \$1,003,151 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. Of this amount \$587,460 was reported as an intergovernmental payable.

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C - State Teachers Retirement System

<u>Plan Description</u> - District licensed teachers and other faculty members participate in the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS Ohio), a cost-sharing multiple-employer public employee retirement system administered by STRS. STRS provides retirement and disability benefits to members and death and survivor benefits to beneficiaries. STRS issues a stand-alone financial report that includes financial statements, required supplementary information and detailed information about STRS' fiduciary net position. That report can be obtained by writing to STRS, 275 E. Broad St., Columbus, OH 43215-3771, by calling (888) 227-7877, or by visiting the STRS Web site at www.strsoh.org.

New members have a choice of three retirement plans; a Defined Benefit (DB) Plan, a Defined Contribution (DC) Plan and a Combined Plan. Benefits are established by Ohio Revised Code Chapter 3307. The DB plan offers an annual retirement allowance based on final average salary multiplied by a percentage that varies based on years of service. Effective August 1, 2015, the calculation is 2.2 percent of final average salary for the five highest years of earnings multiplied by all years of service. With certain exceptions, the basic benefit is increased each year by two percent of the original base benefit. For members retiring August 1, 2013, or later, the first two percent is paid on the fifth anniversary of the retirement benefit. Members are eligible to retire at age 60 with five years of qualifying service credit, or age 55 with 25 years of service, or 30 years of service regardless of age. Age and service requirements for retirement will increase effective August 1, 2015, and will continue to increase periodically until they reach age 60 with 35 years of service or age 65 with five year of service on August 1, 2026.

The DC Plan allows members to place all their member contributions and 9.5 percent of the 14 percent employer contributions into an investment account. Investment allocation decisions are determined by the member. The remaining 4.5 percent of the 14 percent employer rate is allocated to the defined benefit unfunded liability. A member is eligible to receive a retirement benefit at age 50 and termination of employment. The member may elect to receive a lifetime monthly annuity or a lump sum withdrawal.

The Combined Plan offers features of both the DB Plan and the DC Plan. In the Combined Plan, member contributions are allocated among investment choices by the member, and employer contributions are used to fund the defined benefit payment at a reduced level from the regular DB Plan. The defined benefit portion of the Combined Plan payment is payable to a member on or after age 60 with five years of services. The defined contribution portion of the account may be taken as a lump sum payment or converted to a lifetime monthly annuity at age 50.

New members who choose the DC plan or Combined Plan will have another opportunity to reselect a permanent plan during their fifth year of membership. Members may remain in the same plan or transfer to another STRS plan. The optional annuitization of a member's defined contribution account or the defined contribution portion of a member's Combined Plan account to a lifetime benefit results in STRS bearing the risk of investment gain or loss on the account. STRS has therefore included all three plan options as one defined benefit plan for GASB 68 reporting purposes.

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A DB or Combined Plan member with five or more years of credited service who is determined to be disabled may qualify for a disability benefit. Eligible survivors of members who die before service retirement may qualify for monthly benefits. New members on or after July 1, 2013, must have at least ten years of qualifying service credit that apply for disability benefits. Members in the DC Plan who become disabled are entitled only to their account balance. If a member of the DC Plan dies before retirement benefits begin, the member's designated beneficiary is entitled to receive the member's account balance.

Funding Policy – Employer and member contribution rates are established by the State Teachers Retirement Board and limited by Chapter 3307 of the Ohio Revised Code. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016, plan members were required to contribute 13 percent of their annual covered salary. Effective July 1, 2016, the statutory maximum employee contribution rate was increased one percent to 14 percent. The School District was required to contribute 14 percent; the entire 14 percent was the portion used to fund pension obligations. The fiscal year 2016 contribution rates were equal to the statutory maximum rates.

The District's contractually required contribution to STRS was \$2,683,860 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. Of this amount \$450,020 was reported as an intergovernmental payable.

D. Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows of resources and Deferred inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2015, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The Districts proportion of the net pension liability was based on the Districts share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating entities. Following is information related to the proportionate share:

	SERS	STRS	Total
Proportion of the Net Pension Liability Prior Measurement Date	0.20490400%	0.18523312%	
Proportion of the Net Pension Liability Current Measurement Date	0.20487260%	0.18307483%	
Change in Proportionate Share	-0.00003140%	-0.00215829%	
Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$11,690,229	\$50,596,528	\$62,286,757
Pension Expense	\$965,914	\$2,187,307	\$3,153,221

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At June 30, 2016, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	SERS	STRS	Total
Deferred Outflows of Resources			
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$188,245	\$2,306,564	\$2,494,809
District contributions subsequent to the measurement date	1,003,151	2,683,860	3,687,011
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	\$1,191,396	\$4,990,424	\$6,181,820
Deferred Inflows of Resources Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments Change in proportionate share and difference between District contributions and proportionate share of contributions	\$387,529 1,204	\$3,638,848 454,027	\$4,026,377 455,231
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	\$388,733	\$4,092,875	\$4,481,608

\$3,687,011 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pension resulting from District contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ending June 30, 2016. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pension will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

	SERS	STRS	Total
Fiscal Year Ending June 30:			
2017	(\$141,108)	(\$934,674)	(\$1,075,782)
2018	(141,108)	(934,674)	(1,075,782)
2019	(142,000)	(934,674)	(1,076,674)
2020	223,728	1,017,711	1,241,439
Total	(\$200,488)	(\$1,786,311)	(\$1,986,799)

Actuarial Assumptions - SERS

SERS' total pension liability was determined by their actuaries in accordance with GASB Statement No. 67, as part of their annual actuarial valuation for each defined benefit retirement plan. Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts (e.g., salaries, credited service) and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future (e.g., mortality, disabilities, retirements, employment termination). Actuarially determined amounts are subject to continual review and potential modifications, as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the substantive plan (the plan as understood by the employers and plan members) and include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing benefit costs between the employers and plan members to that point. The projection of benefits for financial reporting purposes does not explicitly incorporate the potential effects of legal or contractual funding limitations.

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Actuarial calculations reflect a long-term perspective. For a newly hired employee, actuarial calculations will take into account the employee's entire career with the employer and also take into consideration the benefits, if any, paid to the employee after termination of employment until the death of the employee and any applicable contingent annuitant. In many cases actuarial calculations reflect several decades of service with the employer and the payment of benefits after termination.

Key methods and assumptions used in calculating the total pension liability in the latest actuarial valuation, prepared as of June 30, 2015, are presented below:

Wage Inflation 3.25 Percent

Future Salary Increases, Including Inflation 4.00 Percent to 22 Percent

COLA or Ad hoc COLA 3 Percent

Investment Rate of Return 7.75 Percent Net Investments Expense, Including Inflation

Actuarial Cost Method Entry Age Normal

For post-retirement mortality, the table used in evaluating allowances to be paid is the 1994 Group Annuity Mortality Table set back one year for both men and women. Special mortality tables are used for the period after disability retirement.

The most recent experience study was completed June 30, 2010.

The long-term return expectation for the Pension Plan Investments has been determined using a building-block approach and assumes a time horizon, as defined in SERS' Statement of Investment Policy. A forecasted rate of inflation serves as the baseline for the return expectation. Various real return premiums over the baseline inflation rate have been established for each asset class. The long-term expected nominal rate of return has been determined by calculating a weighted averaged of the expected real return premiums for each asset class, adding the projected inflation rate, and adding the expected return from rebalancing uncorrelated asset classes. The target allocation and best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major assets class are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return	_
Cash	1.00 %	6.00	%
U.S. Stocks	22.50	5.00	
Non-U.S. Stocks	22.50	5.50	
Fixed Income	19.00	1.50	
Private Equity	10.00	10.00	
Real Assets	10.00	5.00	
Multi-Asset Strategies	15.00	7.50	
Total	100.00 %	, 0	

Discount Rate The total pension liability was calculated using the discount rate of 7.75 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed the contributions from employers and from the members would be computed based on contribution requirements as stipulated by State statute. Projected inflows from investment earning were calculated using the long-term assumed investment rate of return (7.75 percent). Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefits to determine the total pension liability.

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Changes between Measurement Date and Report Date

In April 2016, the SERS Board adopted certain assumption changes which impacted their annual actuarial valuation prepared as of June 30, 2016. The most significant change is a reduction in the discount rate from 7.75 percent to 7.5 percent. Although the exact amount of these changes is not known, the impact to the Schools District's net pension liability is expected to be significant.

Sensitivity of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate Net pension liability is sensitive to changes in the discount rate, and to illustrate the potential impact the following table presents the net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 7.75 percent, as well as what each plan's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower (6.75 percent), or one percentage point higher (8.75 percent) than the current rate.

	Current				
	1% Decrease (6.75%)	Discount Rate (7.75%)	1% Increase (8.75%)		
District's Proportionate Share of the					
Net Pension Liability	\$16,210,147	\$11,690,229	\$7,884,086		

Actuarial Assumptions - STRS

The total pension liability in the June 30, 2015, actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation 2.75 Percent

Projected Salary Increases 2.75 Percent at Age 70 to 12.25 Percent at Age 20

Investment Rate of Return 7.75 Percent, Net of Investment Expenses

Cost of Living Adjustments (COLA) 2% Simple Applied as Follows: For Members Retiring Before August

1, 2013, 2% per Year, For Members Retiring August 1, 2013, or later,

2% COLA paid on Fifth Anniversary of Retirement Date.

Mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table (Projection 2022—Scale AA) for Males and Females. Males' ages are set-back two years through age 89 and no set-back for age 90 and above. Females younger than age 80 are set back four years, one year set back from age 80 through 89 and not set back from age 90 and above.

Actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2015, valuation are based on the results of an actuarial experience study, effective July 1, 2012.

The 10 year expected real rate of return on pension plan investments was determined by STRS' investment consultant by developing best estimates of expected future real rates of return for each major asset class. The target allocation and best estimates of geometric real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized as follows:

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Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return	
Domestic Equity	31.00 %	8.00	%
International Equity	26.00	7.85	
Fixed Income	18.00	8.00	
Alternatives	14.00	3.75	
Real Estate	10.00	6.75	
Liquidity Reserves	1.00	3.00	
Total	100.00 %		

Discount Rate The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.75 percent as of June 30, 2015. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumes member and employer contributions will be made at the statutory contribution rates in accordance with rate increases described above. For this purpose, only employer contributions that are intended to fund benefits of current plan members and their beneficiaries are included. Projected employer contributions that are intended to fund the service costs of future plan members and their beneficiaries, as well as projected contributions from future plan members, are not included. Based on those assumptions, STRS' fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments to current plan members as of June 30, 2015. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.75 percent was applied to all periods of projected benefit payment to determine the total pension liability as of June 30, 2015.

Sensitivity of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate The following table presents the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the current period discount rate assumption of 7.75 percent, 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 one-percentage-point lower (6.75 percent) or one-percentage-point higher (8.75 percent) than the current rate:

	Current			
	1% Decrease (6.75%)	Discount Rate (7.75%)	1% Increase (8.75%)	
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$70,282,394	\$50,596,528	\$33,949,193	

E. Social Security System

Effective, July 1, 1991, all employees not otherwise covered by the School Employees Retirement System or the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio have an option to choose Social Security or the School Employees Retirement System/State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio. As of June 30, 2016, certain members of the Board of Education have elected Social Security. The District's liability is 6.2 percent of wages paid.

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Note 16 - Postemployment Benefits

A. School Employees Retirement System

Health Care Plan Description - The District contributes to the SERS Health Care Fund, administered by SERS for non-certificated retirees and their beneficiaries. For GASB 45 purposes, this plan is considered a cost-sharing, multiple-employer, defined benefit other postemployment benefit (OPEB) plan. The Health Care Plan includes hospitalization and physicians' fees through several types of plans including HMO's, PPO's, Medicare Advantage, and traditional indemnity plans as well as a prescription drug program. The financial report of the Plan is included in the SERS Comprehensive Annual Financial Report which can be obtained on SERS' website at www.ohsers.org under Employers/Audit Resources.

Access to health care for retirees and beneficiaries is permitted in accordance with Section 3309 of the Ohio Revised Code. The Health Care Fund was established and is administered in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 105(e). SERS' Retirement Board reserves the right to change or discontinue any health plan or program. Health care is financed through a combination of employer contributions and retiree premiums, copays and deductibles on covered health care expenses, investment returns, and any funds received as a result of SERS' participation in Medicare programs. Active employee members do not contribute to the Health Care Plan. Retirees and their beneficiaries are required to pay a health care premium that varies depending on the plan selected, the number of qualified years of service, Medicare eligibility and retirement status.

Funding Policy - State statute permits SERS to fund the health care benefits through employer contributions. Each year, after the allocation for statutorily required basic benefits, the Retirement Board allocates the remainder of the employer contribution of 14 percent of covered payroll to the Health Care Fund. For fiscal year 2016, no allocation of covered payroll was allocated to health care. In addition, employers pay a surcharge for employees earning less than an actuarially determined minimum compensation amount, pro-rated according to service credit earned. For fiscal year 2016, this amount was \$23,000. Statutes provide that no employer shall pay a health care surcharge greater than 2 percent of that employer's SERS-covered payroll; nor may SERS collect in aggregate more than 1.5 percent of the total statewide SERS-covered payroll for the health care surcharge. For fiscal year 2016, the District's surcharge obligation was \$92,919.

The District's contributions for health care for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2016, 2015, and 2014 were \$0, \$60,912 and \$109,078, respectively. The full amount has been contributed for all three fiscal years.

B. State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio

Plan Description – The District participates in the cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit Health Plan administered by the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS) for eligible retirees who participated in the defined benefit or combined pension plans offered by STRS. Ohio law authorizes STRS to offer this plan. Benefits include hospitalization, physicians' fees, prescription drugs and reimbursement of monthly Medicare Part B premiums. The Plan is included in the report of STRS which can be obtained by visiting www.strsoh.org or by calling (888) 227-7877.

Funding Policy – Ohio Revised Code Chapter 3307 authorizes STRS Ohio to offer the Plan and gives the Retirement Board authority over how much, if any, of the health care costs will be absorbed by STRS. Active employee members do not contribute to the Health Care Plan. Nearly all health care plan enrollees, for the most recent year, pay a portion of the health care costs in the form of a monthly premium. Under Ohio law, funding for post-employment health care may be deducted from

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employer contributions. For fiscal year 2016, STRS Ohio did not allocate any employer contributions to post-employment health care. The District's contributions for health care for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2016, 2015, and 2014 were \$0, \$0, and \$194,561 respectively. The full amount has been contributed for all three fiscal years.

Note 17 - Compensated Absences

The criteria for determining vacation and sick leave benefits are derived from negotiated agreements and State laws. Classified employees earn ten to twenty days of vacation per fiscal year, depending upon length of service and hours worked. Teachers do not earn vacation time. Administrators earn twenty days of vacation annually. Accumulated unused vacation time is paid to classified employees and administrators upon termination of employment.

Each employee earns sick leave at the rate of one and one-quarter days per month. Sick leave may be accumulated without a maximum for all employees. Upon retirement, classified employees receive payments for twenty five percent of the total sick leave accumulation up to a maximum of 63 days. Teachers and administrators receive payment for twenty five percent of the total sick leave accumulation up to 65 days.

Note 18 - Set-Asides

The District is required by State statute to annually set aside in the general fund an amount based on a statutory formula for the acquisition and construction of capital improvements. Amounts not spent by year-end or offset by similarly restricted resources received during the year must be held in cash at year-end and carried forward to be used for the same purposes in future years.

The following cash basis information describes the change in the fiscal year end set aside amounts for textbooks and capital acquisition. Disclosure of this information is required by State statute.

	Capital	Budget
	Improvements	Stabilization
Set-Aside Reserve Balance as of June 30, 2015	\$0	\$233,898
Current Year Set-Aside Requirement	753,799	0
Qualifying Disbursements	0	0
Current year offsets	(1,170,022)	0
Total	(\$416,223)	\$233,898
Set-Aside Balance Carried Forward to		
Future Fiscal Years	\$0	\$233,898
Cash balance as of June 30, 2016	\$0	\$233,898

Although the School District had qualifying disbursements and current year offsets during the fiscal year that reduced the set-aside amount to below zero for the capital acquisition set-aside, this amount may not be used to reduce the set-aside requirement for future years. This negative balance is therefore not presented as being carried forward to future years.

The total reserve balance for the three set-asides at the end of the fiscal year was \$233,898.

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Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2016

Note 19 - Contingencies

A. Grants

The District received financial assistance from federal and state agencies in the form of grants. The expenditure of funds received under these programs generally requires compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements and are subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of the general fund or other applicable funds. However, the effect of any such disallowed claims on the overall financial position of the District at June 30, 2016, if applicable, cannot be determined at this time.

B. Litigation

The District is not party to any legal proceedings seeking damages or injunctive relief generally incidental to its operations and pending at June 30, 2016.

C. School District Foundation

School District Foundation funding is based on the annualized full-time equivalent (FTE) enrollment of each student. Effective for the 2014-2015 school year, traditional school districts must comply with minimum hours of instruction, instead of a minimum number of school days each year. The funding formula the Ohio Department of Education (ODE) is legislatively required to follow will continue to adjust as enrollment information is updated by the District, which can extend past the fiscal year-end. As of the date of this report, ODE has not finalized the impact of enrollment adjustments to the June 30, 2016 Foundation funding for the District; therefore, the financial statement impact is not determinable at this time. ODE and management believe this will result in either a receivable to or liability of the District.

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Required Supplementary Information
Schedule of the School District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability
School Employees Retirement System of Ohio (SERS)
Last Three Fiscal Years (1)

	2016	2015	2014
School District's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability	0.20487260%	0.20490400%	0.20490400%
School District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$11,690,229	\$10,370,074	\$12,184,983
School District's Covered-Employee Payroll	\$7,890,432	\$6,076,429	\$6,066,770
School District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability as a Percentage of its Covered-Employee Payroll	148.16%	170.66%	200.85%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	69.16%	71.70%	65.52%

⁽¹⁾ Information prior to 2014 is not available.

Amounts presented as of the District's measurement date which is the prior fiscal year end.

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Required Supplementary Information
Schedule of the School District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability
State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS)
Last Three Fiscal Years (1)

	2016	2015	2014
School District's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability	0.183074830%	0.185233120%	0.185233120%
School District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$50,596,528	\$45,055,105	\$53,669,347
School District's Covered-Employee Payroll	\$19,723,779	\$19,158,308	\$18,794,385
School District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability as a Percentage of its Covered-Employee Payroll	256.53%	235.17%	285.56%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	72.10%	74.70%	69.30%

⁽¹⁾ Information prior to 2014 is not available.

Amounts presented as of the District's measurement date which is the prior fiscal year end.

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Required Supplementary Information Schedule of School District Contributions School Employees Retirement System of Ohio (SERS) Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2016	2015	2014	2013
Contractually Required Contribution	\$1,003,151	\$1,039,959	\$842,193	\$839,641
Contributions in Relation to the Contractually Required Contribution	(\$1,003,151)	(\$1,039,959)	(\$842,193)	(\$839,641)
Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	<u>\$0</u>	\$0	\$0	\$0
School District Covered-Employee Payroll	\$7,165,364	\$7,890,432	\$6,076,429	\$6,066,770
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered-Employee Payroll	14.00%	13.18%	13.86%	13.84%

2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007
\$798,385	\$761,759	\$811,475	\$567,559	\$515,846	\$601,976
(\$798,385)	(\$761,759)	(\$811,475)	(\$567,559)	(\$515,846)	(\$601,976)
\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
\$5,935,948	\$6,060,135	\$5,993,168	\$5,767,876	\$5,253,014	\$5,636,479
13.45%	12.57%	13.54%	9.84%	9.82%	10.68%

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Required Supplementary Information Schedule of School District Contributions State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS) Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2016	2015	2014	2013
Contractually Required Contribution	\$2,683,860	\$2,761,329	\$2,490,580	\$2,443,270
Contributions in Relation to the Contractually Required Contribution	(\$2,683,860)	(\$2,761,329)	(\$2,490,580)	(\$2,443,270)
Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
School District Covered-Employee Payroll	\$19,170,429	\$19,723,779	\$19,158,308	\$18,794,385
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered-Employee Payroll	14.00%	14.00%	13.00%	13.00%

2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007
\$2,619,856	\$2,730,913	\$2,747,876	\$2,693,610	\$2,624,664	\$2,571,961
(\$2,619,856)	(\$2,730,913)	(\$2,747,876)	(\$2,693,610)	(\$2,624,664)	(\$2,571,961)
\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
\$20,152,738	\$21,007,023	\$21,137,508	\$20,720,077	\$20,189,723	\$19,784,315
13.00%	13.00%	13.00%	13.00%	13.00%	13.00%

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Notes to Required Supplementary Information For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2016

SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO

Changes in benefit terms: There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2014, 2015 and 2016.

Changes in assumptions: There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2014, 2015 and 2016. See the notes to the basic financial statements for the methods and assumptions in this calculation.

STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (STRS) OF OHIO

Changes in benefit terms: There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for fiscal year 2014, 2015 and 2016.

Changes in assumptions: There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for fiscal year 2014, 2015 and 2016. See the notes to the basic financial statements for the methods and assumptions in this calculation.

BOARDMAN LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MAHONING COUNTY

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

FEDERAL GRANTOR Pass Through Grantor Program / Cluster Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass Through Entity Identifying Number	Total Federal Expenditures
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE Passed Through Ohio Department of Education Child Nutrition Cluster:			
School Breakfast Program National School Lunch Program Total Nutrition Cluster	10.553 10.555	100825-3L70 100825-3L60	\$112,087 709,187 821,274
Team Nutrtition Grant	10.574	100825-3GF0	6,050
School Food Equipment	10.579	100825-3GF0	4,951
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			832,275
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION Passed Through Ohio Department of Education Title I Cluster:			
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	84.010	100825-3M00	1,104,440
Special Education Cluster: Special Education Grants to States	84.027	100825-3M20	830,088
Passed Through Mahoning County Educational Service Center Preschool Program	84.173	MCESC	9,894
Passed Through Mahoning County Educational Service Center English Language Acquisition State Grants	84.365	MCESC	11,018
Supporting Effective Instruction State Grants	84.367	100825-3Y60	117,373
Total U.S. Department of Education			2,072,813
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			\$2,905,088

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this schedule.

BOARDMAN LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MAHONING COUNTY

NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS 2 CFR 200.510(b)(6) FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

NOTE A - BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the Schedule) includes the federal award activity of Boardman Local School District, (the District) under programs of the federal government for the year ended June 30, 2016. The information on this Schedule is prepared in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the District, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net assets, or cash flows of the District.

NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the cash basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards,* wherein certain types of expenditures may or may not be allowable or may be limited as to reimbursement. The District has elected not to use the 10-percent de minimis indirect cost rate as allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

NOTE C - CHILD NUTRITION CLUSTER

The District commingles cash receipts from the U.S. Department of Agriculture with similar State grants. When reporting expenditures on this Schedule, the District assumes it expends federal monies first.

NOTE D - FOOD DONATION PROGRAM

The District reports commodities consumed on the Schedule at the fair value. The District allocated donated food commodities to the respective program that benefitted from the use of those donated food commodities.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS REQUIRED BY GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Boardman Local School District Mahoning County 7410 Market Street Boardman, Ohio 44512

To the Board of Education:

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States and the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*, the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Boardman Local School District, Mahoning County, (the District) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2016, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated February 16, 2017.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

As part of our financial statement audit, we considered the District's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures appropriate in the circumstances to the extent necessary to support our opinion on the financial statements, but not to the extent necessary to opine on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we have not opined on it.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, when performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and timely correct misstatements. A material weakness is a deficiency, or combination of internal control deficiencies resulting in a reasonable possibility that internal control will not prevent or detect and timely correct a material misstatement of the District's financial statements. 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 internal control deficiencies that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider material weaknesses. However, unidentified material weaknesses may exist.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of reasonably assuring whether the District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we tested its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could directly and materially affect the determination of financial statement amounts. However, opining on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and accordingly, we do not express an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters we must report under *Government Auditing Standards*.

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Purpose of this Report

This report only describes the scope of our internal control and compliance testing and our testing results, and does not opine on the effectiveness of the District's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed under *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the District's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Dave Yost Auditor of State Columbus, Ohio

February 16, 2017

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO THE MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

Boardman Local School District Mahoning County 7410 Market Street Boardman, Ohio 44512

To the Board of Education:

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Boardman Local School District's (the District) compliance with the applicable requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) *Compliance Supplement* that could directly and materially affect each of the Boardman Local School District's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2016. The *Summary of Auditor's Results* in the accompanying schedule of findings identifies the District's major federal programs.

Management's Responsibility

The District's Management is responsible for complying with federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal awards applicable to its federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to opine on the District's compliance for each of the District's major federal programs based on our audit of the applicable compliance requirements referred to above. Our compliance audit followed auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards for financial audits included in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*; 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). These standards and the Uniform Guidance require us to plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure whether noncompliance with the applicable compliance requirements referred to above that could directly and materially affect a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe our audit provides a reasonable basis for our compliance opinion on each of the District's major programs. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the District's compliance.

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the Boardman Local School District complied, in all material respects with the compliance requirements referred to above that could directly and materially affect each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2016.

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Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

The District's management is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the applicable compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our compliance audit, we considered the District's internal control over compliance with the applicable requirements that could directly and materially affect a major federal program, to determine our auditing procedures appropriate for opining on each major federal program's compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not to the extent needed to opine on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we have not opined on the effectiveness of the Entity's internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, when performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or to timely detect and correct, noncompliance with a federal program's applicable compliance requirement. 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 federal program compliance requirement will not be prevented, or timely detected and corrected. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with federal program's applicable compliance requirement that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

This report only describes the scope of our internal control over compliance tests and the results of this testing based on Uniform Guidance requirements. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Dave Yost Auditor of State Columbus, Ohio

February 16, 2017

BOARDMAN LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MAHONING COUNTY

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS 2 CFR § 200.515 JUNE 30, 2016

1. SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

(d)(1)(i)	Type of Financial Statement Opinion	Unmodified
(d)(1)(ii)	Were there any material weaknesses in internal control reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
(d)(1)(ii)	Were there any significant deficiencies in internal control reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
(d)(1)(iii)	Was there any reported material noncompliance at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
(d)(1)(iv)	Were there any material weaknesses in internal control reported for major federal programs?	No
(d)(1)(iv)	Were there any significant deficiencies in internal control reported for major federal programs?	No
(d)(1)(v)	Type of Major Programs' Compliance Opinion	Unmodified
(d)(1)(vi)	Are there any reportable findings under 2 CFR § 200.516(a)?	No
(d)(1)(vii)	Major Programs (list):	CFDA #'s 10.553, 10.555 Child Nutrition Cluster CFDA # 84.010 Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies
(d)(1)(viii)	Dollar Threshold: Type A\B Programs	Type A: > \$ 750,000 Type B: all others
(d)(1)(ix)	Low Risk Auditee under 2 CFR §200.520?	No

2. FINDINGS RELATED TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS

None

3. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS

None





BOARDMAN LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MAHONING COUNTY

CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

This is a true and correct copy of the report which is required to be filed in the Office of the Auditor of State pursuant to Section 117.26, Revised Code, and which is filed in Columbus, Ohio.

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

Susan Babbitt

CERTIFIED MARCH 21, 2017