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**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOGAN COUNTY**

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Indian Lake Local School District
Logan County
6210 State Route 235 North
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To the Board of Education:

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying modified cash basis financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Indian Lake Local School District, Logan County, Ohio (the District), as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, 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 the modified cash accounting basis Note 2 B describes. This responsibility includes determining that the modified cash accounting basis is acceptable for the circumstances. Management is also responsible for 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 modified cash financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Indian Lake Local School District, Logan County, Ohio, as of June 30, 2015, and the respective changes in modified cash financial position and the budgetary comparison for the General Fund thereof for the fiscal year then ended in accordance with the accounting basis described in Note 2 B.

Accounting Basis

Ohio Administrative Code § 117-2-03(B) requires the District to prepare its annual financial report in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We draw attention to Note 2B of the financial statements, which describes the basis applied to these statements. The financial statements are prepared on the modified cash basis of accounting, which is a basis other than generally accepted accounting principles. We did not modify our opinion regarding this matter.

Other Matters

Supplemental Information

Our audit was conducted to opine on the financial statements taken as a whole.

The Schedule of Federal Award Receipts and Expenditures presents additional analysis as required by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations and is also not a required part of the financial statements.

The schedule is management's responsibility, and derives from and relates 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 this schedule directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and 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 Information

We applied no procedures to Management's Discussion & Analysis or to the schedules of net pension liabilities and pension contributions listed in the table of contents. Accordingly, we express no opinion or any other assurance on them.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated February 9, 2016, 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.

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Dave Yost
Auditor of State
Columbus, Ohio

February 9, 2016

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**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
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**MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015
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The management's discussion and analysis of the Indian Lake 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, 2015, within the limitations of the District's modified cash basis of accounting. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the District's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the modified cash basis financial statements and the notes to the financial statements to enhance their understanding of the District's financial performance.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for fiscal year 2015 are as follows:

- The total net cash position of the District increased \$1,365,163 or 14.54% from fiscal year 2014.
- General cash receipts accounted for \$24,399,691 or 87.64% of total governmental activities cash receipts. Program specific cash receipts accounted for \$3,439,688 or 12.36% of total governmental activities cash receipts.
- The District had \$26,474,216 in cash disbursements related to governmental activities; \$3,439,688 of these cash disbursements were offset by program specific charges for services, grants or contributions. General cash receipts (primarily taxes and grants and entitlements) of \$24,399,691 were adequate to provide for these programs.
- The District's major funds are the general fund and the bond retirement fund. The general fund, the District's largest major fund, had cash receipts and other financing sources of \$17,129,108 in fiscal year 2015. The cash disbursements and other financing uses of the general fund totaled \$15,998,679 in fiscal year 2015. The general fund cash balance increased \$1,130,429 during fiscal year 2015.
- The bond retirement fund, a District major fund, had cash receipts and other financing sources of \$8,786,626 in fiscal year 2015. The bond retirement fund had cash disbursements and other financing uses of \$8,574,081 in fiscal year 2015. The bond retirement fund cash balance increased \$212,545 during fiscal year 2015.

Using the Modified Cash Basis Basic Financial Statements (BFS)

This annual report is presented in a format consistent with the presentation requirements of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 34, as applicable to the District's modified cash basis of accounting.

The statement of net position – modified cash basis and statement of activities – modified cash basis provide information about the activities of the whole District, presenting an aggregate view of the District's modified cash basis finances. Fund financial statements provide the next level of detail. For governmental funds, these statements tell how services were financed in the short-term as well as what remains for future spending. The fund financial statements also look at the District's most significant funds with all other nonmajor funds presented in total in one column. In the case of the District, there are two major governmental funds. The general fund is the largest major fund.

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Reporting the District as a Whole

Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities

The statement of net position – modified cash basis and the statement of activities – modified cash basis answer the question, “How did the District do financially during fiscal year 2015?” These statements include only net position using the modified cash basis of accounting, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. This basis of accounting takes into account only the current year’s receipts and disbursements if the cash is actually received or paid.

These two statements report the District’s net cash position and changes in net cash position on a modified cash basis. This change in net cash position is important because it tells the reader that, for the District as a whole, the modified cash basis 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, mandated federal and state programs and other factors.

As a result of the use of the modified cash basis of accounting, certain assets and their related revenues (such as accounts receivable and revenue for billed or provided services not collected) and liabilities and their related expenses (such as accounts payable and expenses for goods or services received but not yet paid, and accrued expenses and liabilities) are not recorded in these financial statements. Therefore, when reviewing the financial information and discussion within this annual report, the reader should keep in mind the limitations resulting from the use of the modified cash basis of accounting.

In the statement of activities – modified cash basis, the governmental activities include the District’s programs and services including instruction, support services, operation and maintenance of plant, pupil transportation, extracurricular activities, and food service operations.

The statement of net position – modified cash basis and the statement of activities – modified cash basis can be found on pages 15-16 of this report.

Reporting the District’s Most Significant Funds

Fund Financial Statements

A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The District, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds of the District can be divided into three categories: governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds. The District has no proprietary funds.

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 fund financial statements focus on the District’s most significant funds. The District’s major governmental funds are the general fund and the bond retirement fund. The analysis of the District’s major governmental funds begins on page 11.

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Governmental Funds

All of the District's activities are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at year-end available for spending in future periods. These funds are reported using the modified cash basis of accounting, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed view of the District's general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps you determine whether there are more or fewer modified cash basis financial resources that can be readily spent to finance various District programs.

Since the District is reporting on the modified cash basis of accounting, there are no differences in the net cash position and fund cash balances or changes in net cash position and changes in fund cash balances. Therefore, no reconciliation is necessary between such financial statements. The governmental fund statements can be found on pages 17-18 of this report.

The District's budgetary process accounts for certain transactions on a modified cash basis. The budgetary statement for the general fund is presented to demonstrate the District's compliance with annually adopted budgets. The budgetary statement can be found on page 19 of this report.

Fiduciary Funds

Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the District. Fiduciary funds are not reflected in the government-wide financial statements because the resources of those funds are not available to support the District's own programs. The District's only fiduciary funds are a private-purpose trust fund and an agency fund. All of the District's fiduciary activities are reported in separate statements of fiduciary net position – modified cash basis and changes in fiduciary net position – modified cash basis on pages 20-21. These activities are excluded from the District's other financial statements because the assets cannot be utilized by the District to finance its operations.

Notes to the Financial Statements

The notes provide additional information that is essential to full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements can be found on pages 23-51 of this report.

Required Supplementary Information

In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information concerning the District's net pension liability. The required supplementary information can be found on pages 54-60 of this report.

Government-Wide Financial Analysis

Recall that the statement of net position – modified cash basis provides the perspective of the District as a whole.

The table below provides a summary of the District's net cash position at June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014.

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Net Cash Position

	Governmental Activities 2015	Governmental Activities 2014
Assets:		
Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents	\$10,752,479	\$9,387,316
Total assets	<u>10,752,479</u>	<u>9,387,316</u>
Net cash position:		
Restricted	2,568,448	2,455,260
Unrestricted	8,184,031	6,932,056
Total net cash position	<u>\$10,752,479</u>	<u>\$9,387,316</u>

The total net cash position of the District increased \$1,365,163, which represents a 14.54% increase from fiscal year 2014.

The balance of government-wide unrestricted net cash position of \$8,184,031 may be used to meet the government's ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors.

The table below shows the changes in net cash position for fiscal years 2015 and 2014.

Change in Net Cash Position

	Governmental Activities 2015	Governmental Activities 2014
Cash receipts:		
Program cash receipts:		
Charges for services and sales	\$1,589,694	\$1,500,274
Operating grants and contributions	1,849,994	1,908,648
Total program cash receipts	<u>3,439,688</u>	<u>3,408,922</u>
General cash receipts:		
Property and other taxes	12,022,896	11,819,056
Payments in lieu of taxes	31,578	112,221
Unrestricted grants	6,254,932	6,156,402
Investment earnings	6,430	1,507
Miscellaneous	38,010	76,001
Sale of refunding bonds	5,785,000	
Premium on sale of refunding bonds	260,845	
Total general cash receipts	<u>24,399,691</u>	<u>18,165,187</u>
Total cash receipts	<u>\$27,839,379</u>	<u>\$21,574,109</u>

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**Change in Net Cash Position
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	Governmental Activities 2015	Governmental Activities 2014
Cash disbursements:		
Current:		
Instruction:		
Regular	\$7,617,591	\$7,418,158
Special	1,611,296	1,532,792
Vocational	177,076	171,955
Other	1,397,613	1,136,140
Support services:		
Pupil	1,132,696	1,289,171
Instructional staff	486,159	572,570
Board of education	28,365	39,992
Administration	1,222,555	1,251,498
Fiscal	582,811	575,626
Operations and maintenance	1,242,239	1,434,108
Pupil transportation	1,127,528	1,026,025
Central	58,719	16,641
Other non-instructional services	2,057	916
Food service operations	848,159	837,653
Extracurricular activities	427,089	438,224
Debt service:		
Principal retirement	780,358	875,894
Interest and fiscal charges	1,686,060	1,715,937
Bond issuance costs	107,350	
Payment to refunded bond escrow	5,938,495	
Total cash disbursements	<u>26,474,216</u>	<u>20,333,300</u>
Change in net cash position	1,365,163	1,240,809
Net cash position at beginning of year	<u>9,387,316</u>	<u>8,146,507</u>
Net cash position at end of year	<u>\$10,752,479</u>	<u>\$9,387,316</u>

Governmental Activities

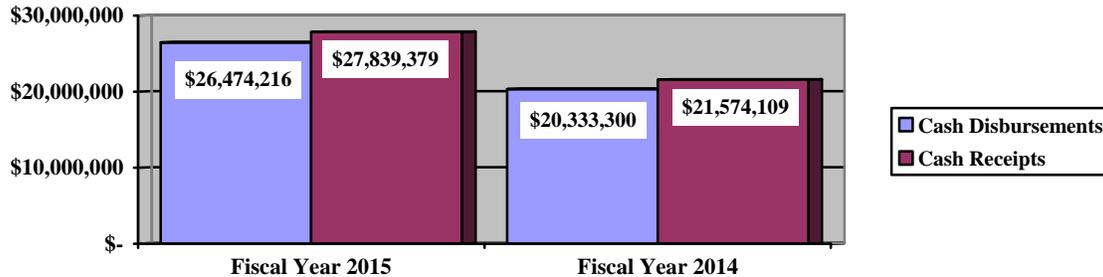
Governmental net cash position increased \$1,365,163 in fiscal year 2015. Total governmental cash disbursements of \$26,474,216 were offset by program cash receipts of \$3,439,688 and general cash receipts of \$24,399,691. Program cash receipts supported 12.99% of the total governmental cash disbursements.

The primary sources of receipts for governmental activities are derived from property taxes and unrestricted grants and entitlements. These receipt sources represent 65.65% of total governmental cash receipts. Real estate property is reappraised every six years.

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Governmental Activities - Total Cash Receipts vs. Total Cash Disbursements



Governmental Activities

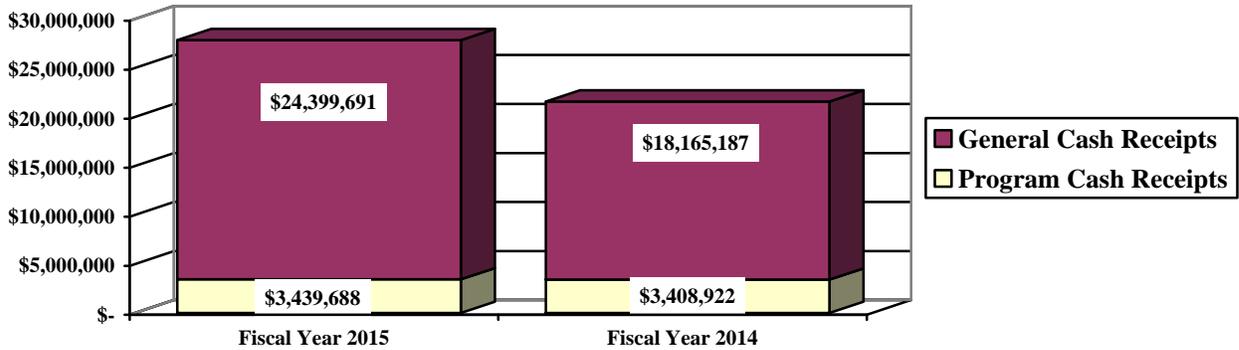
	Total Cost of Services 2015	Net Cost of Services 2015	Total Cost of Services 2014	Net Cost of Services 2014
Cash disbursements:				
Current:				
Instruction:				
Regular	\$7,617,591	\$6,182,125	\$7,418,158	\$5,944,084
Special	1,611,296	997,163	1,532,792	950,604
Vocational	177,076	149,843	171,955	147,330
Other	1,397,613	1,390,796	1,136,140	1,136,140
Support services:				
Pupil	1,132,696	951,819	1,289,171	1,092,705
Instructional staff	486,159	438,528	572,570	466,505
Board of education	28,365	28,365	39,992	39,992
Administration	1,222,555	1,136,681	1,251,498	1,243,583
Fiscal	582,811	582,811	575,626	575,626
Operations and maintenance	1,242,239	1,238,580	1,434,108	1,429,432
Pupil transportation	1,127,528	1,101,524	1,026,025	1,001,369
Central	58,719	58,719	16,641	16,641
Other non-instructional services	2,057	2,057	916	916
Food service operations	848,159	88,594	837,653	53,725
Extracurricular activities	427,089	174,660	438,224	233,895
Debt service:				
Principal retirement	780,358	780,358	875,894	875,894
Interest and fiscal charges	1,686,060	1,686,060	1,715,937	1,715,937
Bond issuance costs	107,350	107,350		
Payment to refunded bond escrow	5,938,495	5,938,495		
Total	\$26,474,216	\$23,034,528	\$20,333,300	\$16,924,378

The dependence upon general cash receipts for governmental activities is apparent; with 87.01% and 83.23% of cash disbursements supported through taxes and other general cash receipts during fiscal years 2015 and 2014, respectively.

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Governmental Activities - General and Program Cash Receipts



Financial Analysis of the Government's Funds

As noted earlier, the District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

Governmental Funds

The District's governmental funds are accounted for using the modified cash basis of accounting.

The District's governmental funds reported a combined fund cash balance of \$10,752,479, which is \$1,365,163 greater than last year's total of \$9,387,316. The table below indicates the fund cash balance and the total change in fund cash balance as of June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014, for all major and non-major governmental funds.

	Fund Cash Balance June 30, 2015	Fund Cash Balance June 30, 2014	Increase
Major funds:			
General	\$7,288,818	\$6,158,389	\$1,130,429
Bond retirement	1,395,352	1,182,807	212,545
Non-major governmental funds	2,068,309	2,046,120	22,189
Total	\$10,752,479	\$9,387,316	\$1,365,163

General Fund

The general fund, the District's largest major fund, had cash receipts and other financing sources of \$17,129,108 in fiscal year 2015. The cash disbursements and other financing uses of the general fund totaled \$15,998,679 in fiscal year 2015. The general fund cash balance increased \$1,130,429 during fiscal year 2015.

The table that follows assists in illustrating the cash receipts of the general fund during fiscal years 2015 and 2014.

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	<u>2015 Amount</u>	<u>2014 Amount</u>	<u>Percentage Change</u>
Cash receipts:			
Taxes	\$9,642,756	\$9,357,641	3.05 %
Tuition	979,598	921,013	6.36 %
Earnings on investments	5,689	1,113	411.14 %
Extracurricular	60,440	-	100.00 %
Classroom materials and fees	41,064	44,331	(7.37) %
Other revenues	49,152	87,712	(43.96) %
Intergovernmental - state	6,288,249	6,119,587	2.76 %
Total	<u><u>\$17,066,948</u></u>	<u><u>\$16,531,397</u></u>	3.24 %

Overall cash receipts increased \$535,551 or 3.24% during fiscal year 2015. Earnings on investments increased \$4,576 or 411.14% primarily due the District opening up new investment accounts in fiscal year 2015. Extracurricular revenues increased \$60,440 or 100.00% due to the District implementing a pay to participate fee for the District's athletic programs. Other revenues decreased \$38,560 or 43.97% mainly due to various rebates and reimbursements that were received in fiscal year 2014 that were not received in fiscal year 2015. All other cash receipt classifications remained comparable to fiscal year 2014.

The table that follows assists in illustrating the cash disbursements of the general fund during fiscal years 2015 and 2014.

	<u>2015 Amount</u>	<u>2014 Amount</u>	<u>Percentage Change</u>
Cash disbursements:			
Instruction	\$10,100,186	\$9,471,968	6.63 %
Support services	5,479,966	5,781,061	(5.21) %
Operation of non-instructional services	2,057	916	124.56 %
Extracurricular activities	228,470	236,287	(3.31) %
Total	<u><u>\$15,810,679</u></u>	<u><u>\$15,490,232</u></u>	2.07 %

Overall cash disbursements increased \$320,447 or 2.07% during fiscal year 2015. Although the percentage increase of the operation of non-instructional services cash disbursements was significant, the actual dollar amount was not. All other cash disbursement classifications remained comparable to fiscal year 2014.

Bond Retirement Fund

The bond retirement fund, a District major fund, had cash receipts and other financing sources of \$8,786,626 in fiscal year 2015. The bond retirement fund had cash disbursements and other financing uses of \$8,574,081 in fiscal year 2015. The bond retirement fund cash balance increased \$212,545 during fiscal year 2015. The consistent fund cash balance of the bond retirement fund is mainly attributable to the stable nature of the property tax cash receipts received by the District.

Budgeting Highlights - General Fund

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.

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For the general fund, final budgetary basis receipts and other financing sources of \$17,320,557 were \$1,968,861 greater than original budget estimates of \$15,351,696. The actual budgetary basis receipts and other financing sources of \$17,298,377 were less than final budget estimates by \$22,180. The final budgetary basis disbursements and other financing uses of \$16,340,334 were \$212,868 greater than original budget estimates of \$16,127,466. The actual budgetary basis disbursements and other financing uses of \$16,299,262 were \$41,072 less than the final budget estimates.

Capital Assets and Debt Administration

Capital Assets

The District does not record capital assets in the accompanying modified cash basis basic financial statements, but records payments for capital assets as cash disbursements. The District did not make any facilities acquisition and construction cash disbursements during fiscal year 2015.

Debt Administration

The District had the following long-term obligations outstanding at June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014.

	Governmental Activities 2015	Governmental Activities 2014
2015 General Obligation Refunding Bonds	\$5,785,000	
2008 Construction and Improvement Bonds	2,580,000	\$2,680,000
2008 Capital Appreciation Bonds	44,999	44,999
2007 Advance Refunding Bonds	13,825,000	14,260,000
2007 Capital Appreciation Bonds	621,887	621,887
2005 Advance Refunding Bonds		5,815,000
2005 Capital Appreciation Bonds	197,144	419,990
1998 Capital Appreciation Bonds	36,363	58,875
Total long-term obligations	\$23,090,393	\$23,900,751

Current Financial Related Activities

The District, like most other school districts, continues to face challenges ranging from school funding to education, state educational mandates, and state requirements of testing and evaluations of administrators and teachers. The current financial challenge for school districts is to provide a quality education with limited or unsteady resources. The State of Ohio's educational funding laws, the economy, as well as rising operating costs, are the main factors that impact the District's financial stability.

As the preceding information reflects, the District relies heavily upon property taxes and intergovernmental unrestricted state aid. Taxes and unrestricted state aid cash receipts account for approximately 94% of the general fund cash receipts in fiscal year 2015, with property taxes providing the largest portion. The general fund real estate property taxes increased from fiscal year 2014 by 3.05% due to the current emergency levy being renewed with an increase. The intergovernmental - state aid increased slightly, causing total general fund cash receipts to increase by \$535,551 or 3.24% in total from fiscal year 2014 to fiscal year 2015.

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The District receives most of its funding from the property taxes of District residents. The unique nature of property taxes in Ohio creates the need to routinely seek voter approval for operating funds. The overall receipts generated by a levy will not increase solely as a result of inflation due to Ohio House Bill 920 (passed in 1976). Over the past several years the District has received support from the residents of the District. The residents renewed an emergency operating levy in 2014 and added an increase of \$821,000 to the levy. The passage of that levy on the November 2014 ballot marks the fourth time the levy has been renewed since 1999 and two of those times was with an increase to account for the cost of inflation and the reduction of receiving tangible personal property taxes or its reimbursement.

The local residents have taken pride in the District and have supported two bond issues since 1995 to update District facilities in conjunction with the Ohio Schools Facilities Expedited Local Partnership Program. The District now has all facilities on one campus with a new elementary building completed in August of 2009 that houses grades K-4, a middle school building completed in December of 2004 that houses grades 5-8, and an updated (2004) high school building that houses grades 9-12. These new and upgraded facilities have increased community pride while providing a more modern and enhanced learning environment for the students. The Board of Education continues to work with the Ohio Facilities Construction Commission to secure state funding assistance as the Board plans to complete the master facility plan for the District.

Prior to 2004, the District received tangible personal property tax from local businesses to help support the District. Since that time, the State has enacted the commercial activity tax (CAT) to replace the tangible personal property tax. From fiscal year 2004 to fiscal year 2011, the District had been held harmless for this change in tax collections at the 2004 tax level by receiving money from the State. However, Ohio's biennium budget (HB 153) for fiscal years 2012 and 2013 reduced the tangible personal property tax reimbursement quicker than prior State budget bills dictated due to an \$8 billion budget shortfall in the State economy and the loss of federal stimulus funds. The state reimbursement for tangible personal property for fiscal years 2014 and 2015 remained the same as in fiscal year 2013 which was a decrease of approximately \$620,000 from fiscal year 2011. According to current state law the district will not receive those funds from the state in fiscal year 2017.

As a result of the decrease in State funding and the reduction of tangible personal property tax reimbursements in 2011, the District has made budget cuts of approximately \$1.3 million. The Board of Education, administration, and staff have been proactive and worked together to lower personnel costs by reducing staff through attrition and taking 0% wage increases for fiscal years 2012 through 2015. Concessions in personnel benefits have also been agreed upon since fiscal year 2011 and they continue to be evaluated. These reductions have taken place while the District has been able to move from an academic watch district to an excellent rated school district over the last ten years. Since further reductions will likely hinder the educational process, the Board of Education placed the question of renewing the current emergency levy with a slight increase on the ballot in November of 2014. The community approved the levy and these actions are a testament to the commitment of the staff, Board of Education, administration, and community members to the students of the District.

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 Ms. Coleen Repogle, Treasurer, Indian Lake Local School District, 6210 St. Rt. 235 North, Lewistown, OH 43333.

**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOGAN COUNTY**

**STATEMENT OF NET POSITION - MODIFIED CASH BASIS
JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>
Assets:	
Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents	\$10,752,479
Total assets	<u>10,752,479</u>
Net cash position:	
Restricted for:	
Capital projects	1,036,370
Debt service	1,395,352
Locally funded programs	67,713
Federally funded programs	366
Student activities	65,311
Other purposes	3,336
Unrestricted	8,184,031
Total net cash position	<u>\$10,752,479</u>

See accompanying notes to the basic financial statements.

**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
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**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES - MODIFIED CASH BASIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

		Program Cash Receipts		Net (Disbursements) Receipts and Changes in Net Cash Position
	Cash Disbursements	Charges for Services and Sales	Operating Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities
Governmental activities:				
Instruction:				
Regular	\$7,617,591	\$1,016,420	\$419,046	(\$6,182,125)
Special	1,611,296	12,853	601,280	(997,163)
Vocational	177,076		27,233	(149,843)
Other	1,397,613		6,817	(1,390,796)
Support services:				
Pupil	1,132,696		180,877	(951,819)
Instructional staff	486,159	1,206	46,425	(438,528)
Board of education	28,365			(28,365)
Administration	1,222,555	670	85,204	(1,136,681)
Fiscal	582,811			(582,811)
Operations and maintenance	1,242,239	3,659		(1,238,580)
Pupil transportation	1,127,528		26,004	(1,101,524)
Central	58,719			(58,719)
Operation of non-instructional services:				
Other non-instructional services	2,057			(2,057)
Food service operations	848,159	302,457	457,108	(88,594)
Extracurricular activities	427,089	252,429		(174,660)
Debt Service:				
Principal retirement	780,358			(780,358)
Interest and fiscal charges	1,686,060			(1,686,060)
Bond issuance costs	107,350			(107,350)
Payment to refunded bond escrow agent	5,938,495			(5,938,495)
Total governmental activities	\$26,474,216	\$1,589,694	\$1,849,994	(23,034,528)
General cash receipts:				
Property taxes levied for:				
General purposes				9,642,756
Debt service				2,380,140
Payments in lieu of taxes				31,578
Grants and entitlements not restricted to specific programs				6,254,932
Investment earnings				6,430
Miscellaneous				38,010
Sale of refunding bonds				5,785,000
Premium on sale of refunding bonds				260,845
Total general cash receipts				24,399,691
Change in net cash position				1,365,163
Net cash position at beginning of year				9,387,316
Net cash position at end of year				\$10,752,479

See accompanying notes to the basic financial statements.

**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOGAN COUNTY**

**STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND FUND BALANCES - MODIFIED CASH BASIS
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>General</u>	<u>Bond Retirement</u>	<u>Non-major Governmental Funds</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
Assets:				
Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents	\$7,288,818	\$1,395,352	\$2,068,309	\$10,752,479
Total assets	<u>7,288,818</u>	<u>1,395,352</u>	<u>2,068,309</u>	<u>10,752,479</u>
Fund cash balances:				
Restricted:				
Debt service		1,395,352		1,395,352
Capital improvements			1,036,370	1,036,370
Food service operations			3,336	3,336
Special education			113	113
Targeted academic assistance			156	156
Extracurricular activities			65,311	65,311
Other purposes			67,810	67,810
Committed:				
Capital improvements			564	564
Termination benefits	465,316			465,316
Construction project stipends	67,552			67,552
Assigned:				
Student instruction	1,300			1,300
Student and staff support	84,574			84,574
Technology use	78			78
Elementary school books	3,065			3,065
School supplies	654			654
Capital improvements			894,649	894,649
Unassigned	6,666,279			6,666,279
Total fund cash balances	<u>\$7,288,818</u>	<u>\$1,395,352</u>	<u>\$2,068,309</u>	<u>\$10,752,479</u>

See accompanying notes to the basic financial statements.

INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOGAN COUNTY

**STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - MODIFIED CASH BASIS
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	General	Bond Retirement	Non-major Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Cash receipts:				
From local sources:				
Property taxes	\$9,642,756	\$2,380,140		\$12,022,896
Payment in lieu of taxes		6,947	\$24,631	31,578
Tuition	979,598			979,598
Earnings on investments	5,689		741	6,430
Charges for services			302,457	302,457
Extracurricular	60,440		194,993	255,433
Classroom materials and fees	41,064			41,064
Rental income	655			655
Contributions and donations			5,129	5,129
Contract services	10,487		498	10,985
Other local revenues	38,010		600	38,610
Intergovernmental - state	6,288,249	353,694	30,994	6,672,937
Intergovernmental - federal			1,425,762	1,425,762
Total cash receipts	<u>17,066,948</u>	<u>2,740,781</u>	<u>1,985,805</u>	<u>21,793,534</u>
Cash disbursements:				
Current:				
Instruction:				
Regular	7,174,958		442,633	7,617,591
Special	1,357,019		254,277	1,611,296
Vocational	177,076			177,076
Other	1,391,133		6,480	1,397,613
Support services:				
Pupil	950,663		182,033	1,132,696
Instructional staff	437,663		48,496	486,159
Board of education	28,365			28,365
Administration	1,141,565		80,990	1,222,555
Fiscal	520,993	61,818		582,811
Operations and maintenance	1,216,749		25,490	1,242,239
Pupil transportation	1,125,249		2,279	1,127,528
Central	58,719			58,719
Operation of non-instructional services:				
Other operation of non-instructional	2,057			2,057
Food service operations			848,159	848,159
Extracurricular activities	228,470		198,619	427,089
Debt service:				
Principal retirement		780,358		780,358
Interest and fiscal charges		1,686,060		1,686,060
Bond issuance costs		107,350		107,350
Total cash disbursements	<u>15,810,679</u>	<u>2,635,586</u>	<u>2,089,456</u>	<u>20,535,721</u>
Excess (deficiency) of cash receipts over (under) cash disbursements	<u>1,256,269</u>	<u>105,195</u>	<u>(103,651)</u>	<u>1,257,813</u>
Other financing sources (uses):				
Premium on bonds and notes sold		260,845		260,845
Refunding bond issued		5,785,000		5,785,000
Transfers in			244,240	244,240
Transfers (out)	(188,000)		(56,240)	(244,240)
Advances in	62,160			62,160
Advances (out)			(62,160)	(62,160)
Payment to refunded bond escrow agent		(5,938,495)		(5,938,495)
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>(125,840)</u>	<u>107,350</u>	<u>125,840</u>	<u>107,350</u>
Net change in fund cash balances	1,130,429	212,545	22,189	1,365,163
Fund cash balances at beginning of year	6,158,389	1,182,807	2,046,120	9,387,316
Fund cash balances at end of year	<u>\$7,288,818</u>	<u>\$1,395,352</u>	<u>\$2,068,309</u>	<u>\$10,752,479</u>

See accompanying notes to the basic financial statements.

**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOGAN COUNTY**

**STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE
BUDGET AND ACTUAL - BUDGET BASIS
GENERAL FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Budgeted Amounts</u>			Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)
	<u>Original</u>	<u>Final</u>	<u>Actual</u>	
Budgetary basis receipts:				
From local sources:				
Property taxes	\$8,264,114	\$9,648,337	\$9,642,756	(\$5,581)
Tuition	918,000	978,000	979,598	1,598
Earnings on investments	1,000	5,850	5,530	(320)
Extracurricular		60,440	60,440	
Classroom materials and fees	13,000	10,000	11,413	1,413
Rental income	2,200	1,000	655	(345)
Contract services	10,000	8,000	10,487	2,487
Other local revenues	35,493	35,493	29,064	(6,429)
Intergovernmental - state	5,961,229	6,298,777	6,288,249	(10,528)
Total budgetary basis receipts	<u>15,205,036</u>	<u>17,045,897</u>	<u>17,028,192</u>	<u>(17,705)</u>
Budgetary basis disbursements:				
Current:				
Instruction:				
Regular	7,100,048	7,260,117	7,232,380	27,737
Special	1,310,889	1,362,886	1,362,855	31
Vocational	172,387	178,329	178,145	184
Other	1,224,956	1,391,698	1,391,681	17
Support services:				
Pupil	856,344	944,767	944,706	61
Instructional staff	464,712	442,528	436,390	6,138
Board of education	44,178	28,630	28,422	208
Administration	1,104,528	1,151,804	1,151,769	35
Fiscal	531,569	525,289	525,006	283
Operations and maintenance	1,520,292	1,275,206	1,274,277	929
Pupil transportation	1,293,719	1,161,257	1,161,162	95
Central	72,996	59,253	59,118	135
Other operation of non-instructional services	404	766	750	16
Extracurricular activities	260,444	238,104	232,901	5,203
Total budgetary basis disbursements	<u>15,957,466</u>	<u>16,020,634</u>	<u>15,979,562</u>	<u>41,072</u>
Excess (deficiency) of budgetary basis receipts over (under) budgetary basis disbursements	<u>(752,430)</u>	<u>1,025,263</u>	<u>1,048,630</u>	<u>23,367</u>
Other financing sources (uses):				
Refund of prior year's expenditures	48,500	158,500	158,935	435
Transfers (out)	(90,000)	(289,700)	(289,700)	
Advances in	97,160	97,160	92,160	(5,000)
Advances (out)	(80,000)	(30,000)	(30,000)	
Sale of capital assets	1,000	19,000	19,090	90
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>(23,340)</u>	<u>(45,040)</u>	<u>(49,515)</u>	<u>(4,475)</u>
Net change in fund cash balance	(775,770)	980,223	999,115	18,892
Fund cash balance at beginning of year	5,680,842	5,680,842	5,680,842	
Prior year encumbrances appropriated	46,017	46,017	46,017	
Fund cash balance at end of year	<u>\$4,951,089</u>	<u>\$6,707,082</u>	<u>\$6,725,974</u>	<u>\$18,892</u>

See accompanying notes to the basic financial statements.

**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOGAN COUNTY**

**STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION - MODIFIED CASH BASIS
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2015**

	Private-Purpose Trust	Agency
Assets:		
Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents	\$17,449	\$152,861
Investments	100,357	
Total assets	117,806	152,861
Net cash position:		
Held for student activities		152,861
Held in trust for scholarships	117,806	
Total net cash position	\$117,806	\$152,861

See accompanying notes to the basic financial statements.

INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOGAN COUNTY

STATEMENT OF CHANGE IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION - MODIFIED CASH BASIS
FIDUCIARY FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

	<u>Private Purpose Trust</u>
Additions:	
Interest	\$743
Gifts and contributions	7,308
Total additions	<u>8,051</u>
Deductions:	
Scholarships awarded	<u>1,796</u>
Change in net cash position	6,255
Net cash position at beginning of year	<u>111,551</u>
Net cash position at end of year	<u><u>\$117,806</u></u>

See accompanying notes to the basic financial statements.

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**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOGAN COUNTY**

**NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

1. DESCRIPTION OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Indian Lake Local School District (the "District") is organized under Article VI, Sections 2 and 3 of the Constitution of the State of Ohio. The District operates under a locally elected Board form of government consisting of five members elected at-large for staggered four-year terms. The District provides educational services as authorized by State statute and/or federal guidelines.

The District was established in 1962 through the consolidation of existing land areas and school districts. The District serves an area of approximately 110 square miles. It is located in Logan County, and includes all of the Village of Russells Point, Village of Lakeview, and Village of Huntsville. The District is staffed by 83 non-certified employees, 104 certified full-time teaching personnel, and 10 administrative employees who provide services to 1,681 students and other community members. The District currently operates one elementary school building, one middle school building, one comprehensive high school building, which includes the administrative offices, and one bus garage.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

As discussed in Note 2.B., these basic financial statements (BFS) are presented on the modified cash basis of accounting. The modified cash basis of accounting differs from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). GAAP includes all relevant Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) pronouncements. In cases where these modified cash basis statements contain items that are the same as, or similar to, those items in financial statements prepared in conformity with GAAP, similar informative disclosures are provided.

A. Reporting Entity

The reporting entity has been defined in accordance with GASB Statement No. 14, "The Financial Reporting Entity" 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". The reporting entity is composed of the primary government and component units. 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.

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 budget, the issuance of debt or the levying of taxes. Certain organizations are also included as component units if the nature and significance of the relationship between the primary government and the organization is such that exclusion by the primary government would render the primary government's financial statements incomplete or misleading. Based upon the application of these criteria, the District has no component units. The basic financial statements of the reporting entity include only those of the District (the primary government).

**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOGAN COUNTY**

**NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015
(Continued)**

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

The following organizations are described due to their relationship to the District:

1. Jointly Governed Organizations

Western Ohio Computer Organization (WOCO)

The District is a participant in the Western Ohio Computer Organization (WOCO), which is a Council of Governments. WOCO is an association of various public school districts within the boundaries of Auglaize, Champaign, Hardin, Logan, Shelby, and Miami Counties. The organization was formed for the purpose of applying modern technology with the aid of computers and other electronic equipment to administrative and instructional functions of member school districts. Each of the governments of these districts supports WOCO based upon a per pupil charge dependent on the software package utilized. In accordance with GASB Statement No. 14, the District does not have an equity interest in WOCO, as the residual interest in net resources of the joint venture upon dissolution is not equivalent to an equity interest. WOCO is governed by a Board of Directors consisting of the Superintendents of the member school districts and the degree of control is limited to the representation on the Board of Directors. Financial information can be obtained from Marcia Weirwille, Fiscal Officer at 129 East Court Street, Sidney, Ohio 45365.

Ohio Hi-Point Joint Vocational School District

The Ohio Hi-Point Joint Vocational School District (the "Vocational School") is a political subdivision of the State of Ohio, which possesses its own budgeting and taxing authority. The Vocational School is governed by a Board of Education that consists of a representative from each participating school district and its degree of control is limited to its representation on the Board of Education. To obtain financial information write to the Ohio Hi-Point Joint Vocational School District, Eric Adelsberger, who serves as Treasurer, at 2280 State Route 540, Bellefontaine, Ohio 43311.

Metropolitan Educational Council

The Metropolitan Educational Council (MEC) is a purchasing cooperative made up of nearly 124 school districts in 22 counties. The purpose of this purchasing cooperative is to obtain prices for quality merchandise and services commonly used by schools. All member districts are obligated to pay all fees, charges or other assessments as established by the MEC. The Governing Board of MEC consists of one voting representative from each member district. To obtain financial information, write to the Metropolitan Educational Council, James Grube, who serves as Executive Director, 2100 Citygate Drive, Columbus, Ohio 43219.

**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
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**NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015
(Continued)**

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Educational Regional Service System Region 6

The District participates in the Educational Regional Service System (ERSS) Region 6, a jointly governed organization consisting of educational entities within Allen, Auglaize, Champaign, Hardin, Logan, Mercer, and Shelby Counties. The purpose of the ERSS is to provide support services to school districts, community schools, and chartered nonpublic schools within the region by supporting State and school initiatives and efforts to improve school effectiveness and student achievement with a specific reference to the provision of special education and related services. The ERSS is governed by an Advisory Council, which is the policymaking body for the educational entities within the region, who identifies regional needs and priorities for educational services and develops corresponding policies to coordinate the delivery of services. They are also charged with the responsibility of monitoring the implementation of State and regional initiatives and school improvement efforts.

The Advisory Council is made up of the Director of the ERSS, the Superintendent of each educational service center within the region, the Superintendent of each region's largest and smallest school district, the Director and an employee from each education technology center, one representative of a four-year institution of higher education and appointed by the Ohio Board of Regents, one representative of a two-year institution of higher education and appointed by the Ohio Association of Community Colleges, three Board of Education members (one each from a city, exempted village, and local school district within the region), and one business representative. The degree of control exercised by any participating educational entity is limited to its representation on the Advisory Council. Financial information can be obtained from the Auglaize County Educational Service Center, 1045 Dearbaugh Ave., Suite 2, Wapakoneta, Ohio 45895.

Logan County Education Foundation

The Logan County Education Foundation (the "Foundation") was established to secure and distribute contributions from individuals, corporations, and foundations for the benefit of students within Logan County. The Foundation promotes, sponsors, and encourages the pursuit of excellence in education for students. The Foundation is managed by a Board of Trustees composed of six trustees from each school district. These trustees are nominated by their local school Boards of Education, including Bellefontaine City School District, Benjamin Logan Local School District, Indian Lake Local School District, and Riverside Local School District. The Executive Board is comprised of the Logan County Educational Service Center Superintendent representing the three local school districts and the Bellefontaine City School District Superintendent representing the city school district. Financial information can be obtained by contacting Keith Thomas, who serves as Financial Advisor, 121 South Opera Street, Bellefontaine, Ohio 43311.

2. Insurance Purchasing Pools

Workers' Compensation Group Rating Program

The District participates in the Ohio Association of School Business Officials (OASBO) Workers' Compensation Group Rating Program (GRP). The GRP is sponsored by OASBO and administered by CompManagement, Inc. The intent of the GRP is to achieve the benefit of a reduced premium for the District by virtue of its grouping and representation with other participants in the GRP. The District pays a fee to the GRP to cover the costs of administering the program.

**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOGAN COUNTY**

**NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015
(Continued)**

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Logan County School Employee Consortium

On January 1, 2014, the Logan County School Employee Consortium formed a regional council of governments (the "COG") for the purpose of providing benefits through a self-funded insurance pool. The COG collects premiums from the Logan County School Employee Consortium participants and pays a third-party administrator to process the claims. Financial information can be obtained by contacting Mr. Robert Kuehnle, Recording Secretary, Logan County School Employee Consortium, 4740 County Road 26, Bellefontaine, Ohio 43311.

3. Related Organization

Logan County District Library

The Logan County District Library (the "Library") is a distinct political subdivision of the State of Ohio created under Chapter 3375 of the Ohio Revised Code. The Library is governed by a Board of Trustees appointed by the Judge of Common Pleas Court. The Board of Trustees possesses its own contracting and budgeting authority, hires and fires personnel, and does not depend on the District for operational subsidies. Although the District does serve as the taxing authority and may issue tax related debt on behalf of the Library, its role is limited to a ministerial function. The determination to request approval of a tax, the rate, and the purpose are discretionary decisions made solely by the Board of Trustees. Financial information can be obtained from the Logan County District Library, Clerk/Treasurer, at 220 North Main Street, Bellefontaine, Ohio 43311.

B. Basis of Accounting

Although required by Ohio Administrative Code § 117-2-03(B) to prepare its annual financial report in accordance with GAAP, the District chooses to prepare its financial statements and notes on the modified cash basis of accounting. The modified cash basis of accounting is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than GAAP. Receipts are recognized when received in cash rather than when earned, and disbursements are recognized when paid rather than when a liability is incurred.

Budgetary presentations report budgetary cash disbursements when a commitment is made (i.e. when an encumbrance is approved). The difference between disbursements reported in the fund and government-wide statements and disbursements reported in the budgetary statements is due to current year encumbrances being added to disbursements reported in the budgetary statements.

These statements include adequate disclosure of material matters, in accordance with the basis of accounting described in the preceding paragraphs.

C. 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 District activities or functions. Funds are classified into three categories: governmental, proprietary and fiduciary. Each category is divided into separate fund types. The District has no proprietary funds.

**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOGAN COUNTY**

**NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015
(Continued)**

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

1. Governmental Funds

The District classifies funds financed primarily from taxes, intergovernmental receipts (e.g. grants) and other non-exchange transactions as governmental funds. The following are the District's major governmental funds:

General fund - The general fund is used to account for and report all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund. The general fund cash balance is available for any purpose provided it is disbursed or transferred according to the general laws of Ohio.

Bond retirement fund - The bond retirement fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for, and the payment of, long-term debt principal, interest, and related costs.

Other governmental funds of the District are used to account for (a) financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to disbursements for capital outlays including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets and (b) specific receipt sources that are restricted or committed to a disbursement for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects.

2. Fiduciary Funds

Fiduciary fund reporting focuses on net cash position and changes in net cash position. The fiduciary fund category is split into four classifications: pension trust funds, investment trust funds, private-purpose trust funds and agency funds. Trust funds are used to account for cash 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 District's private-purpose trust fund accounts for programs that provide college scholarships for students after graduation. Agency funds are custodial in nature and do not involve measurement of results of operations. The District's agency fund accounts for student activities.

D. Basis of Presentation

1. 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 government-wide statement of activities compares disbursements with program receipts for each function or program of the District's governmental activities. These disbursements are those that are specifically associated with a service, program or department and are therefore clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program receipts include charges paid by the recipient of the goods or services offered by the program and grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Receipts which are not classified as program receipts are presented as general receipts of the District. The comparison of direct disbursements with program receipts identifies the extent to which each business segment or governmental function is self-financing on the modified cash basis or draws from the general receipts of the District.

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2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

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, and all non-major funds are aggregated into one column. Fiduciary funds are reported by fund type.

E. Budgets

The budgetary process is prescribed by provisions of the Ohio Revised Code and entails the preparation of budgetary documents within an established timetable. The major documents prepared are the tax budget, the certificate of estimated resources, and the appropriation resolution, all of which are prepared on the budgetary basis of accounting. The certificate of estimated resources and the appropriation resolution are subject to amendment throughout the year with the legal restriction that appropriations cannot exceed estimated resources, as certified.

All funds, other than agency funds, are legally required to be budgeted and appropriated. The District budgets and appropriates its agency funds. The primary level of budgetary control is at the fund, object level for the general fund, and the fund level for all other funds. Any budgetary modifications at this level may only be made by resolution of the Board of Education.

1. Tax Budget

Prior to January 15, 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 express purpose of this budget document is to reflect the need for existing or increased tax rates. By no later than January 20, the Board-adopted budget is filed with the Logan County Budget Commission for rate determination.

2. Estimated Resources

Prior to April 1, the Board of Education accepts, by formal resolution, the tax rates as determined by the Logan County Budget Commission and receives the Commission's certificate of estimated resources which states the projected revenue of each fund.

Prior to July 1, 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 the basis for the appropriation measure. On or about July 1, the certificate is amended to include any unencumbered cash balances from the preceding year. 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 in the original and final amended certificates issued during fiscal year 2015.

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2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

3. Appropriations

Upon receipt from the County Auditor of an amended certificate of estimated resources based on final assessed values and tax rates or a certificate saying no new certificate is necessary, the annual appropriation resolution must be legally enacted by the Board of Education at the fund, object level of expenditures for the general fund, and at the fund level for all other funds, which are the legal levels of budgetary control. Prior to the passage of the annual appropriations measure, the Board may pass a temporary appropriation measure to meet the ordinary expenses of the District.

The appropriation resolution, 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 total of any level of control. Any revisions that alter the total object appropriations within a fund (for general fund), or the total of any fund appropriations (for all other funds), must be approved by the Board of Education.

The Board may pass supplemental fund appropriations so long as the total appropriations by fund do not exceed the amounts set forth in the most recent certificate of estimated resources. During the year, several supplemental appropriations were legally enacted; however, none of these amendments were significant.

The budget figures which appear in the statement of budgetary comparisons represent the original and final appropriation amounts, including all supplemental appropriations.

4. Encumbrances

As part of formal budgetary control, purchase orders, contracts, and other commitments for the expenditure of monies are recorded as the equivalent of expenditures in order to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation and to determine and maintain legal compliance. Expenditures plus encumbrances may not legally exceed appropriations.

5. Lapsing of Appropriations

At the close of each fiscal year, the unencumbered balance of each appropriation reverts to the respective fund from which it was appropriated and becomes subject to future appropriation. Encumbered appropriations are carried forward to the succeeding fiscal year and are not re-appropriated.

F. Cash and Investments

To improve cash management, cash received by the District is pooled in a central bank account. 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 basic financial statements.

During fiscal year 2015, investments were limited to the State Treasury Asset Reserve of Ohio (STAR Ohio, US government money market, negotiable CDs) and federal agency securities. Except for nonparticipating investment contracts, investments are reported at fair value, which is based on quoted market prices. Nonparticipating investment contracts are reported at cost.

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2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

The District has invested funds in STAR Ohio during fiscal year 2015. 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 does operate in a manner consistent with Rule 2a7 of the Investment Company Act of 1940. Investments in STAR Ohio are valued at STAR Ohio's shares price which is the price the investment could be sold for on June 30, 2015.

Under existing Ohio statutes, all investment earnings are assigned to the general fund unless statutorily required to be credited to a specific fund. The Board of Education has, by resolution, specified the funds to receive an allocation of interest earnings. Interest receipts credited to the general fund during fiscal year 2015 amounted to \$5,689, which includes \$1,294 assigned from other funds.

For presentation on the basic financial statements, 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 fiscal year-end is provided in Note 4.

G. Capital Assets

Acquisition of property, plant, and equipment purchased are recorded as disbursements when paid. These items are not reflected as assets on the accompanying financial statements under the modified cash basis of accounting. Depreciation has not been reported for any capital assets.

H. Unpaid Vacation and Sick Leave

Employees are entitled to cash payments for unused vacation and sick leave in certain circumstances, such as upon leaving employment. Unpaid vacation and sick leave are not reflected as liabilities under the modified cash basis of accounting.

I. Long-Term Obligations

Bonds and other long-term obligations are not recognized as a liability in the financial statements under the modified cash basis of accounting. These statements report proceeds of debt when cash is received, and debt service disbursements for debt principal and interest payments.

J. Employer Contributions to Cost-Sharing Pension Plans

The District recognizes the disbursements for employer contributions to cost-sharing pension plans when they are paid. As described in Notes 9 and 10, the employer contributions include portions for pension benefits and for postemployment healthcare.

K. Fund Cash Balance

Fund cash 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:

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2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Non-spendable - The non-spendable fund cash balance classification includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are not in spendable form or legally required to be maintained intact. The "not in spendable form" criterion includes items that are not expected to be converted to cash.

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

Committed - The committed fund cash 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 (the highest level of decision making authority). 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 cash 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 cash balance classification are intended to be used by the District for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted nor committed. In governmental funds other than the general fund, assigned fund cash balance represents the remaining amount that is not restricted or committed. In the general fund, assigned amounts represent intended uses established by policies of the District Board of Education, which includes giving the Treasurer the authority to constrain monies for intended purposes.

Unassigned - Unassigned fund cash 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 only used to report a deficit fund cash 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 restricted and unrestricted (committed, assigned, and unassigned) fund cash balance is available. Similarly, within unrestricted fund cash 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 cash balance classifications could be used.

L. Inventory and Prepaid Items

The District reports cash disbursements for inventory and prepaid items when paid. These items are not reflected as assets in the accompanying financial statements.

M. Interfund Balances

On fund financial statements, the District reports advances in and advances out for interfund loans. These items are not reflected as assets and liabilities in the accompanying fund financial statements under the modified cash basis of accounting. Advances are eliminated in the statement of activities.

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2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

N. Net Cash Position

Net cash position is reported as restricted when enabling legislation or creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments have imposed limitations on its use. The District first applies restricted resources when a disbursement is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net cash position is available. The District did not have any net cash position restricted by enabling legislation at June 30, 2015. Net cash position restricted for other purposes represents resources intended for use in the District's food service operations.

O. Restricted Cash Assets

Cash assets are reported as restricted when limitations on their use change the normal understanding of the availability of the cash assets. Such constraints are either imposed by creditors, contributors, grantors, or laws of other governments or imposed by enabling legislation. The District did not have any restricted cash assets at June 30, 2015.

P. Interfund Activity

Exchange transactions between funds are reported as receipts in the seller funds and as disbursements 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 disbursements to the funds that initially paid for them are not presented on the basic financial statements.

Q. Extraordinary and Special Items

Extraordinary items are transactions or events that are both unusual in nature and infrequent in occurrence. Special items are transactions or events that are within the control of the Board of Education and that are either unusual in nature or infrequent in occurrence. Neither type of transaction occurred during fiscal year 2015.

R. Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, 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.

3. ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE

A. Change in Accounting Principles

For fiscal year 2015, the District has implemented GASB Statement No. 68, "*Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions - an Amendment of GASB Statement No. 27*", GASB Statement No. 69 "*Government Combinations and Disposals of Government Operations*", and GASB Statement No. 71, "*Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date - an Amendment of GASB Statement No. 68*".

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3. ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE (Continued)

GASB Statement No. 68 improves the accounting and financial reporting by state and local governments for pensions. It also improves information provided by state and local governmental employers about financial support for pensions that is provided by other entities. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 68 effected the District's pension plan disclosures, as presented in Note 9 to the financial statements, and added required supplementary information which is presented on pages 50-54.

GASB Statement No. 69 establishes accounting and financial reporting standards related to government combinations and disposals of government operations. The Statement improves the decision usefulness of financial reporting by requiring that disclosures be made by governments about combination arrangements in which they engage and for disposals of government operations. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 69 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the District.

GASB Statement No. 71 improves the accounting and financial reporting by addressing an issue in GASB Statement No. 68, concerning transition provisions related to certain pension contributions made to defined benefit pension plans prior to implementation of that Statement by employers and non-employer contributing entities. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 71 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the District.

B. Compliance

Ohio Administrative Code, Section 117-2-03(B), requires the District to prepare its annual financial report in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. However, the District prepared its financial statements on a modified cash basis, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The accompanying financial statements omit assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, net position/fund balances, and disclosures that, while material, cannot be determined at this time. The District can be fined and various other administrative remedies may be taken against the District.

4. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

State statutes classify monies held by the District into three categories.

Active deposits are public deposits necessary to meet current demands on the treasury. Such 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.

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4. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

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 may be deposited or invested in the following securities:

1. 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 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, the 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 the securities listed above provided that the market value of the securities subject to the repurchase agreement must exceed the principal value of the agreement by at least two percent and be marked to market daily, and that the term of the agreement must not exceed thirty days;
4. Bonds and other obligations of the State of Ohio, or legal governments;
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 items (1) and (2) above and repurchase agreements secured by such obligations, provided that investments in securities described in this division are made only through eligible institutions;
7. The State Treasurer's investment pool (STAR Ohio);
8. Certain banker's acceptance and commercial paper notes for a period not to exceed one hundred eighty days from the purchase date in an amount not to exceed twenty-five percent of the interim monies available for investment at any one time; and,
9. Under limited circumstances, corporate debt interests rated in either of the two highest classifications by at least two nationally recognized rating agencies.

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.

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4. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

A. Cash on Hand

At fiscal year end, the District had \$225 in un-deposited cash on hand, which is included on the financial statements of the District as part of "equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents".

B. Deposits with Financial Institutions

At June 30, 2015, the carrying amount of all District deposits was \$8,586,084. Based on the criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, "Deposits and Investment Risk Disclosures", as of June 30, 2015, \$8,384,967 of the District's bank balance of \$8,884,967 was exposed to custodial risk as discussed below, while \$500,000 was covered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC).

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% 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. The District has no deposit policy for custodial credit risk beyond the requirements of State statute. Although the securities were held by the pledging institutions' trust department and all statutory requirements for the deposit of money had been followed, noncompliance with federal requirements could potentially subject the District to a successful claim by the FDIC.

C. Investments

As of June 30, 2015, the District had the following investments and maturities:

<u>Investment type</u>	<u>Balance at Carrying Value</u>	<u>Investment Maturities</u>				
		<u>6 months or less</u>	<u>7 to 12 months</u>	<u>13 to 18 months</u>	<u>19 to 24 months</u>	<u>Greater than 24 months</u>
STAR Ohio	\$1,582,324	\$1,582,324				
Negotiable CD's	801,759		501,008	250,763		\$49,988
FNMA	49,783					49,783
Money market accounts	2,971	2,971				
Total	<u>\$2,436,837</u>	<u>\$1,585,295</u>	<u>\$501,008</u>	<u>\$250,763</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$99,771</u>

The weighted average maturity of investments is 0.39 years.

Interest Rate Risk: Interest rate risk arises when potential purchasers of debt securities will not agree to pay face value for those securities if interest rates subsequently increase. As a means of limiting its exposure to fair value losses arising from rising interest rates and according to State law, the District's investment policy limits investment portfolio maturities to five years or less.

Credit Risk: The District's investments in federal agency securities were rated Aaa and AA+ by Moody's Investor Services and Standard & Poor's, respectively. Standard & Poor's has assigned STAR Ohio an AAAM money market rating. Ohio law requires that STAR Ohio maintain the highest rating provided by at least one nationally recognized standard rating service. The District's investment policy does not address investment credit risk beyond the requirements of State statutes.

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4. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

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. The federal agency securities are exposed to custodial credit risk in that they are uninsured, unregistered and held by the counterparty's trust department or agent, but not in the District's name. The District has no investment policy dealing with investment custodial credit 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 that may be invested in any one issuer. The following table includes the percentage of each investment type held by the District at June 30, 2015:

<u>Investment type</u>	<u>Carrying Value</u>	<u>% to Total</u>
STAR Ohio	\$1,582,324	64.94
Negotiable CD's	801,759	32.90
FNMA	49,783	2.04
Money market accounts	2,971	0.12
Total	<u>\$2,436,837</u>	<u>100.00</u>

D. Reconciliation of Cash to the Statement of Net Position

The following is a reconciliation of cash as reported in the note above to cash as reported on the statement of net position as of June 30, 2015:

<u>Cash per note</u>	
Carrying amount of deposits	\$8,586,084
Investments	2,436,837
Cash on hand	225
Total	<u>\$1,023,146</u>
<u>Cash per statement of net position</u>	
Governmental activities	\$10,752,479
Private-purpose trust fund	117,806
Agency fund	152,861
Total	<u>\$11,023,146</u>

5. INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS

A. Interfund transfers during fiscal year 2015 consisted of the following, as reported on the fund financial statements:

<u>Transfers to non-major governmental funds from:</u>	<u>Amount</u>
General fund	\$188,000
Non-major governmental fund	56,240
	<u>\$244,240</u>

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5. INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS (Continued)

Transfers are used to (1) move cash receipts from the fund that statute or budget requires to collect them to the fund that statute or budget requires to disburse them, and (2) to use unrestricted cash receipts collected in the general fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations.

Interfund transfers between governmental funds are eliminated on the government-wide financial statements; therefore, no transfers are reported in the statement of activities.

- B.** Interfund advances during fiscal year 2015 consisted of the following, as reported on the fund financial statements:

	<u>Amount</u>
<u>Advances from non-major governmental funds to:</u>	
General fund	<u>\$62,160</u>

Interfund advances between governmental funds are eliminated on the government-wide financial statements; therefore, no advances are reported in the statement of activities.

6. PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes are levied and assessed on a calendar year basis while the District fiscal year runs from July through June. First half tax collections are received by the 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. Real property tax receipts received in calendar year 2015 represent the collection of calendar year 2014 taxes. Real property taxes received in calendar year 2015 were levied after April 1, 2014, on the assessed values as of January 1, 2014, the lien date. Assessed values for real property taxes are established by State statute at 35 percent of appraised market value. Real property taxes are payable annually or semiannually. If paid annually, payment is due December 31; if paid semiannually, 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 receipts received in calendar year 2015 represent the collection of calendar year 2014 taxes. Public utility real and personal property taxes received in calendar year 2015 became a lien on December 31, 2013, were levied after April 1, 2014, and are collected with real property taxes. Public utility real property is assessed at 35 percent of true value; public utility tangible personal property is currently assessed at varying percentages of true value.

The District receives property taxes from Logan and Auglaize Counties. The County Auditors periodically advance to the District its portion of the taxes collected. Second-half real property tax payments collected by the Counties by June 30, 2015, are available to finance fiscal year 2015 operations. The amount of second-half real property taxes available for advance at fiscal year-end can vary based on the date the tax bills are sent.

The assessed values upon which the fiscal year 2015 taxes were collected are:

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6. PROPERTY TAXES (Continued)

	2014 Second Half Collections		2015 First Half Collections	
	Amount	Percent	Amount	Percent
Agricultural/residential and other real estate	\$387,882,090	97.00	\$383,902,240	96.88
Public utility personal	11,998,790	3.00	12,378,030	3.12
Total	<u>\$399,880,880</u>	<u>100.00</u>	<u>\$396,280,270</u>	<u>100.00</u>
Tax rate per \$1,000 of assessed valuation	\$51.00		\$52.90	

7. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

During fiscal year 2015, the following changes occurred in the District's long-term obligations:

	Balance Outstanding July 1, 2014	Additions	Reductions	Balance Outstanding June 30, 2015	Amounts Due in One Year
Governmental activities:					
2015 General Obligation Refund Bonds		\$5,785,000		\$5,785,000	\$70,000
2008 Construction and Improvement	\$2,680,000		(\$100,000)	2,580,000	105,000
2008 Capital Appreciation Bonds	44,999			44,999	
2007 Advance Refunding Bonds	14,260,000		(435,000)	13,825,000	450,000
2007 Capital Appreciation Bonds	621,887			621,887	
2005 Advance Refunding Bonds	5,815,000		(5,815,000)		
2005 Capital Appreciation Bonds	419,990		(222,846)	197,144	197,144
1998 Capital Appreciation Bonds	58,875		(22,512)	36,363	19,490
Total governmental activities	<u>\$23,900,751</u>	<u>\$5,785,000</u>	<u>\$(6,595,358)</u>	<u>\$23,090,393</u>	<u>\$841,634</u>

Series 2015 General Obligation Refunding Bonds: On March 18, 2015, the District issued \$5,785,000 in general obligation refunding bonds to refund the remaining \$5,815,000 plus one interest payment of \$123,495 on the Series 2005 general obligation advance refunding bonds that were for the purpose of advance refunding \$8,420,000 of the 1996 Construction and Improvement Bonds. The bonds include serial bonds in the amount of \$5,785,000. The bonds were issued for an eight year period, with final maturity on December 1, 2022. The bonds are being retired from the bond retirement fund.

The serial bonds maturing after December 1, 2015, are subject to redemption at the option of the District, either in whole or in part, in such order as the District shall determine, on any interest payment date on or after December 1, 2015, at 100 percent of the principal amount redeemed plus accrued interest to the redemption date. The serial bonds bear interest rates ranging from 2.00% to 4.00%.

2008 School Facilities Construction and Improvement General Obligation Bonds - On December 10, 2008, the District issued \$3,124,999 in voted general obligation bonds for construction and improvements to the school buildings, with an interest rate ranging from 3.00% - 5.25%. The bond issue included current interest serial bonds and capital appreciation serial bonds in the amounts of \$3,080,000 and \$44,999, respectively. The bonds were issued for a 26 year period with a final maturity at December 1, 2034. The bonds will be retired with a voted property tax levy from the bond retirement fund.

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7. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (Continued)

The capital appreciation serial bonds will mature in fiscal years 2017 through 2019. The maturity amounts of the bonds are \$110,000, \$110,000, and \$110,000, respectively, for a total maturity of \$330,000.

2007 School Facilities Construction Improvement and Refunding General Obligation Bonds - On March 14, 2007, the District issued \$18,001,887 in general obligation School Facilities Construction Improvement and Refunding Bonds with an average interest rate of 4.00% for the purpose of advance refunding \$3,335,000 of the 1998 Construction and Improvement Bonds and issuing new bonds of \$14,666,887. The bonds were issued for a 27 year period with a final maturity at December 1, 2034. Proceeds of \$3,482,286 were used to purchase U.S. Government Securities. Those securities were deposited in an irrevocable trust with an escrow agent to provide for all future debt service payments on the 1998 series bonds. As a result, the 1998 series bonds are considered to be defeased.

The current interest term bonds maturing December 1, 2034, are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption at a redemption price of 100% of the principal amount to be redeemed, plus accrued interest to the redemption date, on December 1 in the years and in the respective principal amounts as follows:

Year	Principal Amount to be Redeemed
2026	\$615,000
2027	650,000
2028	680,000
2029	715,000
2030	750,000
2031	785,000
2032	825,000
2033	870,000

The remaining principal amount of such current interest bonds, \$720,000, will mature at the stated maturity on December 1, 2034.

The current interest bonds maturing after December 1, 2017 are subject to redemption at the option of the District, either in whole or in part, in such order as the District shall determine, on any interest payment date on or after June 1, 2017, at redemption prices equal to the date fixed for redemption.

When partial redemption is authorized, the current interest bonds or portions thereof will be selected by lot within a maturity in such manner as the Bond Registrar may determine, provided, however, that the portion of any such bond so selected will be in the amount of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof.

If optional redemption of current interest bonds at a redemption exceeding 100% is to take place on any date on which a mandatory redemption of such bonds of the same maturity will take place, such bonds to be redeemed by optional redemption are to be selected by the Bond Registrar prior to the selection of such bonds to be redeemed at par on the same date.

The capital appreciation serial bonds will mature in fiscal years 2017 through 2018. The maturity amounts of the bonds are \$470,000 and \$745,000, respectively, for a total maturity of \$1,215,000.

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7. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (Continued)

2005 Advance Refunding General Obligation Bonds - On April 21, 2005, the District issued \$8,419,990 in general obligation advance refunding bonds with an approximate average interest rate of 3.65% for the purpose of advance refunding \$8,420,000 of the 1996 Construction and Improvement Bonds. The bond issue included \$8,000,000 of current issue serial bonds and \$420,000 of capital appreciation bonds. The series bonds were refunded March 18, 2015.

The capital appreciation serial bonds will mature in fiscal year 2016. The maturity amounts of the bonds are \$775,000.

1998 General Obligation Bonds - On March 1, 1998, the District issued \$4,999,613 in voted general obligation bonds for construction and improvements to the school buildings. The bond issue included current interest serial, current interest term, and capital appreciation serial bonds in the amounts of \$1,940,000, \$2,910,000 and \$149,613, respectively. On March 14, 2007, a portion of the current interest bonds were refunded, leaving an outstanding balance of \$420,000. These bonds matured December 1, 2010. The bonds were retired with a voted property tax levy from the bond retirement fund.

The remaining capital appreciation serial bonds will mature in fiscal years 2015 through 2017. The maturity amounts of the bonds are \$250,000 each, for a total maturity of \$750,000.

1996 General Obligation Bonds - On February 1, 1996, the District issued \$13,099,877 in voted general obligation bonds for construction and improvements to the school buildings. The bond issue included current interest serial, current interest term, and capital appreciation serial bonds in the amounts of \$4,560,000, \$7,560,000, and \$979,877, respectively. The bonds were issued for a 28 year period with a final maturity at December 1, 2023. The bonds will be retired with a voted property tax levy from the bond retirement fund.

The current interest serial bonds and all but \$660,000 of the current interest term bonds were paid with the 2005 advance refunding bonds. The interest term bonds of \$660,000 were paid off in 2007.

Principal and interest requirements to retire the District's long-term obligations at June 30, 2015 are as follows:

<u>June 30,</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2016	\$841,634	\$1,719,238	\$2,560,872
2017	1,123,603	1,374,901	2,498,504
2018	1,148,363	1,377,215	2,525,578
2019	1,591,793	909,962	2,501,755
2020	1,760,000	752,597	2,512,597
2021 - 2025	7,355,000	2,900,142	10,255,142
2026 - 2030	4,350,000	1,766,557	6,116,557
2031 - 2035	4,920,000	624,938	5,544,938
Total	<u>\$23,090,393</u>	<u>\$11,425,550</u>	<u>\$34,515,943</u>

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8. RISK MANAGEMENT

A. Property and Liability

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft or damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees and natural disasters. The District maintains comprehensive insurance coverage for real property, building contents, and vehicles. Vehicle policies include liability coverage for bodily injury and property damage. Real property and contents are fully insured. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded the commercial coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

The District's comprehensive commercial insurance coverage for real property and building contents has a liability limit of \$90,480,270, a \$10,000 deductible, and a 100 percent coinsurance.

The District's fleet insurance has a liability limit of \$2,000,000, \$5,000 for medical payments. The policy includes a \$1,000 deductible for comprehensive and collision coverage with all buses covered for cash value or replacement cost if the bus is ten years old or newer.

B. Workers' Compensation

For fiscal year 2015, the District participated in the Ohio Association of School Business Officials (OASBO) Workers' Compensation Group Rating Program (GRP), an insurance purchasing pool. The intent of the GRP is to achieve the benefit of a reduced premium for the District by virtue of its grouping and representation with other participants in the GRP. The workers' compensation experience of the participating school districts is tiered into groups based upon past workers' compensation experience. Within each tiered group, a common premium rate is applied to all school districts within that group. Each participant pays its workers' compensation premium to the State based on the rate for the GRP rather than its individual rate. Total savings are then calculated and each participant's individual performance is compared to the overall savings percentage of their tiered group. This "equity pooling" arrangement ensures that each participant shares equally in the overall performance of the GRP. Participation in the GRP is limited to school districts that can meet the GRP's selection criteria. The firm of CompManagement, Inc. provides administrative, cost control and actuarial services to the GRP.

C. Health Insurance

The District participates in the Logan County Schools Benefit Plan Association (the "Plan") and the Logan County School Employee Consortium Council of Governments (the "COG", effective January 1, 2014) as described in Note 2.A.

9. PENSION PLANS

A. Net Pension Liability

For fiscal year 2015, Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 68, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions" and GASB Statement No. 71, "Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date—an amendment of GASB Statement No. 68" were effective. These GASB pronouncements had no effect on beginning net position as reported June 30, 2014, as the net pension liability is not reported in the accompanying financial statements. The net pension liability has been disclosed below.

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9. PENSION PLANS (Continued)

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 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 the 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.

B. Plan Description - School Employees Retirement System (SERS)

Plan Description - The District non-teaching employees participate in SERS, a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by SERS. SERS provides retirement, disability and survivor benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries.

Authority to establish and amend benefits is provided by Ohio Revised Code Chapter 3309. 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 by visiting the SERS website at www.ohsers.org under Employers/Audit Resources.

Age and service requirements for retirement are as follows:

	Eligible to Retire on or before August 1, 2017 *	Eligible to Retire on or after August 1, 2017
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.

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9. PENSION PLANS (Continued)

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.

Funding Policy - 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 the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, the allocation to pension, death benefits, and Medicare B was 13.18 percent. The remaining 0.82 percent of the 14 percent employer contribution rate was allocated to the Health Care Fund.

The District's contractually required contribution to SERS was \$287,315 for fiscal year 2015.

C. Plan Description - State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS Ohio)

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

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9. PENSION PLANS (Continued)

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 Ohio 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 Ohio bearing the risk of investment gain or loss on the account. STRS Ohio has therefore included all three plan options as one defined benefit plan for GASB 68 reporting purposes.

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. The statutory maximum employee contribution rate was increased one percent July 1, 2014, and will be increased one percent each year until it reaches 14 percent on July 1, 2016. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, plan members were required to contribute 12 percent of their annual covered salary. The District was required to contribute 14 percent; the entire 14 percent was the portion used to fund pension obligations. The fiscal year 2015 contribution rates were equal to the statutory maximum rates.

The District's contractually required contribution to STRS Ohio was \$943,217 for fiscal year 2015.

D. Net Pension Liability

The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2014, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the District's share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating entities. Following is information related to the proportionate share:

	<u>SERS</u>	<u>STRS Ohio</u>	<u>Total</u>
Proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$3,882,047	\$15,908,504	\$19,790,551
Proportion of the net pension liability	0.07670600%	0.06540395%	

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9. PENSION PLANS (Continued)

E. 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.

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, 2014, 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 of 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:

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9. PENSION PLANS (Continued)

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Target Allocation</u>	<u>Long Term Expected Real Rate of Return</u>
Cash	1.00 %	0.00 %
US Stocks	22.50	5.00
Non-US 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	<u>100.00 %</u>	

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.

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.

	<u>1% Decrease (6.75%)</u>	<u>Discount Rate (7.75%)</u>	<u>1% Increase (8.75%)</u>
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$5,538,527	\$3,882,047	\$2,488,804

F. Actuarial Assumptions - STRS Ohio

The total pension liability in the June 30, 2014, 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 percent simple applied as follows: for members retiring before August 1, 2013, 2 percent per year; for members retiring August 1, 2013, or later, 2 percent 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, 2014, valuation are based on the results of an actuarial experience study, effective July 1, 2012.

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9. PENSION PLANS (Continued)

The 10 year expected real rate of return on pension plan investments was determined by STRS Ohio's 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:

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

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.75 percent as of June 30, 2014. 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 Ohio's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments to current plan members as of June 30, 2014. 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, 2014.

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:

	<u>1% Decrease (6.75%)</u>	<u>Current Discount Rate (7.75%)</u>	<u>1% Increase (8.75%)</u>
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$22,774,758	\$15,908,504	\$10,101,964

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10 POST-EMPLOYMENT 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 2015, 0.82 percent 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 2015, this amount was \$20,450. 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.

The District's contributions for health care for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2015, 2014 and 2013 were \$17,453, \$3,088 and \$3,481, respectively. For fiscal year 2015, 95.05 percent has been contributed, with the balance being reported as pension and postemployment benefits payable. The full amount has been contributed for fiscal years 2014 and 2013.

B. State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio

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

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10. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

Funding Policy - Ohio law 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 Ohio. Active employee members do not contribute to the Plan. All benefit recipients pay a monthly premium. Under Ohio law, funding for post-employment health care may be deducted from employer contributions. For 2015, STRS Ohio did not allocate any employer contributions to the Health Care Stabilization Fund. The District's contributions for health care for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2015, 2014 and 2013 were \$0, \$70,171 and \$73,604, respectively; 100 percent has been contributed for fiscal years 2014 and 2013.

11. CONTINGENCIES

A. Grants

The District receives significant financial assistance from numerous federal, State and local agencies in the form of grants. The disbursement 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 District. However, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims will not have a material effect on the financial position of the District.

B. Litigation

The District is not party to legal proceedings that would have a material effect, if any, on the financial condition of the District.

C. Foundation Funding

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 school 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, 2015 Foundation funding for the school 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 School District.

12. SET-ASIDES

The District is required by State law to annually set-aside certain general fund cash receipt amounts, as defined by statutory formula, for the acquisition and construction of capital improvements. Amounts not spent by the end of the fiscal year or offset by similarly restricted resources received during the year must be held in cash at fiscal year end. This amount must be carried forward to be used for the same purpose in future years. Disbursements and other applicable offsets exceeding the set-aside requirement may not be carried forward to the next fiscal year.

The following cash-basis information describes the change in the fiscal year end set-aside amount for capital improvements. Disclosure of this information is required by State statute.

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12. SET-ASIDES (Continued)

	Capital Improvements
Set-aside balance June 30, 2014	
Current year set-aside requirement	\$297,647
Current year qualifying disbursements	(297,647)
Total	\$0
Balance carried forward to fiscal year 2016	\$0
Set-aside balance June 30, 2015	\$0

In prior fiscal years, the District issued \$18,001,887 in capital related debt obligations. These proceeds may be used to reduce the capital improvements set-aside amount for future years. The amount presented for prior year offset from debt proceeds is limited to an amount needed to reduce the capital improvements set-aside balance to \$0. The District is responsible for tracking the amount of debt proceeds that may be used as an offset in future periods, which was \$17,708,310 at June 30, 2015.

13. BUDGETARY BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

While reporting financial position, results of operations, and changes in fund balance on the modified cash basis, 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 cash receipts, disbursements and change in fund balance - budget and actual (budgetary basis) 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 the modified cash basis are that:

- (a) In order to determine compliance with Ohio law, and to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation, total outstanding encumbrances (budget basis) are recorded as the equivalent of a cash disbursement, as opposed to assigned, committed, or restricted fund cash balance for that portion of outstanding encumbrances (modified cash basis); and,
- (b) Some funds are included in the general fund (modified cash basis), but have separate legally adopted budgets (budget basis).

The adjustments necessary to convert the results of operations for the year on the budget basis to the modified cash basis for the general fund is as follows:

	Net Change in Fund Cash Balance
	General fund
Budget basis	\$999,115
Funds budgeted elsewhere	76,776
Adjustment for encumbrances	54,538
Modified cash basis	\$1,130,429

Certain funds that are legally budgeted in separate fund classifications are considered part of the general fund on a modified cash basis. This includes the uniform school supplies fund, public school fund, State/political subdivision fund and termination benefits fund.

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14. COMMITMENTS

The District utilizes encumbrance accounting as part of its budgetary controls. Encumbrances outstanding at year end may be reported as part of restricted, committed, or assigned classifications of fund cash balance. At year end, the District's commitments for encumbrances in the governmental funds were as follows:

Fund	Year End Encumbrances
General	\$54,538
Non-major governmental funds	2,157
Total	<u>\$56,695</u>

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SCHEDULE OF OTHER INFORMATION

**SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF
THE NET PENSION LIABILITY
SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO**

LAST TWO FISCAL YEARS*

	2014	2013
District's proportion of the net pension liability	0.07670600%	0.07670600%
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 3,882,047	\$ 4,561,460
District's covered-employee payroll	\$ 2,228,932	\$ 2,175,556
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	174.17%	209.67%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	71.70%	65.52%

* The amounts present each fiscal were determined as of 6/30 of the previous fiscal year.

Note: Information prior to fiscal year 2014 was unavailable.

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SCHEDULE OF OTHER INFORMATION

**SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF
THE NET PENSION LIABILITY
STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (STRS) OF OHIO**

LAST TWO FISCAL YEARS*

	2014	2013
District's proportion of the net pension liability	0.06540395%	0.06540395%
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 15,908,504	\$ 18,950,106
District's covered-employee payroll	\$ 6,682,477	\$ 7,360,377
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	238.06%	257.46%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	74.70%	69.30%

* The amounts present each fiscal were determined as of 6/30 of the previous fiscal year.

Note: Information prior to fiscal year 2014 was unavailable.

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SCHEDULE OF OTHER INFORMATION

**SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS
SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO**

LAST TWO FISCAL YEARS

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Contractually required contribution	\$ 287,315	\$ 308,930	\$ 301,097	\$ 307,756
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	<u>(287,315)</u>	<u>(308,930)</u>	<u>(301,097)</u>	<u>(307,756)</u>
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
District's covered-employee payroll	\$ 2,179,932	\$ 2,228,932	\$ 2,175,556	\$ 2,288,149
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	13.18%	13.86%	13.84%	13.45%

Note: Information prior to fiscal year 2014 was unavailable.

<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
\$ 294,317	\$ 311,086	\$ 223,416	\$ 215,316	\$ 242,648	\$ 238,900
<u>(294,317)</u>	<u>(311,086)</u>	<u>(223,416)</u>	<u>(215,316)</u>	<u>(242,648)</u>	<u>(238,900)</u>
<u>\$ -</u>					
\$ 2,341,424	\$ 2,297,533	\$ 2,270,488	\$ 2,192,627	\$ 2,271,985	\$ 2,258,034
12.57%	13.54%	9.84%	9.82%	10.68%	10.58%

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SCHEDULE OF OTHER INFORMATION

**SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS
STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (STRS) OF OHIO**

LAST TWO FISCAL YEARS

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Contractually required contribution	\$ 943,217	\$ 868,722	\$ 956,849	\$ 982,179
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	<u>(943,217)</u>	<u>(868,722)</u>	<u>(956,849)</u>	<u>(982,179)</u>
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
District's covered-employee payroll	\$ 6,737,264	\$ 6,682,477	\$ 7,360,377	\$ 7,555,223
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	14.00%	13.00%	13.00%	13.00%

Note: Information prior to fiscal year 2014 was unavailable.

<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
\$ 1,036,299	\$ 1,056,799	\$ 1,059,302	\$ 1,047,097	\$ 999,436	\$ 979,903
<u>(1,036,299)</u>	<u>(1,056,799)</u>	<u>(1,059,302)</u>	<u>(1,047,097)</u>	<u>(999,436)</u>	<u>(979,903)</u>
<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
\$ 7,971,531	\$ 8,129,223	\$ 8,148,477	\$ 8,054,592	\$ 7,687,969	\$ 7,537,715
13.00%	13.00%	13.00%	13.00%	13.00%	13.00%

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SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SERS) OF OHIO

Information about factors that significantly affect trends in the amounts reported in the schedules should be presented as notes to the schedule.

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

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

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

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SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL AWARDS RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

FEDERAL GRANTOR Pass Through Grantor Program Title	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number	Receipts	Non-Cash Receipts	Disbursements	Non-Cash Disbursements
United States Department of Agriculture					
<i>Passed Through Ohio Department of Education:</i>					
Child Nutrition Cluster:					
School Breakfast Program	10.553	\$120,613		\$120,613	
Non-Cash Assistance (Food Distribution) School Breakfast Program			\$1,701		\$1,701
Total School Breakfast Program		120,613	1,701	120,613	1,701
National School Lunch Program	10.555	326,239		326,239	
Non-Cash Assistance (Food Distribution) National School Lunch Program			54,990		54,990
Total National School Lunch Program		326,239	54,990	326,239	54,990
Total Child Nutrition Cluster		446,852	56,691	446,852	56,691
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture		446,852	56,691	446,852	56,691
United States Department of Education					
<i>Passed Through Ohio Department of Education:</i>					
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	84.010	466,415		485,289	
Special Education_Grants to State	84.027	432,183		410,808	
Rural Education	84.358			600	
Improving Teacher Quality State Grants	84.367	80,313		87,770	
Total Department of Education		978,911		984,467	
Total Federal Financial Assistance		\$1,425,763	\$56,691	\$1,431,319	\$56,691

See accompanying Notes to the Schedule of Federal Awards Receipts and Expenditures.

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**NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL AWARDS RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

NOTE A - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accompanying Schedule of Federal Awards Receipts and Expenditures (the Schedule) reports the Indian Lake Local School District's (the District's) federal award programs' receipts and disbursements. The Schedule has been prepared on the cash basis of accounting.

NOTE B - 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 C – FOOD DONATION PROGRAM

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

NOTE D - MATCHING REQUIREMENTS

Certain Federal programs require the District to contribute non-Federal funds (matching funds) to support the Federally-funded programs. The District has met its matching requirements. The Schedule does not include the expenditure of non-Federal matching funds.



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

Indian Lake Local School District
Logan County
6210 State Route 235 North
Lewistown, Ohio 43333

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 modified cash basis financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Indian Lake Local School District, Logan County, (the District) as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, 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 9, 2016, wherein we noted the District uses a special purpose framework other than generally accepted accounting principles.

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 opinions 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. Therefore, unidentified material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist. We did identify a certain deficiency in internal control, described in the accompanying schedule of findings that we consider a material weakness. We consider finding 2015-002 to be a material weakness.

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 an instance of noncompliance or other matters we must report under *Government Auditing Standards*, which is described in the accompanying schedule of findings as item 2015-001.

District's Response to Findings

The District's responses to the findings identified in our audit are described in the accompanying schedule of findings. We did not audit the District's responses and, accordingly, we express no opinion on them.

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 9, 2016



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO THE MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY OMB CIRCULAR A-133

Indian Lake Local School District
Logan County
6210 State Route 235 North
Lewistown, Ohio 43333

To the Board of Education:

Report on Compliance for the Major Federal Program

We have audited the Indian Lake Local School District's (the District) compliance with the applicable requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) *Circular A-133, Compliance Supplement* that could directly and materially affect each of the Indian Lake Local School District's major federal programs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015. 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 the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants 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 OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. These standards and OMB Circular A-133 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 the District's major programs. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the District's compliance.

Opinion on the Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the Indian Lake Local School District complied, in all material respects with the compliance requirements referred to above that could directly and materially affect its major federal program for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015.

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 OMB Circular A-133, 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 District'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 tests of internal control over compliance and the results of this testing based on OMB Circular A-133 requirements. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.



Dave Yost
Auditor of State
Columbus, Ohio

February 9, 2016

**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LOGAN COUNTY**

**SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS
OMB CIRCULAR A -133 § .505
JUNE 30, 2015**

1. SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

(d)(1)(i)	Type of Financial Statement Opinion	Unmodified
(d)(1)(ii)	Were there any material control weaknesses reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	Yes
(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)?	Yes
(d)(1)(iv)	Were there any material internal control weaknesses 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 § .510(a)?	No
(d)(1)(vii)	Major Programs (list):	Child Nutrition Cluster: CFDA #10.553: School Breakfast Program CFDA #10.555: National School Lunch Program CFDA #84.027: Special Education _Grants to States
(d)(1)(viii)	Dollar Threshold: Type A\B Programs	Type A: > \$ 300,000 Type B: all others
(d)(1)(ix)	Low Risk Auditee?	Yes

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

FINDING NUMBER 2015-001

Noncompliance Citation

Ohio Rev. Code §117.38 provides that each public office shall file a financial report for each fiscal year. The Auditor of State may prescribe forms by rule or may issue guidelines, or both, for such reports. If the Auditor of State has not prescribed a rule regarding the form for the report, the public office shall submit its report on the form utilized by the public office. Ohio Admin. Code §117-2-03 further clarifies the requirements of Ohio Rev. Code §117.38.

Ohio Admin. Code §117-2-03(B) requires all school districts to file annual financial reports which are prepared using generally accepted accounting principles. The District prepared its financial statements in accordance with the modified-cash accounting basis. The accompanying financial statements omit assets, liabilities, fund equities, and disclosures that, while material, cannot be determined at this time. Pursuant to Ohio Rev. Code §117.38 the District may be fined and subject to various other administrative remedies for its failure to file the required financial report.

To help provide the users with more meaningful financial statements, the District should prepare its financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

OFFICIALS' RESPONSE:

In response to Finding Number 2015-001 Noncompliance Citation O.R.C. 117.38; the Indian Lake Board of Education understands that the Ohio Revised Code requires the District's financial statements to be prepared in accordance with GAAP; however, an exception has been implemented by the State Auditor for issuance of an unmodified opinion if GAAP look-alike financial statements have been prepared by the District. Due to cost of the conversion, increased audit cost, and cost of employee resources, the Board feels money that would otherwise be spent on conversion to GAAP is better used to educate the students of Indian Lake Local Schools. In addition, federal security laws do not require GAAP financial statements, and specifically, SEC Rule 15c2-12 relating to continuing disclosure on outstanding debt (which applies to the District) does not require GAAP financial statements.

FINDING NUMBER 2015-002

Material Weakness – Accuracy and Completeness of Financial Reporting

The District should have procedures and controls in place to help ensure the accuracy and completeness of the annual financial statements. The following errors and omissions were identified in the financial statements:

- Statement of Net Position - the \$1,036,370 ending balance of the Capital Projects Building Fund, which was derived from property tax receipts, was incorrectly classified as unrestricted net position instead of net position restricted for capital projects;
- Statement of Net Position - the \$894,649 ending balance of the Permanent Improvement Fund, which was derived from transfers, was incorrectly classified as restricted for capital projects instead of unrestricted net position;
- Statement of Activities - Bond issuance costs of \$107,350, the payment to refunded bond escrow agent in the amount of \$5,938,495, the premium on sale of refunding bonds in the amount of \$260,845, and sale of refunding bonds in the amount of \$5,785,000, were not reported on the Statement;

**FINDING NUMBER 2015-002
(Continued)**

- Statement of Activities and the Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements, and Changes in Fund Balances - principal retirement was overstated by \$692,893 and interest and fiscal charges were understated by \$692,893;
- Statement of Assets and Fund Balances - the \$1,036,370 ending balance of the Capital Projects Building Fund, which was derived from property tax receipts, was incorrectly classified as committed fund balance instead of restricted fund balance;
- Statement of Assets and Fund Balances - the \$894,649 ending balance of the Permanent Improvement Fund, which was derived from transfers, was incorrectly classified as restricted fund balance instead of assigned fund balance.

The financial statement errors were due to the school's hired compiler of the financial statements misclassifying information provided to them and not making sure all reported information was on each of the required financial statements. The principal retirement being overstate by \$692,893 and the interest and fiscal charges being understated by \$692,893 was due to the debt invoices from the Bank of New York Mellon misclassifying interest due as principal due.

The accompanying financial statements and notes have been adjusted to correct these errors.

Financial reporting errors impact the users understanding of the results of operations and year-end balances.

The annual financial statements should be reviewed for accuracy and completion prior to filing and making available to the public.

OFFICIALS' RESPONSE: Due to these errors, the Treasurer of Indian Lake Local Schools will review the compiler's work more closely and try to verify their work by asking the compiler to explain how they classified funds and why. The last several financial audits did not contain these errors and a different person was assigned to the district from the compiler this year.

3. FINDINGS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS

None

**INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
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**SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS
OMB CIRCULAR A -133 § .315 (b)
JUNE 30, 2015**

Finding Number	Finding Summary	Fully Corrected?	Not Corrected, Partially Corrected; Significantly Different Corrective Action Taken; or Finding No Longer Valid; <i>Explain</i>
2014-001	Ohio Rev. Code §117.38 and Ohio Admin. Code §117-2-03(B) – Failed to file annual financial reports using generally accepted accounting principles.	No	Repeated as Finding Number 2015-001
2014-002	7 CFR §245.1 and 7 CFR §245.3(c) – Approved students to receive free lunches when they should have received reduced lunches	Yes	



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INDIAN LAKE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

LOGAN 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.

Susan Babbitt

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

**CERTIFIED
MARCH 24, 2016**