

MAD RIVER LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

General Purpose Financial Statements

June 30, 2002



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We have reviewed the Independent Auditor's Report of the Mad River City School District, Montgomery County, prepared by Plattensburg & Associates, Inc., for the audit period July 1, 2001 through June 30, 2002. Based upon this review, we have accepted these reports in lieu of the audit required by Section 117.11, Revised Code. The Auditor of State did not audit the accompanying financial statements and, accordingly, we are unable to express, and do not express an opinion on them.

Our review was made in reference to the applicable sections of legislative criteria, as reflected by the Ohio Constitution, and the Revised Code, policies, procedures and guidelines of the Auditor of State, regulations and grant requirements. The Mad River City School District is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

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January 23, 2003

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Independent Auditors' Report

December 11, 2002

Board of Education
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Dayton, Ohio

We have audited the accompanying general purpose financial statements of the Mad River Local School District (the District), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2002. These general purpose financial statements are the responsibility of the District's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these general purpose financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the general purpose financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the general purpose financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall general purpose financial statements presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the general purpose financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the District, as of June 30, 2002, and the results of its operations and the cash flows of its proprietary fund types for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Governmental Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated December 11, 2002 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 grants. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

Plattenburg & Associates, Inc.
Certified Public Accountants

Mad River Local School District
 Combined Balance Sheet
 All Fund Types and Account Groups
 June 30, 2002

	Governmental Fund Types			
	General	Special Revenue	Debt Service	Capital Projects
Assets and Other Debits:				
Equity in Pooled Cash and Investments	\$9,064,622	\$717,190	\$350,054	\$19,671,002
Restricted Equity in Pooled Cash and Investments	247,176	0	0	0
Receivables:				
Taxes	7,445,129	0	1,180,435	584,771
Intergovernmental	0	100,509	0	0
Accounts	2,949	0	0	0
Interfund Receivable	208,797	11,189	0	37,563
Inventory	0	0	0	0
Fixed Assets (Net, where applicable, of Accumulated Depreciation)	0	0	0	0
Other Debits:				
Amount Available in Debt Service Fund for Retirement of General Obligation Bonds	0	0	0	0
Amount to be Provided for Retirement of General Long-Term Obligations	0	0	0	0
Total Assets & Other Debits	\$16,968,673	\$828,888	\$1,530,489	\$20,293,336
Liabilities, Fund Equity & Other Credits:				
Liabilities:				
Accounts Payable	395,204	75,502	0	215,707
Accrued Wages & Benefits	2,892,383	146,931	0	0
Compensated Absences Payable	72,016	421	0	0
Interfund Payable	63,362	34,481	0	111,000
Claims Payable	0	0	0	0
Deferred Revenue	7,248,048	85,653	1,147,742	566,554
Due to Students	0	0	0	0
General Obligation Bonds Payable	0	0	0	0
Notes Payable	0	0	0	0
Total Liabilities	10,671,013	342,988	1,147,742	893,261
Fund Equity & Other Credits:				
Investment in General Fixed Assets	0	0	0	0
Retained Earnings:				
Unreserved	0	0	0	0
Fund Balance:				
Reserved for Encumbrances	425,639	108,272	0	3,789,241
Reserved for Property Tax Advances	197,081	0	32,693	18,217
Reserved for Set-Asides	247,176	0	0	0
Unreserved & Undesignated	5,427,764	377,628	350,054	15,592,617
Total Fund Equity & Other Credits	6,297,660	485,900	382,747	19,400,075
Total Liabilities, Fund Equity & Other Credits	\$16,968,673	\$828,888	\$1,530,489	\$20,293,336

See accompanying notes.

Proprietary Fund Types		Fiduciary Fund Types	Account Groups		Totals (Memorandum Only)
Enterprise	Internal Service	Trust and Agency	General Fixed Assets	General Long-Term Obligations	
\$290,015	\$403,449	\$102,336	\$0	\$0	\$30,598,668
0	0	0	0	0	247,176
0	0	0	0	0	9,210,335
0	0	0	0	0	100,509
2,591	0	0	0	0	5,540
0	0	0	0	0	257,549
21,465	0	0	0	0	21,465
125,474	0	0	22,041,899	0	22,167,373
0	0	0	0	382,747	382,747
0	0	0	0	18,915,936	18,915,936
\$439,545	\$403,449	\$102,336	\$22,041,899	\$19,298,683	\$81,907,298
24,480	988	13,630	0	0	725,511
57,975	3,523	0	0	25,995	3,126,807
16,832	1,048	0	0	1,690,688	1,781,005
0	48,706	0	0	0	257,549
0	44,479	0	0	0	44,479
14,332	0	0	0	0	9,062,329
0	0	67,902	0	0	67,902
0	0	0	0	17,372,000	17,372,000
0	0	0	0	210,000	210,000
113,619	98,744	81,532	0	19,298,683	32,647,582
0	0	0	22,041,899	0	22,041,899
325,926	304,705	0	0	0	630,631
0	0	0	0	0	4,323,152
0	0	0	0	0	247,991
0	0	0	0	0	247,176
0	0	20,804	0	0	21,768,867
325,926	304,705	20,804	22,041,899	0	49,259,716
\$439,545	\$403,449	\$102,336	\$22,041,899	\$19,298,683	\$81,907,298

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Mad River Local School District
 Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures
 And Changes in Fund Balance
 All Governmental Fund Types and Expendable Trust Fund
 For the Year Ended June 30, 2002

	Governmental Fund Types				Fiduciary Fund Type	Totals (Memorandum Only)
	General	Special Revenue	Debt Service	Capital Projects	Expendable Trust	
Revenues:						
Taxes	\$7,177,122	\$51,398	\$569,618	\$561,794	\$0	\$8,359,932
Intergovernmental	19,922,149	1,577,610	66,104	2,445,822	3,541	24,015,226
Investment	389,712	1,202	0	155,083	0	545,997
Tuition & Fees	258,383	0	0	0	0	258,383
Extracurricular Activities	0	196,183	0	0	31,357	227,540
Miscellaneous	269,965	15,157	0	455	3,010	288,587
Total Revenues	28,017,331	1,841,550	635,722	3,163,154	37,908	33,695,665
Expenditures:						
Current:						
Instruction:						
Regular	12,039,214	413,884	0	7,748	22,161	12,483,007
Special	3,200,244	484,301	0	0	0	3,684,545
Vocational	1,483,835	47,685	0	0	0	1,531,520
Other	579,001	0	0	0	17,679	596,680
Support Services:						
Pupils	1,207,037	155,866	0	0	0	1,362,903
Instructional Staff	915,046	189,466	0	40,934	0	1,145,446
Board of Education	60,031	0	0	0	0	60,031
Administration	1,760,094	245,226	0	9,375	767	2,015,462
Fiscal	856,626	0	7,921	0	0	864,547
Business	23,286	0	0	0	275	23,561
Operation & Maintenance of Plant	2,209,672	0	0	17,500	403	2,227,575
Pupil Transportation	1,065,735	6,899	0	0	850	1,073,484
Central	196,146	32,255	0	0	0	228,401
Operation of Non-Instructional Services	7,273	399,394	0	0	0	406,667
Extracurricular Activities	382,868	103,383	0	0	725	486,976
Capital Outlay	0	758	0	1,236,367	0	1,237,125
Debt Service:						
Principal Retirement	95,000	0	0	0	0	95,000
Interest & Fiscal Charges	8,197	0	245,054	14,361	0	267,612
Total Expenditures	26,089,305	2,079,117	252,975	1,326,285	42,860	29,790,542
Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	1,928,026	(237,567)	382,747	1,836,869	(4,952)	3,905,123
Other Financing Sources (Uses):						
Proceeds of Bonds	0	0	17,372,000	0	0	17,372,000
Proceeds from Sale of Fixed Assets	11,401	0	0	0	0	11,401
Operating Transfers In	101,330	15,800	0	17,372,000	0	17,489,130
Operating Transfers Out	(332,630)	0	(17,372,000)	0	0	(17,704,630)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(219,899)	15,800	0	17,372,000	0	17,167,901
Excess of Revenues & Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures & Other Financing Uses	1,708,127	(221,767)	382,747	19,208,869	(4,952)	21,073,024
Fund Balance, Beginning of Year	4,589,533	707,667	0	191,206	25,756	5,514,162
Fund Balance, End of Year	\$6,297,660	\$485,900	\$382,747	\$19,400,075	\$20,804	\$26,587,186

See accompanying notes.

Mad River Local School District
 Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures
 And Changes in Fund Balance
 Budget and Actual (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis)
 All Governmental Fund Types
 For the Year Ended June 30, 2002

	General			Special Revenue		
	Revised Budget	Actual	Variance: Favorable (Unfavorable)	Revised Budget	Actual	Variance: Favorable (Unfavorable)
Revenues:						
Taxes	\$7,600,248	\$7,539,942	(\$60,306)	\$51,398	\$51,398	\$0
Intergovernmental	18,472,129	19,922,149	1,450,020	1,493,375	1,645,340	151,965
Investment	312,536	389,712	77,176	2,452	2,452	0
Tuition & Fees	274,000	256,073	(17,927)	0	0	0
Extracurricular Activities	0	0	0	302,801	196,183	(106,618)
Miscellaneous	134,000	269,326	135,326	15,157	15,157	0
Total Revenues	26,792,913	28,377,202	1,584,289	1,865,183	1,910,530	45,347
Expenditures:						
Current:						
Instruction:						
Regular	12,591,036	11,842,765	748,271	495,230	445,496	49,734
Special	3,024,811	3,171,324	(146,513)	612,677	518,940	93,737
Vocational	1,419,680	1,481,160	(61,480)	71,556	70,594	962
Other	664,842	664,692	150	0	0	0
Support Services:						
Pupils	1,410,662	1,177,985	232,677	168,129	156,775	11,354
Instructional Staff	1,258,988	1,118,581	140,407	216,925	198,962	17,963
Board of Education	132,436	113,468	18,968	0	0	0
Administration	2,023,141	1,864,910	158,231	296,247	228,100	68,147
Fiscal	1,108,193	990,531	117,662	0	0	0
Business	23,630	23,187	443	0	0	0
Operation & Maintenance of Plant	2,380,555	2,288,356	92,199	0	0	0
Pupil Transportation	1,202,806	1,005,833	196,973	10,119	6,899	3,220
Central	214,411	202,685	11,726	37,569	32,856	4,713
Operation of Non-Instructional Services	7,466	7,273	193	506,859	454,128	52,731
Extracurricular Activities	409,035	387,353	21,682	162,042	108,125	53,917
Capital Outlay	33,000	9,000	24,000	758	758	0
Debt Service:						
Principal Retirement	95,000	95,000	0	0	0	0
Interest & Fiscal Charges	8,197	8,197	0	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	28,007,889	26,452,300	1,555,589	2,578,111	2,221,633	356,478
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Under Expenditures	(1,214,976)	1,924,902	3,139,878	(712,928)	(311,103)	401,825
Other Financing Sources (Uses):						
Proceeds of Bonds	0	0	0	0	0	0
Proceeds of Notes	0	0	0	0	0	0
Proceeds from Sale of Fixed Assets	1,200	11,401	10,201	0	0	0
Operating Transfers In	0	100,000	100,000	0	91,856	91,856
Operating Transfers Out	(359,110)	(332,630)	26,480	(76,056)	(76,056)	0
Advances In	10,610	14,610	4,000	0	21,790	21,790
Advances Out	(43,172)	(21,790)	21,382	(7,314)	(7,314)	0
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(390,472)	(228,409)	162,063	(83,370)	30,276	113,646
Excess of Revenues & Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures & Other Financing Uses	(1,605,448)	1,696,493	3,301,941	(796,298)	(280,827)	515,471
Fund Balance, Beginning of Year (Includes Prior Year Encumbrances Appropriated)	6,794,726	6,794,726	0	814,247	814,247	0
Fund Balance, End of Year	\$5,189,278	\$8,491,219	\$3,301,941	\$17,949	\$533,420	\$515,471

See accompanying notes.

Debt Service			Capital Projects			Totals (Memorandum Only)		
Revised Budget	Actual	Variance: Favorable (Unfavorable)	Revised Budget	Actual	Variance: Favorable (Unfavorable)	Revised Budget	Actual	Variance: Favorable (Unfavorable)
\$434,091	\$536,925	\$102,834	\$657,355	\$586,423	(\$70,932)	\$8,743,092	\$8,714,688	(\$28,404)
53,443	66,104	12,661	2,226,816	2,445,822	219,006	22,245,763	24,079,415	1,833,652
0	0	0	155,083	155,083	0	470,071	547,247	77,176
0	0	0	0	0	0	274,000	256,073	(17,927)
0	0	0	0	0	0	302,801	196,183	(106,618)
0	0	0	455	455	0	149,612	284,938	135,326
487,534	603,029	115,495	3,039,709	3,187,783	148,074	32,185,339	34,078,544	1,893,205
0	0	0	7,748	7,748	0	13,094,014	12,296,009	798,005
0	0	0	0	0	0	3,637,488	3,690,264	(52,776)
0	0	0	0	0	0	1,491,236	1,551,754	(60,518)
0	0	0	0	0	0	664,842	664,692	150
0	0	0	0	0	0	1,578,791	1,334,760	244,031
0	0	0	50,934	40,934	10,000	1,526,847	1,358,477	168,370
0	0	0	0	0	0	132,436	113,468	18,968
0	0	0	9,375	9,375	0	2,328,763	2,102,385	226,378
7,921	7,921	0	0	0	0	1,116,114	998,452	117,662
0	0	0	0	0	0	23,630	23,187	443
0	0	0	17,500	17,500	0	2,398,055	2,305,856	92,199
0	0	0	0	0	0	1,212,925	1,012,732	200,193
0	0	0	0	0	0	251,980	235,541	16,439
0	0	0	0	0	0	514,325	461,401	52,924
0	0	0	0	0	0	571,077	495,478	75,599
0	0	0	5,998,739	5,031,298	967,441	6,032,497	5,041,056	991,441
17,372,000	17,372,000	0	324,183	324,183	0	17,791,183	17,791,183	0
327,588	245,054	82,534	14,361	14,361	0	350,146	267,612	82,534
17,707,509	17,624,975	82,534	6,422,840	5,445,399	977,441	54,716,349	51,744,307	2,972,042
(17,219,975)	(17,021,946)	198,029	(3,383,131)	(2,257,616)	1,125,515	(22,531,010)	(17,665,763)	4,865,247
17,372,000	17,372,000	0	0	0	0	17,372,000	17,372,000	0
0	0	0	17,372,000	17,372,000	0	17,372,000	17,372,000	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	1,200	11,401	10,201
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	191,856	191,856
0	0	0	0	0	0	(435,166)	(408,686)	26,480
0	0	0	0	0	0	10,610	36,400	25,790
0	0	0	(7,295)	(7,295)	0	(57,781)	(36,399)	21,382
17,372,000	17,372,000	0	17,364,705	17,364,705	0	34,262,863	34,538,572	275,709
152,025	350,054	198,029	13,981,574	15,107,089	1,125,515	11,731,853	16,872,809	5,140,956
0	0	0	558,963	558,963	0	8,167,936	8,167,936	0
\$152,025	\$350,054	\$198,029	\$14,540,537	\$15,666,052	\$1,125,515	\$19,899,789	\$25,040,745	\$5,140,956

Mad River Local School District
Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenses
And Changes in Retained Earnings
All Proprietary Fund Types
For the Year Ended June 30, 2002

	Proprietary Fund Types		Totals (Memorandum Only)
	Enterprise	Internal Service	
Operating Revenues:			
Charges for Services	\$838,842	\$229,484	\$1,068,326
Tuition & Fees	38,163	243,319	281,482
Miscellaneous Revenue	12	0	12
Total Operating Revenues	877,017	472,803	1,349,820
Operating Expenses:			
Salaries	651,266	132,713	783,979
Fringe Benefits	200,331	21,437	221,768
Purchased Services	49,598	397,756	447,354
Materials & Supplies	672,945	40,979	713,924
Depreciation	22,321	0	22,321
Claims	0	1,416	1,416
Other Operating Expenses	0	222,651	222,651
Total Operating Expenses	1,596,461	816,952	2,413,413
Operating Income (Loss)	(719,444)	(344,149)	(1,063,593)
Non-Operating Revenues (Expenses):			
Investment Revenue	5,479	182,351	187,830
Donated Commodities	112,188	0	112,188
Operating Grants - State & Local	22,493	0	22,493
Operating Grants - Federal	522,346	0	522,346
Total Non-Operating Revenues	662,506	182,351	844,857
Income (Loss) before Operating Transfers	(56,938)	(161,798)	(218,736)
Operating Transfers In	500	315,000	315,500
Operating Transfers Out	0	(100,000)	(100,000)
Net Income	(56,438)	53,202	(3,236)
Retained Earnings, Beginning of Year	382,364	251,503	633,867
Retained Earnings, End of Year	\$325,926	\$304,705	\$630,631

See accompanying notes.

Mad River Local School District
 Combined Statement of Cash Flows
 All Proprietary Fund Types
 For the Year Ended June 30, 2002

	Proprietary Fund Types		Totals (Memorandum only)
	Enterprise	Internal Service	
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:			
Cash Received from Tuition & Fees	\$38,163	\$243,319	\$281,482
Cash Received from Charges for Services	836,251	229,484	1,065,735
Cash Received from Miscellaneous Sources	12	0	12
Cash Payments for Personal Services	(852,919)	(164,325)	(1,017,244)
Cash Payments for Contract Services	(48,400)	(479,521)	(527,921)
Cash Payments for Supplies & Materials	(548,145)	(40,906)	(589,051)
Cash Payments for Other Expenses	0	(222,651)	(222,651)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	(575,038)	(434,600)	(1,009,638)
Cash Flows from Non-Capital Financing Activities:			
Cash Received from Other Funds	500	315,000	315,500
Cash Payments to Other Funds	0	(100,000)	(100,000)
Cash Received from Operating Grants	544,839	0	544,839
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Non-Capital Financing Activities	545,339	215,000	760,339
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:			
Investment Revenue Received	5,479	182,351	187,830
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Investing Activities	5,479	182,351	187,830
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(24,220)	(37,249)	(61,469)
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Year	314,235	440,698	754,933
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Year	\$290,015	\$403,449	\$693,464
Reconciliation of Operating Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:			
Operating Income (Loss)	(\$719,444)	(\$344,149)	(\$1,063,593)
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:			
Depreciation	22,321	0	22,321
Donated Commodities Used	112,188	0	112,188
Changes in Assets and Liabilities:			
(Increase) Decrease in Accounts Receivables	(2,591)	0	(2,591)
(Increase) Decrease in Materials & Supplies Inventory	2,188	0	2,188
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable	15,386	(81,692)	(66,306)
Increase (Decrease) in Claims Payable	0	1,416	1,416
Increase (Decrease) in Accrued Wages & Benefits	7,362	3,523	10,885
Increase (Decrease) in Compensated Absences Payable	(8,684)	(13,698)	(22,382)
Increase (Decrease) in Deferred Revenue	(3,764)	0	(3,764)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	(\$575,038)	(\$434,600)	(\$1,009,638)

See accompanying notes.

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MAD RIVER LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2002

1. DESCRIPTION OF THE DISTRICT

The Mad River Local School District is a political body incorporated and established for the purpose of exercising the rights and privileges conveyed to it by the constitution and laws of the State of Ohio. The district is a local school district as defined by Section 3311.02 of the Ohio Revised Code. The District operates under an elected Board of Education (5 members) and is responsible for the provision of public education to residents of the District.

The District provides regular, vocational and special instruction. The District also provides support services for the pupils, instructional staff, general and school administration, business and fiscal services, facilities acquisitions and construction services, operation and maintenance of plant, student transportation, food services, extracurricular activities and non-programmed services.

Management believes the financial statements included in this report represent all of the funds of the District over which the Board of Education has the ability to exercise direct operating control.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the district have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The District's significant accounting policies are described below:

A. Reporting Entity

For financial reporting purposes, the District's financial statements include all funds, account groups, and component units for which the District is financially accountable based upon criteria set forth in GASB Statement 14. Generally, component units are legally separate organizations for which the elected officials of the primary government (i.e. the District) are financially accountable. The District would consider an organization to be a component unit if:

1. The District appointed a voting majority of the organization's governing body; and (a) was able to impose its will on that organization; or (b) there was a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens on, the District; or

2. The organization was fiscally dependent upon the District; or
3. The nature of the relationship between the District and the organization was such that the exclusion from the financial reporting entity would render the financial statements misleading.

The District included no component units in the accompanying financial statements.

B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation

The accounts of the District are organized and operated on the basis of funds and account groups. A fund is an independent fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. Fund accounting segregates funds according to their intended purpose and is used to aid management in demonstrating compliance with finance-related legal and contractual provisions.

The minimum number of funds are maintained consistent with legal and managerial requirements. Account groups are a reporting device to account for certain assets and liabilities of the governmental funds not recorded directly in those funds.

Governmental Funds - Governmental funds are those through which most governmental functions of the District are financed. The acquisition, use and balances of the District's expendable financial resources and the related liabilities (except for those accounted for in Proprietary and Fiduciary Fund types) are accounted for through Governmental Funds. The following are the District's Governmental Funds:

General Fund - Is the general operating fund of the District and it is used to account for all financial resources except those required by law to be accounted for in another fund.

Special Revenue Funds - Are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources (other than Expendable Trust or major Capital Projects) that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

Capital Projects Fund - Is used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by proprietary funds).

Proprietary Funds - Proprietary Funds are used to account for the District's ongoing activities, which are similar to those most often found in the private sector. The following are the District's Proprietary Funds:

Enterprise Funds - Are used to account for operations (a) that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises - where the intent of the governing body is that the cost (expenses, including depreciation) of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges; or, (b) where the governing body has decided that periodic determination of revenues earned, expenses incurred, and/or net income is appropriate for capital maintenance, public policy, management control, accountability or other purposes.

Internal Service Funds - Are used to account for the financing of goods and services provided by one department or agency to other departments or agencies of the District, or to other governments, on a cost reimbursement basis.

Fiduciary Funds - Fiduciary Funds are used for the assets held by the District in a trustee capacity or as an agent for individuals, private organizations, other governmental units and/or other funds. These include Expendable Trust and Agency Funds. Expendable Trust Funds are accounted for essentially the same as Governmental Funds. Agency Funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities).

Account Groups - To make a clear distinction between fixed assets related to specific funds and those of general government, and between long-term liabilities related to specific funds and those of general nature, the following account groups are used:

General Fixed Assets Account Group - This group of accounts is established to account for all fixed assets of the District, other than those accounted for in Proprietary Funds and Trust Funds.

General Long-Term Obligations Account Group - This group of accounts is established to account for all long-term obligations of the District, except those accounted for in Proprietary Funds and Trust Funds.

C. Measurement Focus/Basis of Accounting

Measurement Focus - Governmental Funds types and Expendable Trust Funds are accounted for on a spending, or "current financial resources", measurement focus. Governmental Fund types and Expendable Trust Funds operating statements represent increases and decreases in net current assets. Their reported fund balances are considered a measure of available spendable resources.

Proprietary Funds types are accounted for on a cost of services, or “economic resources”, measurement focus. Proprietary Fund type income statements represent increases and decreases in net total assets.

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

Non-exchange transactions, in which the District receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include property taxes, grants, entitlements and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied. Revenue from grants, entitlements and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied. Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the year when the resources are required to be used or the fiscal year when use is first permitted, matching requirements, in which the District must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the District on a reimbursement basis. On a modified accrual basis, revenue from non-exchange transactions must also be available before it can be recognized.

Proprietary Funds are accounted for on the accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recognized in the period earned and expenses are recognized in the period incurred.

D. Budgetary Data

Budgetary Basis of Accounting - The District’s budgetary process accounts for certain transactions on a basis other than GAAP. The major difference between the budget basis and the GAAP basis are:

- 1.) Revenues are recorded when received in cash (budget) as opposed to when susceptible to accrual (GAAP).
- 2.) Expenditures are recorded when encumbered, or paid in cash (budget), as opposed to when susceptible to accrual (GAAP).

The actual results of operations, compared to the final appropriation, for each fund type by expenditure function and revenue by source are presented in the Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances-Budget and Actual (non-GAAP Budgetary Basis). The reserve for encumbrances is carried forward as part of the budgetary authority for the next year and is included in the revised budget amounts shown in the budget to actual comparisons. The District is required by state statute to adopt an annual appropriated budget for all funds other than Agency Funds. The specific timetable is as follows:

1. Prior to January 15 of the preceding fiscal year, the Board of Education adopts an 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 taxpayer's comments. The expressed purpose of this budget document is to reflect the need for existing or increased tax rates.
2. By no later than January 20, the Board-adopted budget is filed with the Montgomery County Budget Commission for tax rate determination.
3. Prior to March 15, the Board of Education accepts by formal resolution the tax rates as determined by the Montgomery County Budget Commission and receives the Commission's Certificate of Estimated Resources, which states the projected revenue of each fund. Prior to June 30, the District must revise its budget so that total contemplated expenditures from any fund during the ensuing year will not exceed the amount stated in the Certificate of Estimated Resources. The revised budget then serves as a basis for the appropriation measure. On or about July 1, the Certificate is amended to include any unencumbered balances from the preceding year as reported by the District Treasurer. The Certificate may be further amended during the year if projected increases reported in the budgetary statement reflect the amounts set forth in the final Amended Certificate.
4. By July 1, the annual appropriation resolution is legally enacted by the Board of Education at the fund level of expenditures, which are legal levels of budgetary control. (State statute permits a temporary appropriation to be effective until no later than October 1 of each year, unless the county budget commission has not certified all amended certificates of estimated resources). Resolution appropriations by fund must be within the estimated resources as certified by Montgomery County Budget Commission and the total of expenditures and encumbrances may not exceed the appropriation totals.
5. Any revisions that alter the total of any fund appropriation must be approved by the Board of Education.
6. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year for all funds consistent with statutory provisions. All departments, functions and funds completed the year within the amount of their legally authorized appropriation.

7. Appropriation amounts are as originally adopted, or as amended by the Board of Education through the year by supplemental appropriations which either reallocated or increased the original appropriation amounts. All supplemental appropriations were legally enacted by the Board.
8. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at year-end. Encumbered appropriations are carried forward to the succeeding fiscal year and need not be reappropriated. Expenditures plus encumbrances may not legally exceed budgeted appropriations at the fund level.

E. Encumbrances

Encumbrance accounting is utilized by District funds in the normal course of operations for purchase orders and contract related expenditures. An encumbrance is a reserve on the available spending authority due to commitment for a future expenditure and does not represent a liability. For Governmental fund types, encumbrances outstanding at fiscal year end appear on the combined balance sheet as a reserve of the fund balance on a GAAP Basis and for all funds as the equivalent of expenditures/expenses on a non-GAAP budgetary basis in order to demonstrate legal compliance.

F. Cash and Investments

Cash received by the District is deposited in a cash and investment pool used by all funds. Monies for all funds are maintained in these accounts or are temporarily used to purchase short-term cash equivalent investments. During the fiscal year investments were limited to obligations of the U.S. Treasury, certificates of deposit, repurchase agreements, and STAROhio. Investments are stated at fair value as determined by quoted market prices. Under existing Ohio statutes, all investment earnings accrue to the General Fund except those specifically related to Agency funds, certain Trust Funds, certain Special Revenue Funds, and those funds individually authorized by Board resolution.

For purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows (GASB Statement No. 9), all highly liquid investments with a maturity of three months or less when acquired, are considered to be cash equivalents and are included under the heading "Equity in Pooled Cash and Investments".

The District has invested funds in the State Treasury Assets Reserve of Ohio (STAROhio) during the fiscal year. STAROhio is an investment pool managed by the State Treasurer's Office, which allows governments within the State to pool their funds for investment purposes. STAROhio 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 STAROhio are valued at STAROhio's share price, which is the price the investment could be sold for on fiscal year-end.

G. Restricted Cash

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

H. Inventory (Materials and Supplies)

Inventories of the Enterprise Funds are valued at lower of cost (first-in, first-out method) or market, and are determined by physical count.

I. Fixed Assets and Depreciation

1. General Fixed Assets are capitalized at cost (or estimated historical cost) and updated for the cost of additions and retirements during the year in the General Fixed Assets Account Group. Donated fixed assets are recorded at their fair market values as of the date donated. No depreciation is recognized for assets in the General Fixed Assets Account Group. The District does not possess any infrastructure.
2. Proprietary Funds - Equipment reflected in the Proprietary Funds is stated at historical cost (or estimated historical cost) and updated for the cost of additions and retirements during the year. Donated fixed assets are recorded at their fair market values as of the date donated. Depreciation has been provided, where appropriate, on a straight-line basis over the following estimated useful lives:

Equipment	3 - 15 years
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J. Compensated Absences

Compensated absences should be accrued as they are earned by employees if both of the following conditions are met:

1. The employee's right to receive compensation is attributable to services already rendered.
2. It is probable that the employer will compensate the employee for the benefits through paid time off or cash payment.

The School District uses the vesting method to accrue sick leave liabilities. For Governmental Funds, compensated absences that are expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources are reported as an expenditure and a fund liability of the respective Governmental Fund. Amounts that are not expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources are reported in the General Long-Term Obligations Account Group. Compensated absences of Proprietary Funds are recorded as an expense and liability of the respective Proprietary Fund.

K. Interfund Transactions

During the course of normal operations, the District has numerous transactions between funds. The most significant include:

1. Routine transfers of resources from one fund to another fund through which resources to be expended are recorded as operating transfers.
2. Reimbursements from one fund to another fund are treated as expenditures/expenses in the reimbursing fund, and as a reduction in expenditures/expenses in the reimbursed fund.
3. Short-term interfund loans are reflected as interfund loans payable/receivable, while long-term interfund loans (greater than one year in length) are recorded as advances to/from other funds.

L. Long-Term Obligations

Long-term debt is recognized as a liability of a Governmental Fund when due. For other long-term obligations, only that portion expected to be financed from expendable available resources is reported as a fund liability of a Governmental Fund. The remaining portion of such obligations is reported in the General Long-Term Obligation Account Group.

Long-term liabilities expected to be financed from Proprietary Fund operations are accounted for in those funds.

M. Fund Equity

The District records reservations for portions of fund equity which are legally segregated for specific future use or which do not represent available spendable resources and therefore are not available for appropriations for expenditures. Unreserved fund balance indicates that portion of fund equity, which is available for appropriation in future periods. Fund equity reserved are established for encumbrances, materials and supplies inventory, property taxes and budgetary set-asides required under Ohio law.

N. Memorandum Only - Total Columns

Total columns on the general purpose financial statements are captioned (Memorandum Only) to indicate that they are presented only to facilitate financial analysis. Data in these columns do not present financial position, results of operations, or changes in financial position in conformity with generally accepted accounting principals. Neither is such data comparable to a consolidation. Interfund eliminations have not been made in the aggregation of this data.

O. Proprietary Fund Accounting

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 20, “Accounting and Financial Reporting for Proprietary Funds and Other Governmental Entities that Use Proprietary Fund Accounting”, the District applies all GASB pronouncements and all FASB Statements and Interpretations, Accounting Principles Board Opinions, and Accounting Research Bulletins issued on or before November 30, 1989, unless they conflict with GASB pronouncements.

P. Estimates

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

3. EQUITY IN POOLED CASH AND INVESTMENT

The District maintains a cash and investment pool used by all funds. Each fund type’s portion of this pool is displayed on the combined balance sheet as “Equity in Pooled Cash and Investments”. State Statute requires the classification of monies held by the District into three categories:

Active Monies - Those monies that are required to be kept in a “cash” or “near cash” status for immediate use by the District. Such monies must by law be maintained either as cash in the District treasury, in depository accounts payable or withdrawable on demand, including negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) accounts, or in money market deposit accounts.

Inactive Monies - Those monies not required for use within the current two-year period of designated depositories. Ohio law permits inactive monies to be deposited or invested as certificates of deposit maturing not later than the end of the current period of designation of depositories.

Interim Monies - 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. Ohio law permits interim monies to be invested or deposited 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 other obligations or securities issued by any federal government agency or instrumentality, including but not limited, 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;
5. No-load money market mutual funds consisting exclusively of obligations described in division (1) or (2) of this section and repurchase agreements secured by such obligations, provided that investments in securities described in this division are made only through eligible institutions;
6. The State Treasurer's investment pool (Star Ohio);
7. Under limited circumstances, corporate debt interests rated in either of the two highest rating 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 of debt of the School 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.

At year-end the carrying amount of the District’s deposits was \$3,410,042. The bank balance of deposits was \$3,557,285, and of the bank balance, \$200,000 was covered by federal depository insurance. The remaining amounts were uninsured and uncollateralized as defined by GASB. Although the securities were held by the pledging financial institutions’ trust department in the School District’s name, and all statutory requirements for the investment of the money had been followed, noncompliance with the federal requirements would potentially subject the money held in the School District’s name to a successful claim by the FDIC.

The District’s investments are categorized to give an indication of the level or risk assumed by the entity at year-end.

CATEGORY 1 includes investments that are issued, registered, or held by the District or its agent in the District’s name.

CATEGORY 2 includes uninsured and unregistered investments held by the counterparty’s trust department or agent in the District’s name.

CATEGORY 3 includes uninsured and unregistered investments held by the counterpart, or by its department or agent, but not in the District’s name.

During the year, the District invested in the State Treasury Asset Reserve of Ohio (STAR Ohio). 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 quoted share price at year-end.

Based on the above criteria, the District’s investments at year are classified as follows:

<u>INVESTMENT</u>	<u>RISK CATEGORY</u>	<u>CARRYING VALUE (FAIR VALUE)</u>
U.S. Agencies	2	\$10,424,983
Repurchase Agreement	3	1,123,571
(1) Star Ohio	N/A	<u>15,887,248</u>
		<u>\$27,435,802</u>

(1) Unclassified for purposes of GASB Statement No. 3.

4. PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes include amounts levied against real, public utility and tangible personal (business) property. The assessed value, by property classification, upon which taxes collected in 2002 were based, is as follows:

Tangible Personal	\$28,883,065
Public Utility and Real Estate	<u>198,960,850</u>
Total Assessed Property Value	<u>\$227,843,915</u>

Property taxes are levied and assessed on a calendar year basis. Second half distributions occur in a new fiscal year. Property taxes include amounts levied against all real, public utility and tangible personal (used in business) property located in the School District. Real property taxes are levied after April 1 on the assessed value listed as of the prior January 1, the lien date. Public utility property taxes attached as a lien on December 31 of the prior year, were levied April 1 and are collected with real property taxes. Assessed values for real property taxes are established by State law at 35 percent of appraised market value. All property is required to be revalued every six years. Public utility property taxes are assessed on tangible personal property at 88 percent of true value (with certain exceptions) and on real property at 35 percent of true value. Tangible personal property taxes are levied after April 1 on the value listed as of December 31 of the current year. Tangible personal property assessments are 25 percent of true value.

Real property taxes are payable annually or semi-annually. If paid annually, payment was due by January 20. If paid semi-annually, the first payment (at least one-half of amount billed) was due January 20, with the remainder due on June 20.

The County Auditor remits portions of the taxes collected with periodic settlements of Real and Public Utility property taxes in February and August and Tangible Personal Property Taxes in June and October to all taxing districts.

The School District receives property taxes from the County Auditor. The County Auditor periodically advances to the School District its portion of the taxes collected. Second-half real property tax payments collected by the County by June 30, 2002 are available to finance fiscal year 2003 operations. The amount available to be advanced can vary based on the date the tax bills are sent.

Accrued property taxes receivable represent delinquent taxes outstanding and real property, personal property and public utility taxes, which became measurable as of June 30, 2002. Although total property tax collections for the next fiscal year are measurable, only the amount available as an advance at June 30 is intended to finance current year operations.

The receivable is therefore offset by a credit to deferred revenue for that portion not intended to finance current year operations.

5. FIXED ASSETS

A summary of the General Fixed Assets Account Group at year-end follows:

<u>Class</u>	<u>Beginning Balance</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>Ending Balance</u>
Land	\$3,232,985	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$3,232,985
Buildings	8,755,284	0	0	8,755,284
Equipment	9,099,121	281,430	(245,491)	9,135,060
Construction in Progress	<u>0</u>	<u>918,570</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>918,570</u>
Totals	<u>\$21,087,390</u>	<u>\$1,200,000</u>	<u>(\$245,491)</u>	<u>\$22,041,899</u>

A summary of the Proprietary Fund fixed assets at year-end follows:

Equipment	\$880,035
Less Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(754,561)</u>
Net Fixed Assets	<u>\$125,474</u>

6. CHANGES IN THE GENERAL LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS ACCOUNT GROUP

During the year ended June 30, 2002, the following changes occurred in debt reported in the General Long-Term Obligations Account Group:

	<u>Balance Beginning of Year</u>	<u>Increase</u>	<u>Decrease</u>	<u>Balance End of Year</u>
Accrued Wages & Benefits	\$ 157,512	\$ 0	\$ 131,517	\$ 25,995
Notes Payable	305,000	0	95,000	210,000
G.O. Bonds Payable	0	17,372,000	0	17,372,000
Compensated Absences	<u>1,777,378</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>86,690</u>	<u>1,690,688</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$2,239,890</u>	<u>\$17,372,000</u>	<u>\$313,207</u>	<u>\$19,298,683</u>

7. LONG-TERM DEBT

All current obligation bonds outstanding, issued to provide funds for the acquisition of equipment and facilities, are general obligations of the District for which the full faith and credit of the District is pledged for repayment. Accordingly, such unmatured obligations of the District are accounted for in the General Long-Term Obligation Account Group. Payments of principal and interest relating to these liabilities are recorded as expenditures in the General Fund and Capital Projects Fund. Interest payments are made in June and December of each year. Principal payments are made in June only. The source of payment is derived from tax issue proceeds.

A. The following is a description of the District's notes and bonds outstanding as of year end:

<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>	<u>Maturity Date</u>	<u>Beginning Balance</u>	<u>Issued</u>	<u>Retired</u>	<u>Ending Balance</u>
Energy Management Note	5.375	6/1/94	6/1/04	\$305,000	\$0	\$95,000	\$210,000
School Facilities Project Bond	5.145	4/01/02	12/1/24	<u>0</u>	<u>17,372,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>17,372,000</u>
Total				<u>\$305,000</u>	<u>\$17,372,000</u>	<u>\$95,000</u>	<u>\$17,582,000</u>

B. The following is a summary of the District's future annual debt service requirements to maturity for notes and bonds payable:

<u>Year Ending June 30</u>	<u>Principal on Notes & Bonds Payable</u>	<u>Interest on Notes & Bonds Payable</u>	<u>Total</u>
2003	\$402,000	\$841,908	\$1,243,908
2004	500,000	829,040	1,329,040
2005	415,000	813,638	1,228,638
2006	435,000	801,500	1,236,500
2007 and thereafter	<u>15,830,000</u>	<u>8,717,783</u>	<u>24,547,783</u>
Totals	<u>\$17,582,000</u>	<u>\$12,003,869</u>	<u>\$29,585,869</u>

8. NOTES PAYABLE

The bond and tax anticipation notes payable activity for the District at fiscal year-end was as follows:

	Maturity Date	Balance Beginning of Year	Additions	Deletions	Balance End of Year
Bond anticipated Note, 2.43%	6/20/02	\$ 0	\$9,500,000	\$9,500,000	\$ 0
Bond anticipated Note, 2.30%	6/20/02	0	7,872,000	7,872,000	0
Tax anticipated Note, 4.43%	12/01/01	<u>324,182</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>324,182</u>	<u>0</u>
Total		<u>\$324,182</u>	<u>\$17,372,000</u>	<u>\$17,696,182</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>

The note is shown as a liability of the fund that received the note proceeds. Accordingly, all note debt activity has been reported to the Capital Projects Fund.

9. SEGMENT INFORMATION

Enterprise Funds - The District maintains five Enterprise Funds to account for the operations of Food Service, Uniform School Supply, Adult Education, Vocational Education and Before and After School Program. The table below reflects, in a summarized format, the more significant financial data relating to the Enterprise Funds of the District as of and for the current year-end.

	Food Services	Uniform School Supply	Adult Education	Vocational Education	Before & After School Program	Total
Operating Revenue	\$724,005	\$114,849	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$38,163	\$877,017
Operating Expenditure before Depreciation	1,410,759	125,386	0	0	37,995	1,574,140
Depreciation	22,321	0	0	0	0	22,321
Operating Income (Loss)	(709,075)	(10,537)	0	0	168	(719,444)
Donated Commodities	112,188	0	0	0	0	112,188
Operating Grants	544,839	0	0	0	0	544,839
Investment Revenue	5,479	0	0	0	0	5,479
Operating Transfer In (Out)	0	0	0	0	500	500
Net Income (Loss)	(46,569)	(10,537)	0	0	668	(56,438)
Net Working Capital	149,440	38,631	8,154	3,559	668	200,452
Total Assets	376,355	50,680	8,154	3,559	797	439,545
Total Liabilities	101,441	12,049	0	0	129	113,619
Total Equity	274,914	38,631	8,154	3,559	668	325,926

10. DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS

A. School Employees Retirement System

The District contributes to the School Employees Retirement System of Ohio (SERS), a cost-sharing multiple employer public employee retirement system administered by the School Employees Retirement Board. SERS provides basic retirement benefits, disability, survivor, and health care benefits based on eligible service credit to members and beneficiaries. Benefits are established by Chapter 3309 of the Ohio Revised Code. SERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for SERS. That report may be obtained by writing to the School Employees Retirement System, 45 North Fourth Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3634.

Plan members are required to contribute 9% of their annual covered salary and the District is required to contribute 14%. The contribution rates are not determined actuarially, but are established by SERS's Retirement Board within the rates allowed by State statute. The adequacy of the contribution rates is determined annually. The District's contributions to SERS during the years ending June 30, 2002, 2001, and 2000 were \$560,508, \$546,786, \$515,988, respectively; 49% has been contributed for fiscal year 2002 and 100% for the fiscal year 2001 and 2000.

B. State Teachers Retirement System

The District contributes to the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS), a cost-sharing multiple employer public employee retirement system administered by the State Teachers Retirement Board. STRS provides basic retirement benefits, disability, survivor, and health care benefits based on eligible service credit to members and beneficiaries. Benefits are established by Chapter 3307 of the Ohio Revised Code. STRS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for STRS. That report may be obtained by writing to the State Teachers Retirement System, 275 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3771.

Plan members are required to contribute 9.3% of their annual covered salary and the District is required to contribute 14%. Contribution rates are established by STRS, upon recommendation of its consulting actuary, not to exceed statutory maximum rates of 10% for members and 14% for employers. The District's contributions to STRS for the years ending June 30, 2002, 2001, and 2000 were \$1,985,436, \$1,874,760, and \$1,807,716, respectively; 83% has been contributed for fiscal year 2002 and 100% for the fiscal year 2001 and 2000.

C. Postemployment Benefits

The School District provides comprehensive health care benefits to retired teachers and their dependents through the State Teachers Retirement System (STRS), and to retired non-certified employees and their dependents through the School Employee Retirement System (SERS). Benefits include hospitalization, physicians' fees, prescription drugs and reimbursement of monthly Medicare premiums. Benefit provisions and the obligation to contribute are established by the Systems based on authority granted by State statute. Both systems are funded on a pay-as-you-go basis.

The State Teachers Retirement Board has statutory authority over how much, if any, of the health care costs will be absorbed by STRS. Most benefit recipients pay a portion of the health care cost in the form of a monthly premium. By Ohio law, the cost of coverage paid from STRS funds shall be included in the employer contribution rate; currently 14% of covered payroll. The Retirement Board allocates employer contributions equal to 8% of covered payroll to the Health Care Reserve Fund. For the School District, this amount equaled \$1,134,535 during fiscal 2002. The Health Care Reserve Fund allocation for the year ended June 30, 2002, will be 4.5% of covered payroll. For the School District, this amount equaled \$638,176 during fiscal 2002.

STRS pays health care benefits from the Health Care Reserve Fund. The balance in the Fund was \$3.256 billion at June 30, 2001. For the year ended June 30, 2001, net health care costs paid by STRS were \$300,772,000 and STRS had 102,132 eligible recipients.

For SERS, coverage is made available to service retirees with ten or more years of qualifying service credit, and disability and survivor benefit recipients. Members retiring on or before August 1, 1989, with less than twenty-five years of service credit must pay a portion of their premium for health care. The portion is based on years of service up to a maximum of 75% of the premium.

For this fiscal year, employer contributions to fund health care benefits were 9.80% of covered payroll, an increase from 8.45% for fiscal year 2001. In addition, SERS levies a surcharge to fund health care benefits equal to 14% of the difference between a minimum pay and the members' pay, pro-rated for partial service credit. For fiscal year 2001, the minimum pay has been established at \$12,400. The surcharge, added to the unallocated portion of the 14% employer contribution rate, provides for maintenance of the asset target level for the health care fund.

The target level for the health care reserve is 150% of annual health care expenses. Expenses for health care at June 30, 2001, were \$161,439,934, and the target level was \$242.2 million. At June 30, 2001, SERS has approximately 50,000 participants currently receiving health care benefits.

11. BUDGETARY BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

While reporting financial position, results of operations and changes in fund balance/retained earnings on the basis of generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP), the budgetary basis as provided by law is based upon accounting for certain transactions on a basis of cash receipts and disbursements. A reconciliation of the nature and amounts of the adjustments necessary to convert the GAAP financial statements to the budgetary basis follows:

Reconciliation of Excess of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures and Other Financing Uses From GAAP Basis to Budgetary Basis:

<u>Governmental Fund Types</u>	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Special Revenue Funds</u>	<u>Debt Service Fund</u>	<u>Capital Projects Funds</u>
GAAP Basis	\$1,708,127	(\$221,767)	\$382,747	\$19,208,869
Net Adjustment for Revenue Accruals	373,151	166,826	(32,693)	24,629
Net Adjustment for Expenditure Accruals	436,058	(42,112)	0	(121,461)
Adjustment for Encumbrances	<u>(820,843)</u>	<u>(183,774)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(4,004,948)</u>
Budgetary	<u>\$1,696,493</u>	<u>(\$280,827)</u>	<u>\$350,054</u>	<u>\$15,107,089</u>

12. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

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 is subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of the General Fund or other applicable funds. Management is unable to estimate possible claims resulting from such audits until the audits have been completed. However, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims will not have a material effect on any of the financial statements of the individual fund types included herein or on the overall financial position of the District.

13. RISK MANAGEMENT

The Mad River Local School District maintains comprehensive insurance coverage with private carriers for real property, building contents and vehicles. Vehicle policies include liability coverage for bodily injury and property damage. Real property and contents are 100% co-insured with \$1,000 deductible.

Dental insurance is offered to employees through a self-insurance internal service fund. Changes in claims activity for the current and prior fiscal years are as follows:

	Balance Beginning <u>of Year</u>	Current Year <u>Claims</u>	Claims <u>Payments</u>	Balance <u>End of Year</u>
2002	\$43,063	\$229,484	\$228,068	\$44,479
2001	27,148	228,977	213,062	43,063
2000	30,650	207,780	211,282	27,148

There were no significant reductions in insurance coverage from coverage in the prior year.

Settlements have not exceeded insurance coverage in any of the last three fiscal years.

14. STATE SCHOOL FUNDING DECISION

On December 11, 2002, the Ohio Supreme Court issued its latest opinion regarding the State's school funding plan. The decision reaffirmed earlier decisions that Ohio's current school-funding decision is unconstitutional. The Supreme Court relinquished jurisdiction over the case and directed "...the Ohio General Assembly to enact a school-funding scheme that is thorough and efficient...".

The School District is currently unable to determine what effect, if any, this decision will have on its future State funding and on its financial operations.

15. STATUTORY RESERVES

The District is required by state law to set aside certain general fund revenue amounts, as defined into various reserves. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2002, the reserve activity (cash-basis) was as follows:

	<u>Textbook Reserve</u>	<u>Capital Maintenance Reserve</u>	<u>Budget Stabilization Reserve</u>	<u>Total</u>
Balance 7/1/01	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$247,176	\$247,176
Required Set Asides	479,829	479,829	0	959,658
Offset Credits	0	(479,829)	0	(479,829)
Qualifying Expenditures	<u>(479,829)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(479,829)</u>
Balance 6/30/02	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$247,176</u>	<u>\$247,176</u>

Expenditures for textbook activity during the year totaled \$662,664, which exceeded the amount required for the set-aside.

Offset credits for capital activity during the year totaled \$623,572, which exceeded the amount required for the set-aside.

Senate Bill 345 eliminated the Budget Stabilization Reserve. The current year set-aside requirement for the Reserve is from a Bureau of Workers' Compensation refund received prior to April 10, 2001.

16. CONSTRUCTION AND OTHER COMMITMENTS

At June 30, 2002, uncompleted construction contracts are as follows:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Remaining Commitment</u>
All School Buildings	\$16,453,430

MAD RIVER LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Single Audit Reports

June 30, 2002

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**Report on compliance and on internal control over financial reporting
based on an audit of financial statements performed in accordance with
*Government Auditing Standards***

December 11, 2002

Board of Education
Mad River Local School District

We have audited the general purpose financial statements of the Mad River Local School District, (the District), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2002, and have issued our report thereon dated December 11, 2002. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of non-compliance required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the District's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting.

A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in

the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended for the information of management, the Auditor of State, Board of Education, federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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Report on compliance with requirements applicable to each major program and internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB *Circular A-133*

December 11, 2002

Board of Education
Mad River Local School District

Compliance

We have audited the compliance of the District with the types of compliance requirements described in the *U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that are applicable to its major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2002. The District's major federal program is identified in the summary of auditor's results portion of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulation, contracts and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of the District's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the District's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal 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 that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on the District's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the District complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to its major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2002.

Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of the District is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered the District's internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with *OMB Circular A-133*.

Our consideration of the internal control over compliance would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that noncompliance with applicable requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants that would be material in relation to a major federal program being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over compliance and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

Schedule of Federal Awards Expenditures

We have audited the general purpose financial statements of the District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2002, and have issued our report thereon dated December 11, 2002. Our audit was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the general purpose financial statements of the District taken as a whole. The accompanying schedule of federal awards expenditures is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by *OMB Circular A-133* and is not a required part of the general purpose financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the general purpose financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the general purpose financial statements taken as a whole.

This report is intended for the information of management, Board of Education, the Auditor of State, federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Plattenburg & Associates, Inc.
Certified Public Accountants

MAD RIVER LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

**SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL AWARDS EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2002**

Federal Grant/ Pass Through Grantor Program Title	Pass Through Entity Number	Federal CFDA Number	Receipts	Non-Cash Receipts	Disbursements	Non-Cash Disbursements
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE						
Passed Through Ohio Department of Education:						
Nutrition Cluster:						
Food Distribution Program	NN-N1	10.550	\$0	\$108,424	\$0	\$112,188
National School Breakfast Program	05-PU	10.553	35,328	0	35,328	0
National School Lunch Program	04-PU	10.555	445,907	0	427,810	0
National Summer Lunch Program	23-ML	10.559	41,111	0	46,084	0
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture - Nutrition Cluster			522,346	108,424	509,222	112,188
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION						
Passed Through Ohio Department of Education:						
Special Education Cluster:						
Title VI - B Grant	6B-SF	84.027	312,519	0	242,060	0
Preschool Grant	PG-S1	84.173	16,958	0	16,958	0
Total Special Education Cluster			329,477	0	259,018	0
Title I Grant	C1-S1	84.010	395,021	0	467,021	0
Vocational Educational Grant	20-C1	84.048	89,444	0	67,560	0
Title VI	C2-S1	84.298	24,290	0	28,461	0
Drug Free Schools Grant	DR-S1	84.186	16,033	0	20,949	0
Goals 2000	G2-S4	84.276	0	0	40,707	0
Eisenhower	MS-S1	84.281	20,184	0	31,153	0
Tech Literacy	*	84.318	310	0	17,337	0
Class Size Reduction	*	84.340	81,639	0	65,896	0
Total Department of Education			956,398	0	998,102	0
DIRECT PROGRAMS						
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION						
Impact Aid Grant	*	84.041	2,357,073	0	2,357,073	0
Total Department of Education - Direct			2,357,073	0	2,357,073	0
Total Federal Assistance			\$3,835,817	\$108,424	\$3,864,397	\$112,188

NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL AWARDS EXPENDITURES

NOTE A -- SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accompanying schedule of federal awards expenditures is a summary of the activity of the District's federal award programs. The schedule has been prepared on the cash basis of accounting.

NOTE B -- FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Nonmonetary assistance is reported in the schedule at the fair market value of the commodities received and disbursed. Monies are commingled with state grants, and it is assumed that federal monies are expended first.

* Information unavailable

MAD RIVER LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
June 30, 2002

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
OMB CIRCULAR A-133 SECTION .505

1. SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

<i>(d)(1)(i)</i>	<i>Type of Financial Statement Opinion</i>	Unqualified
<i>(d)(1)(ii)</i>	<i>Were there any material control weakness conditions reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?</i>	No
<i>(d)(1)(ii)</i>	<i>Were there any other reportable control weakness conditions reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?</i>	No
<i>(d)(1)(iii)</i>	<i>Was there any reported material non-compliance at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?</i>	No
<i>(d)(1)(iv)</i>	<i>Were there any material internal control weakness conditions reported for major federal programs?</i>	No
<i>(d)(1)(iv)</i>	<i>Were there any other reportable internal control weakness conditions reported for major federal programs?</i>	No
<i>(d)(1)(v)</i>	<i>Type of Major Programs' Compliance Opinion</i>	Unqualified
<i>(d)(1)(vi)</i>	<i>Are there any reportable findings under Section .510?</i>	No
<i>(d)(1)(vii)</i>	<i>Major Programs (list):</i>	Impact Aid and Nutrition Cluster: Food Distribution Program, National School Breakfast Program, National School Lunch Program, and National Summer Lunch Program.
<i>(d)(1)(viii)</i>	<i>Dollar Threshold: Type A/B Programs</i>	Type A: > \$300,000 Type B: all others
<i>(d)(1)(ix)</i>	<i>Low Risk Auditee?</i>	Yes

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

None Noted

3. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS

None Noted

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**MAD RIVER LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
JUNE 30, 2002**

**SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT AND QUESTIONED COSTS
*OMB CIRCULAR A-133***

Mad River Local School District had no prior audit findings or questioned costs.



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MAD RIVER LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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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
FEBRUARY 11, 2003**