

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO**

**BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
(AUDITED)**

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

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We have reviewed the *Independent Auditor's Report* of the Anthony Wayne Local School District, Lucas County, prepared by Julian & Grube, Inc., for the audit period July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008. 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 Anthony Wayne Local School District is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

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December 19, 2008

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Independent Auditor's Report

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We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Anthony Wayne Local School District, Lucas County, Ohio, as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, which collectively comprise the Anthony Wayne Local School District's basic financial statements, as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Anthony Wayne Local School District's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

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

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Anthony Wayne Local School District, Lucas County, Ohio, as of June 30, 2008, and the respective changes in financial position thereof and the respective budgetary comparison for the general fund for the fiscal year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 5, 2008, on our consideration of the Anthony Wayne Local District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

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The management's discussion and analysis is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Anthony Wayne Local School District's basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of receipts and expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by *U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133*, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations, and is not a required part of the basic financial statements of the Anthony Wayne Local School District. The schedule of receipts and expenditures of federal awards has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.



Julian & Grube, Inc.
December 5, 2008

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
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**MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008**

The management's discussion and analysis of the Anthony Wayne 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, 2008. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the District's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the transmittal letter, the basic financial statements and the notes to the basic financial statements to enhance their understanding of the District's financial performance.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for fiscal year 2008 are as follows:

- In total, net assets of governmental activities increased \$5,518,765 from a deficit of \$4,599,140 to a positive balance of \$919,625.
- General revenues accounted for \$38,617,527 in revenue or 89.81% of all revenues. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services and sales, grants and contributions accounted for \$4,383,864 or 10.19% of all revenues. The District had total revenues of \$43,001,391.
- The District had \$37,482,626 in expenses related to governmental activities; only \$4,383,864 of these expenses was offset by program specific charges for services, grants or contributions. General revenues supporting governmental activities (primarily taxes and unrestricted grants and entitlements) of \$38,617,527 were adequate to provide for these programs.
- The District's major governmental funds are the general fund, debt service fund and permanent improvement fund. The general fund had \$33,992,242 in revenues and other financing sources and \$31,611,795 in expenditures. During fiscal year 2008, the general fund's deficit fund balance decreased \$2,422,724 from a deficit of \$3,167,963 to a deficit of \$745,239.
- The debt service fund had \$5,798,826 in revenues and other financing sources and \$5,275,747 in expenditures. During fiscal year 2008, the debt service fund's fund balance increased \$523,079 from \$80,507 to \$603,586.
- The permanent improvement fund had \$2,197,658 in revenues and \$349,950 in expenditures. During fiscal year 2008, the permanent improvement fund's fund balance increased \$1,847,708 from \$628,388 to \$2,476,096.

Using the Basic Financial Statements

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

The statement of net assets and statement of activities provide information about the activities of the whole District, presenting both an aggregate view of the District's finances and a longer-term view of those finances. Fund financial statements provide the next level of detail. For governmental funds, these statements tell how services were financed in the short-term 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, the general fund, debt service fund and permanent improvement fund are by far the most significant funds, and the only governmental funds reported as major funds.

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Reporting the District as a Whole

Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities

While this document contains the large number of funds used by the District to provide programs and activities, the view of the District as a whole looks at all financial transactions and asks the question, "How did we do financially during 2008?" The statement of net assets and the statement of activities answer this question. These statements include all assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses using the accrual basis of accounting similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. This basis of accounting will take into account all of the current year's revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid.

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

On the statement of net assets and in the statement of activities, 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 District's statement of net assets and statement of activities can be found on pages 14-15 of this report.

Reporting the District's Most Significant Funds

Fund Financial Statements

The analysis of the District's major governmental funds begins on page 10. 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, debt service fund, and permanent improvement fund.

Governmental Funds

Most of the District's activities are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at year-end available for spending in future periods. These funds are reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting, which measures cash and all other financial assets than can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund financial statements provide a detailed short-term 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 financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance educational programs. The relationship (or differences) between governmental activities (reported on the statement of net assets and in the statement of activities) and governmental funds is reconciled in the basic financial statements. The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found on pages 16-20 of this report.

Reporting the District's Fiduciary Responsibilities

The District acts in a trustee capacity as an agent for individuals. These activities are reported in an agency fund. All of the District's fiduciary activities are reported in a separate statement of fiduciary net assets on page 21 and 22. These activities are excluded from the District's other financial statements because the assets cannot be utilized by the District to finance its operations.

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Notes to the Basic Financial Statements

The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. These notes to the basic financial statements can be found on pages 23-53 of this report.

The District as a Whole

The statement of net assets provides the perspective of the District as a whole.

The table below provides a summary of the District's net assets for 2008 and 2007.

	Net Assets	
	Governmental Activities <u>2008</u>	Governmental Activities <u>2007</u>
<u>Assets</u>		
Current and other assets	\$ 31,440,791	\$ 29,090,075
Capital assets, net	<u>25,220,638</u>	<u>26,050,736</u>
Total assets	<u>56,661,429</u>	<u>55,140,811</u>
<u>Liabilities</u>		
Current liabilities	27,342,212	29,186,190
Long-term liabilities	<u>28,399,592</u>	<u>30,553,761</u>
Total liabilities	<u>55,741,804</u>	<u>59,739,951</u>
<u>Net assets</u>		
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	1,510,233	677,800
Restricted	3,438,936	1,210,365
Unrestricted (deficit)	<u>(4,029,544)</u>	<u>(6,487,305)</u>
Total net assets	<u>\$ 919,625</u>	<u>\$ (4,599,140)</u>

Over time, net assets can serve as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. At June 30, 2008, the District's assets exceeded liabilities by \$919,625. At year-end, restricted net assets were \$3,438,936.

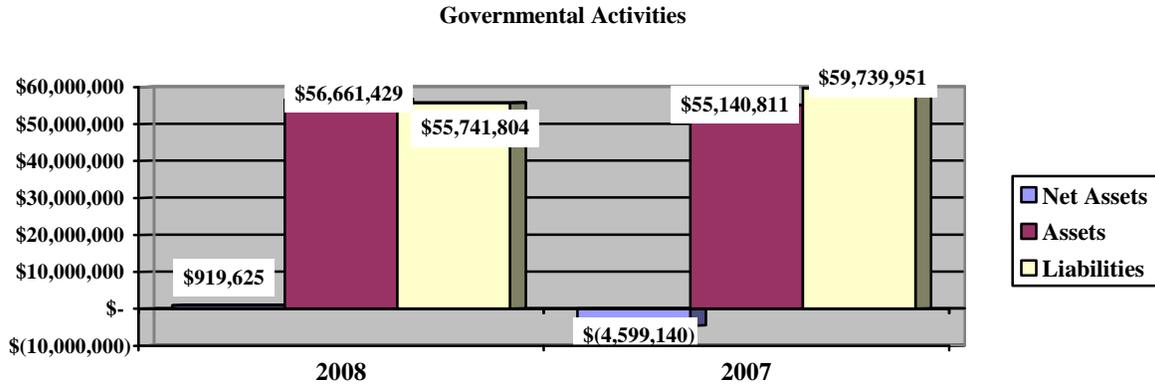
At year-end, capital assets represented 44.51% of total assets. Capital assets include land, land improvements, buildings and improvements, furniture and equipment and vehicles. Capital assets, net of related debt to acquire the assets, at June 30, 2008 was \$1,510,233. These capital assets are used to provide services to the students and are not available for future spending. Although the District's investment in capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources to repay the debt must be provided from other sources, since capital assets may not be used to liquidate these liabilities.

A portion of the District's net assets, \$3,438,936, represents resources that are subject to external restriction on how they may be used. The remaining balance of unrestricted net assets is a deficit of \$4,029,544.

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The chart below shows the District's governmental activities assets, liabilities and net assets at June 30, 2008 and 2007:



The table below shows the change in net assets for fiscal year 2008 and 2007.

	Change in Net Assets	
	Governmental Activities <u>2008</u>	Governmental Activities <u>2007</u>
<u>Revenues</u>		
Program revenues:		
Charges for services and sales	\$ 2,373,453	\$ 2,069,823
Operating grants and contributions	1,959,208	1,642,517
Capital grants and contributions	51,203	250,560
General revenues:		
Property taxes	25,642,049	24,506,838
Grants and entitlements	11,264,463	9,730,024
Investment earnings	318,306	244,685
Revenue in lieu of taxes	1,363,787	-
Other	<u>28,922</u>	<u>61,387</u>
Total revenues	<u>43,001,391</u>	<u>38,505,834</u>

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Change in Net Assets (Continued)

	<u>Governmental Activities 2008</u>	<u>Governmental Activities 2007</u>
<u>Expenses</u>		
Program expenses:		
Instruction:		
Regular	\$ 17,868,871	\$ 17,630,513
Special	2,311,209	2,337,699
Vocational	93,369	135,717
Adult/continuing	188	-
Support services:		
Pupil	1,664,987	1,498,014
Instructional staff	933,937	1,023,524
Board of education	866,417	743,818
Administration	2,839,378	2,691,509
Fiscal	828,181	836,110
Business	132,681	141,717
Operations and maintenance	3,776,522	3,973,366
Pupil transportation	2,357,968	2,518,081
Central	27,755	103,963
Operations of non-instructional services:		
Food service operations	1,137,453	1,030,893
Other non-instructional services	3,854	11,035
Extracurricular activities	988,096	933,770
Intergovernmental pass through	113,698	103,531
Interest and fiscal charges	<u>1,538,062</u>	<u>1,733,875</u>
 Total expenses	 <u>37,482,626</u>	 <u>37,447,135</u>
Change in net assets	5,518,765	1,058,699
Net assets at beginning of year	<u>(4,599,140)</u>	<u>(5,657,839)</u>
Net assets at end of year	<u>\$ 919,625</u>	<u>\$ (4,599,140)</u>

Governmental Activities

Net assets of the District's governmental activities increased \$5,518,765. Total governmental expenses of \$37,482,626 were offset by program revenues of \$4,383,864 and general revenues of \$38,617,527. Program revenues supported 11.70% of the total governmental expenses.

The primary sources of revenue for governmental activities are derived from property taxes and unrestricted grants and entitlements. These revenue sources represent 88.64% of total governmental revenue. Real estate property is reappraised every six years.

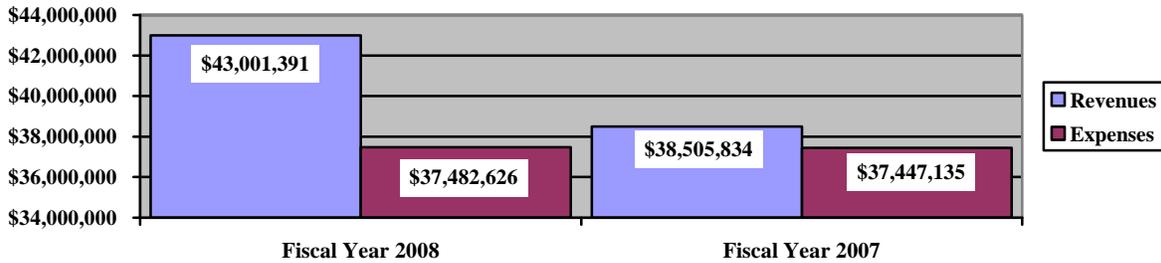
The largest expense of the District is for instructional programs. Instruction expenses totaled \$20,273,637 or 54.09% of total governmental expenses for fiscal year 2008.

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The graph below presents the District's governmental activities revenue and expenses for fiscal year 2008 and 2007.

Governmental Activities - Revenues and Expenses



The statement of activities shows the cost of program services and the charges for services and grants offsetting those services. The following table shows, for governmental activities, the total cost of services and the net cost of services. That is, it identifies the cost of these services supported by tax revenue and unrestricted State grants and entitlements.

Governmental Activities

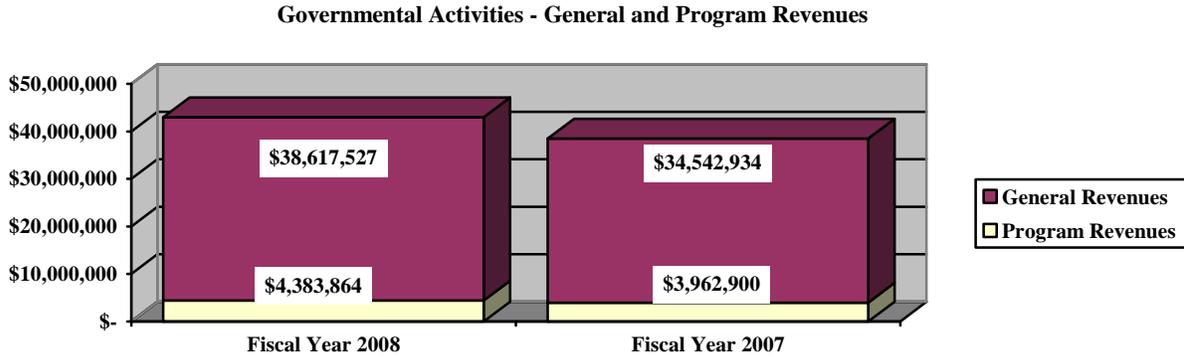
	Total Cost of Services <u>2008</u>	Net Cost of Services <u>2008</u>	Total Cost of Services <u>2007</u>	Net Cost of Services <u>2007</u>
Program expenses				
Instruction:				
Regular	\$ 17,868,871	\$ 17,229,231	\$ 17,630,513	\$ 16,861,231
Special	2,311,209	1,561,906	2,337,699	1,852,523
Vocational	93,369	87,758	135,717	127,727
Adult/continuing	188	(1,497)	-	-
Support services:				
Pupil	1,664,987	1,171,231	1,498,014	1,173,042
Instructional staff	933,937	929,101	1,023,524	980,185
Board of education	866,417	866,417	743,818	743,818
Administration	2,839,378	2,621,081	2,691,509	2,607,966
Fiscal	828,181	828,181	836,110	833,021
Business	132,681	132,681	141,717	141,681
Operations and maintenance	3,776,522	3,585,368	3,973,366	3,949,644
Pupil transportation	2,357,968	2,020,598	2,518,081	2,201,615
Central	27,755	(4,879)	103,963	71,784
Operations of non-instructional services:				
Food service operations	1,137,453	12,984	1,030,893	(13,628)
Other non-instructional services	3,854	3,854	11,035	(178,502)
Extracurricular activities	988,096	516,685	933,770	417,198
Intergovernmental pass through	113,698	-	103,531	-
Interest and fiscal charges	<u>1,538,062</u>	<u>1,538,062</u>	<u>1,733,875</u>	<u>1,714,930</u>
Total expenses	<u>\$ 37,482,626</u>	<u>\$ 33,098,762</u>	<u>\$ 37,447,135</u>	<u>\$ 33,484,235</u>

The dependence upon tax and other general revenues for governmental activities is apparent, 93.11% of instruction activities are supported through taxes and other general revenues. For all governmental activities, general revenue support is 88.30%. The District's taxpayers, as a whole, are by far the primary support for District's students.

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The graph below presents the District's governmental activities revenue for fiscal year 2008 and 2007.



The District's Funds

The District's governmental funds (as presented on the balance sheet on page 16) reported a combined fund balance of \$2,894,934, which is higher than last year's fund deficit total of \$2,096,968. The schedule below indicates the fund balance and the total change in fund balance as of June 30, 2008 and 2007.

	Fund Balance (Deficit) <u>June 30, 2008</u>	Fund Balance (Deficit) <u>June 30, 2007</u>	<u>Increase</u>
General	\$ (745,239)	\$ (3,167,963)	\$ 2,422,724
Debt service	603,586	80,507	523,079
Permanent improvement	2,476,096	628,388	1,847,708
Other governmental	<u>560,491</u>	<u>362,100</u>	<u>198,391</u>
Total	<u>\$ 2,894,934</u>	<u>\$ (2,096,968)</u>	<u>\$ 4,991,902</u>

General Fund

The District's general fund deficit decreased \$2,422,724. The decrease in the general fund balance deficit is primarily due to increased collections of taxes and more State assistance in the form of grants and entitlements.

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

	2008 <u>Amount</u>	2007 <u>Amount</u>	Percentage <u>Change</u>
<u>Revenues</u>			
Taxes	\$ 22,179,547	\$ 20,723,957	7.02 %
Tuition	403,001	281,539	43.14 %
Earnings on investments	318,306	244,685	30.09 %
Intergovernmental	10,789,602	9,923,625	8.73 %
Other revenues	<u>292,070</u>	<u>401,732</u>	(27.30) %
Total	<u>\$ 33,982,526</u>	<u>\$ 31,575,538</u>	7.62 %
<u>Expenditures</u>			
Instruction	\$ 18,938,757	\$ 18,757,060	0.97 %
Support services	12,139,763	12,376,624	(1.91) %
Extracurricular activities	533,275	539,812	(1.21) %
Facilities acquisition and construction	-	1,410	(100.00) %
Debt service	<u>-</u>	<u>10,844</u>	(100.00) %
Total	<u>\$ 31,611,795</u>	<u>\$ 31,685,750</u>	(0.23) %

Overall, revenues increased 7.62%. Tax revenue increased 7.02% from the prior year due primarily to higher assessed property valuations, on which the taxes are based. Intergovernmental revenue, the District's second largest revenue source, increased 8.73% from the prior year. Intergovernmental revenue in the general fund consists primarily of State Foundation receipts. The most significant change in revenues occurred in tuition, earnings on investments and other local revenues. Tuition increased by 43.14% due to the District receiving more payments from other school districts during fiscal year 2008. The 30.09% increase of earnings on investments was due to the District placing more funds in interest-bearing accounts. Other local revenues decreased due primarily to fewer receipts for rental of the District's buildings.

Overall, expenditures for fiscal year 2008 remained comparable to the prior fiscal year, decreasing by 0.23% from the prior year. This was due to the District's tight control over rising expenses as a way to boost financial performance.

Debt Service Fund

The debt service fund had \$5,798,826 in revenues and other financing sources and \$5,275,747 in expenditures. During fiscal year 2008, the debt service fund's fund balance increased \$523,079 from \$80,507 to \$603,586.

Permanent Improvement Fund

The permanent improvement fund had \$2,197,658 in revenues and \$349,950 in expenditures. During fiscal year 2008, the permanent improvement fund's fund balance increased \$1,847,708 from \$628,388 to \$2,476,096.

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General Fund Budgeting Highlights

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

During the course of fiscal year 2008, the District amended its general fund budget numerous times. For the general fund, actual budgeted revenues and other financing sources were \$33,389,041 and final budgeted revenues and other financing sources were \$33,214,475, which was \$2,067,151 higher than the original budgeted revenues estimate of \$31,147,324.

General fund original appropriations (appropriated expenditures plus other financing uses) of \$31,649,921 were increased to \$33,034,321 in the final budget. The actual budget basis expenditures and other financing uses for fiscal year 2008 totaled \$32,481,441, which was \$552,880 lower than the final budget appropriations.

Capital Assets and Debt Administration

Capital Assets

At the end of fiscal year 2008, the District had \$25,220,638 (net of accumulated depreciation) invested in land, land improvements, buildings and improvements, furniture and equipment and vehicles. This entire amount is reported in governmental activities. The following table shows fiscal 2008 balances compared to 2007:

	Capital Assets at June 30	
	(Net of Depreciation)	
	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	
	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Land	\$ 1,848,060	\$ 1,848,060
Land improvements	328,316	326,662
Building and improvements	21,087,712	21,677,039
Furniture and equipment	558,454	595,065
Vehicles	<u>1,398,096</u>	<u>1,603,910</u>
Total	<u>\$ 25,220,638</u>	<u>\$ 26,050,736</u>

Total additions to capital assets for 2008 were \$245,094 and disposals totaled \$5,114. The District recorded \$830,098 in depreciation expense for fiscal year 2008.

See Note 8 to the basic financial statements for additional information on the District's capital assets.

Debt Administration

At June 30, 2008, the District had \$24,719,266 in general obligation bonds outstanding. Of this total, \$1,050,736 is due within one year and \$23,668,530 is due in greater than one year. The District also had \$2,001,718 in notes, capital leases, and lease purchase agreements outstanding at June 30, 2008.

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The following table summarizes the debt outstanding.

Outstanding Debt, at Year End

	<u>Governmental Activities 2008</u>	<u>Governmental Activities 2007</u>
General obligation bonds:		
Term	\$ 5,745,000	\$ 5,930,000
Capital appreciation	1,026,527	1,044,485
Accreted interest	2,897,739	2,541,487
Refunding	<u>15,050,000</u>	<u>15,680,000</u>
Total general obligation bonds	<u>24,719,266</u>	<u>25,195,972</u>
Other debt:		
Notes	1,701,875	2,945,000
Capital leases	112,843	219,046
Lease purchase	<u>187,000</u>	<u>366,000</u>
Total debt obligations	<u>\$ 26,720,984</u>	<u>\$ 28,726,018</u>

At June 30, 2008, the District's overall legal debt margin was \$60,994,891 with an unvoted debt margin of \$913,476. See Note 10 to the basic financial statements for additional information on the District's debt administration.

Current Financial Related Activities

The District has continued to maintain the highest standards of service to our students, parents and community. The District is always presented with challenges and opportunities.

The District has some challenges regarding its financial outlook. The Board of Education and administration will continue to closely monitor its revenues and expenditures in accordance with its financial forecast and the Ohio Department of Education's Financial Analysis. Overall, the District continues to perform at the highest level determined by the State of Ohio, which is measured by a defined set of proficiency criteria. Our most recent state report card shows the District's students achieving 29 out of 30 with an "Excellent" rating, the sixth straight year in a row.

As the preceding information shows, the District heavily depends on its property taxpayers. At present, the local taxpayers support represents approximately 57% of the total revenues of the District. Our communities' support was last measured in August 2008 when the community renewed a \$3 million, 3.3 mill emergency operating levy. The support of this issue demonstrates the strong belief of parents and community members that their schools are one of the highest priorities and one of the most important public institutions in their communities.

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO**

**MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008**

The District communicates to its residents through a newsletter that is published and mailed to over 8,000 residences at least 7 times per year. They work to keep the taxpayers informed as they rely upon their support for the major part of its operations, and will continue to work diligently to plan expenses, staying carefully within the District's five-year financial plan. State law generally retards the growth of income generated by local levies rendering revenue relatively constant. This lack of revenue growth normally forces the District to come back to the voters from time to time and ask for additional financial support. However, the District's general operating millage will no longer be rolled back as the District's operating millage has now dropped to the 20 mill floor. This is the lowest possible collection point for property tax collections allowed by law.

The District has also been experiencing growth; our student population has grown over 700 students since 2003. It does appear that there is some tapering off of new home developments, due to the economic times in general, but we continue to see an increase in student growth each year with no additional State aide. The rapid growth is also seen in the assessed property valuation of the District. The District's assessed valuation has increased \$340,158,768 since 2003. This increase is a result of the triennial updates of property values in the District, continued growth of new construction, primarily in the area of new homes, and Lucas County's re-valuation of property values.

All of the District's financial abilities will be called upon to meet the challenges the future will bring. It is imperative the District's Board and management team continue to carefully and prudently plan in order to provide the resources required to meet the student's desired needs over the next several years. The voters will be asked to support a .5% Earned Income Tax in November 2008 for operating purposes. Without voter support, the current 5-year forecast shows an unstable picture over the next five years.

Contacting the District's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide our citizen's taxpayers, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to show the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information contact Mrs. Kerri L. Johnson, Treasurer, Anthony Wayne Local School District, 9565 Bucher Rd., P.O. Box 2487, Whitehouse, Ohio 43571.

**BASIC
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO**

STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS
JUNE 30, 2008

	Governmental Activities
Assets:	
Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents.	\$ 5,524,074
Receivables:	
Taxes	25,456,026
Accounts	4,440
Intergovernmental	141,441
Prepayments	122,348
Materials and supplies inventory	64,980
Unamortized bond issue costs	127,482
Capital assets:	
Land	1,848,060
Depreciable capital assets, net.	23,372,578
Capital assets, net	25,220,638
Total assets.	56,661,429
Liabilities:	
Accounts payable.	17,828
Accrued wages and benefits	3,318,814
Pension obligation payable.	838,970
Intergovernmental payable	222,173
Unearned revenue	22,856,826
Accrued interest payable	87,601
Long-term liabilities:	
Due within one year.	3,544,134
Due in more than one year	24,855,458
Total liabilities	55,741,804
Net assets:	
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt.	1,510,233
Restricted for:	
Capital projects	2,557,926
Debt service.	606,817
State funded programs.	23,579
Federally funded programs	1,063
Student activities	214,853
Other purposes	34,698
Unrestricted (deficit)	(4,029,544)
Total net assets	\$ 919,625

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO**

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

		Program Revenues			Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Assets
Expenses	Charges for Services and Sales	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	
Governmental activities:					
Instruction:					
Regular	\$ 17,868,871	\$ 363,020	\$ 249,888	\$ 26,732	\$ (17,229,231)
Special	2,311,209	256,524	492,779	-	(1,561,906)
Vocational	93,369	-	5,611	-	(87,758)
Adult/continuing	188	1,685	-	-	1,497
Support services:					
Pupil	1,664,987	-	493,756	-	(1,171,231)
Instructional staff	933,937	898	3,938	-	(929,101)
Board of education	866,417	-	-	-	(866,417)
Administration	2,839,378	84,795	133,502	-	(2,621,081)
Fiscal	828,181	-	-	-	(828,181)
Business	132,681	-	-	-	(132,681)
Operations and maintenance	3,776,522	133,549	57,605	-	(3,585,368)
Pupil transportation	2,357,968	135,755	177,144	24,471	(2,020,598)
Central	27,755	-	32,634	-	4,879
Operation of non-instructional services:					
Food service operations	1,137,453	926,417	198,052	-	(12,984)
Other non-instructional services	3,854	-	-	-	(3,854)
Extracurricular activities	988,096	470,810	601	-	(516,685)
Intergovernmental pass-through	113,698	-	113,698	-	-
Interest and fiscal charges	1,538,062	-	-	-	(1,538,062)
Total governmental activities	<u>\$ 37,482,626</u>	<u>\$ 2,373,453</u>	<u>\$ 1,959,208</u>	<u>\$ 51,203</u>	<u>(33,098,762)</u>
General revenues:					
Property taxes levied for:					
General purposes					21,578,759
Debt service					2,227,516
Capital projects					1,835,774
Grants and entitlements not restricted to specific programs					11,264,463
Investment earnings					318,306
Revenue in lieu of taxes					1,363,787
Miscellaneous					28,922
Total general revenues					<u>38,617,527</u>
Change in net assets					5,518,765
Net assets (deficit) at beginning of year					<u>(4,599,140)</u>
Net assets at end of year					<u>\$ 919,625</u>

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO**

BALANCE SHEET
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2008

	<u>General</u>	<u>Debt Service</u>	<u>Permanent Improvement</u>	<u>Other Governmental Funds</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
Assets:					
Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,758,703	\$ 490,216	\$ 2,384,191	\$ 856,266	\$ 5,489,376
Receivables:					
Taxes.	21,656,135	1,996,509	1,803,382	-	25,456,026
Accounts	1,938	-	-	2,502	4,440
Intergovernmental	13,080	-	-	128,361	141,441
Interfund loans.	198,882	-	-	-	198,882
Prepayments.	122,348	-	-	-	122,348
Materials and supplies inventory	57,024	-	-	7,956	64,980
Restricted assets:					
Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents	34,698	-	-	-	34,698
Total assets	<u>\$ 23,842,808</u>	<u>\$ 2,486,725</u>	<u>\$ 4,187,573</u>	<u>\$ 995,085</u>	<u>\$ 31,512,191</u>
Liabilities:					
Accounts payable	\$ 1,774	\$ -	\$ 9,701	\$ 6,353	\$ 17,828
Accrued wages and benefits	3,182,745	-	-	136,069	3,318,814
Pension obligation payable.	769,860	-	-	69,110	838,970
Intergovernmental payable.	211,932	304	152	9,785	222,173
Interfund loans payable	-	-	-	198,882	198,882
Deferred revenue.	976,707	90,832	81,830	14,395	1,163,764
Unearned revenue	19,445,029	1,792,003	1,619,794	-	22,856,826
Total liabilities	<u>24,588,047</u>	<u>1,883,139</u>	<u>1,711,477</u>	<u>434,594</u>	<u>28,617,257</u>
Fund balances:					
Reserved for encumbrances	236,162	-	379,342	101,721	717,225
Reserved for materials and supplies inventory.	57,024	-	-	7,956	64,980
Reserved for prepayments	122,348	-	-	-	122,348
Reserved for property tax unavailable for appropriation	1,120,700	104,712	94,175	-	1,319,587
Reserved for debt service	-	498,874	-	-	498,874
Reserved for BWC refunds.	34,698	-	-	-	34,698
Unreserved:					
Undesignated (deficit), reported in:					
General fund	(2,316,171)	-	-	-	(2,316,171)
Special revenue funds.	-	-	-	450,814	450,814
Capital projects funds.	-	-	2,002,579	-	2,002,579
Total fund balances (deficit)	<u>(745,239)</u>	<u>603,586</u>	<u>2,476,096</u>	<u>560,491</u>	<u>2,894,934</u>
Total liabilities and fund balances	<u>\$ 23,842,808</u>	<u>\$ 2,486,725</u>	<u>\$ 4,187,573</u>	<u>\$ 995,085</u>	<u>\$ 31,512,191</u>

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO**

RECONCILIATION OF TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCES TO
NET ASSETS OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES
JUNE 30, 2008

Total governmental fund balances		\$	2,894,934
<i>Amounts reported for governmental activities on the statement of net assets are different because:</i>			
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds.			25,220,638
Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current-period expenditures and therefore are deferred in the funds.			
Taxes	\$	1,149,369	
Intergovernmental revenue		14,395	
Total			1,163,764
Accrued interest payable is not due and payable in the current period and therefore is not reported in the funds.			(87,601)
Unamortized premiums on bond issuance are not recognized in the funds.			(567,247)
Unamortized bond issuance costs are not recognized in the funds.			127,482
Unamortized deferred charges on refundings are not recognized in the funds.			439,762
Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds.			
Compensated absences		(1,551,123)	
General obligation bonds payable		(24,719,266)	
General obligation notes payable		(1,701,875)	
Lease purchase obligation payable		(187,000)	
Capital lease obligation		(112,843)	
Total			(28,272,107)
Net assets of governmental activities		\$	919,625

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO**

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES (DEFICIT)
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	<u>General</u>	<u>Debt Service</u>	<u>Permanent Improvement</u>	<u>Other Governmental Funds</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
Revenues:					
From local sources:					
Taxes	\$ 22,179,547	\$ 2,277,750	\$ 1,863,997	\$ -	\$ 26,321,294
Tuition.	403,001	-	-	-	403,001
Charges for services.	-	-	-	926,417	926,417
Earnings on investments.	318,306	-	-	9,515	327,821
Extracurricular.	-	-	-	555,605	555,605
Classroom materials and fees	7,820	-	-	207,125	214,945
Revenue in lieu of taxes	-	1,363,787	-	-	1,363,787
Other local revenues.	284,250	-	-	167,191	451,441
Intergovernmental - State.	10,789,602	455,414	333,661	192,843	11,771,520
Intergovernmental - Federal	-	-	-	1,323,352	1,323,352
Total revenues.	<u>33,982,526</u>	<u>4,096,951</u>	<u>2,197,658</u>	<u>3,382,048</u>	<u>43,659,183</u>
Expenditures:					
Current:					
Instruction:					
Regular	16,800,450	-	69,978	440,767	17,311,195
Special.	2,053,379	-	-	200,222	2,253,601
Vocational.	84,928	-	-	-	84,928
Adult/continuing	-	-	-	188	188
Support services:					
Pupil.	1,149,142	-	-	514,172	1,663,314
Instructional staff	936,152	-	-	3,872	940,024
Board of education	866,417	-	-	-	866,417
Administration.	2,573,592	-	-	220,973	2,794,565
Fiscal	762,479	32,834	23,513	-	818,826
Business	119,020	-	6,200	742	125,962
Operations and maintenance.	3,628,846	-	81,273	59,744	3,769,863
Pupil transportation	2,104,115	-	-	105,935	2,210,050
Central.	-	-	-	32,258	32,258
Operation of non-instructional services:					
Food service operations.	-	-	-	1,096,396	1,096,396
Other non-instructional services	-	-	-	225	225
Extracurricular activities	533,275	-	-	386,830	920,105
Facilities acquisition and construction	-	-	49,087	-	49,087
Intergovernmental pass through.	-	-	-	113,698	113,698
Debt service:					
Principal retirement	-	3,956,958	106,203	-	4,063,161
Interest and fiscal charges	-	1,285,955	13,696	-	1,299,651
Total expenditures	<u>31,611,795</u>	<u>5,275,747</u>	<u>349,950</u>	<u>3,176,022</u>	<u>40,413,514</u>
Excess of revenues over (under) expenditures	<u>2,370,731</u>	<u>(1,178,796)</u>	<u>1,847,708</u>	<u>206,026</u>	<u>3,245,669</u>
Other financing sources (uses):					
Sale of capital assets.	9,716	-	-	-	9,716
Sale of notes	-	1,701,875	-	-	1,701,875
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>9,716</u>	<u>1,701,875</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,711,591</u>
Net change in fund balances	2,380,447	523,079	1,847,708	206,026	4,957,260
Fund balances (deficit)					
at beginning of year	(3,167,963)	80,507	628,388	362,100	(2,096,968)
Increase (decrease) in reserve for inventory	42,277	-	-	(7,635)	34,642
Fund balances (deficit) at end of year.	<u>\$ (745,239)</u>	<u>\$ 603,586</u>	<u>\$ 2,476,096</u>	<u>\$ 560,491</u>	<u>\$ 2,894,934</u>

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO**

RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds	\$	4,957,260
<i>Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:</i>		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which depreciation expense exceeds capital outlays in the current period.		
Capital asset additions	\$ 245,094	
Current year depreciation	<u>(1,075,192)</u>	
Total		(830,098)
Governmental funds report expenditures for inventory when purchased. However, in the statement of activities, they are reported as an expense when consumed.		
		34,642
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds.		
Taxes	(679,245)	
Intergovernmental revenue	<u>11,737</u>	
Total		(667,508)
Repayment of bond, capital lease, lease purchase and note principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities on the statement of net assets.		
		4,063,161
Sale of notes are recorded as an other financing source in the funds, however, in the statement of activities, they are not reported as revenues as they increase liabilities on the statement of net assets.		
		(1,701,875)
Governmental funds report expenditures for interest when it is due. In the statement of activities, interest expense is recognized as the interest accrues, regardless of when it is due. More interest is reported in the statement of activities due to the following:		
Decrease in accrued interest payable	117,841	
Payment of accreted interest on "capital appreciation bonds"	167,042	
Accreted interest on "capital appreciation bonds"	(523,294)	
Amortization of bond issuance costs	(5,687)	
Amortization of bond premiums	25,305	
Amortization of deferred charges on refundings	<u>(19,618)</u>	
Total		(238,411)
Some expenses reported on the statement of activities, such as compensated absences, do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.		
		<u>(98,406)</u>
Change in net assets of governmental activities	\$	<u><u>5,518,765</u></u>

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO**

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN
FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS)
GENERAL FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	<u>Budgeted Amounts</u>			Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)
	<u>Original</u>	<u>Final</u>	<u>Actual</u>	
Revenues:				
From local sources:				
Taxes	\$ 20,238,720	\$ 21,581,900	\$ 21,350,339	\$ (231,561)
Tuition.	361,977	386,000	403,001	17,001
Earnings on investments.	210,997	225,000	318,306	93,306
Classroom materials and fees	-	-	7,728	7,728
Other local revenues	209,590	223,500	269,740	46,240
Intergovernmental - State	9,890,639	10,547,050	10,789,602	242,552
Total revenues	<u>30,911,923</u>	<u>32,963,450</u>	<u>33,138,716</u>	<u>175,266</u>
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Instruction:				
Regular	16,384,417	17,101,088	17,032,434	68,654
Special.	2,021,545	2,109,969	2,090,556	19,413
Vocational.	102,853	107,352	99,171	8,181
Support services:				
Pupil.	1,116,652	1,165,496	1,142,353	23,143
Instructional staff	939,210	980,293	953,063	27,230
Board of education	929,629	970,292	879,591	90,701
Administration.	2,499,717	2,609,057	2,583,115	25,942
Fiscal	735,380	767,546	764,507	3,039
Business	131,889	137,658	134,858	2,800
Operations and maintenance.	3,624,018	3,782,536	3,714,400	68,136
Pupil transportation	2,176,412	2,271,610	2,243,615	27,995
Central.	4,213	4,397	3,966	431
Extracurricular activities.	589,167	614,938	542,723	72,215
Total expenditures	<u>31,255,102</u>	<u>32,622,232</u>	<u>32,184,352</u>	<u>437,880</u>
Excess of revenues over (under) expenditures.	<u>(343,179)</u>	<u>341,218</u>	<u>954,364</u>	<u>613,146</u>
Other financing sources (uses):				
Refund of prior year expenditures	6,095	6,500	-	(6,500)
Refund of prior year receipts	(94,091)	(98,207)	(98,207)	-
Transfers (out)	(110,181)	(115,000)	-	115,000
Advances in.	226,024	241,025	241,025	-
Advances out	(190,547)	(198,882)	(198,882)	-
Sale of capital assets	3,282	3,500	9,300	5,800
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>(159,418)</u>	<u>(161,064)</u>	<u>(46,764)</u>	<u>114,300</u>
Net change in fund balance	(502,597)	180,154	907,600	727,446
Fund balance at beginning of year.	497,377	497,377	497,377	-
Prior year encumbrances appropriated . .	150,643	150,643	150,643	-
Fund balance at end of year.	<u>\$ 145,423</u>	<u>\$ 828,174</u>	<u>\$ 1,555,620</u>	<u>\$ 727,446</u>

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO**

STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2008

	Private-Purpose Trust	
	Scholarship	Agency
Assets:		
Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents.	\$ 41,771	\$ 137,963
Total assets	41,771	\$ 137,963
Liabilities:		
Accounts payable	-	\$ 408
Due to students	-	137,555
Total liabilities	-	\$ 137,963
Net Assets:		
Held in trust for scholarships	41,771	
Total net assets	\$ 41,771	

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO**

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS
FIDUCIARY FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED
JUNE 30, 2008

	Private-Purpose Trust
	Scholarship
Additions:	
Gifts and contributions.	\$ 1,000
Total additions.	1,000
Deductions:	
Scholarships awarded	2,375
Change in net assets	(1,375)
Net assets at beginning of year	43,146
Net assets at end of year.	\$ 41,771

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO**

**BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008**

NOTE 1 - DESCRIPTION OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Anthony Wayne Local School District (the "District") is located in southwestern Lucas County including all of the Village of Whitehouse, Ohio, and portions of surrounding townships. The District serves an area of approximately 76.8 square miles.

The District is organized under Sections 2 and 3, Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Ohio. Under such laws, there is no authority for a school district to have a charter or adopt local laws. The legislative power of the District is vested in the Board of Education, consisting of five members elected at large for staggered four year terms.

The District ranks as the 89th largest by enrollment among the 896 public and community school districts in the State. It currently operates 3 elementary schools, 1 middle school, and 1 comprehensive high school. The District employs 199 non-certified and 271 certified (including administrative) full-time and part-time employees to provide services to approximately 4,264 students in grades K through 12 and various community groups.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The basic financial statements of the District have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (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 also applies Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Statements and Interpretations issued on or before November 30, 1989, to its governmental type activity provided they do not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements. The District's significant accounting policies are described below.

A. Reporting Entity

The reporting entity has been defined in accordance with GASB Statement No. 14, "The Financial Reporting Entity" as amended by GASB Statement No. 39, "Determining Whether Certain Organizations Are Component Units". The reporting entity is composed of the primary government, component units and other organizations that are included to ensure that the basic financial statements of the District are not misleading. The primary government consists of all funds, departments, boards and agencies that are not legally separate from the District. For the District, this includes general operations, foods service, preschool 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 government 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 have access to 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. 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).

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NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

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

JOINTLY GOVERNED ORGANIZATIONS

Northwest Ohio Computer Association

The District is a participant in the Northwest Ohio Computer Association (NWOCA) which is a computer consortium. NWOCA is an association of education entities within the boundaries of Defiance, Fulton, Henry, Lucas, Williams, and Wood counties in northwestern Ohio. 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 among member school districts. NWOCA is governed by the Northern Buckeye Education Council and its participating members. Financial information can be obtained from Cindy Siler, who serves as Treasurer, at 22-900 State Route 34, Archbold, Ohio 43502.

Northern Buckeye Education Council

The Northern Buckeye Education Council (NBEC) was established in 1979 to foster cooperation among school districts located in Defiance, Fulton, Henry, Lucas, Williams, and Wood counties. NBEC is organized under Ohio laws as a regional council of governments pursuant to a written agreement entered into by its member entities and bylaws adopted by the representatives of the member educational entities. NBEC is governed by an elected Board consisting of two representatives from each of the counties in which the member educational entities are located. The Board is elected from an Assembly consisting of a representative from each participating educational entity. To obtain financial information write to the Northern Buckeye Education Council, Cindy Siler, who serves as Treasurer, at 22-900 State Route 34, Archbold, Ohio 43502.

Northwestern Ohio Educational Research Council, Inc.

The Northwestern Ohio Educational Research Council, Inc. (NOERC) is a jointly governed organization formed to bring educational entities into a better understanding of their common educational problems, facilitate and conduct practical educational research, coordinate educational research among members, provide a means for evaluating and disseminating the results of research, serve as a repository for research and legislative materials, and provide opportunities for training. The NOERC serves a twenty five county area in Northwest Ohio. The Board of Directors consists of superintendents from two educational service centers, two exempted village school districts, five local school districts, and five city school districts, as well as representatives from two private or parochial schools and three institutions of higher education. Each active member is entitled to one vote on all issues addressed by the Board of Directors. Financial information can be obtained from the Northwestern Ohio Educational Research Council, Inc., Box 456, Ashland, Ohio 44805.

Penta Career Center

The Penta Career Center (the "Center") is a separate body politic and corporate, established by the Ohio Revised Code (ORC) to provide vocational and special education needs of the students. The Center accepts non-tuition students from the District as a member school; however, it is considered a separate political subdivision and is not considered to be part of the District. The District did not make any payments to the Center during fiscal year 2008. Financial information can be obtained from the Penta County Career Center, Carrie Herringshaw, who serves as Treasurer, at 30095 Oregon Road, Perrysburg, Ohio 43551-4594.

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B. Fund Accounting

The District uses funds to maintain its financial records during the year. A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self balancing set of accounts. There are three categories of funds: governmental, proprietary and fiduciary. The District has no proprietary funds.

GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

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

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

Debt Service Fund - The debt service fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources and payment of general obligation bond and principal and interest from governmental resources when the government is obligated in some manner for payment. It is also used to account for the accumulation of resources and payment of general obligation bonds and notes payable.

Permanent Improvement Fund - The permanent improvement capital projects fund is used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities.

Other governmental funds of the District are used to account for (a) financial resources to be used for the acquisition, construction, or improvement of capital facilities other than those financed by and trust funds; (b) for grants and other resources whose use is restricted to a particular purpose; and (c) for food service operations.

FIDUCIARY FUNDS

Fiduciary fund reporting focuses on net assets and changes in net assets. 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 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 only trust fund is a private purpose trust which accounts for scholarship programs for students. Agency funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of results of operations. The District's agency fund accounts for student activities.

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C. Basis of Presentation and Measurement Focus

Government-wide Financial Statements - The statement of net assets 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. Interfund services provided and used are not eliminated in the process of consolidation.

The government-wide statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each function or program of the governmental activities of the District. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a service, program or department and therefore clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include amounts paid by the recipient of 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. Revenues not classified as program revenues are presented as general revenues of the District.

The government-wide financial statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus. All assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of the District are included on the statement of net assets.

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 nonmajor funds are aggregated into one column. Fiduciary funds are reported by fund type.

All governmental funds are accounted for using a flow of current financial resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities generally are included on the balance sheet. The statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances reports on the sources (i.e., revenues and other financing sources) and uses (i.e., expenditures and other financing uses) of current financial resources. This approach differs from the manner in which the governmental activities of the government-wide financial statements are prepared. Governmental fund financial statements therefore include a reconciliation with brief explanations to better identify the relationship between the government-wide statements and the statements for governmental funds.

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

D. Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting determines when transactions are recorded in the financial records and reported on the financial statements. Government-wide financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Governmental funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting. Fiduciary funds also use the accrual basis of accounting.

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

Nonexchange transactions, in which the District receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include property taxes, grants, entitlements and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied (see Note 6).

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

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

Unearned Revenue and Deferred Revenue - Unearned revenue and deferred revenue arise when assets are recognized before revenue recognition criteria have been satisfied.

Property taxes for which there is an enforceable legal claim as of June 30, 2008, but which were levied to finance fiscal year 2009 operations, and other revenues received in advance of the fiscal year for which they are intended to finance, have been recorded as unearned revenue. Grants and entitlements received before the eligibility requirements are met and delinquent property taxes due at June 30, 2008 are recorded as deferred revenue.

On governmental fund financial statements, receivables that will not be collected within the available period have been reported as deferred revenue.

Expenses/Expenditures - On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred. The entitlement value of donated commodities used during the year is reported in the statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances as an expenditure with a like amount reported as intergovernmental revenue.

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

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E. Budgets

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

1. Prior to January 15 of the preceding year, the Superintendent and Treasurer submit to the Board of Education a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing the following July 1. The budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing for all funds. Public hearings are publicized and conducted to obtain taxpayers' comments. The express 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 Lucas County Budget Commission for tax rate determination. The Lucas County Budget Commission waived the tax budget filing requirement for the fiscal year 2008.
3. Prior to April 1, the Board of Education accepts, by formal resolution, the tax rates as determined by the Budget Commission and receives the Commission's certificate of estimated resources which states the projected revenue of each fund. Prior to June 30, the District must revise its budget so that total contemplated expenditures from any fund during the ensuing year will not exceed the amount stated in the certificate of estimated resources. The revised budget then serves as a basis for the appropriation measure. On or about July 1, the certificate of estimated resources is amended to include any unencumbered balances from the preceding year as reported by the District Treasurer. The certificate of estimated resources may be further amended during the year if projected increases or decreases in revenue are identified by the District Treasurer. The amounts reported as the original budgeted amounts in the budgetary statements reflect the amounts in the certificate of estimated resources when the original appropriations were adopted. The amounts reported as the final budgeted amounts in the budgetary statements reflect the amounts in the final amended certificate of estimated resources in effect when the final appropriations were passed by the Board of Education.
4. By July 1, the annual appropriation resolution is legally enacted by the Board of Education at the fund level of expenditures, which is the legal level of budgetary control. Although the legal level of budgetary control was established at the fund level of expenditures, the District has elected to present budgetary statement comparisons at the fund and function level of expenditures. State statute permits a temporary appropriation to be effective until no later than October 1 of each year. Resolution appropriations by fund must be within the estimated resources as certified by the County Budget Commission, and the total of expenditures and encumbrances may not exceed the appropriation total.
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 the general obligation bond indenture and other statutory provisions. All funds completed the year within the amount of their legally authorized cash basis appropriation.

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7. Appropriation amounts are as originally adopted, or as amended by the Board of Education through the year by supplemental appropriations which either reallocated or increased the original appropriated amounts. All supplemental appropriations were legally enacted by the Board during fiscal 2008. The amounts reported as the original budgeted amounts reflect the first appropriation for that fund that covered the entire fiscal year, including amounts automatically carried over from prior years. The amounts reported as the final budgeted amounts represent the final appropriation amounts passed by the Board of Education during the fiscal year.
8. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at year-end. Encumbered appropriations are carried forward to the succeeding fiscal year and need not be reappropriated. Expenditures may not legally exceed budgeted appropriations at the fund level.

F. Cash and Investments

To improve cash management, cash received by the District is pooled 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 2008, investments were limited to a repurchase agreement and investments in the State Treasury Asset Reserve of Ohio (STAR Ohio). Except for nonparticipating investment contracts, investments are reported at fair value, which is based on quoted market prices. Nonparticipating investment contracts, such as repurchase agreements, are reported at cost.

The District has invested funds in STAR Ohio during fiscal year 2008. 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, 2008.

Under existing Ohio statutes all investment earning 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 revenue credited to the general fund during fiscal year 2008 amounted to \$318,306, which includes \$217,113 assigned from other District 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 year-end is provided in Note 4.

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G. Inventory

On the government-wide and fund financial statements, purchased inventories are presented at the lower of cost or market and donated commodities are presented at their entitlement value. Inventories are recorded on a first-in, first-out basis and are expensed when used. Inventories are accounted for using the consumption method in the government wide financial statements and purchases method on the fund financial statements.

On the fund financial statements, reported material and supplies inventory is equally offset by a fund balance reserve in the governmental funds which indicates that it does not constitute available spendable resources even though it is a component of net current assets.

Inventory consists of expendable supplies held for consumption, donated food and purchased food.

H. Capital Assets

General capital assets generally result from expenditures in the governmental funds. These assets are reported in the governmental activities column of the government-wide statement of net assets but are not reported in the fund financial statements.

All capital assets are capitalized at cost (or estimated historical cost) and updated for additions and retirements during the year. Donated capital assets are recorded at their fair market values as of the date received. The District maintains a capitalization threshold of \$5,000. The District does not possess any infrastructure. Improvements are capitalized; the costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend an asset's life are not.

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

<u>Description</u>	Governmental Activities <u>Estimated Lives</u>
Land improvements	5 - 20 years
Buildings and improvements	20 - 50 years
Furniture and equipment	5 - 20 years
Vehicles	5 - 10 years

I. Interfund Balances

On fund financial statements, receivables and payables resulting from short-term interfund loans are classified as "interfund receivables/payables." These amounts are eliminated in the governmental activities column on the statement of net assets.

J. Compensated Absences

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

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

The total liability for vacation and sick leave has been calculated using pay rates in effect at June 30, 2008, and reduced to the maximum payment allowed by labor contract and/or statute, plus any additional salary related payments.

The entire compensated absence liability is reported on the government-wide financial statements.

For governmental fund financial statements, compensated absences are recognized as liabilities and expenditures as payments come due each period upon the occurrence of employee resignations and retirements.

K. Prepayments

Certain payments to vendors reflect the costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items in both government-wide and fund financial statements. These items are reported as assets on the balance sheet using the consumption method. A current asset for the prepaid amounts is recorded at the time of the purchase and the expenditure/expense is reported in the year in which services are consumed. At fiscal year end, because prepayments are not available to finance future governmental fund expenditures, the fund balance is reserved in the fund financial statements by an amount equal to the carrying value of the net assets.

L. Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Obligations

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

In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current financial resources, are reported as obligations of the funds. However, claims and judgments and compensated absences that will be paid from governmental funds are reported as a liability in the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are due for payment during the current year. Bonds, notes, capital leases and lease purchase agreements are recognized as a liability on the fund financial statements when due.

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M. Fund Reserves

Reserved fund balances indicate that portion of fund equity which is not available for current appropriation or is legally segregated for a specific use. Fund balances are reserved for encumbrances, materials and supplies inventory, prepayments, property taxes unavailable for appropriation, debt service and Bureau of Workers' Compensation (BWC) refunds. The unreserved portions of fund equity reflected for the governmental funds are available for use within the specific purposes of those funds. The reserve for tax revenue unavailable for appropriation represents taxes recognized as revenue under GAAP, but not available for appropriations under State statute.

N. Net Assets

Net assets represent the difference between assets and liabilities. Net assets invested in capital assets, net of related debt consist of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowings used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Net assets are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through enabling legislation or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments. The amount restricted for other purposes represent BWC refunds restricted by State statute.

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

O. Estimates

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

P. Restricted Assets

Restricted assets in the general fund represent cash and cash equivalents that are restricted in use by State statute. See Note 17 for detail.

Q. Interfund Activity

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

R. Nonpublic Schools

Within the boundaries of the District, Lial Catholic operates as a private school. State legislation provides funding to this parochial school. The District receives the money and then disburses the money to the Lucas County Educational Service Center. These transactions are reported as a governmental activity of the District.

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S. 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. The District did not have any extraordinary or special items during fiscal year 2008.

T. Unamortized Issuance Costs/Bond Premium and Discount/Accounting Gain or Loss

On the government-wide financial statements, issuance costs are deferred and amortized over the term of the bonds using the straight-line method. Unamortized issuance costs are recorded as a separate line item on the statement of net assets.

Bond premiums are deferred and amortized over the term of the bonds using the straight-line method, which approximates the effective interest method. Bond premiums are presented as an addition to the face amount of the bonds.

For advance refundings resulting in the defeasance of debt, the difference between the reacquisition price and the net carrying amount of the old debt is deferred and amortized as component of interest expense. This accounting gain or loss is amortized over the remaining life of the old debt or the life of the new debt, whichever is shorter and is presented as an addition to or reduction of the face amount of the new debt. On the governmental fund financial statements, issuance costs and bond premiums are recognized in the current period.

A reconciliation between the bonds face value and the amount reported on the statement of net assets is presented in Note 10.

NOTE 3 - ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE

A. Change in Accounting Principles

For fiscal year 2008, the District has implemented GASB Statement No. 45, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions", GASB Statement No. 48, "Sales and Pledges of Receivables and Future Revenues and Intra-Entity Transfers of Assets and Future Revenues", and GASB Statement No. 50, "Pension Disclosures".

GASB Statement No. 45 establishes uniform standards of financial reporting for other postemployment benefits and increases the usefulness and improves the faithfulness of representations in the financial reports. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 45 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the District; however, certain disclosures related to postemployment benefits (see Note 14) have been modified to conform to the new reporting requirements.

GASB Statement No. 48 establishes criteria to ascertain whether certain transactions should be regarded as sales or as collateralized borrowings, as well as disclosure requirements for future revenues that are pledged and sold. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 48 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the District.

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NOTE 3 - ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE - (Continued)

GASB Statement No. 50 establishes standards that more closely align the financial reporting requirements for pensions with those of other postemployment benefits. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 50 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the District.

B. Deficit Fund Balances

Fund balances at June 30, 2008 included the following individual fund deficits:

	<u>Deficit</u>
<u>Major governmental fund</u>	
General	\$ 745,239
<u>Nonmajor governmental funds</u>	
Title VI-B	27,106
Improving teacher quality	8,463

The general fund is liable for any deficits in these funds and provides transfers when cash is required, not when accruals occur. The deficit fund balances result from adjustments for accrued liabilities.

NOTE 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. 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;

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NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - (Continued)

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 items (1) or (2) above 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. 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,
8. Under limited circumstances, corporate debt interests rated in either of the two highest classifications by at least two nationally recognized rating agencies.

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

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

A. Cash on Hand

At year-end, the District had \$7,289 in undeposited 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, 2008, the carrying amount of all District deposits was \$(652,878), exclusive of the \$6,322,000 repurchase agreement included in investments below. A liability was not recorded for the negative carrying amount of deposits because there was no actual overdraft due to the "zero-balance" nature of the District's bank accounts. Based on the criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, "Deposits and Investment Risk Disclosures", as of June 30, 2008, \$183,677 of the District's bank balance of \$383,677 was exposed to custodial risk as discussed below, while \$200,000 was covered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

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NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - (Continued)

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, 2008, the District had the following investments and maturities:

<u>Investment type</u>	<u>Fair value</u>	<u>Investment Maturities</u> 6 months or less
Repurchase agreement	\$ 6,322,000	\$ 6,322,000
STAR Ohio	27,397	27,397
Total	<u>\$ 6,349,397</u>	<u>\$ 6,349,397</u>

Interest Rate Risk: Interest rate risk arises as 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: STAR Ohio carries a rating of AAAM by Standard & Poor's. Ohio law requires that STAR Ohio maintain the highest rating provided by at least one nationally recognized standard service rating. The District's investments in the federal agency securities that underlie the repurchase agreement, were rated AAA and Aaa by Standard & Poor's and Moody's Investor Services, respectively.

Custodial Credit Risk: For an investment, custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the District will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. Of the District's \$6,322,000 investment in repurchase agreements, the entire balance is collateralized by underlying securities that are held by the investment's counterparty, not in the name of the District. Ohio law requires the market value of the securities subject to repurchase agreements must exceed the principal value of securities subject to a repurchase agreement by 2%. The District has no investment policy dealing with investment custodial risk beyond the requirement in State statute that prohibits payment for investments prior to the delivery of the securities representing such investments to the treasurer or qualified trustee.

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NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - (Continued)

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, 2008:

<u>Investment type</u>	<u>Fair value</u>	<u>% of total</u>
Repurchase agreement	\$ 6,322,000	99.57
STAR Ohio	27,397	0.43
Total	<u>\$ 6,349,397</u>	<u>100.00</u>

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

The following is a reconciliation of cash and investments as reported in the footnote above to cash and investments as reported on the statement of net assets as of June 30, 2008:

<u>Cash and investments per footnote</u>		
Carrying amount of deposits	\$ (652,878)	
Investments	6,349,397	
Cash on hand	<u>7,289</u>	
Total	<u>\$ 5,703,808</u>	
 <u>Cash and investments per statement of net assets</u>		
Governmental activities	\$ 5,524,074	
Private-purpose trust fund	41,771	
Agency fund	<u>137,963</u>	
Total	<u>\$ 5,703,808</u>	

NOTE 5 - INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS

Interfund balances at June 30, 2008 as reported on the fund statements, consist of the following individual interfund loans receivable and payable:

<u>Receivable Fund</u>	<u>Payable Fund</u>	<u>Amount</u>
General fund	Nonmajor governmental funds	<u>\$ 198,882</u>

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

Interfund balances between governmental funds are eliminated on the government-wide financial statements.

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NOTE 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, public utility and tangible personal property (used in business) located in the District. Real property tax revenue received in calendar year 2008 represents collections of calendar year 2007 taxes. Real property taxes received in calendar year 2008 were levied after April 1, 2007, on the assessed value listed as of January 1, 2007, the lien date. Assessed values for real property taxes are established by State law at thirty-five percent of appraised market value. Real property taxes are payable annually or semi-annually. If paid annually, payment is due December 31; if paid semi-annually, the first payment is due December 31 with the remainder payable by June 20. Under certain circumstances, State statute permits alternate payment dates to be established.

Public utility property tax revenue received in calendar year 2008 represents collections of calendar year 2007 taxes. Public utility real and tangible personal property taxes received in calendar year 2008 became a lien December 31, 2006, were levied after April 1, 2007 and are collected in 2008 with real property taxes. Public utility real property is assessed at thirty-five percent of true value; public utility tangible personal property currently is assessed at varying percentages of true value.

Tangible personal property tax revenue received during calendar year 2008 (other than public utility property) represents the collection of 2008 taxes. Tangible personal property taxes received in calendar year 2008 were levied after April 1, 2007, on the value as of December 31, 2007. Tangible personal property tax is being phased out. For 2007, tangible personal property was assessed at 12.50% for property, including inventory. This percentage was reduced to 6.25% for 2008 and will be reduced to zero for 2009. Payments by multi-county taxpayers are due September 20. Single county taxpayers may pay annually or semi-annually. If paid annually, payment is due April 30; if paid semi-annually, the first payment is due April 30, with the remainder payable by September 20. Tangible personal property taxes paid by April 30 are usually received by the District prior to June 30.

House Bill No. 66 was signed into law on June 30, 2005. House Bill No. 66 phases out the tax on tangible personal property of general businesses, telephone and telecommunications companies, and railroads. The tax on general business and railroad property will be eliminated by calendar year 2009, and the tax on telephone and telecommunications property will be eliminated by calendar year 2011. The tax is phased out by reducing the assessment rate on the property each year. The bill replaces the revenue lost by the District due to the phasing out of the tax. In calendar years 2008-2010, the District will be fully reimbursed for the lost revenue. In calendar years 2011-2017, the reimbursements will be phased out.

The District receives property taxes from Lucas, Fulton, and Wood 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, 2008, are available to finance fiscal year 2008 operations. The amount available to be advanced can vary based on the date tax bills are sent. The amount available as an advance at June 30, 2008 was \$1,120,700 in the general fund, \$104,712 in the debt service fund and \$94,175 in the permanent improvement fund. This amount has been recorded as revenue. The amount that was available as an advance at June 30, 2007 was \$244,146 in the general fund, \$23,600 in the debt service fund and \$18,179 in the permanent improvement fund.

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NOTE 6 - PROPERTY TAXES - (Continued)

Accrued property taxes receivable includes real property, public utility property and tangible personal property taxes which are measurable as of June 30, 2008 and for which there is an enforceable legal claim. Although total property tax collections for the next fiscal year are measurable, only the amount of real property taxes available as an advance at June 30 was levied to finance current fiscal year operations and is reported as revenue at fiscal year-end. The portion of the receivable not levied to finance current fiscal year operations is offset by a credit to unearned revenue.

On a full accrual basis, collectible delinquent property taxes have been recorded as a receivable and revenue, while on a modified accrual basis the revenue has been deferred.

The assessed values upon which the fiscal year 2008 taxes were collected are:

	2007 Second Half Collections		2008 First Half Collections	
	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Agricultural/residential and other real estate	\$ 870,113,100	93.39	\$ 898,720,750	94.99
Public utility personal	17,742,870	1.90	17,844,030	1.88
Tangible personal property	<u>43,804,130</u>	<u>4.71</u>	<u>29,563,937</u>	<u>3.13</u>
Total	<u>\$ 931,660,100</u>	<u>100.00</u>	<u>\$ 946,128,717</u>	<u>100.00</u>
Tax rate per \$1,000 of assessed valuation	\$71.40		\$70.00	

NOTE 7 - RECEIVABLES

Receivables at June 30, 2008 consisted of taxes, accounts and intergovernmental grants and entitlements. All receivables are considered collectible in full due to the ability to foreclose for the nonpayment of taxes, the stable condition of State programs and the current year guarantee of Federal funds. A summary of the items of receivables reported on the statement of net assets follows:

Governmental activities:	
Taxes	\$ 25,456,026
Accounts	4,440
Intergovernmental	<u>141,441</u>
Total	<u>\$ 25,601,907</u>

Receivables have been disaggregated on the face of the basic financial statements. All receivables are expected to be collected within the subsequent year.

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NOTE 8 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, was as follows:

	<u>Balance</u> <u>June 30, 2007</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deductions</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>June 30, 2008</u>
Governmental activities:				
<i>Capital assets, not being depreciated:</i>				
Land	\$ 1,848,060	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,848,060
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	<u>1,848,060</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,848,060</u>
<i>Capital assets, being depreciated:</i>				
Land improvements	2,363,031	25,214	-	2,388,245
Building and improvements	33,433,187	57,488	-	33,490,675
Furniture and equipment	1,589,134	65,532	(5,114)	1,649,552
Vehicles	3,987,081	96,860	-	4,083,941
Total capital assets, being depreciated	<u>41,372,433</u>	<u>245,094</u>	<u>(5,114)</u>	<u>41,612,413</u>
<i>Less: accumulated depreciation:</i>				
Land improvements	(2,036,369)	(23,560)	-	(2,059,929)
Building and improvements	(11,756,148)	(646,815)	-	(12,402,963)
Furniture and equipment	(994,069)	(102,143)	5,114	(1,091,098)
Vehicles	(2,383,171)	(302,674)	-	(2,685,845)
Total accumulated depreciation	<u>(17,169,757)</u>	<u>(1,075,192)</u>	<u>5,114</u>	<u>(18,239,835)</u>
Governmental activities capital assets, net	<u>\$ 26,050,736</u>	<u>\$ (830,098)</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 25,220,638</u>

Depreciation expense was charged to governmental functions as follows:

<u>Instruction:</u>	
Regular	\$ 569,396
Special	26,803
Vocational	6,702
<u>Support services:</u>	
Instructional staff	2,917
Administration	3,638
Fiscal	2,000
Business	10,046
Operations and maintenance	45,796
Pupil transportation	299,635
Central	1,901
Non-instructional	3,629
Extracurricular activities	67,991
Food service operations	34,738
Total depreciation expense	<u>\$ 1,075,192</u>

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NOTE 9 - CAPITALIZED LEASES - LESSEE DISCLOSURE

- A. In prior years, the District entered into a capitalized lease for computer equipment. This lease agreement meets the criteria of a capital lease as defined by FASB Statement No. 13, “Accounting for Leases”, which defines a capital lease generally as one which transfers benefits and risks of ownership to the lessee. Capital lease payments have been reclassified and are reflected as debt service expenditures in the financial statements for the governmental funds. These expenditures are reported as regular function expenditures on the budgetary statements.

Assets under capital lease consisting of computer equipment have not been capitalized since the computer equipment is individually less than the District’s capitalization threshold of \$5,000.

During fiscal year 2008, principal and interest payments of \$106,203 and \$13,696, respectively, were paid from the permanent improvement fund.

The following is a schedule of the future long-term minimum lease payments required under the capital lease and the present value of the future minimum lease payments as of June 30, 2008:

<u>Fiscal Year Ending June 30,</u>	<u>Amount</u>
2009	\$ 119,898
Total minimum lease payments	119,898
Less: amount representing interest	<u>(7,055)</u>
Total	<u>\$ 112,843</u>

B. Lease Purchase Obligation

In a prior fiscal year, the District entered into a lease-purchase agreement with the Rickenbacker Port Authority (through the OASBO Expanded Asset Pooled Financing Program) for the purchase of school buses. US Bank has been designated as trustee for the agreement. The source of revenue to fund the principal and interest payments is general operating revenue of the District. During fiscal year 2004, the District refinanced the lease for an additional \$336,000, for a total of \$865,000.

Capital assets consisting of vehicles have been capitalized in the amount of \$938,598. Accumulated depreciation as of June 30, 2008 was \$402,681, leaving a current book value of \$535,917. A liability in the amount of the present value of minimum lease payments has been recorded in the statement of net assets. During fiscal year 2008, principal and interest payments of \$179,000 and \$14,795, respectively, were paid from the debt service fund.

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NOTE 9 - CAPITALIZED LEASES - LESSEE DISCLOSURE - (Continued)

The following is a summary of the District's future minimum annual payments to termination of the lease-purchase agreement:

<u>Fiscal Year Ending June 30,</u>	<u>Amount</u>
2009	<u>\$ 194,659</u>
Total minimum lease payments	194,659
Less: amount representing interest	<u>(7,659)</u>
Total	<u><u>\$ 187,000</u></u>

In conjunction with the lease-purchase agreement, the District entered into an escrow agreement with US Bank whereby US Bank acts as escrow agent for the funds received under the lease-purchase agreement. Under the escrow agreement, the District authorizes and directs US Bank to make disbursements to pay the project costs from the amount deposited with the escrow agent. The escrow agreement terminates upon termination of the lease-purchase agreement. There was no balance in this account at June 30, 2008.

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NOTE 10 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

A. The District's long-term obligations activity during fiscal year 2008 consisted of the following:

	Balance <u>July 1, 2007</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Reductions</u>	Balance <u>June 30, 2008</u>	Amounts Due Within <u>One Year</u>
Governmental activities:					
<i>General obligation bonds:</i>					
<u>Series 1993, refunding</u>					
Capital appreciation bonds	\$ 129,790	\$ -	\$ (17,958)	\$ 111,832	\$ 17,417
Accreted interest	743,722	115,422	(167,042)	692,102	158,319
<u>Series 1995, facilities improvement</u>					
Capital appreciation bonds	299,704	-	-	299,704	-
Accreted interest	1,204,917	221,471	-	1,426,388	-
<u>Series 2000, facilities improvement</u>					
Current interest bonds	1,045,000	-	(50,000)	995,000	50,000
Capital appreciation bonds	340,000	-	-	340,000	-
Accreted interest	246,657	50,502	-	297,159	-
<u>Series 2001, refunding</u>					
Current interest bonds	9,510,000	-	(560,000)	8,950,000	595,000
Capital appreciation bonds	139,995	-	-	139,995	-
Accreted interest	303,727	98,430	-	402,157	-
<u>Series 2001, facilities improvement</u>					
Current interest bonds	4,885,000	-	(135,000)	4,750,000	155,000
<u>Series 2006, refunding</u>					
Current interest bonds	6,170,000	-	(70,000)	6,100,000	75,000
Capital appreciation bonds	134,996	-	-	134,996	-
Accreted interest	42,464	37,469	-	79,933	-
Total G.O. bonds	<u>25,195,972</u>	<u>523,294</u>	<u>(1,000,000)</u>	<u>24,719,266</u>	<u>1,050,736</u>
<i>Other long-term obligations:</i>					
Capital leases payable	219,046	-	(106,203)	112,843	112,843
Lease purchase payable	366,000	-	(179,000)	187,000	187,000
Note payable	2,945,000	1,701,875	(2,945,000)	1,701,875	1,701,875
Compensated absences	1,694,571	582,888	(726,336)	1,551,123	491,680
Total other long-term obligations	<u>5,224,617</u>	<u>2,284,763</u>	<u>(3,956,539)</u>	<u>3,552,841</u>	<u>2,493,398</u>
Total governmental activities	<u>\$ 30,420,589</u>	<u>\$ 2,808,057</u>	<u>\$ (4,956,539)</u>	28,272,107	<u>\$ 3,544,134</u>
				Add: unamortized premium on bonds	567,247
				Less: unamortized deferred charges on refunding	(439,762)
				Total on statement of net assets	<u>\$ 28,399,592</u>

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- B.** In July of 1993, the District issued general obligation refunding bonds (Series 1993, refunding bonds). These bonds are general obligations of the District, for which its full faith and credit is pledged for repayment. On the fund financial statements, payments of principal and interest relating to these bonds are recorded as expenditures in the debt service fund. On the government-wide financial statements, principal payments reduce the liability reported on the statement of net assets. The source of payment is derived from a current 2.80 (average) mill bonded debt tax levy.

At June 30, 2008, this issue is comprised of capital appreciation bonds, par value \$111,832. The capital appreciation bonds mature each December 1, 2008 through 2013, (average interest 14.17%) at a redemption price equal to 100% of the principal, plus accrued interest to the redemption date. The accreted value at maturity for the capital appreciation bonds is \$1,140,000. Total accreted interest of \$692,102 has been included on the statement of net assets at June 30, 2008.

Interest payments on the current interest bonds are due on June 1 and December 1 of each year. The final maturity stated in the issue is December 1, 2013.

- C.** In 1995, the District issued general obligation bonds (Series 1995, facilities improvement bonds). These bonds were partially refunded in September of 2001 (see Note 10.E.). The non-refunded bonds are general obligations of the District, for which its full faith and credit is pledged for repayment. On the fund financial statements, payments of principal and interest relating to these bonds are recorded as expenditures in the debt service fund. On the government-wide financial statements, principal payments reduce the liability reported on the statement of net assets. The source of payment is derived from a current 2.80 (average) mill bonded debt tax levy.

At June 30, 2008, this issue is comprised of capital appreciation bonds, par value \$299,704. The capital appreciation bonds mature each December 1, 2009 through 2013, (average interest 14.25%) at a redemption price equal to 100% of the principal, plus accrued interest to the redemption date. The accreted value at maturity for the capital appreciation bonds is \$2,770,000. Total accreted interest of \$1,426,388 has been included on the statement of net assets at June 30, 2008.

Interest payments on the current interest bonds are due on June 1 and December 1 of each year. The final maturity stated in the issue is December 1, 2013.

- D.** On October 1, 2000, the District issued general obligation bonds (Series 2000, school facilities improvement bonds). A portion of these bonds (\$6,395,000) was refunded in 2006 (see Note 10.G.). These bonds are general obligations of the District, for which its full faith and credit is pledged for repayment. On the fund financial statements, payments of principal and interest relating to these bonds are recorded as expenditures in the debt service fund. On the government-wide financial statements, principal payments reduce the liability reported on the statement of net assets. The source of payment is derived from a current 2.80 (average) mill bonded debt tax levy.

This issue is comprised of current interest bonds, present value \$995,000 at June 30, 2008, and capital appreciation bonds, par value \$340,000. The capital appreciation bonds mature each December 1, 2012 through 2015, (effective interest 8.4311%) at a redemption price equal to 100% of the principal, plus accrued interest to the redemption date. The accreted value at maturity for the capital appreciation bonds is \$1,055,000. Total accreted interest of \$297,159 has been included on the statement of net assets at June 30, 2008.

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NOTE 10 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS - (Continued)

Interest payments on the current interest bonds are due on June 1 and December 1 of each year. The final maturity stated in the issue is December 1, 2030.

- E.** In September of 2001, the District issued general obligation refunding bonds (Series 2001, refunding bonds). These bonds refunded callable portion of the Series 1995 issue. These bonds are general obligations of the District, for which its full faith and credit is pledged for repayment. On the fund financial statements, payments of principal and interest relating to these bonds are recorded as expenditures in the debt service fund. On the government-wide financial statements, principal payments reduce the liability reported on the statement of net assets. The source of payment is derived from a current 2.80 (average) mill bonded debt tax levy.

This issue is comprised of current interest bonds, present value \$8,950,000 at June 30, 2008, and capital appreciation bonds, par value \$139,995. The capital appreciation bonds mature each December 1, 2014 through 2016, (effective interests 21.218% - 21.541%) at a redemption price equal to 100% of the principal, plus accrued interest to the redemption date. The accreted value at maturity for the capital appreciation bonds is \$2,410,000. Total accreted interest of \$402,157 has been included on the statement of net assets at June 30, 2008.

Interest payments on the current interest bonds are due on June 1 and December 1 of each year. The final maturity stated in the issue is December 1, 2016.

- F.** On November 27, 2001, the District issued \$5,750,000 in general obligation bonds (Series 2001, school facilities construction and improvement bonds). These bonds are general obligations of the District, for which its full faith and credit is pledged for repayment. On the fund financial statements, payments of principal and interest relating to these bonds are recorded as expenditures in the debt service fund. On the government-wide financial statements, principal payments reduce the liability reported on the statement of net assets. The source of payment is derived from a current 2.80 (average) mill bonded debt tax levy. The issue consists of current interest bonds, present value of \$4,750,000 at June 30, 2008, with interest rates ranging from 3.00% to 5.50%.

- G.** On December 28, 2005, the District issued general obligation refunding bonds (Series 2006, school facilities improvement bonds). These bonds refunded the \$6,395,000 callable portion of the Series 2000 issue. These bonds are general obligations of the District, for which its full faith and credit is pledged for repayment. On the fund financial statements, payments of principal and interest relating to these bonds are recorded as expenditures in the debt service fund. On the government-wide financial statements, principal payments reduce the liability reported on the statement of net assets. The source of payment is derived from a current 2.80 (average) mill bonded debt tax levy.

This issue is comprised of current interest bonds, present value \$6,100,000 at June 30, 2008, and capital appreciation bonds, par value \$134,996. The capital appreciation bonds mature each December 1, 2016 through 2018, (effective interest 20.109%) at a redemption price equal to 100% of the principal, plus accrued interest to the redemption date. The accreted value at maturity for the capital appreciation bonds is \$1,310,000. Total accreted interest of \$79,933 has been included on the statement of net assets at June 30, 2008.

Interest payments on the current interest bonds are due on June 1 and December 1 of each year. The final maturity stated in the issue is December 1, 2030.

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NOTE 10 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS - (Continued)

H. On May 15, 2007, the District issued \$2,945,000 in facilities notes in anticipation of the issuance of bonds for the purpose of constructing, renovating and improving facilities, and acquiring land. The notes bore an annual interest rate of 4.03%. These notes were retired with the re-issuance of \$1,701,875 in facilities notes on May 15, 2008 and a tax abatement of \$1,363,787, which was received due to the bankruptcy of the Dana Corporation. The tax abatement has been reported as “revenue in lieu of taxes” on the financial statements. These notes mature on May 15, 2009 and bear an annual interest rate of 3.15%.

I. Principal and interest requirements to retire the District’s long-term bonds are as follows:

Year Ended	Current Interest Bonds			Capital Appreciation Bonds		
	Principal	Interest	Total	Principal	Interest	Total
2009	\$ 875,000	\$ 957,947	\$ 1,832,947	\$ 17,417	\$ 172,583	\$ 190,000
2010	460,000	931,544	1,391,544	87,579	612,421	700,000
2011	480,000	912,161	1,392,161	83,598	636,402	720,000
2012	500,000	891,807	1,391,807	78,555	666,445	745,000
2013	410,000	872,922	1,282,922	145,609	814,391	960,000
2014 - 2018	2,220,000	4,099,993	6,319,993	576,376	4,348,624	4,925,000
2019 - 2023	7,765,000	2,905,433	10,670,433	37,393	407,607	445,000
2024 - 2028	6,000,000	1,037,923	7,037,923	-	-	-
2029 - 2031	2,085,000	169,812	2,254,812	-	-	-
Total	\$ 20,795,000	\$ 12,779,542	\$ 33,574,542	\$ 1,026,527	\$ 7,658,473	\$ 8,685,000

J. Other Long-Term Obligations

Compensated absences will be paid from the fund from which the employee is paid which, for the District, this is primarily the general fund and the food service fund, a nonmajor governmental fund.

The capital lease obligation is further described in Note 9.A.

The lease purchase obligation is further described in Note 9.B.

K. Legal Debt Margin

The Ohio Revised Code provides that voted net general obligation debt of the District shall never exceed 9% of the total assessed valuation of the District. The code further provides that unvoted indebtedness shall not exceed 1/10 of 1% of the property valuation of the District. The code additionally states that unvoted indebtedness related to energy conservation debt shall not exceed 9/10 of 1% of the property valuation of the District. The assessed valuation used in determining the District’s legal debt margin has been modified by House Bill 530 which became effective March 30, 2006. In accordance with House Bill 530, the assessed valuation used in the District’s legal debt margin calculation excluded tangible personal property used in business, telephone or telegraph property, interexchange telecommunications company property, and personal property owned or leased by a railroad company and used in railroad operations. The effects of these debt limitations at June 30, 2008, are a voted debt margin of \$60,994,891 (including available funds of \$603,586) and an unvoted debt margin of \$913,476.

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NOTE 11 - OTHER EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

A. Compensated Absences

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

Each employee earns sick leave at the rate of one and one-fourth days per month. Upon retirement, payment to certified employees is made for 33 percent of the total sick leave accumulation, up to a maximum accumulation of seventy-seven days. Classified employees are paid for 25 percent of the first 200 accumulated days, 33 percent for each day accumulated from 201 to 234 days, and one day for each year of service over 20 years. If a classified employee has accumulated a total of 235 sick days or more, and that employee has taken 15 or fewer sick days during the best 4 years of the last 6 years of employment, he/she may receive severance pay for a maximum of 80 days. An employee receiving such payment must meet the retirement provisions set by STRS Ohio and SERS.

B. Insurance Benefits

The District provides life insurance and accidental death and dismemberment insurance in the amount of \$50,000 to certified employees. For classified employees, group term life insurance is provided in the amount of \$50,000 employees under contract for thirty-five hours or more per week, \$20,000 for classified employees under contract for twenty to thirty-four hours per week, and \$10,000 for employees working less than twenty hours per week.

NOTE 12 - RISK MANAGEMENT

The District does not have a "self-insurance" fund with formalized risk management programs. The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets, injuries to employees and natural disasters.

During fiscal year 2008, The District purchased from Indiana Insurance Company, general liability insurance, which carried a \$1 million per occurrence/\$3 million annual aggregate limitation.

Fleet and property/casualty insurance are purchased through commercial carriers and traditionally funded, as are all benefit plans offered to employees.

Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded the commercial insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years. There has not been a significant reduction in amounts of insurance coverage from fiscal year 2007.

The District has elected to provide employee medical/surgical benefits through Aetna HMO, a fully funded program. The District provides dental insurance through Core Source, a fully funded program. The District also provides life insurance through the National Administrative Schools Insurance Fund.

Post employment health care is provided to plan participants or their beneficiaries through the respective retirement systems discussed in Note 14. As such, no funding provisions are required by the District.

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NOTE 12 - RISK MANAGEMENT - (Continued)

WORKERS' COMPENSATION

The District uses the firm of Sheakley Uniservice, Inc. to provide administrative support for claims processing, and to assist the District in compliance with Bureau of Workers Compensation and Industrial Commission regulations. The District purchases its workers compensation coverage from the Bureau of Workers' Compensation.

NOTE 13 - PENSION PLANS

A. School Employees Retirement System

Plan Description - The District contributes to the School Employees Retirement System (SERS), a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. SERS provides retirement and disability benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Authority to establish and amend benefits is provided by Chapter 3309 of the Ohio Revised Code. SERS issues a publicly available, stand-alone financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained by writing to the School Employees Retirement System, 300 East Broad Street, Suite 100, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3746. It is also posted on the SERS' Ohio website, www.ohsers.org, under *Forms and Publications*.

Funding Policy - Plan members are required to contribute 10 percent of their annual covered salary and the District is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The current District rate is 14 percent of annual covered payroll. A portion of the District's contribution is used to fund pension obligations with the remainder being used to fund health care benefits. For fiscal year 2008, 9.16 percent of annual covered salary was the portion used to fund pension obligations. The contribution requirements of plan members and employers are established and may be amended by the SERS' Retirement Board up to a statutory maximum amount of 10 percent for plan members and 14 percent for employers. Chapter 3309 of the Ohio Revised Code provides statutory authority for member and employer contributions. The District's required contributions for pension obligations to SERS for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2008, 2007 and 2006 were \$434,221, \$501,152 and \$473,073, respectively; 39.91 percent has been contributed for fiscal year 2008 and 100 percent for fiscal years 2007 and 2006.

B. State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio

Plan Description - The District participates in the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS Ohio), a cost-sharing, multiple-employer public employee retirement plan. 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 may 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.

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NOTE 13 - PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

New members have a choice of three retirement plans, a Defined Benefit (DB) Plan, a Defined Contribution (DC) Plan and a Combined Plan. The DB plan offers an annual retirement allowance based on final average salary times a percentage that varies based on years of service, or an allowance based on a member's lifetime contributions and earned interest matched by STRS Ohio funds divided by an actuarially determined annuity factor. The DC Plan allows members to place all their member contributions and employer contributions equal to 10.5 percent of earned compensation into an investment account. Investment decisions are made by the member. A member is eligible to receive a retirement benefit at age 50 and termination of employment. The member may elect to receive a lifetime monthly annuity or a lump sum withdrawal. The Combined Plan offers features of both the DC Plan and the DB Plan. In the Combined Plan, member contributions are invested by the member, and employer contributions are used to fund the defined benefit payment at a reduced level from the regular DB Plan. The DB portion of the Combined Plan payment is payable to a member on or after age 60; the DC portion of the account may be taken as a lump sum or converted to a lifetime monthly annuity at age 50. Benefits are established by Chapter 3307 of the Ohio Revised Code.

A DB or Combined Plan member with five or more years credited service who becomes disabled may qualify for a disability benefit. Eligible spouses and dependents of these active members who die before retirement may qualify for survivor 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 - For fiscal year 2008, plan members were required to contribute 10 percent of their annual covered salaries. The District was required to contribute 14 percent; 13 percent was the portion used to fund pension obligations. Contribution rates are established by the State Teachers Retirement Board, upon recommendations of its consulting actuary, not to exceed statutory maximum rates of 10 percent for members and 14 percent for employers. Chapter 3307 of the Ohio Revised Code provides statutory authority for member and employer contributions.

The District's required contributions for pension obligations to STRS Ohio for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2008, 2007, and 2006 were \$2,003,187, \$2,034,789, and \$1,925,566, respectively; 82.99 percent has been contributed for fiscal year 2008 and 100 percent for fiscal years 2007 and 2006. Contributions to the DC and Combined Plans for fiscal year 2008 were \$34,379 made by the District and \$91,181 made by the plan members.

C. Social Security System

Effective July 1, 1991, all employees not otherwise covered by SERS/STRS Ohio have an option to choose Social Security or SERS/STRS Ohio. As of June 30, 2008, certain members of the Board of Education have elected Social Security. The District's liability is 6.2 percent of wages paid.

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NOTE 14 - POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

A. School Employees Retirement System

Plan Description - The District participates in two cost-sharing, multiple employer postemployment benefit plans administered by the School Employees Retirement System (SERS) for non-certificated retirees and their beneficiaries, a Health Care Plan and a Medicare Part B Plan. The Health Care Plan includes hospitalization and physicians' fees through several types of plans including HMO's, PPO's and traditional indemnity plans as well as a prescription drug program. The Medicare Part B Plan reimburses Medicare Part B premiums paid by eligible retirees and beneficiaries up to a statutory limit. Benefit provisions and the obligations to contribute are established by the System based on authority granted by State statute. The financial reports of both Plans are included in the SERS Comprehensive Annual Financial Report which is available by contacting SERS at 300 East Broad St., Suite 100, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3746.

Funding Policy - State statute permits SERS to fund the health care benefits through employer contributions. Each year, after the allocation for statutorily required benefits, the Retirement Board allocates the remainder of the employer contribution of 14 percent of covered payroll to the Health Care Fund. The Health Care Fund was established and is administered in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 401h. For 2008, 4.18 percent of covered payroll was allocated to health care. In addition, employers pay a surcharge for employees earning less than an actuarially determined amount; for 2008, this amount was \$35,800.

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.

The District's contributions for health care for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2008, 2007, and 2006 were \$299,615, \$265,194, and \$236,488, respectively; 39.91 percent has been contributed for fiscal year 2008 and 100 percent for fiscal years 2007 and 2006.

The Retirement Board, acting with advice of the actuary, allocates a portion of the employer contribution to the Medicare B Fund. For fiscal year 2008, this actuarially required allocation was 0.66 percent of covered payroll. The District's contributions for Medicare Part B for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2008, 2007, and 2006 were \$31,287, \$34,078, and \$37,653, respectively; 39.91 percent has been contributed for fiscal year 2008 and 100 percent for fiscal years 2007 and 2006.

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 or by calling (888) 227-7877.

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NOTE 14 - POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS - (Continued)

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 2008, STRS Ohio allocated employer contributions equal to 1 percent of covered payroll to the Health Care Stabilization Fund. The District's contributions for health care for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2008, 2007, and 2006 were \$154,091, \$156,522, and \$148,120, respectively; 82.99 percent has been contributed for fiscal year 2008 and 100 percent for fiscal years 2007 and 2006.

NOTE 15 - BUDGETARY BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

While reporting financial position, results of operations, and changes in fund balance on the basis of GAAP, the budgetary basis as provided by law is based upon accounting for certain transactions on a basis of cash receipts and disbursements.

The statement of revenue, expenditures, and changes in fund balance - budget and actual (non-GAAP 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 GAAP basis are that:

- (a) Revenues and other financing sources are recorded when received in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when susceptible to accrual (GAAP basis);
- (b) Expenditures and other financing uses are recorded when paid in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when the liability is incurred (GAAP basis);
- (c) 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 an expenditure, as opposed to a reservation of fund balance for that portion of outstanding encumbrances not already recognized as an account payable (GAAP basis);
- (d) Advances-in and advances-out are operating transactions (budget basis) as opposed to balance sheet transactions (GAAP basis).

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

Net Change in Fund Balance

	<u>General Fund</u>
Budget basis	\$ 907,600
Net adjustment for revenue accruals	843,810
Net adjustment for expenditure accruals	334,776
Net adjustment for other sources/uses	56,480
Adjustment for encumbrances	237,781
GAAP basis	\$ 2,380,447

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NOTE 16 - 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 involved in any material litigation as either plaintiff or defendant.

NOTE 17 - STATUTORY RESERVES

The District is required by State law to set-aside certain general fund revenue amounts, as defined by statute, into various reserves. These reserves are calculated and presented on a cash basis. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, the reserve activity was as follows:

	<u>Textbooks/ Instructional Materials</u>	<u>Capital Acquisition</u>	<u>BWC Refunds</u>
Set-aside balance as of June 30, 2007	\$ (811,467)	\$ (10,551,621)	\$ 34,698
Current year set-aside requirement	650,154	650,154	-
Current year off-set credits	-	(1,790,981)	-
Qualifying disbursements	<u>(839,653)</u>	<u>(1,987,446)</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	<u>\$ (1,000,966)</u>	<u>\$ (13,679,894)</u>	<u>\$ 34,698</u>
Balance carried forward to FY 2009	<u>\$ (1,000,966)</u>	<u>\$ (10,551,621)</u>	<u>\$ 34,698</u>

Monies representing BWC refunds that were received prior to April 10, 2001, have been shown as a restricted asset and reserved fund balance in the general fund since allowable expenditures are restricted by State statute. The District is required by State law to maintain the textbook/instructional materials reserve and the capital acquisition reserve. The District had qualifying disbursements during the year that reduced the set-aside amounts below zero for the textbooks/instructional materials reserve. This extra amount may be used to reduce the set-aside requirement for future years. The negative amount is therefore presented as being carried forward to the next fiscal year. The capital acquisition reserve had debt related offsets that may be carried forward to future years. Excess qualifying disbursements may not be carried forward.

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NOTE 17 - STATUTORY RESERVES - (Continued)

A schedule of the governmental fund restricted assets at June 30, 2008 follows:

Amount restricted for BWC refunds	<u>\$ 34,698</u>
Total restricted assets	<u><u>\$ 34,698</u></u>

NOTE 18 - FISCAL CAUTION

On March 22, 2007 the District was declared to be in fiscal caution by the Auditor of State. There are several conditions which determine whether a District should be declared in fiscal caution, among which include the failure to pass a levy to eliminate the operating deficit in the succeeding year. The District is currently working with the State to meet criteria for terminating the fiscal caution status.

SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008**

FEDERAL GRANTOR/ SUB GRANTOR/ PROGRAM TITLE	CFDA NUMBER	(A) PASS-THROUGH GRANT NUMBER	(B) CASH FEDERAL RECEIPTS	(B) CASH FEDERAL DISBURSEMENTS
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE PASSED THROUGH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:				
(C) Food Donation	10.550	2008	\$ 55,780	\$ 55,780
Total Food Donation			<u>55,780</u>	<u>55,780</u>
(D) National School Lunch Program	10.555	2007	13,585	13,585
(D) National School Lunch Program	10.555	2008	129,867	129,867
Total National School Lunch Program			<u>143,452</u>	<u>143,452</u>
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			<u>199,232</u>	<u>199,232</u>
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PASSED THROUGH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:				
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	84.010	2008	94,532	92,578
Total Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies			<u>94,532</u>	<u>92,578</u>
(E) Special Education Grants to States	84.027	2007	(49,630)	-
(E) Special Education Grants to States	84.027	2008	910,320	954,081
Total Special Education Grants to States			<u>860,690</u>	<u>954,081</u>
Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities State Grants	84.186	2008	3,425	8,950
Total Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities State Grants			<u>3,425</u>	<u>8,950</u>
State Grants for Innovative Programs	84.298	2008	3,060	9,859
Total State Grants for Innovative Programs			<u>3,060</u>	<u>9,859</u>
Education Technology State Grants	84.318	2008	950	950
Total Education Technology State Grants			<u>950</u>	<u>950</u>
(E) Improving Teacher Quality State Grants	84.367	2007	(2,898)	-
(E) Improving Teacher Quality State Grants	84.367	2008	63,884	69,499
Total Improving Teacher Quality State Grants			<u>60,986</u>	<u>69,499</u>
Total U.S. Department of Education			<u>1,023,643</u>	<u>1,135,917</u>
Total Federal Financial Assistance			<u>\$ 1,222,875</u>	<u>\$ 1,335,149</u>

- (A) OAKS did not assign pass-through numbers for fiscal year 2008.
 (B) This schedule was prepared on the cash basis of accounting.
 (C) The Food Donation Program is a non-cash, in kind, federal grant. Commodities are reported at the entitlement value.
 (D) Commingled with state and local revenue from sales of lunches; assumed expenditures were made on a first-in, first-out basis.
 (E) The District generally must spend Federal assistance within 15 months of receipt (funds must be obligated by June 30th and spent by September 30th). However, with Ohio Department of Education ("ODE")'s approval, a District can transfer unspent Federal assistance to the succeeding year, thus allowing the District a total of 27 months to spend the assistance. Schools can document this by using special cost centers for each year's activity, and transferring the amounts ODE approves between the cost centers. During fiscal year 2008, the ODE authorized the following transfers:

Program Title	CFDA	Grant Year	Transfers Out	Transfers In
Special Education Grants to States	84.027	2007	\$ 49,630	
Special Education Grants to States	84.027	2008		\$ 49,630
Improving Teacher Quality State Grants	84.367	2007	2,898	
Improving Teacher Quality State Grants	84.367	2008		2,898
Totals			<u>\$ 52,528</u>	<u>\$ 52,528</u>



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Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Basic Financial Statements Performed in Accordance With *Government Auditing Standards*

Board of Education
Anthony Wayne Local School District
9565 Bucher Road
P.O. Box 2487
Whitehouse, Ohio 43571

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Anthony Wayne Local School District as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, which collectively comprise Anthony Wayne Local School District's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated December 5, 2008. 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.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Anthony Wayne Local School District's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Anthony Wayne Local School District's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Anthony Wayne Local School District's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the Anthony Wayne Local School District's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the Anthony Wayne Local School District's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the Anthony Wayne Local School District's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the Anthony Wayne Local School District's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

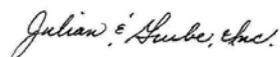
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Compliance and Other Matters

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

We noted certain matters that we reported to the management of the Anthony Wayne Local School District in a separate letter dated December 5, 2008.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the management and Board of Education of the Anthony Wayne Local School District and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.



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Report on Compliance With Requirements Applicable to Its Major Program and on Internal Control Over Compliance in Accordance With OMB Circular A-133

Board of Education
Anthony Wayne Local School District
9565 Bucher Road
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Compliance

We have audited the compliance of the Anthony Wayne Local School 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 fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The Anthony Wayne Local School District's major federal program is identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to its major federal program is the responsibility of the Anthony Wayne Local School District's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Anthony Wayne Local School 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, *Audit 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 Anthony Wayne Local School 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 Anthony Wayne Local School District's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the Anthony Wayne Local School District complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to its major federal program for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008.

Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of the Anthony Wayne Local School 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 Anthony Wayne Local School District's internal control over compliance with the 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, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Anthony Wayne Local School District's internal control over compliance.

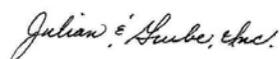
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A control deficiency in Anthony Wayne Local School District's internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects Anthony Wayne Local School District's ability to administer a federal program such that there is more than a remote likelihood that noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the Anthony Wayne Local School District's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented or detected by Anthony Wayne Local School District's internal control.

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 that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management and Board of Education of the Anthony Wayne Local School District and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.



Julian & Grube, Inc.
December 5, 2008

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO
JUNE 30, 2008**

**SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS
OMB CIRCULAR A-133 § .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 weaknesses reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?</i>	No
<i>(d)(1)(ii)</i>	<i>Were there any other significant deficiencies in internal control reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?</i>	No
<i>(d)(1)(iii)</i>	<i>Was there any reported material noncompliance at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?</i>	No
<i>(d)(1)(iv)</i>	<i>Were there any material internal control weaknesses reported for major federal programs?</i>	No
<i>(d)(1)(iv)</i>	<i>Were there any significant deficiencies in internal control 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 §.510?</i>	No
<i>(d)(1)(vii)</i>	<i>Major Program (listed):</i>	Special Education: Grants to States CFDA#: 84.027
<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.

3. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS

None.

**ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
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**STATUS OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS
OMB CIRCULAR A-133 § .505
JUNE 30, 2008**

<u>Finding Number</u>	<u>Finding Summary</u>	<u>Fully Corrected?</u>	Not Corrected, Partially Corrected; Significantly Different Corrective Action Taken; or Finding No Longer Valid; <i>Explain:</i>
2007-AWLSLSD-001	Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.38 requires the annual appropriation measure to be passed on or about the first day of each fiscal year. The District did not approve permanent appropriations by this time.	Yes	N/A
2007-AWLSLSD-002	Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.41(B) requires in part that no subdivision is to expend monies unless it has been appropriated. The District had expenditures in excess of appropriations for all months during the fiscal year.	No	Partially corrected - moved to Management Letter
2007-AWLSLSD-003	Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.40 outlines the requirements for amending and supplementing appropriations. Expenditures exceeded appropriations in certain funds during the fiscal year.	No	Partially corrected - moved to Management Letter



Mary Taylor, CPA
Auditor of State

ANTHONY WAYNE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LUCAS 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
DECEMBER 31, 2008