

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT WEST GROVE, PENNSYLVANIA

AUDIT REPORT

JUNE 30, 2023

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

November 14, 2023

Members of the Board Avon Grove School District West Grove, Pennsylvania

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Avon Grove School District ("the District"), West Grove, Pennsylvania, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Avon Grove School District, West Grove, Pennsylvania, as of June 30, 2023, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof and the respective budgetary comparison for the general fund for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinions

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

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

The District's management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

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

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS and Government Auditing Standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to
 fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such
 procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures
 in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit
 procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an
 opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is
 expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

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

Emphasis of a Matter

As discussed in Notes 1 and 19 to the financial statements, the Avon Grove School District has adopted the requirements of GASB Statement No. 96, "Subscription-Based Information Technology Arrangements." The purpose of this statement is to increase the usefulness of governmental financial statements by requiring recognition of certain assets and liabilities related to subscription based information technology arrangements in a manner similar to leases of tangible assets. As a result, the District has restated is governmental activities net position as of July 1, 2021. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Report on Summarized Comparative Information

We have previously audited the District's 2022 financial statements, and we expressed unmodified opinions on the respective financial statements of the governmental activities, business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information in our report dated November 4, 2022. In our opinion, the summarized comparative information presented herein as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022 is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited financial statements from which it has been derived.

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis on pages 5 through 19, and schedule of the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability, schedule of District pension contributions, schedule of the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability, schedule of District OPEB contributions, and schedule of changes in the District's net OPEB liability - single employer plan on pages 66 through 70 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information or provide any assurance.

<u>Supplementary Information</u>

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements. The schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as

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required by the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* ("Uniform Guidance"), is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The schedule of expenditures of federal awards is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of federal awards are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated November 14, 2023, on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering the District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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Management's Discussion & Analysis ("MD&A") for the Avon Grove School District's ("the District") financial performance provides an overall review of the District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023. The intent of the MD&A is to look at the financial performance as a whole. Readers should review the basic financial statements and corresponding notes to the financial statements to enhance their understanding of the District's financial performance.

The MD&A is an element of the reporting model adopted by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") in their Statement No. 34, "Basic Financial Statements – and Management's Discussion and Analysis – for State and Local Governments." Certain comparative information between the current year and the prior year is required to be presented in the MD&A.

SCHOOL DISTRICT

The District is a public school district in Chester County, Pennsylvania organized under the Public School Code of Pennsylvania. The District provides educational programs from kindergarten through twelfth grade to students who are residents of the District and non-residents on a tuition basis. The District maintains four school buildings under the following grade structure (K-2, 3-6, 7-8, and 9-12).

MISSION STATEMENT

The purpose of the District is to foster a learning environment for all students to be exceptionally well-prepared to succeed and lead full and meaningful lives.

SCHOOL DISTRICT FINANCIAL HISTORY

The District and its predecessors have never defaulted on the payment of lease rentals or debt service. The status of the District's present indebtedness is shown in the Debt Administration section on page 18.

FUTURE FINANCING

The District did not issue any new general obligation bonds or debt in the 2022-2023 fiscal year, and does not anticipate any significant borrowings in the near future.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

During 2022-2023, the District was fully immersed in the construction phase of a new high school facility, and the renovation of the existing high school in preparation to convert it into a middle school. The new high school facility opened in September 2022, with ongoing exterior projects and punch list items lasting through most of the year. The construction phase of the renovation project began in the summer of 2022, with the building re-opening for school in August 2023. Construction costs for the year ended June 30, 2023 for both projects totaled \$26,506,106. Architectural, engineering, and

project management services for these projects totaled \$863,379. In addition, the District spent \$2,165,395 on furniture and equipment to outfit the new high school, and on other ancillary costs related to both projects during the fiscal year.

Instructionally, the District continued to use COVID-relief funding to provide students with supplementary academic and social-emotional support throughout 2022-2023. In 2021-2022, the District launched its Accelerating Growth initiative, which was intended to help students recover from the pandemic shutdown in 2020, and the following period of virtual learning. The Accelerating Growth plan continued into 2022-2023 using funding from the Elementary and Secondary Emergency Relief (ESSER) fund to provide students with additional resources. Several key resources included:

- Seven additional reading and math specialist positions to provide individualized or small-group instruction for students struggling in those content areas
- Adding positions for school counselors and nurses to ensure students' mental and physical health needs were being met
- Contracting behavioral support counselors and analysts to work with students presenting trends of problematic behaviors, and working with those students to improve their behavior
- Increasing staffing levels of psychologists and caseworkers to evaluate students to determine if they required specialized services, and connect students and their families with needed resources outside of the District

These initiatives were funded by federal COVID relief grants authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations (CRSSA) Act of 2021, and the American Rescue Plan (ARP) Act of 2021. A summary of expenditures funded by these grants follows.

	CRRSA ESSER II		arp Esser III	Total ESSER Funding
Instruction:		•		
Regular programs	\$	-	\$ 1,100,213	\$ 1,100,213
Special programs		-	88,091	88,091
Total Instruction		-	1,188,304	1,188,304
Support services:				
Pupil personnel services	2	20,725	163,550	384,275
Pupil health		59,168	-	59,168
Total Support Services	2	79,893	163,550	443,443
Totals	\$ 2	79,893	\$ 1,351,854	\$ 1,631,747

Overall, the District ended the 2022-2023 fiscal year with a \$11,247,536 increase in overall net position. The District's net deficit totaled \$47,103,768 at June 30, 2023. The District's General Fund ended the 2022-2023 fiscal year with an increase in fund balance of \$4,200,806. The increase is the

result of a number of factors, particularly investment earnings being much higher than budgeted due to the number of interest rate increases enacted by the Federal Reserve. Table A-5 will provide more detail to the General Fund budget vs. actual variances. The Capital Projects Fund realized a decrease in fund balance of \$29,508,550 due to capital spending for the high school construction and middle school renovation. The Food Service Fund realized an increase in net position of \$491,508 due to additional funding provided from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for a universal free breakfast program, and from cost savings due to vacancies and other efficiencies.

The 2023-2024 budget approved in June 2023 included the appropriation of \$4,344,582 of fund balance, which has been included as a portion of the assigned fund balance. Other assigned fund balance amounts include a reserve for future capital projects (\$10,000,000), future losses from real estate tax appeals (\$1,500,000) and future increases in pupil service costs (\$500,000). The General Fund reported a positive total fund balance at June 30, 2023 of \$31,065,668. The Capital Projects Fund reported a positive total fund balance of \$7,876,979, of which \$26,008 is nonspendable and relates to prepaid expenditures, and \$7,850,971 is restricted for capital projects.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements consist of three parts: Management Discussion and Analysis (this section), the basic financial statements, and required supplementary information ("RSI"). The basic financial statements include two kinds of statements that present different views of the District.

- The first two statements are government-wide financial statements the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities. These provide both long-term and short-term information about the District's overall financial status.
- The remaining statements are fund financial statements that focus on individual parts of the District's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements.
- The governmental funds statements tell how basic services such as regular and special education were financed in the short term as well as what remains for future spending.
- Proprietary fund statements offer short and long-term financial information about the activities
 that the District operates like a business. For the District, this is the Food Service Fund and the
 Internal Service Fund.
- Custodial fund statements provide information about financial relationships where the District acts solely as a trustee or agent for the benefit of others.

The financial statements also include notes that explain some of the information in the financial statements and provide more detailed data. The statements are followed by a section of required supplementary information that further explains and reports the financial statements.

Figure A-1 shows how the required parts of the Financial Section are arranged and relate to one another:

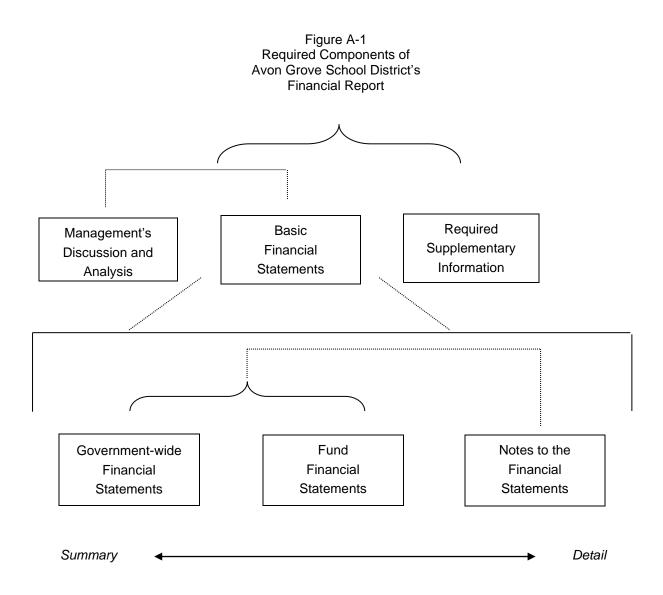


Figure A-2 summarizes the major features of the financial statements, including the portion of the program they cover and the types of information they contain. The remainder of this overview section of management discussion and analysis explains the structure and contents of each of the statements.

Figure A-2 Major Features of Avon Grove School District's Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

Fund Statements

	Government-	Cavaramental Funda	Dropriotory Funda	Custodial Funda
	Wide Statements	Governmental Funds	Proprietary Funds	Custodial Funds
Scope	Entire District (except custodial funds)	The activities of the District that are not proprietary or fiduciary, such as education, administration, and community services	An activity the District operates similar to private business – Food Service and Internal Service	Instances in which the District is the trustee or custodian to someone else's resources – Student Activities Fund
Required financial statements	Statement of Net Position Statement of Activities	Balance Sheet Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance	Statement of Net Position Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position Statement of Cash Flows	Statement of Fiduciary Net Position – Custodial Fund Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position – Custodial fund
Accounting basis and measurement focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Modified accrual accounting and current financial resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus
Type of asset/deferred outflow of resources/liability/ deferred inflow of resources/ information	All assets and deferred outflows of resources and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources, both financial and capital, and short-term and long-term	Only assets and deferred outflows of resources expected to be used up and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources that come due during the year or soon thereafter; no capital assets included	All assets and deferred outflows of resources and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources, both financial and capital, and short-term and long-term	All assets and deferred outflows of resources and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources, both short-term and long-term
Type of inflow- outflow information	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	Revenues for which cash is received during or soon after the end of the year; expenditures when goods or services have been received and payment is due during the year or soon thereafter	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid

OVERVIEW OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Impact of GASB Statement No. 68, 71, and 75

During the 2014-2015 year, the District implemented Government Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") Statement No. 68, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions," and GASB Statement No. 71, "Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date - An Amendment of GASB Statement No. 68." During the 2017-2018 fiscal year, the District implemented GASB Statement No. 75, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions." The purpose of these statements is to improve the transparency, consistency, and comparability of the pension and other postemployment benefit information reported by state and local governments (e.g. school districts).

The adoption of these statements has had, and will continue to have, a profound effect on the financial statements and net position of school districts and governments not only in Pennsylvania, but across the nation. By recognizing the impact of any unfunded liability faced by defined benefit pension and OPEB plans, plan administrators (at the direction of elected officials) and participants will be required to evaluate the cost of providing these benefits as compared to the benefit to be derived through providing for certain retirement benefits to the work force.

The net pension liability is the difference between the market value of pension fund assets and the actuarial present value of projected benefit payments at the measurement date. Included in the calculation are projected employer and employee contributions as well as the expectation that the assets will grow at the long-term assumed rate of return on plan investments. Similarly, the net OPEB liability is the difference between the market value of OPEB fund assets and the actuarial present value of the projected retiree healthcare benefits as of a specified measurement date.

While both the net pension liability and the net OPEB liability are significant to the District's financial statements, they are liabilities the District has limited control over. Over the last thirteen years, the PSERS employer contribution rate has risen significantly, from 5.6 percent in 2010-2011 to 35.26 percent in 2022-2023. These increases are expected to improve the plan's funding level, which will reduce the net pension liability in future years. This rate is anticipated to continue to increase to a level of over 38 percent in future years. In addition, the benefits paid by the District to eligible retirees for retiree healthcare benefits are governed by the collective bargaining agreements and contracts in effect at the time of a given retiree's retirement; until these individuals receive their full benefits and future bargaining agreements and contracts are modified, the District will have very limited control over the value of its net OPEB liability.

Government-wide Statements

The government-wide statements report information about the District as a whole using accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The statement of net position includes all of the government's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the statement of activities regardless of when cash is received or paid.

The two government-wide statements report the District's net position and how it has changed. Net position, the difference between the District's assets and deferred outflows of resources and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources, is one way to measure the District's financial health or position.

- Over time, increases or decreases in the District's net position are an indication of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating, respectively.
- To assess the overall health of the District, readers should consider additional factors in conjunction with the information provided in the financial statements, such as changes in the level of funding provided by the Commonwealth, increases in the required PSERS contribution rate, and the projected enrollment of the students.

The government-wide financial statements of the District are divided into two categories:

- Governmental Activities All of the District's basic services are included here, such as
 instruction, administration, and community services. Local tax revenue and state subsidies
 finance most of these activities.
- Business-type Activities The District operates a food service operation and charges fees to staff, students, and visitors to help it cover the costs of the food service operation.

Fund Financial Statements

The District's fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the District's funds, focusing on its most significant or "major" funds – not the District as a whole. Some funds are required by state law and by bond requirements.

- Governmental funds Most of the District's activities are reported in governmental funds, which focus on the determination of financial position and change in financial position, not on income determination. They are reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting, which measures cash and all other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the District's operations and the services it provides. Governmental fund information helps the reader determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the District's programs. The relationship (or differences) between governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) and governmental funds is reconciled in the financial statements.
- Proprietary funds These funds are used to account for the District's activities that are similar
 to business operations in the private sector; or where the reporting is on determining net
 income, financial position, changes in financial position, and a significant portion of funding
 through user charges. When the District charges customers for services it provides whether
 to outside customers or to other units in the District these services are generally reported in

proprietary funds. The Food Service Fund is the same as the business-type activities reported in the government-wide statements but provide more detail and additional information, such additional information, such as cash flows. The District also operates an Internal Service Fund which reflects medical premiums and claims of the District's employees.

Custodial funds – The District is the trustee, or fiduciary, for assets that belong to others, such
as student activity funds. The District is responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in
these funds are used only for their intended purposes and by those to whom the assets
belong. The District excludes these activities from the District-wide financial statements
because it cannot use these assets to finance its operations.

A comparative analysis of fiscal years 2022-2023 and 2021-2022 follows:

Table A-1 STATEMENT OF NET POSITION June 30, 2023 and June 30, 2022

	Governmental	Business-type	ness-typeTota	
	Activities	Activities	2023	2022
ASSETS: Current and other assets Capital and right to use assets	\$ 61,797,585 158,694,568	\$ 2,008,110 40,606	\$ 63,805,695 158,735,174	\$ 95,558,786 132,282,420
TOTAL ASSETS	220,492,153	2,048,716	222,540,869	227,841,206
Deferred Outflows of Resources	22,010,545	338,458	22,349,003	24,232,944
TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	\$242,502,698	\$ 2,387,174	\$244,889,872	\$252,074,150
LIABILITIES: Current liabilities Long-term liabilities	\$ 22,299,502 253,395,527	\$ 172,122 1,969,036	\$ 22,471,624 255,364,563	\$ 29,251,085 254,902,286
TOTAL LIABILITIES	275,695,029	2,141,158	277,836,187	284,153,371
Deferred Inflows of Resources	14,072,371	85,082	14,157,453	26,272,083
NET POSITION (DEFICIT): Net investment in capital assets Restricted Unrestricted (Deficit)	34,826,585 374,071 (82,465,358) (47,264,702)	40,606 - 120,328 160,934	34,867,191 374,071 (82,345,030) (47,103,768)	38,193,756 - (96,545,060) (58,351,304)
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND NET POSITION (DEFICIT)	\$242,502,698	\$ 2,387,174	\$244,889,872	\$252,074,150

Most of the District's net position is invested in capital assets (buildings, land, and equipment) and restricted for future capital projects. The remaining unrestricted net position includes the effect of the District's net pension and OPEB liabilities as required by GASB No. 68 and 75, respectively. Of the \$277,836,187 in total liabilities, \$127,831,734, or 46.0 percent, is related to the net pension and OPEB liabilities. \$131,002,754, or 47.2 percent is related to the District's outstanding bonds.

Current assets decreased compared to 2021-2022 due to lower cash and equivalent and investment balances held at June 30, 2023 compared to the prior year. This decrease is attributed largely to the decrease in investments held in the Capital Projects Fund as the District spent down proceeds from prior year bond issuances on the high school construction and middle school renovation projects. Current liabilities decreased from the prior year due to balances held for accounts payable and retainage payable decreasing from the prior year as the District advanced through the construction phases of both projects, and amounts payable to contractors at June 30, 2023 declined from the prior year.

The statement of activities shows the cost of program services and the charges for services and grants offsetting those costs. The table below reflects the cost of program services and the net cost of those services after taking into account the program revenues.

The tables below present the expenses of both the governmental activities and the business-type activities of the District.

Table A-2 STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2023 and 2022

	June 30	0, 2023	June 30, 2022		
	Total	Net	Total	Net	
	Services	Services	Services	Services	
PROGRAM EXPENSES					
Governmental Activities:					
Instruction	\$ 62,425,712	\$ 48,751,981	\$ 60,509,931	\$ 46,383,777	
Instructional student support	8,705,501	6,832,320	8,208,186	6,635,777	
Administration	8,987,611	7,849,221	9,860,351	8,291,993	
Maintenance	4,600,344	4,237,027	4,189,044	3,992,142	
Pupil transportation	6,611,737	4,585,537	6,086,055	4,077,155	
Student activities	1,419,635	999,867	1,239,714	847,513	
Community services	27,720	26,901	26,686	25,667	
Scholarships and awards	12,041	12,041	18,748	18,748	
Interest on long-term debt	4,200,385	3,248,477	2,955,410	1,956,628	
Total Governmental Activities	96,990,686	76,543,372	93,094,125	72,229,400	
Business-type Activities:					
Food service	2,355,910	(457,348)	2,325,118	(1,004,988)	
Total Business-type Activities	2,355,910	(457,348)	2,325,118	(1,004,988)	
Total Primary Government	\$ 99,346,596	\$ 76,086,024	\$ 95,419,243	\$ 71,224,412	

Table A-3
CHANGES IN NET POSITION
For the Years Ended June 30, 2023 and 2022

	Governmen	tal Activities	Business-type Activities		Totals	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022
REVENUES						
Program Revenues:						
Charges for services	\$ 793,911	\$ 528,853	\$ 943,896	\$ 303,237	\$ 1,737,807	\$ 832,090
Operating grants	19,583,306	20,335,872	1,869,362	3,026,869	21,452,668	23,362,741
Capital grants and contributions	70,097				70,097	
Total Program Revenues	20,447,314	20,864,725	2,813,258	3,330,106	23,260,572	24,194,831
General Revenues:						
Taxes	64,492,561	63,244,789	-	-	64,492,561	63,244,789
Grants and entitlements	19,792,449	18,455,583	-	-	19,792,449	18,455,583
Investment earnings	2,947,629	108,958	34,160	107	2,981,789	109,065
Miscellaneous	66,761	137,080	=	=	66,761	137,080
Total General Revenues	87,299,400	81,946,410	34,160	107	87,333,560	81,946,517
TOTAL REVENUES	107,746,714	102,811,135	2,847,418	3,330,213	110,594,132	106,141,348
EXPENSES						
Program Services:						
Instruction	62,425,712	60,509,931	-	=	62,425,712	60,509,931
Support Services:						
Instructional staff support	8,705,501	8,208,186	-	-	8,705,501	8,208,186
Administration	8,987,611	9,860,351	-	-	8,987,611	9,860,351
Maintenance	4,600,344	4,189,044	-	-	4,600,344	4,189,044
Pupil transportation	6,611,737	6,086,055	-	-	6,611,737	6,086,055
Student activities	1,419,635	1,239,714	-	-	1,419,635	1,239,714
Community services	27,720	26,686	-	-	27,720	26,686
Scholarships and awards	12,041	18,748	=	=	12,041	18,748
Interest on long-term debt	4,200,385	2,955,410	-	-	4,200,385	2,955,410
Food service			2,355,910	2,325,118	2,355,910	2,325,118
TOTAL EXPENSES	96,990,686	93,094,125	2,355,910	2,325,118	99,346,596	95,419,243
CHANGE IN NET POSITION	\$ 10,756,028	\$ 9,717,010	\$ 491,508	\$ 1,005,095	\$ 11,247,536	\$ 10,722,105

Fund Balances

At June 30, 2023, the District's governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$38,942,647, which is a decrease of \$25,307,744 from June 30, 2022.

General Fund:

The District ended the 2022-2023 fiscal year with a fund balance of \$31,065,668 in the General Fund. Of this amount, \$5,998,719 has been committed for future retirement contributions. \$16,344,582 is

assigned for future facilities improvements, balancing the 2023-2024 budget, offsetting future losses from real estate tax appeals, and funding increased costs for pupil service functions. \$186,333 represents prepaid expenditures which are considered non-spendable, and the remaining \$8,536,034 is unassigned.

Capital Projects Fund:

The Capital Projects Fund is used to track pre-approved facilities and other related projects. Transfers from the General Fund and proceeds from the issuance of debt are used to cover these expenditures.

Table A-4 FUND BALANCE Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 2023 and 2022

	June 30, 2023	June 30, 2022	Change
General fund Capital projects fund	\$ 31,065,668 7,876,979	\$ 26,864,862 37,385,529	\$ 4,200,806 (29,508,550)
Total	\$ 38,942,647	\$ 64,250,391	\$(25,307,744)

General Fund Budget

A schedule showing the District's original budget amounts compared with amounts actually paid and received is provided in the financial statements. Below are line items contributing to the net increase in fund balance for the year.

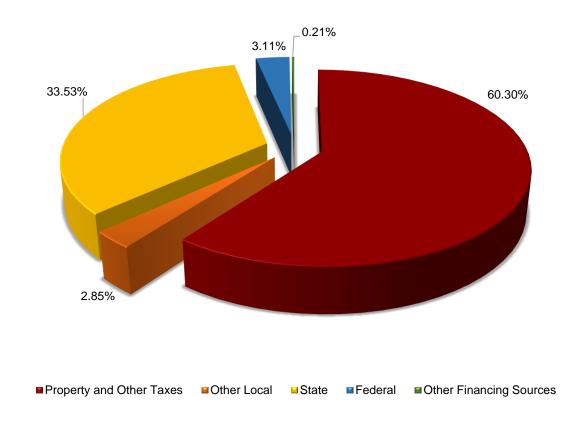
Table A-5
ANALYSIS OF BUDGET VS. ACTUAL REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES
For the Year Ended June 30, 2023

	Original Budget	Actual	,	Variance
REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES NET	\$ 101,398,513 106,487,990 \$ (5,089,477)	\$ 107,276,682 103,075,876 \$ 4,200,806	\$	5,878,169 3,412,114 9,290,283
Contributing Line Items: Revenues and Other Financing Sources				
Local revenue	\$ 64,534,798	\$ 67,742,250	\$	3,207,452
State revenue	33,699,677	35,971,340		2,271,663
Federal revenue	3,164,038	3,340,721		176,683
Proceeds from asset disposition	-	400		400
Proceeds from extended term financing		221,971		221,971
Total	\$ 101,398,513	\$ 107,276,682	\$	5,878,169

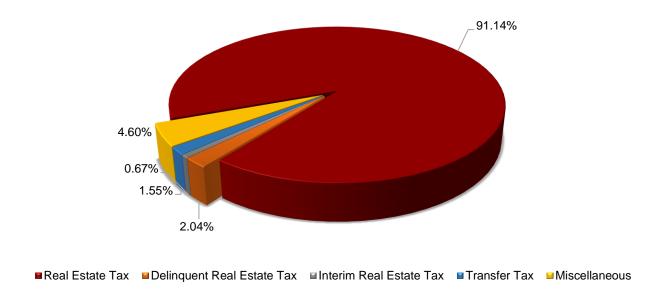
Table A-5
ANALYSIS OF BUDGET VS. ACTUAL REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES
For the Year Ended June 30, 2023

	Original		
(cont'd)	Budget	Actual	Variance
Expenditures and Other Financing Uses			
Salaries	\$ 35,741,458	\$ 36,138,394	\$ (396,936)
Benefits	23,272,881	22,854,698	418,183
Professional services	10,070,752	9,534,545	536,207
Repair/maintenance/rental	2,383,390	2,437,253	(53,863)
Transportation/insurance/tuition	19,820,819	17,894,656	1,926,163
Supplies/books/software/fuel	3,029,167	2,799,084	230,083
Capital purchases	26,220	323,046	(296,826)
Bond interest/dues/fees	6,522,168	5,367,660	1,154,508
Bond principal/transfers	5,621,135	5,726,540	(105,405)
Total	\$ 106,487,990	\$ 103,075,876	\$ 3,412,114

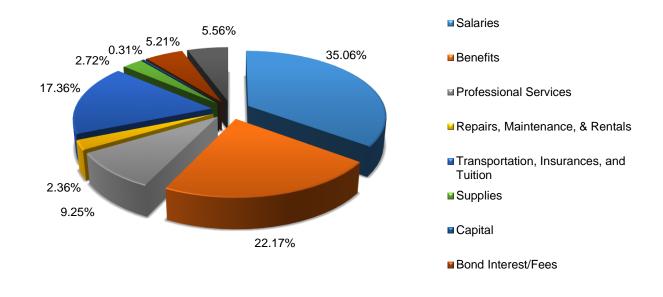
The chart below demonstrates the breakdown of the 2022-2023 General Fund revenues.



The next chart demonstrates the breakdown of the 2022-2023 local revenues.



The chart below demonstrates the breakdown of the 2022-2023 General Fund expenditures.



CAPITAL ASSET AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

At June 30, 2023, the District had \$158,356,228 in governmental activities and \$40,606 in business-type activities invested in a broad range of capital assets, including land, buildings, and furniture and equipment. This amount represents a net increase (including additions, deletions, and depreciation) of \$26,386,669 from governmental activities and a net decrease of \$8,504 from business-type activities from June 30, 2022.

Table A-6
CAPITAL ASSETS, NET OF DEPRECIATION

	Governmen	tal Activities	Business-type Activities		Totals	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022
Capital Assets Not						
Being Depreciated						
Land	\$ 11,035,789	\$ 11,035,789	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 11,035,789	\$ 11,035,789
Construction-in-progress	18,979,157	91,891,799			18,979,157	91,891,799
Total Capital Assets Not						
Being Depreciated	30,014,946	102,927,588			30,014,946	102,927,588
Capital Assets Being Depreciated						
Buildings and improvements, net of depreciation	123,308,499	26,164,001	-	-	123,308,499	26,164,001
Furniture and equipment,						
net of depreciation	5,032,783	2,877,970	40,606	49,110	5,073,389	2,927,080
Total Capital Assets						
Being Depreciated, Net	128,341,282	29,041,971	40,606	49,110	128,381,888	29,091,081
Total Assets, Net	\$158,356,228	\$131,969,559	\$ 40,606	\$ 49,110	\$158,396,834	\$132,018,669

Debt Administration

Bond Obligations – As of June 30, 2023, the District has outstanding bond obligations of \$131,002,754. During the year, \$3,970,000 of principal payments were made on the existing bond obligations. Other obligations include accrued vacation pay and sick leave for specific employees of the District amounting to \$1,425,215. More detailed information about long-term liabilities is included in the notes to the financial statements.

FACTORS BEARING ON AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S FUTURE

Factors that will affect the future finances of the District are employee health benefits, PSERS projected retirement rates, real estate tax appeals, reduced state revenue, and enrollment fluctuations of charter school students.

Act 1 of 2006 provides for the District to limit budget increases to an established index that changes from year to year. The budget process is limited unless budget exceptions are approved by the Pennsylvania Department of Education. The index provided by the Pennsylvania Department of Education for the 2023-2024 fiscal year has been established at 5.4 percent. This index legislatively restricts the District's ability to increase revenues.

In addition, one of the District's largest taxpayers has filed a petition to receive tax exempt status with the Court of Common Pleas of Chester County. This petition was denied on October 14, 2021, and the taxpayer subsequently filed an appeal to the Commonwealth Court of Pennsylvania. The Commonwealth Court also denied the appeal. The taxpayer then filed an appeal with the Commonwealth Supreme Court. The Supreme Court has not indicated whether or not it will hear this case. Should the appeal be granted, the District will lose approximately \$450,000 per year in local tax revenues. The loss of this revenue will need to be compensated for by either increases in other revenue sources or decreases in expenditures.

CONTACTING THE SCHOOL FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide citizens, taxpayers, parents, students, investors, and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to show the accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or wish to request additional financial information, please contact the Business Office, Avon Grove School District, 375 South Jennersville Road, West Grove, PA 19390.

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2023

(With Summarized Comparative Data for June 30, 2022)

	Governmental	Business-type	Tot	als
	Activities	Activities	2023	2022*
ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES				
ASSETS: Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 4,667,661	\$ 177,870	\$ 4,845,531	\$ 13,073,099
Investments	50,555,341	1,524,115	52,079,456	75,901,037
Taxes receivable, net of allowance	1,128,564	-	1,128,564	1,265,922
Due from other governments	4,439,680	249,134	4,688,814	4,596,440
Internal balances	62,878	(62,878)		-
Other receivables	569,120	17,527	586,647	98,046
Inventories Prepaid expenses	- 212,341	102,342	102,342 212,341	56,794 405,448
Other current assets	162,000	-	162,000	162,000
Leased buildings and equipment, net	138,602	_	138,602	106,666
Subscription-based information technology asset, net	199,738	-	199,738	157,085
Land	11,035,789	-	11,035,789	11,035,789
Construction in progress	18,979,157	-	18,979,157	91,891,799
Buildings and improvements, net	123,308,499	40.606	123,308,499	26,164,001
Furniture and equipment, net TOTAL ASSETS	5,032,783 220,492,153	40,606 2,048,716	5,073,389 222,540,869	2,927,080 227,841,206
TOTAL MODELO	220,402,100	2,040,710	222,040,000	227,041,200
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES:				
Deferred pension and other postemployment benefit contributions	13,171,018	221,512	13,392,530	12,811,612
Deferred outflows - pension and other postemployment benefits	8,839,527	116,946	8,956,473	11,421,332
TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	22,010,545	338,458	22,349,003	24,232,944
TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	\$242,502,698	\$ 2,387,174	\$244,889,872	\$252,074,150
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND				
NET POSITION (DEFICIT)				
LIABILITIES:				
Accounts payable	\$ 3,865,702	\$ 10,659	\$ 3,876,361	\$ 7,666,735
Accrued salaries, payroll withholdings, and benefits	8,332,793	767	8,333,560	8,947,663
Accrued interest payable	595,453 1,838,509	-	595,453 1,838,509	485,522 4,220,392
Construction retainage payable Contractor funds held in escrow	1,030,309	-	1,030,309	250,302
Unearned revenues	2,203,277	157,557	2,360,834	2,469,604
Other liabilities	196,881	, <u>-</u>	196,881	139,551
Long-term liabilities				
Portion due or payable within one year:	5047005		5047005	4 000 000
Bonds payable, net Lease liability	5,017,885	-	5,017,885 31,427	4,820,662 61,655
Subscription-based information technology liability	31,427 98,328	-	98,328	87,861
Accumulated compensated absences	119,247	3,139	122,386	101,138
Portion due or payable after one year:	-,	-,	,	,
Arbitrage rebate liability	32,757	-	32,757	-
Bonds payable, net	125,984,869	-	125,984,869	131,002,754
Lease liability	108,808 103,566	-	108,808 103,566	50,044 70,115
Subscription-based information technology liability Accumulated compensated absences	1,251,532	51,297	1,302,829	1,508,032
Net other postemployment benefits liability	21,321,303	76,431	21,397,734	24,638,341
Net pension liability	104,592,692	1,841,308	106,434,000	97,633,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES	275,695,029	2,141,158	277,836,187	284,153,371
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES:				
Deferred inflows - pension and other postemployment benefits	14,072,371	85,082	14,157,453	26,272,083
TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	14,072,371	85,082	14,157,453	26,272,083
NET POSITION (DEFICIT):				
Net investment in capital assets	34,826,585	40,606	34,867,191	38,193,756
Restricted for capital projects	374,071	400.000	374,071	(00 545 000)
Unrestricted (Deficit) TOTAL NET POSITION (DEFICIT)	(82,465,358) (47,264,702)	120,328 160,934	(82,345,030)	(96,545,060)
,	(41,204,102)	100,934	(47,103,768)	(58,351,304)
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES,	£ 0.40 E00 000	ф 0 007 474	¢ 044 000 070	¢ 050 074 450
AND NET POSITION (DEFICIT)	\$242,502,698	\$ 2,387,174	\$244,889,872	\$252,074,150

^{*} Restated - see Notes 1 and 19

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

(With Summarized Comparative Data for the Year Ended June 30, 2022)

		F	Program Revenue	S				
			Operating	Capital	Ne	t (Expense) and Cl	nanges in Net Posit	tion
		Charges for	Grants and	Grants and	Governmental	Business-type	Tot	
	Expenses	Services	Contributions	Contributions	Activities	Activities	2023	2022
GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES:								
Instruction	\$ 62,425,712	\$ 430,627	\$13,243,104	\$ -	\$ (48,751,981)	\$ -	\$ (48,751,981)	\$ (46,383,777)
Instructional student support	8,705,501	-	1,873,181	-	(6,832,320)	-	(6,832,320)	(6,635,777)
Administrative and financial support services	8,987,611	-	1,138,390	-	(7,849,221)	-	(7,849,221)	(8,291,993)
Operation and maintenance of plant services	4,600,344	99,401	193,819	70,097	(4,237,027)	-	(4,237,027)	(3,992,142)
Pupil transportation	6,611,737	-	2,026,200	-	(4,585,537)	-	(4,585,537)	(4,077,155)
Student activities	1,419,635	263,883	155,885	-	(999,867)	-	(999,867)	(847,513)
Community services	27,720	-	819	-	(26,901)	-	(26,901)	(25,667)
Scholarships and awards	12,041	-	-	-	(12,041)	-	(12,041)	(18,748)
Interest on long-term debt	4,200,385		951,908		(3,248,477)		(3,248,477)	(1,956,628)
TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES	96,990,686	793,911	19,583,306	70,097	(76,543,372)		(76,543,372)	(72,229,400)
BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES:								
Food service	2,355,910	943,896	1,869,362			457,348	457,348	1,004,988
TOTAL BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES	2,355,910	943,896	1,869,362			457,348	457,348	1,004,988
TOTAL PRIMARY GOVERNMENT	\$ 99,346,596	\$ 1,737,807	\$21,452,668	\$ 70,097	(76,543,372)	457,348	(76,086,024)	(71,224,412)
		OFNEDAL DEN						
			ENUES AND TRA					
			evied for general إ	•	63,383,777	-	63,383,777	61,745,447
			specific purposes		1,108,784	-	1,108,784	1,499,342
			tlements not restri	cted to	10 700 110		10 700 110	40 455 500
		specific progr			19,792,449	-	19,792,449	18,455,583
		Investment earr	nings		2,947,629	34,160	2,981,789	109,065
		Miscellaneous	AL DEVENUES A	ND TO ANOTEDO	66,761		66,761	137,080
		TOTAL GENER	AL REVENUES A	ND TRANSFERS	87,299,400	34,160	87,333,560	81,946,517
		CHANCE IN NE	T DOCITION		40.750.000	101 500	44.047.500	10 700 105
		CHANGE IN NE	I POSITION		10,756,028	491,508	11,247,536	10,722,105
		NET DEFICIT, E	BEGINNING OF Y	EAR, RESTATED	(58,020,730)	(330,574)	(58,351,304)	(69,073,409)
		NET DEFICIT, E					Φ/47 400 7CC	0/50 054 054
		INCI DEFICIT, I	END OF TEAK		\$(47,264,702)	\$ 160,934	\$(47,103,768)	\$(58,351,304)

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2023

(With Summarized Comparative Data for June 30, 2022)

	General	Capital Projects	Tot	tals
	Fund	Fund	2023	2022
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Investments Taxes receivable, net of allowance Due from other funds Due from other governments Other receivables Prepaid expenditures	\$ 4,667,661 37,444,073 1,128,564 67,738 4,439,680 569,120 186,333	\$ - 10,992,387 - - - 26,008	\$ 4,667,661 48,436,460 1,128,564 67,738 4,439,680 569,120 212,341	\$ 12,771,765 73,330,923 1,265,922 8,934 4,262,290 86,231 405,448
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 48,503,169	\$ 11,018,395	\$ 59,521,564	\$ 92,131,513
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCES LIABILITIES: Accounts payable Accrued salaries, payroll withholdings, and benefits Accumulated compensated absences Construction retainage payable Contractor funds held in escrow Due to other funds Other liabilities Unearned revenues TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 1,928,263 8,332,793 119,247 - - 3,789,958 196,881 2,203,277 16,570,419	\$ 1,298,047 - - 1,838,509 - 4,860 - - 3,141,416	\$ 3,226,310 8,332,793 119,247 1,838,509 - 3,794,818 196,881 2,203,277 19,711,835	\$ 6,938,071 8,942,630 99,106 4,220,392 250,302 3,909,501 139,551 2,318,576 26,818,129
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES: Unavailable revenues - delinquent taxes TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	867,082 867,082	<u> </u>	867,082 867,082	1,062,993 1,062,993
FUND BALANCES: Nonspendable Restricted for capital projects Committed for future retirement contributions Assigned Unassigned TOTAL FUND BALANCES	186,333 - 5,998,719 16,344,582 8,536,034 31,065,668	26,008 7,850,971 - - - 7,876,979	212,341 7,850,971 5,998,719 16,344,582 8,536,034 38,942,647	405,448 36,997,862 5,998,719 12,389,477 8,458,885 64,250,391
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 48,503,169	\$ 11,018,395	\$ 59,521,564	\$ 92,131,513

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT RECONCILIATION OF BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2023

TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCES

\$ 38.942.647

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the funds. These assets consist of:

Leased buildings and equipment, net	\$ 138,602	
Subscription-based information technology asset, net	199,738	
Land	11,035,789	
Construction in progress	18,979,157	
Buildings and improvements	123,308,499	
Furniture and equipment	5,032,783	158,694,568

Some liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds. Those liabilities consist of:

Arbitrage rebate liability	(32,757)	
Bonds payable, net	(131,002,754)	
Lease liability	(140,235)	
Subscription-based information technology liability	(201,894)	
Accumulated compensated absences	(1,251,532)	
Accrued interest payable	(595,453)	
Net other postemployment benefits liability	(21,321,303)	
Net pension liability	(104,592,692)	(259,138,620)

Internal service funds that serve the governmental activities of the District are reported as proprietary funds at the fund level, but governmental activities at the entity-wide level.

5,431,447

Some of the District's revenues will be collected after year end but are not available soon enough to pay for the current period's expenditures and, therefore, are unavailable in the funds.

867,082

Deferred inflows and outflows related to the District's net pension and net other postemployment benefits liabilities are based on the differences between actuarially determined actual and expected District's amount of the total pension and postemployment benefits liabilities, pension and benefit contributions made after the measurement date of the respective plans, investment returns, changes in the actuarially determined proportion of the net pension and postemployment benefit liabilities, and other factors. These amounts will be amortized over the estimated remaining average service life of the employees.

Deferred o	utflows of	resources:
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Deferred pension and other postemployment benefit contributions	13,171,018	
Deferred outflows - pension and other postemployment benefits	8,839,527	
Deferred inflows of resources:		
Deferred inflows - pension and other postemployment benefits	(14,072,371)	7,938,174

NET POSITION (DEFICIT) OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES

\$ (47,264,702)

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

(With Summarized Comparative Data for the Year Ended June 30, 2022)

	Major	Funds			
	General Capital Projects		Tot	s	
	Fund	Fund	2023	2022	
REVENUES					
Local sources	\$ 67,742,250	\$ 848,760	\$ 68,591,010	\$ 63,999,215	
State sources	35,971,340	-	35,971,340	34,227,481	
Federal sources	3,340,721		3,340,721	4,474,309	
TOTAL REVENUES	107,054,311	848,760	107,903,071	102,701,005	
EXPENDITURES					
Current:					
Instruction	61,983,550	-	61,983,550	61,836,850	
Support services	28,927,805	1,209,842	30,137,647	29,919,616	
Operation of noninstructional services	1,496,707	9,043	1,505,750	1,370,348	
Capital outlays	-	30,745,448	30,745,448	44,646,693	
Debt service	9,060,633	<u> </u>	9,060,633	7,272,249	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	101,468,695	31,964,333	133,433,028	145,045,756	
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES UNDER EXPENDITURES	5,585,616	(31,115,573)	(25,529,957)	(42,344,751)	
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)					
Proceeds from bond issuance	-	-	_	24,955,000	
Bond premiums	-	-	-	2,369,911	
Bond discounts	-	-	-	(193,401)	
Proceeds from extended term financing	221,971	-	221,971	80,684	
Transfers in	-	1,607,023	1,607,023	828,730	
Transfers out	(1,607,023)	-	(1,607,023)	(828,730)	
Proceeds from asset disposition	400	-	400	3,058	
Proceeds from insurance recoveries	-	-	-	66,388	
Refunds of prior year revenues	(158)	<u></u>	(158)	<u> </u>	
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	(1,384,810)	1,607,023	222,213	27,281,640	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	4,200,806	(29,508,550)	(25,307,744)	(15,063,111)	
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR	26,864,862	37,385,529	64,250,391	79,313,502	
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$ 31,065,668	\$ 7,876,979	\$ 38,942,647	\$ 64,250,391	

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT RECONCILIATION OF STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS	\$ (25,307,744)
Capital outlays are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation and amortization expense. This is the amount by which capital outlays (\$31,977,882) exceeded depreciation and amortization expense (\$5,119,917).	26,857,965
When capital assets are disposed of, their residual value is offset against the value of any proceeds received from the disposal. This is the residual value of the disposed assets. In addition, the value of any construction-in-progress assets that are written off during the year are reflected as an expense in the statement of activities.	(396,707)
Because some revenues will not be collected for several months after the District's fiscal year ends, they are not considered as "available" revenues in the governmental funds. Unavailable revenues decreased by this amount this year.	(195,911)
Debt proceeds are reported as financing sources in the governmental funds and, thus, contribute to the change in fund balance. In the statement of net position, however, issuing debt increases long-term liabilities and does not affect the statement of activities. Similarly, repayment of principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds but reduces the liability in the statement of net position. Governmental funds report bond discounts as other financing uses and bond premiums as other financing sources. However, these amounts are reported on the statement of net position as deferred charges and credits and are amortized over the life of the debt. This amount is the net effect of these differences.	4,748,208
In the statement of activities, compensated absences (vacation and sick leave) are measured by the amounts earned during the year. In the governmental funds, however, expenditures for these items are measured by the amount of financial resources used (essentially, the amounts actually paid). This is the amount by which current period amounts paid were more than current period compensated absences earned.	205,514
Activity in the internal service fund is recorded at the fund level in the proprietary funds but is reported in the governmental activities in the entity-wide statements.	401,456
Interest on long-term debt in the statement of activities differs from the amount reported in the governmental funds because interest is recognized as an expenditure in the funds when it is due and, thus, requires the use of current financial resources. In the statement of activities, however, interest expense is recognized as the interest accrues, regardless of when it is due. Similarly, investment earnings are recognized in the governmental funds when received, but any amounts payable in future years for arbitrage are not reported as revenues in the statement of activities.	(142,688)
Pension and OPEB expense in the statement of activities differ from the amount reported in the governmental funds because pension and OPEB expenses are recognized on the statement of activities based on the District's proportionate share of the expense of the cost-sharing pension plan, whereas pension and OPEB expenditures are recognized in the governmental funds when a requirement to remit contributions to the plan exists.	4,585,935
CHANGE IN NET POSITION OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES	\$ 10,756,028

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGETARY COMPARISON STATEMENT - GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

	Budgeted	Amounts	Actual	Variance with Final Budget Positive
	Original	Final Budget	(GAAP Basis)	(Negative)
REVENUES			(0.1	(****9*******)
Local sources	\$64,534,798	\$64,534,798	\$67,742,250	\$ 3,207,452
State sources	33,699,677	33,699,677	35,971,340	2,271,663
Federal sources	3,164,038	3,164,038	3,340,721	176,683
TOTAL REVENUES	101,398,513	101,398,513	107,054,311	5,655,798
EXPENDITURES				
Instruction:				
Regular programs	45,468,619	45,905,705	45,094,736	810.969
Special programs	15,626,973	14,425,029	14,040,087	384,942
Vocational programs	2,730,879	2,752,091	2,752,091	504,542
Other instructional programs	82,150	140,538	90,085	50,453
Nonpublic programs	6,599	6,599	6,551	48
Total Instruction	63,915,220	63,229,962	61,983,550	1,246,412
Support services:	00,910,220	03,223,302	01,900,000	1,240,412
Pupil personnel services	4,949,369	5,295,864	5,070,071	225,793
Instructional staff services	3,008,507	3,010,182	2,850,140	160,042
Administrative services	5,062,397	5,175,628	4,989,332	186,296
Pupil health	1,039,593	1,122,455	1,053,545	68,910
Business services	1,043,334	1,066,585	1,033,081	33,504
Operation and maintenance of plant services	4,812,107	5,047,654	5,031,563	16,091
Student transportation services	6,857,109	6,435,151	6,386,798	48,353
Central support services	2,466,082	2,535,842	2,339,055	196,787
Other support services	179,741	179,741	174,220	5,521
Total Support Services	29,418,239	29,869,102	28,927,805	941,297
Operation of noninstructional services:				
Student activities	1,444,713	1,609,108	1,456,417	152,691
Community services	75,000	28,252	28,249	3
Scholarships and Awards	17,500	18,752	12,041	6,711
Total Operation of Noninstructional Services	1,537,213	1,656,112	1,496,707	159,405
Debt service	8,901,183	9,060,633	9,060,633	-
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	103,771,855	103,815,809	101,468,695	2,347,114
DEFICIENCY OF REVENUES UNDER EXPENDITURES	(2,373,342)	(2,417,296)	5,585,616	8,002,912
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES AND USES				
Transfer to other funds	(1,651,135)	(1,607,023)	(1,607,023)	_
Proceeds from asset disposition	-	-	400	400
Proceeds from lease and SBITA issuance	-	-	221,971	221,971
Refund of prior year revenues	-	(158)	(158)	· -
Budgetary reserve	(1,065,000)	(1,065,000)	-	1,065,000
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES AND USES	(2,716,135)	(2,672,181)	(1,384,810)	1,287,371
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	(5,089,477)	(5,089,477)	4,200,806	9,290,283
FUND BALANCE, BEGINNING OF YEAR	26,864,862	26,864,862	26,864,862	
FUND BALANCE, END OF YEAR	\$21,775,385	\$21,775,385	\$31,065,668	\$ 9,290,283

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION - PROPRIETARY FUNDS JUNE 30, 2023 AND 2022

	Food Service Fund		Internal Se	ervice Fund
	2023	2022	2023	2022
ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES CURRENT ASSETS:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 177,870	\$ 301,334	\$ -	\$ -
Investments	1,524,115	610,174	2,118,881	1,959,940
Due from other funds	-	311,287	3,789,958	3,589,280
Due from other governments	249,134	334,150	-	-
Other receivables	17,527	11,815	-	-
Inventories	102,342	56,794	-	-
Other assets			162,000	162,000
Total Current Assets	2,070,988	1,625,554	6,070,839	5,711,220
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT:				
Furniture and equipment	153,461	153,461	-	-
Accumulated depreciation	(112,855)	(104,351)		
Net Property and Equipment	40,606	49,110	- 0.070.000	
TOTAL ASSETS	2,111,594	1,674,664	6,070,839	5,711,220
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES:				
Deferred pension and other postemployment benefit contributions	221,512	212,478	-	-
Deferred outflows - pension and other postemployment benefits	116,946	155,782		
TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	338,458	368,260		
TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF				
RESOURCES	\$ 2,450,052	\$ 2,042,924	\$ 6,070,839	\$ 5,711,220
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES,				
AND NET POSITION				
LIABILITIES:				
Accounts payable	\$ 10,659	\$ 47,435	\$ 639,392	\$ 681,229
Accrued salaries, payroll withholdings, and benefits	767	5,033	-	-
Due to other funds	62,878	- 0.000	-	-
Accumulated compensated absences Unearned revenues	3,139	2,032	-	-
Long-term liabilities	157,557	151,028	-	-
Portion due or payable after one year:				
Accumulated compensated absences	51,297	50,986	_	_
Net other postemployments liability	76,431	97,555	-	-
Net pension liability	1,841,308	1,689,051	-	-
TOTAL LIABILITIES	2,204,036	2,043,120	639,392	681,229
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES:				
Deferred inflows - pension and other postemployment benefits	85,082	330,378		
NET POSITION (DEFICIT):				
Investment in capital assets	40,606	49,110	-	-
Unrestricted (Deficit)	120,328	(379,684)	5,431,447	5,029,991
Total Net Position (Deficit)	160,934	(330,574)	5,431,447	5,029,991
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF				
RESOURCES, AND NET POSITION	\$ 2,450,052	\$ 2,042,924	\$ 6,070,839	\$ 5,711,220

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2023 AND 2022

	Food Ser	vice Fund	Internal Service Fund	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
OPERATING REVENUES				
Food service revenues	\$ 943,896	\$ 303,237	\$ -	\$ -
Charges for health insurance		<u> </u>	6,700,678	6,683,686
Total Operating Revenues	943,896	303,237	6,700,678	6,683,686
OPERATING EXPENSES				
Salaries	704,290	647,118	-	-
Employee benefits	397,416	385,093	6,371,133	6,494,362
Purchased professional and technical services	22,183	27,436	-	-
Other operating expenses	3,605	3,144	-	-
Supplies	1,219,912	1,255,036	-	-
Depreciation	8,504	7,291	-	-
Total Operating Expenses	2,355,910	2,325,118	6,371,133	6,494,362
OPERATING (LOSS) INCOME	(1,412,014)	(2,021,881)	329,545	189,324
NONOPERATING REVENUES				
Earnings on investments	34,160	107	71,911	2,621
Contributions and donations	-	11,385	-	-
State sources	353,263	217,648	-	-
Federal sources	1,516,099	2,797,836	-	-
Total Nonoperating Revenues	1,903,522	3,026,976	71,911	2,621
CHANGE IN NET POSITION	491,508	1,005,095	401,456	191,945
NET POSITION (DEFICIT), BEGINNING OF YEAR	(330,574)	(1,335,669)	5,029,991	4,838,046
NET POSITION (DEFICIT), END OF YEAR	\$ 160,934	\$ (330,574)	\$ 5,431,447	\$ 5,029,991

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS - PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2023 AND 2022

	Food Ser	vice Fund	Internal Se	rvice Fund
	2023	2022	2023	2022
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Cash received from customers Payments to suppliers Payments to employees	\$ 938,751 (1,116,528) (814,750)	\$ 286,542 (1,027,987) (1,392,052)	\$ 6,500,000 (6,412,970)	\$ 6,250,000 (6,451,718)
NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(992,527)	(2,133,497)	87,030	(201,718)
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES: State sources	323,711	212,062	-	-
Federal sources Donations and contributions	1,425,133	2,623,635 11,385	-	-
NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES	1,748,844	2,847,082		
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES		(0.4.000)		
Purchase of capital assets		(34,000)		
NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES		(34,000)		
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:	04.400	407	74.044	0.004
Earnings on investments (Purchase) Sale of investments	34,160 (913,941)	107 (500,107)	71,911 (158,941)	2,621 199,097
NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(879,781)	(500,000)	(87,030)	201,718
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(123,464)	179,585		
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	301,334	121,749		_
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CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR	\$ 177,870	\$ 301,334	\$ -	\$ -
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME (LOSS) TO NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Operating income (loss) Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash provided (used) by operating activities:	\$ (1,412,014)	\$ (2,021,881)	\$ 329,545	\$ 189,324
Depreciation	8,504	7,291	-	-
Donated commodities	211,496	208,993	-	-
Decrease (Increase) in: Due from other funds	311,287	(238,916)	(200,678)	(433,686)
Other receivables Inventories	(5,712)	(2,210) 10,685	-	-
Deferred outflows - pension and OPEB contributions	(45,548) (9,034)	(11,576)	-	-
Deferred outflows - pension and OPEB	38,836	(44,345)	-	-
Increase (Decrease) in:				
Accounts payable	(36,776)	37,951	(41,837)	42,644
Accrued salaries, payroll withholdings, and benefits Due to other funds	(4,266) 62,878	(32,194)	-	-
Unearned revenues	567	(14,485)	-	-
Compensated absences	1,418	3,571		
Net other postemployment benefits liability	(21,124)	11,851	-	-
Net pension liability	152,257	(262,510)	-	-
Deferred inflows - pension and OPEB NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(245,296) \$ (992,527)	214,278 \$ (2,133,497)	\$ 87,030	\$ (201,718)
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE				
Noncash noncapital financing activity: USDA donated commodities	\$ 211,496	\$ 208,993	\$ -	\$ -

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION - CUSTODIAL FUND JUNE 30, 2023 AND 2022

	2023		 2022	
ASSETS:				
Cash Accounts receivable	\$	160,272 2,012	\$ 186,135 250	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	162,284	\$ 186,385	
LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION:				
LIABILITIES Accounts payable	\$	116_	\$ 12,884	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		116	 12,884	
NET POSITION		162,168	 173,501	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION	\$	162,284	\$ 186,385	

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION - CUSTODIAL FUND FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2023 AND 2022

	2023	2022
ADDITIONS		
Membership dues and other student fees	\$ -	\$ 220
Fundraising activities	174,920	162,356
Contributions and donations	2,012	13,121
Transfers in	<u> </u>	2,690
TOTAL ADDITIONS	470.000	470.007
TOTAL ADDITIONS	176,932	178,387
DEDUCTIONS		
Facilities rentals for student events	42,070	20,500
Equipment rentals for student events	5,485	1,699
Field trip transportation	8,991	7,139
Field trip lodging and travel expenses	19,573	26,999
Contracted services	19,564	39,063
Student club supplies and materials	61,475	32,623
Student event meals and refreshments	10,482	9,993
National association membership dues	4,934	1,672
Charitable donations	1,374	2,342
Student scholarships	1,100	575
Student club field trips and registrations	13,217	13,812
Transfers out		73
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	188,265	156,490
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION	(11,333)	21,897
FIDUCIARY NET POSITION - BEGINNING BALANCE	173,501	151,604
FIDUCIARY NET POSITION - ENDING BALANCE	\$ 162,168	\$ 173,501

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Avon Grove School District ("the District") operates two elementary schools, one middle school, and one senior high school to provide education and related services to the residents of Penn, London Grove, New London, Franklin, and London Britain Townships and the Boroughs of Avondale and West Grove. The District operates under current standards prescribed by the Pennsylvania Department of Education in accordance with the provisions of the School Laws of Pennsylvania as a school district of the third class. The District operates under a locally elected nine-member Board form of government.

The financial statements of the District have been prepared in accordance 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 authoritative standard-setting body for the establishment of governmental accounting and financial reporting principles.

Reporting Entity

GASB's Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards ("GASB Codification") established the criteria for determining the activities, organizations, and functions of government to be included in the financial statements of the reporting entity. In evaluating the District as a reporting entity, management has addressed all potential component units which may or may not fall within the District's financial accountability. The criteria used to evaluate component units for possible inclusion as part of the District's reporting entity are financial accountability and the nature and significance of the relationship. The District is considered to be an independent reporting entity and has no component units.

Basis of Presentation

Entity-wide Financial Statements

The statement of net position and the statement of activities display information about the District as a whole. These statements distinguish between activities that are governmental and those that are considered business-type. These statements include the financial activities of the primary government, except for fiduciary funds.

The entity-wide financial statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting as further defined under proprietary funds in the following paragraphs. This is the same approach used in the preparation of the proprietary fund financial statements but differs from the manner in which governmental fund financial statements are prepared. Therefore, governmental fund financial statements include a reconciliation with brief explanations to better identify the relationship between the entity-wide statements and the statements of governmental funds.

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

The entity-wide statement of activities presents a comparison between expenses and program revenues for each function of the business-type activities of the District and for each governmental program. Expenses are those that are specifically associated with a service or program and are, therefore, clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include charges paid by the recipients of the goods or services offered by the programs, and grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Revenues which are not classified as program revenues are presented as general revenues. The comparison of program revenues and expenses identifies the extent to which each program is self-financing or draws from the general revenues of the District.

Except for interfund activity and balances between the funds that underlie governmental activities and the funds that underlie business-type activities, which are reported as transfers and internal balances, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements.

The entity-wide financial statements report net position in one of three components: net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and amortization and reduced by the outstanding balances of borrowings attributable to acquiring, constructing, or improving those assets. Net position is reported as restricted when constraints placed on net position use are either externally imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation. Those restrictions affect net position arising from the capital projects fund. Unrestricted net position consists of net position that does not meet the definition of "net investment in capital assets" or "restricted."

Fund Financial Statements

During the school year, the District segregates transactions related to certain District functions or activities in separate funds in order to aid financial management and to demonstrate legal compliance. Fund financial statements report detailed information about the District. The focus of governmental and enterprise fund financial statements is on major funds rather than reporting funds by type. Fiduciary fund financial statements are presented by fund type.

Governmental Funds

All governmental funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting and the current financial resources measurement focus. Under this basis, revenues are recognized in the accounting period in which they become measurable and available. Expenditures are recognized in the accounting period in which the fund liability is incurred, if measurable. The District reports the following major governmental funds:

The **General Fund** is the government's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, including the athletic fund, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 <u>SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES</u> (cont'd)

The **Capital Projects Fund** is used to account for the acquisition, construction, and renovation of major capital facilities and their related capital assets and to account for funds set aside for future capital needs.

Revenue Recognition

In applying the "susceptible to accrual concept" under the modified accrual basis, revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the District considers tax revenue to be available if collected within 60 days of the end of the fiscal period. Revenue from federal, state, and other grants designated for payment of specific District expenditures is recognized when the related expenditures are incurred; accordingly, when such funds are received, they are reported as unearned revenues until earned.

Other revenues, including certain other charges for services and miscellaneous revenues, are recorded as revenue when received in cash because they generally are not measurable until actually received.

Expenditure Recognition

The measurement focus of governmental fund accounting is on decreases in net financial resources (expenditures) rather than expenses. Most expenditures are measurable and are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred. However, principal and interest on general long-term debt which has not matured are recognized when paid. Liabilities for compensated absences are recognized as fund liabilities to the extent they mature each period. Allocations of costs, such as depreciation and amortization, are not recognized in the governmental funds.

Proprietary Funds

Proprietary funds are accounted for using the accrual basis of accounting. These funds account for operations that are financed primarily by user charges. The economic resources measurement focus concerns determining costs as a means of maintaining the capital investment and management control. Revenues are recognized when they are earned, and expenses are recognized when they are incurred. Allocations of certain costs, such as depreciation, are recorded in proprietary funds. The District does not attempt to allocate all "building-wide costs" to the proprietary fund. Thus, general fund expenditures which partially benefit the proprietary fund (utilities, janitorial services, insurance, etc.) are not recognized proportionately within the proprietary fund. Similarly, the proprietary fund does not recognize a cost for the building space it occupies.

These funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with the proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The District

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 <u>SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES</u> (cont'd)

operates two proprietary funds: an enterprise fund and an internal service fund. The principal operating revenues of the District's enterprise fund are food service charges. Operating expenses for the District's enterprise fund include food production costs, supplies, and administrative costs. All revenues or expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses. The District's internal service fund accounts for the District's self-insured healthcare costs. The principal operating revenues are premiums charged to other funds, and the principal operating expenses are payments for healthcare claims and related costs. All revenues or expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses.

Custodial Fund

Custodial funds account for the assets held by the District as a trustee or agent for individuals, private organizations, and/or governmental units and are, therefore, not available to support the District's own programs. The District accounts for these assets in custodial fund. The custodial fund accounts for funds held on behalf of students of the District.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The District's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

<u>Investments</u>

Investments consist of nonnegotiable certificates of deposit, external investment pools, and treasury bonds backed by the federal government. The investments are recorded at amortized cost. Nonnegotiable certificates of deposit, external investment pools, and treasury bonds are nonparticipating interest earning investment contracts which are exempt from measurement at fair value.

Receivables and Payables

Activity between funds that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year is referred to as either "due to/from other funds" (i.e., the current portion of interfund loans) or "advances to/from other funds" (i.e., the noncurrent portion of interfund loans). Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and business-type activities are reported in the entity-wide financial statements as "internal balances."

Taxes receivable are presented net of allowances for estimated uncollectibles of \$47,874. The allowance for uncollectible accounts is based upon historical data established according to experience and other factors which, in the judgment of District management, deserve recognition in estimating possible losses. Management believes that they have adequately provided for future probable losses.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

Property Taxes

Taxes are levied on July 1 and are payable in the following periods:

July 1 – August 31 - Discount period, 2% of gross levy

September 1 – October 31 - Face period

November 1 to collection - Penalty period, 10% of gross levy

January 15 - Lien date

An installment payment plan is available to residential property owners, who have been approved as homestead owners by the Chester County Board of Assessments, with three equal installments due as follows:

August 31 - one third of the gross levy
September 30 - one third of the gross levy
October 31 - one third of the gross levy

In order to participate in the installment payment plan, homestead owners must forego the opportunity to make payment at the two percent of gross levy discount rate.

The District's taxes are billed and collected by the District. The tax on real estate for public school purposes for fiscal year 2022-2023 was 34.10 mills (\$34.10 for \$1,000 of assessed valuation) for the entire District.

Inventories

All inventories are valued at the lower of cost (first-in, first-out method) or market.

Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the entity-wide and proprietary fund financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000; composite assets of more than \$10,000; and critical control assets as defined by District policy. Such assets are recorded at historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair value at the date of donation.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend assets' lives are not capitalized.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed, inclusive of ancillary costs.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 <u>SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES</u> (cont'd)

Capital assets of the District are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

School buildings	40 - 50 years
Portable classrooms	20 - 25 years
HVAC systems	20 - 25 years
Interior construction	25 - 30 years
Sprinkler/fire system	20 - 25 years
Outdoor equipment	15 - 20 years
Machinery and tools	10 - 15 years
Kitchen equipment	10 - 15 years
Custodian equipment	5 - 7 years
Furniture and accessories	15 - 20 years
Copiers	3 - 5 years
Computers	3 - 5 years
Audio visual	7 - 10 years
Communication	5 - 10 years
Leased buildings and equipment	Life of lease
Subscription-based information technology asset	Life of subscription

Compensated Absences

District policies permit employees to accumulate earned but unused vacation, and personal and sick days as stipulated in each bargaining unit's contract. The liability for these compensated absences is recorded as long-term debt in the entity-wide financial statements. The current portion of this debt is estimated based on historical trends. In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report the compensated absence liability payable from expendable available financial resources.

Long-term Obligations

In the entity-wide financial statements and proprietary fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities. Bond premiums and discounts are netted against outstanding principal balances and are amortized over the life of the bonds. Bond issuance costs are expensed when incurred. Deferred amounts on refunding are recorded as a deferred inflow or outflow of resources and amortized over the life of the old debt or the life of the new debt, whichever is shorter. All amortized amounts are amortized using the straight-line method.

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond premiums and discounts, as well as bond issuance costs, during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received and discounts paid on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources and uses. Issuance costs, whether or not withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as expenditures.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 <u>SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES</u> (contid)

Deferred Inflows and Deferred Outflows of Resources

In addition to assets and liabilities, the statement of net position and balance sheet -governmental funds will sometimes report separate sections for deferred inflows and deferred outflows of resources. These separate financial statement elements represent acquisition or use of net position/fund balance that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow or outflow of resources (revenue or expense/expenditure) until that time.

The District has several items that qualify for reporting in this category. Pension and other postemployment benefit contributions made subsequent to the measurement date and, therefore, not reflected in the net pension or net other postemployment benefits liabilities under full accrual basis reporting are reported as deferred outflows of resources on the entity-wide and proprietary fund statements of net position. Certain changes to the net pension and other postemployment benefits liabilities are required to be amortized over a period of years; the unamortized portions of these changes are reflected as deferred outflows and inflows of resources on the entity-wide and proprietary fund statements of net position. A portion of the District's delinquent taxes have not been collected within 60 days of year end and, therefore, are not available under modified accrual reporting; as a result, this item is reflected as deferred inflows of resources on the general fund balance sheet.

Fund Equity

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the District's policy to use restricted resources first and then unrestricted resources as they are needed. When an expenditure is incurred for which committed, assigned, and unassigned fund balances are available, the District considers amounts to have been spent first out of committed funds, then assigned funds, then unassigned funds, as needed, unless provided otherwise in commitment or assignment actions.

Fund balances of the governmental funds are classified, if applicable, as follows:

Nonspendable – amounts that cannot be spent either because they are in nonspendable form or because they are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted – amounts that can be spent only for specific purposes because of constitutional provisions or enabling legislation or because of constraints that are externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or the laws or regulations of other governments.

Committed – amounts that can be used only for specific purposes determined by formal action of the Board of Directors. The Board is the highest level of decision-making authority for the District. Commitments may be established, modified, or rescinded only through resolutions approved by the Board of Directors.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 <u>SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES</u> (cont'd)

Assigned – amounts that do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted or committed but that are intended to be used for specific purposes. The Finance Committee, the Superintendent, or the Director of Business Administration may assign amounts for specific purposes.

Unassigned – all other spendable amounts.

Comparative Data

Comparative totals for the prior year have been presented in the accompanying financial statements in order to provide an understanding of changes in the District's financial position and operations. Presentation of prior year totals by fund and activity type have not been presented in each of the statements since their inclusion would make the statements unduly complex and difficult to read. Summarized comparative information should be read in conjunction with the District's financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2022, from which the summarized information was derived.

Use of Estimates in the Preparation of Financial Statements

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

Implementation of GASB Statement

During the year ended June 30, 2023, the District implemented GASB Statement No. 96, "Subscription-based Information Technology Arrangements." GASB No. 96 establishes new reporting requirements for governments utilizing noncancelable, multi-year information technology service subscriptions. Under the new guidance, governments must report an intangible right-to-use subscription asset, and a corresponding subscription liability for any information technology services meeting the definitions outlined in GASB Statement No. 96. The District uses several software services that are subject to these requirements.

NOTE 2 STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Budgetary Information

An annual budget is adopted prior to the beginning of each year for the general fund on the modified accrual basis of accounting. The general fund is the only fund for which a budget is legally required, although project-length financial plans are adopted for all capital projects funds.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 2 <u>STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY</u> (cont'd)

The District budgets and expends funds according to procedures mandated by the Pennsylvania Department of Education. An annual operating budget is prepared by District officials on a uniform form furnished by such Department and submitted to the Board of School Directors for approval prior to the beginning of the fiscal year on July 1.

Under the Taxpayer Relief Act, the District must adopt a preliminary budget proposal (which must include estimated revenues and expenditures and proposed tax rates) no later than 90 days prior to the date of the election immediately preceding the fiscal year. The preliminary budget proposal must be printed and made available for public inspection at least 20 days prior to its adoption, the Board of School Directors may hold a public hearing on the budget, and the Board must give at least 10 days' public notice of its intent to adopt such budget.

If the adopted preliminary budget includes an increase in the rate of any tax levy, the preliminary budget must be submitted to the Pennsylvania Department of Education ("PDE") no later than 85 days prior to the date of the election immediately preceding the fiscal year. The PDE is to compare the proposed percentage increase in the rate of any tax with the District's Index and within 10 days, but no later than 75 days, prior to the upcoming election, and to inform the District whether the proposed percentage increase is less than or equal to the Index. If the PDE determines that a proposed tax increase will exceed the Index, the District must reduce the proposed tax increase, seek voter approval for the tax increase at the upcoming election, or seek approval to utilize one or more of the referendum exceptions authorized by the Taxpayer Relief Act.

With respect to the utilization of any of the Taxpayer Relief Act referendum exceptions for which PDE approval is required, the District must publish notice of its intent to seek PDE approval not less than one week before submitting its request for approval to the PDE and, if the PDE determines to schedule a public hearing on the request, a notice of the date, time, and place of such hearing. The PDE is required by the Taxpayer Relief Act to rule on the District's request and inform the school district of its decision no later than 55 days prior to the upcoming election so that, if the PDE denies the school district's request, the school district may submit a referendum question to the local election officials at least 50 days before the upcoming election, if it so chooses.

To use any of the referendum exceptions for which court approval is required under the Taxpayer Relief Act, the District must petition the court of common pleas no later than 75 days prior to the upcoming election, after giving one week's public notice of the intent to file such petition. The court may schedule a hearing on the petition, and the District must prove by clear and convincing evidence that it qualifies for the exception sought. The Taxpayer Relief Act requires that the court rule on the petition and inform the District of its decision no later than 55 days prior to the upcoming election. Such Act provides that the court, in approving the petition, the petition, shall determine the dollar amount for which the exception is granted, the tax rate

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 2 <u>STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY</u> (cont'd)

increase required to fund the exception, and the appropriate duration of the tax increase. If the court denies the District's petition, such Act permits the District to submit a referendum question to the local election officials at least 50 days before the upcoming election, if it so chooses.

If the District seeks voter approval to increase taxes at a rate higher than the applicable Index, whether or not it first seeks approval to utilize one or more of the referendum exceptions available under the Taxpayer Relief Act, and the referendum question is not approved by a majority of the voters voting on the question, the Board of School Directors may not approve an increase in the tax rate greater than the applicable Index.

The above budgetary procedures will not apply if the District adopts a resolution no later than 110 days prior to the election immediately preceding the upcoming fiscal year declaring that it will not increase any tax rate that exceeds the Index and that a tax increase at or below the rate of the Index will be sufficient to balance its budget. In that case, the Taxpayer Relief Act requires only that the proposed annual budget be prepared at least 30 days, and made available for public inspection at least 20 days, prior to its adoption, and that at least 10 days' public notice be given of the Board's intent to adopt the annual budget. No referendum exceptions are available to a school district adopting such a resolution.

Legal budgetary control is maintained at the sub-function/major object level. The Board may make transfers of funds appropriated to any particular item of expenditure by legislative action in accordance with the Pennsylvania School Code. Management may amend the budget at the sub-function/sub-object level without Board approval. Appropriations lapse at the end of the fiscal period. Budgetary information reflected in the financial statements is presented at or below the level of budgetary control and includes the effect of approved budget amendments.

NOTE 3 DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

Deposits

Custodial Credit Risk

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank's failure, the government's deposits may not be returned. The District does not have a policy for custodial credit risk. At June 30, 2023, the carrying amount of the District's deposits was \$5,005,803, and the bank balance was \$5,171,755. Of the bank balance, \$250,000 was covered by federal depository insurance, and \$4,921,755 was exposed to custodial credit risk because, in accordance with Act 72 of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, it was uninsured and the collateral held by the depository's agent was not in the District's name.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 3 DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (cont'd)

Investments

Statutes authorize the District to invest in U.S. Treasury bills, time or share accounts of institutions insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation in certificates of deposit when they are secured by proper bond or collateral, repurchase agreements, State Treasurer's investment pools, or mutual funds. During the year ended June 30, 2016, the Pennsylvania Legislature passed Act 10 of 2016, which expanded allowable investments to include commercial paper, bankers' acceptances, and negotiable certificates of deposit that are highly rated by at least two national rating agencies.

The District's investments are in the Pennsylvania School District Liquid Asset Fund ("PSDLAF") and the Pennsylvania Treasurer's Program for Local Governments ("INVEST"). Although not registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission and not subject to regulatory oversight, PSDLAF and INVEST act like money market mutual funds in that their objective is to maintain a stable net asset value of \$1 per share, are rated by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization, and are subject to an independent annual audit. Additionally, the District has invested in certificates of deposit with maturity dates of less than one year.

The carrying value of the District's investments at June 30, 2023 was \$52,079,456. Of the investments, \$1,215,992 is invested in non-negotiable certificates of deposits with maturities of less than one year, and \$951,200 is invested in U.S. Treasury Bills with maturities of less than one year. The remaining \$49,912,264 is invested in 2a7-like pools. The amortized cost, which approximates fair value of the pool, is determined by the pool's share price. The District has no regulatory oversight for the pools, which are governed by the Board of Trustees. PSDLAF is administered by PMA Financial Network, Inc., and the pool is audited annually by PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, an independent certified public accounting firm. INVEST is administered by the Pennsylvania Treasury.

Credit Risk

The District has an investment policy that limits its investment choices in local government investment pools only to the extent it is rated in the highest rating category by a nationally recognized rating agency. As of June 30, 2023, PSDLAF and INVEST were rated as AAAm by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization.

NOTE 4 <u>UNEARNED REVENUES</u>

Unearned revenues reported in the governmental and proprietary funds, and at the entity-wide level, resulted from revenue received but not yet earned.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 5 <u>CAPITAL ASSETS</u>

Capital asset activity for the year ended June 30, 2023 was as follows:

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balance
Governmental Activities				
Capital assets not being depreciated: Land	\$ 11.035.789	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 11.035.789
Construction-in-progress	91,891,799	ء 29,564,047	ء 102,476,689	\$ 11,035,789 18,979,157
Total Capital Assets Not Being	71,071,777	27,304,047	102,470,007	10,777,137
Depreciated	102,927,588	29,564,047	102,476,689	30,014,946
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Buildings and improvements	84,846,762	101,332,125	5,194,065	180,984,822
Furniture and equipment	11,611,331	3,336,309	703,115	14,244,525
Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated	96,458,093	104,668,434	5,897,180	195,229,347
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings and improvements	58.682.761	3.805.901	4,812,339	57.676.323
Furniture and equipment	8,733,361	1,166,515	688,134	9,211,742
Total accumulated depreciation	67,416,122	4,972,416	5,500,473	66,888,065
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Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated,				
Net	29,041,971	99,696,018	396,707	128,341,282
Governmental Activities Assets, Net	\$131,969,559	\$129,260,065	\$102,873,396	\$158,356,228
Business-type Activities				
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Furniture and equipment	\$ 153,461	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 153,461
Less accumulated depreciation	104,351	8,504		112,855
Business-type Capital Assets, Net	\$ 49,110	\$ 8,504	\$ -	\$ 40,606

Depreciation expense was charged to functions/programs of the District as follows:

Instruction Instructional student support	\$ 3,689,716 365,133
Administrative and financial support services	393,361
Operation and maintenance of plant services Pupil transportation	204,729 259,873
Student activities	59,604
Total Depreciation Expense - Governmental Activities	\$ 4,972,416
Business-type Activities: Food Service	\$ 8,504

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 6 <u>INTERNAL RECEIVABLES</u>, PAYABLES, AND TRANSFERS

The composition of interfund balances as of June 30, 2023 is as follows:

Receivable To	Amount	Payable From	Amount
General Fund General Fund Internal Service Fund	\$ 4,860 62,878 3,978,958	Capital Projects Fund Food Service Fund General Fund	\$ 4,860 62,878 3,978,958
	\$ 4,046,696		\$ 4,046,696

Interfund balances between funds represent temporary loans recorded at year end subsequent to a final allocation of expenses, as well as transfers determined but not made by year end. The balances generally are paid shortly after year end. There was one transfer of \$1,607,023 during the year from the general fund to the capital projects fund for the purpose of funding future capital projects.

NOTE 7 GENERAL LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

The following summarizes the changes in the long-term liabilities of governmental activities for the year ended June 30, 2023:

	Balance July 1, 2022		Additions	Reductions	Balance June 30, 2023	 nounts Due n One Year
Bonds payable, net Lease liability Subscription based information	\$135,823,416 111,699	\$	- 90,191	\$ 4,820,662 61,655	\$131,002,754 140,235	\$ 5,017,885 31,427
Subscription-based information technology liability Accumulated compensated	157,976		131,780	87,862	201,894	98,328
absences .	1,556,152		-	185,373	1,370,779	119,247
Arbitrage rebate liability	-		32,757	-	32,757	-
Net OPEB liability	24,540,786		-	3,219,483	21,321,303	-
Net pension liability	95,943,949	_	8,648,743		104,592,692	 -
TOTALS	\$258,133,978	\$	8,903,471	\$ 8,375,035	\$258,662,414	\$ 5,266,887

The following summarizes the changes in the long-term liabilities of business-type activities for the year ended June 30, 2023:

	J	Balance uly 1, 2022	,	Additions	Re	ductions	Ju	Balance ne 30, 2023	 ounts Due One Year
Accumulated compensated absences Net OPEB liability Net pension liability	\$	53,018 97,555 1,689,051	\$	1,418 - 152,257	\$	21,124 -	\$	54,436 76,431 1,841,308	\$ 3,139
TOTALS	\$	1,839,624	\$	153,675	\$	21,124	\$	1,972,175	\$ 3,139

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 7 GENERAL LONG-TERM LIABILITIES (cont'd)

Governmental activities long-term liabilities are anticipated to be liquidated by the general fund. Business-type activities long-term liabilities are anticipated to be liquidated by the food service fund.

Bonds payable are comprised of the following:

Bonds payable, at face	\$117,600,000
Unamortized discount	(850,776)
Unamortized premium	14,253,530
Bonds payable, net	\$131,002,754

Payments of long-term debt are expected to be funded by the general fund.

General Obligation Bonds

Series of 2018, maturing through November 15, 2033, bearing interest
ranging from 2.00% to 5.00%, interest payable semi-annually on May 15
and November 15. This Series of 2018 provided funds to finance various
capital projects of the District and pay the costs of issuing the bonds.

\$ 33,475,000

Series A of 2021, maturing through November 15, 2041, bearing interest ranging from 0.25% to 4.00%, interest payable semi-annually on May 15 and November 15. This Series A of 2021 provided funds to finance various capital projects of the District and pay the costs of issuing the bonds.

49,815,000

Series B of 2021, maturing through November 15, 2041, bearing interest ranging from 0.30% to 4.00%, interest payable semi-annually on May 15 and November 15. This Series B of 2021 provided funds to terminate the District's Series 2021 and Series 2022 interest rate swaps.

6,965,000

Series C of 2021, maturing through November 15, 2027, bearing interest ranging from 0.25% to 4.00%, interest payable semi-annually on May 15 and November 15. This Series C of 2021 provided funds to refund the Series A of 2012 bonds.

3,135,000

Series of 2022, maturing through November 15, 2041, bearing of 4.00%, interest payable semi-annually on May 15 and November 15. This Series of 2022 provided funds to finance various capital projects of the District and pay the costs of issuing the bonds.

24,210,000

TOTAL \$117,600,000

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 7 GENERAL LONG-TERM LIABILITIES (cont'd)

Presented below is a summary of debt requirements to maturity by years:

Year Ending June 30,	Principal Interest Maturities Maturities		Total <u>Maturities</u>
2024	\$ 4,175,000	\$ 4,705,125	\$ 8,880,125
2025	4,305,000	4,571,000	8,876,000
2026	4,465,000	4,413,175	8,878,175
2027	4,645,000	4,231,475	8,876,475
2028	4,855,000	4,022,625	8,877,625
2029 - 2033	27,965,000	16,425,888	44,390,888
2034 - 2038	34,370,000	10,015,175	44,385,175
2039 - 2042	32,820,000	2,691,200	35,511,200
	\$ 117,600,000	\$ 51,075,663	\$ 168,675,663

NOTE 8 PENSION PLAN

Plan Description

The District contributes to the Public School Employees' Retirement System ("PSERS"), a governmental cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that provides retirement benefits to public school employees of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. The members eligible to participate in the system include all full-time public school employees, part-time hourly public school employees who render at least 500 hours of service in the school year, and part-time per diem public school employees who render at least 80 days of service in the school year in any of the reporting entities in Pennsylvania. Benefit terms and contributions may be amended by passing bills in the Pennsylvania Senate and House of Representatives and sending them to the Governor for approval. PSERS issues a publicly available comprehensive annual financial report that includes the financial statements and required supplementary information for the plan. A copy of this report may be obtained by writing to the Public School Employees' Retirement System, P.O. Box 125, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, 17108-0125, or by visiting the PSERS website at www.psers.pa.gov.

Benefits Provided

PSERS provides retirement, disability, and death benefits. Members are eligible for monthly retirement benefits upon reaching (a) age 62, with at least one year of credited service, (b) age 60 with 30 or more years of credited service, or (c) 35 or more years of service regardless of age. Act 120 of 2010 ("Act 120") preserves the benefits of existing members and introduced benefit reductions for individuals who became new members on or after July 1, 2011. Act 120

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 8 PENSION PLAN (cont'd)

created two new membership classes, Membership Class T-E ("Class T-E"), and Membership Class T-F ("Class T-F"). To qualify for normal retirement, Class T-E and Class T-F members must work until age 65 with a minimum of three years of service, or attain a total combination and age and service that is equal to or greater than 92, with a minimum of 35 years of service. Benefits are generally equal to two percent or two and one-half percent, depending upon the membership class, of the member's final average salary as defined in the Code, multiplied by the number of years of credited service.

Act 5 of 2017 ("Act 5") introduced a hybrid benefit with two membership classes and a separate defined contribution plan for individuals who become new members on or after July 1, 2019. Act 5 created two new hybrid membership classes, Membership Class T-G ("Class T-G") and Membership Class T-H ("Class T-H") and the separate defined contribution membership class, Membership Class DC ("Class DC"). To qualify for normal retirement, Class T-G and Class T-H members must work until age 67 with a minimum of 3 years of credited service. Class T-G may also qualify for normal retirement by attaining a total combination of age and service that is equal to or greater than 97 with a minimum of 35 years of credited service.

Benefits are generally between one percent to two and one-half percent, depending upon membership class, of the member's final average salary (as defined in the Code) multiplied by the number of years of credited service. For members whose membership started prior to July 1, 2011, after completion of five years of service, a member's right to the defined benefits is vested and early retirement benefits may be elected. For Class T-E and Class T-F members, the right to benefits is vested after ten years of service.

Participants are eligible for disability retirement benefits after completion of five years of credited service. Such benefits are generally equal to two percent or two and one-half percent, depending upon the membership class, of the member's final average salary as defined in the Code multiplied by the number of years of credited service, but not less than one-third of such salary nor greater than the benefit the member would have had at normal retirement age. Members over normal retirement age may apply for disability benefits.

Death benefits are payable upon the death of an active member who has reached age 62 with at least one year of credited service (age 65 with at least three years of credited service for Class T-E and Class T-F members), or who has at least five years of credited service (Class T-E and Class T-F members). Such benefits are actuarially equivalent to the benefit that would have been effective if the member had retired on the day before death.

Member Contributions

The contribution rates based on qualified member compensation are presented below:

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 8 PENSION PLAN (cont'd)

Member-		Defined Benefit	Defined	
ship	Continuous Employment	(DB) Contribution	Contribution	
Class	Since:	Rate	(DC) Rate	Total Contribution Rate
T-C	Prior to July 22, 1983	5.25%	N/A	5.25%
1-0	On or after July 22, 1983	6.25%	N/A	6.25%
T-D	Prior to July 22, 1983	6.50%	N/A	6.50%
1-0	On or after July 22, 1983	7.50%	N/A	7.50%
T-E	On or after July 1, 2011	7.50% base rate with shared risk provision	N/A	Prior to July 1, 2021 – 7.50% After July 1, 2021 – 8.00%
T-F	On or after July 1, 2011	10.30% base rate with shared risk provision	N/A	Prior to July 1, 2021 – 10.30% After July 1, 2021 – 10.80%
ī-G	On or after July 1, 2019	5.50% base rate with shared risk provision	2.75%	Prior to July 1, 2021 – 8.25% After July 1, 2021 – 9.00%
T-H	On or after July 1, 2019	4.50% base rate with shared risk provision	3.00%	Prior to July 1, 2021 – 7.50% After July 1, 2021 – 8.25%
DC	On or after July 1, 2019	N/A	7.50%	7.50%

A summary of the shared risk parameters by membership class is presented below:

Member-			Minimum	
ship	Defined Benefit (DB)	Shared Risk	Contribution	Maximum Contribution
Class	Base Rate	Increment	Rate	Rate
T-E	7.50%	+/- 0.50%	5.50%	9.50%
T-F	10.30%	+/- 0.50%	8.30%	12.30%
T-G	5.50%	+/- 0.75%	2.50%	8.50%
T-H	4.50%	+/- 0.75%	1.50%	7.50%

Employer Contributions

The District's contractually required contribution rate for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023 was 34.31 percent of covered payroll, actuarially determined as an amount that, when combined with employee contributions, is expected to finance the costs of benefits earned by employees during the year, with an additional amount to finance any unfunded accrued liability. Contributions to the pension plan from the District were \$12,530,204 for the year ended June 30, 2023.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 8 PENSION PLAN (cont'd)

Pension Liability and Expense, and Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources

At June 30, 2023, the District reported a liability of \$106,434,000 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2022, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by rolling forward the system's total pension liability as of June 30, 2021 to June 30, 2022. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was calculated utilizing the employer's one-year reported covered payroll as it relates to the total one-year reported covered payroll. At June 30, 2022, the District's proportion was 0.2394 percent, which was an increase of 0.0016 percent from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2021.

For the year ended June 30, 2023, the District recognized pension expense of \$7,797,980. At June 30, 2023, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Net difference between projected and actual investment earnings	\$ -	\$ 1,805,000	
Changes in proportions	2,647,000	1,003,000	
Difference between employer contributions and proportionate share of total contributions Difference between expected and actual	141,867	-	
experience	48.000	921,000	
Changes in assumption	3,178,000	-	
Contributions subsequent to the date of			
measurement	12,530,204		
	\$ 18,545,071	\$ 3,729,000	

An amount of \$12,530,204 is reported as deferred outflows of resources resulting from the District's contributions subsequent to the measurement date and will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2024. Other amounts will be reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions and will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ended June 30,	
2024	\$ 702,675
2025	1,634,814
2026	(2,572,622)
2027	2,521,000
2027	\$ 2,285,867

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 8 PENSION PLAN (cont'd)

Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability as of June 30, 2022 was determined by rolling forward the system's total pension liability as of the June 30, 2021 actuarial valuation to June 30, 2022 using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

- Actuarial cost method entry age normal, level percentage of pay
- Investment return 7.00 percent, including inflation of 2.75 percent
- Salary growth effective average of 4.50 percent, comprised of inflation of 2.50 percent and 2.00 percent for real wage growth and for merit or seniority increases
- Mortality rates were based on a blend of the 50 percent PubT-2010 and 50 percent PubG-2010 Retiree Tables for Males and Females, adjusted to reflect PSERS' experience and projected using a modified version of the MP-2020 Improvement Scale
- The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00 percent as of June 30, 2021 and as of June 30, 2022
- Demographic and economic assumptions approved by the Board for use effective with the June 30, 2021 actuarial valuation:
 - Salary growth rate decreased from 5.00 percent to 4.50 percent
 - Real wage growth and merit or seniority increases (components for salary growth) decreased from 2.75 percent and 2.25 percent to 2.50 percent and 2.00 percent, respectively
 - O Mortality rates Previously based on the RP-2014 Mortality Tables for Males and Females, adjusted to reflect PSERS' experience and projected using a modified version of the MP-2015 Mortality Improvement Scale. Effective with the June 30, 2021 actuarial valuation, mortality rates are based on a blend of 50 percent PubT-2010 and 50 percent PubG-2010 Retiree Tables for Males and Females, adjusted to reflect PSERS' experience and projected using a modified version of the MP-2020 Improvement Scale.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2022 valuation were based on the experience study that was performed for the five-year period ended June 30, 2020.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using the building-block method in which best estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation.

The pension plan's policy in regard to the allocation of invested plan assets is established and may be amended by the PSERS Board of Directors. Plan assets are managed with a long-term objective of achieving and maintaining a fully funded status for the benefits provided through the pension.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 8 PENSION PLAN (cont'd)

A schedule of plan investments by asset class, target allocations, and long-term expected real rate of return is as follows:

Asset Class	Target _Allocation	Long-term Expected Real Rate of Return
Global public equity	28.0%	5.3%
Private equity	12.0%	8.0%
Fixed income	33.0%	2.3%
Commodities	9.0%	2.3%
Infrastructure/MLPs	9.0%	5.4%
Real estate	11.0%	4.6%
Absolute return	6.0%	3.5%
Cash	3.0%	0.5%
Leverage	(11.0%)	0.5%
	100.0%	

The above was the PSERS Board's adopted asset allocation policy and best estimates of geometric real rates of return for each major asset class as of June 30, 2022.

Discount Rate

The discount used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current contribution rate and that contributions from employers will be made at contractually required rates, actuarially determined. Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

<u>Sensitivity of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate</u>

The following presents the net pension liability, calculated using the discount rate of 7.00 percent, as well as what the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower (6.00 percent) or one percentage point higher (8.00 percent) than the current rate.

	1%	Current	1%
	Decrease 6.00%	Discount Rate 7.00%	Increase 8.00%
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 137,665,000	\$ 106,434,000	\$ 80,103,000

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NOTE 8 PENSION PLAN (cont'd)

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about PSERS' fiduciary net position is available in PSERS Comprehensive Annual Financial Report, which can be found on the system's website at www.psers.pa.gov.

NOTE 9 AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PLAN

Plan Description

The Avon Grove School District Postemployment Benefits Plan ("the District Plan") is a single employer defined benefit healthcare plan. The District Plan provides medical insurance benefits to eligible retirees and their spouses. The Board of School Directors has the authority to establish and amend benefit provisions through the collective bargaining process with members of the professional and support staff, an agreement with administrative employees, and individual employment contracts with certain employees. The District Plan does not issue any financial report and is not included in the report of any public employee retirement system or any other entity. No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions."

Benefits Provided

The District Plan provides healthcare insurance benefits for retired employees and their dependents. The eligibility requirements and benefits provided are summarized as follows:

Administrators – retired District administrators with at least ten years of service to the District are eligible to receive benefits upon the date of their retirement into PSERS and receive medical, prescription drug, dental, and vision insurance at no cost. Retired professional staff and support staff are eligible to receive medical and prescription drug insurance upon their retirement into PSERS.

Professional staff, retired before July 1, 2013 – retired professional staff are eligible to receive medical and prescription drug insurance benefits. Professional staff retiring before July 1, 2013 pay a percentage of the premium assessed for a single employee ranging from zero to ten percent depending upon the year of retirement, plus twenty to twenty-five percent of the difference between dependent and single employee coverage for their dependent(s), as applicable.

Professional staff, retired on or after July 1, 2013 – retired professional staff are eligible to receive medical and prescription drug insurance benefits. Professional staff retiring on or after

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 9 AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PLAN (cont'd)

July 1, 2013 with thirty years of PSERS credited service and at least twenty-five years of service to the District pay zero percent of the premium for single employees, plus twenty-five percent of the difference between dependent and single employee coverage for their dependent(s), as applicable.

Support staff – retired support staff are eligible to receive medical and prescription drug insurance benefits. Retired support staff with thirty years of PSERS credited service and at least twenty-five years of service to the District pay the same contribution percentage of the premiums as currently active employees.

At July 1, 2022, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

Active participants	439
Retired participants currently receiving benefits	46
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	485

Total OPEB Liability

The District's total OPEB liability of \$16,979,734 was measured as of July 1, 2022, and was determined by rolling forward the District's total OPEB liability as of the July 1, 2021 actuarial valuation to July 1, 2022.

<u>Actuarial Assumptions</u>

The total OPEB liability was determined using the following actuarial assumptions and other inputs, applied to all periods included in the measurement.

- Healthcare cost trend rate 6.5 percent for 2022, 6.0 percent for 2023, 5.5 percent for 2024 and 2025. Rates gradually decrease from 5.40 percent in 2026 to 3.9 percent in 2075 and later based on the Society of Actuaries Long-Run Medical Cost Trend Model.
- Actuarial cost method Entry age normal
- Interest rate 4.06 percent based on the S&P Municipal Bond 20-year High Grade Rate Index at July 1, 2022
- Salary increases 2.50 percent cost of living adjustment, 1.00 percent real wage growth, with a merit increase for professional staff and administrators varying from 0.00 percent to 2.75 percent
- Mortality rates were assumed preretirement and postretirement using the rates assumed
 in the PSERS defined benefit pension plan actuarial valuation. Incorporated into the table
 are rates projected generationally by the Buck Modified 2016 projection scale to reflect
 mortality improvement.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 9 AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PLAN (cont'd)

Changes i	in the	Total	OPEB	Liability

	Total OPEB Liability
Total OPEB Liability – June 30, 2022	\$ 18,999,341
Changes for the year: Service cost Interest Changes of assumptions Benefit payment Net changes	1,046,095 450,494 (2,986,555) (529,641) (2,019,607)
Total OPEB Liability – June 30, 2023	\$ 16,979,734

Changes of assumptions include the change in the discount rate from 2.28 percent to 4.06 percent. The trend assumption was updated.

<u>Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate</u>

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the District, as well as what the District's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower (3.06 percent) or one percentage point higher (5.06 percent) than the current discount rate:

	1%	Current	1%	
	Decrease 3.06%	Discount Rate 4.06%	Increase 5.06%	
Total OPEB liability	\$ 18,550,691	\$ 16,979,734	\$ 15,552,319	

Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Healthcare Costs Trend Rates

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the District, as well as what the District's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using healthcare cost trend rates that are one percentage point lower or one percentage point higher than the current healthcare cost trend rates:

	1% Decrease (5.5% Decreasing	Current Trend Rates (6.5% Decreasing	1% Increase (7.5% Decreasing	
	to 2.9%)	to 3.9%)	to 4.9%)	
Total OPEB liability	\$ 14,952,376	\$ 16,979,734	\$ 19,397,070	

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 9 AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PLAN (cont'd)

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

For the year ended June 30, 2023, the District recognized OPEB expense of \$794,380. At June 30, 2023, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Changes of assumptions Difference between expected and actual	\$ 2,196,590	\$ 4,099,594	
experience Contributions subsequent to the date of	-	5,139,859	
measurement	588,422		
	\$ 2,785,012	\$ 9,239,453	

An amount of \$588,422 is reported as deferred outflows of resources resulting from the District's contributions subsequent to the measurement date and will be recognized as a component of OPEB expense in the year ended June 30, 2024. Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

Year Ended June 30,	
2024	\$ (702,209)
2025	(702,209)
2026	(702,209)
2027	(702,209)
2028	(702,209)
Thereafter	(3,531,818)
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Total	_\$ (7,042,863)_

NOTE 10 PSERS HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

As a member of the PSERS, District employees are eligible to participate in the postemployment healthcare program offered and administered by the PSERS.

Health Insurance Premium Assistance Program

The PSERS provides premium assistance, which is a governmental cost sharing, multipleemployer other postemployment benefit plan ("OPEB") for all eligible retirees who qualify and elect to participate. Employer contribution rates for premium assistance are established to

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 10 PSERS HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (cont'd)

provide reserves in the health insurance account that are sufficient for the payment of premium assistance benefits for each succeeding year. Effective January 1, 2002 under the provisions of Act 9 of 2001, participating eligible retirees are entitled to receive premium assistance payments equal to the lesser of \$100 per month or their out-of-pocket monthly health insurance premium. To receive premium assistance, eligible retirees must obtain their health insurance through either their school employer or the PSERS' Health Options Program. As of June 30, 2022 there were no assumed future benefit increases to participating eligible retirees.

Premium Assistance Eligibility Criteria

PSERS retirees can participate in the premium assistance program if they satisfy the following criteria:

- Have 24 ½ or more years of service, or
- Are a disability retiree, or
- Have 15 or more years of service and retired after reaching superannuation age, and
- Participate in the Health Options Program ("HOP") or employer-sponsored health insurance program

For Class DC members to become eligible for premium assistance, they must satisfy the following criteria:

- Attain Medicare eligibility with 24 ½ or more eligibility points, or
- Have 15 or more eligibility points and terminated after age 67, and
- Have received all or part of their distributions

Pension Plan Description

PSERS is a governmental cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that provides retirement benefits to public school employees of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. The members eligible to participate in the system include all full-time public school employees, part-time hourly public school employees who render at least 500 hours of service in the school year, and part-time per diem public school employees who render at least 80 days of service in the school year in any of the reporting entities in Pennsylvania. Benefit terms and contributions may be amended by passing bills in the Pennsylvania Senate and House of Representatives and sending them to the Governor for approval. PSERS issues a publicly available financial report that can be obtained at www.psers.pa.gov.

Benefits Provided

Participating eligible retirees are entitled to receive premium assistance payments equal to the lesser of \$100 per month or their out-of-pocket monthly health insurance premium. To receive premium assistance, eligible retirees must obtain their health insurance through either their school employer or the PSERS' Health Options Program. As of June 30, 2022, there were no assumed future benefit increases to participating eligible retirees.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 10 PSERS HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (cont'd)

Employer Contributions

The District's contractually required contribution rate for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023 was 0.75 percent of covered payroll, actuarially determined as an amount that, when combined with employee contributions, is expected to finance the costs of benefits earned by employees during the year, with an additional amount to finance any unfunded accrued liability. Contributions to the OPEB plan from the District were \$273,904 for the year ended June 30, 2023.

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

At June 30, 2023, the District reported a liability of \$4,418,000 for its proportionate share of the net OPEB liability. The net OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2022, and the total OPEB liability used to calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by rolling forward the system's total OPEB liability as of June 30, 2021 to June 30, 2022. The District's proportion of the net OPEB liability was calculated utilizing the employer's one-year reported covered payroll as it relates to the total one-year reported covered payroll. At June 30, 2022, the District's proportion was 0.2400 percent, which was an increase of 0.0021 percent from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2021.

For the year ended June 30, 2023, the District recognized OPEB expense of \$129,817. At June 30, 2023, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources		Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Difference between actual and expected experience Changes of assumptions Changes in proportion Differences between projected		41,000 490,000 195,000	\$	24,000 1,043,000 122,000
and actual investment earnings		12,000		-
Difference between employer contributions and proportionate share of total contributions Contributions subsequent to the date of measurement		7,016		-
		273,904		
	\$	1,018,920	\$	1,189,000

An amount of \$273,904 is reported as deferred outflows of resources resulting from the District's contributions subsequent to the measurement date and will be recognized as a component of OPEB expense in the year ended June 30, 2024. Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 10 PSERS HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (cont'd)

Year Ended June 30,	
2024	\$ (109,126)
2025	(50,286)
2026	(84,514)
2027	(103,520)
2028	(96,538)
	\$ (443,984)

Actuarial Assumptions

The total OPEB liability as of June 30, 2022 was determined by rolling forward the PSERS system's total OPEB liability as of June 30, 2021 to June 30, 2022 using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

- Actuarial cost method Entry age normal, level percent of pay
- Investment return 4.09 percent based on the S&P 20-year Municipal Bond Rate
- Salary growth Effective average of 4.50 percent, comprised of inflation of 2.50 percent and 2.00 percent for real wage growth and for merit or seniority increases
- Premium assistance reimbursement is capped at \$1,200 per year.
- Assumed healthcare cost trends were applied to retirees with less than \$1,200 in premium assistance per year.
- Mortality rates were based on a blend of 50 percent PubT-2010 and 50 percent PubG-2010 Retiree Tables for Males and females, adjusted to reflect PSERS' experience and projected using a modified version of the MP-2020 improvement scale.
- Participation rate:
 - Eligible retirees will elect to participate pre-age 65 at 50 percent.
 - Eligible retirees will elect to participate post-age 65 at 70 percent.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2022 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study that was performed for the five-year period ended June 30, 2020.

The following assumptions were used to determine the contribution rate:

- The results of the actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2020 determined the employer contribution rate for fiscal year 2023.
- Cost method: amount necessary to assure solvency of premium assistance through the third fiscal year after the valuation date.
- Asset valuation method: market value.
- Participation rate: the actual data for retirees benefitting under the Plan as of June 30, 2021 was used in lieu of the 63 percent utilization assumption for eligible retirees.
- Mortality tables for males and females, adjusted to reflect PSERS' experience and projected using a modified version of the MP-2015 mortality improvement scale.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 10 PSERS HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (cont'd)

Investments consist primarily of short-term assets designed to protect the principal of the plan assets. The expected rate of return on OPEB plan investments was determined using the OPEB asset allocation policy and best estimates of geometric real rates of return for each asset class.

The OPEB plan's policy in regard to the allocation of invested plan assets is established and may be amended by the Board. Under the program, as defined in the retirement code, employer contribution rates for premium assistance are established to provide reserves in the health insurance account that are sufficient for the payment of premium assistance benefits for each succeeding year.

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-term Expected Real Rate of Return
Cash	100.00%	0.5%

The above was the Board's adopted asset allocation policy and best estimates of geometric real rates of return for each major asset class as of June 30, 2022.

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability was 4.09 percent. Under the plan's funding policy, contributions are structured for short-term funding of premium assistance. The funding policy sets contribution rates necessary to assure solvency of premium assistance through the third fiscal year after the actuarial valuation date. The premium assistance account is funded to establish reserves that are sufficient for the payment of premium assistance benefits for each succeeding year. Due to the short-term funding policy, the OPEB plan's fiduciary net position was not projected to be sufficient to meet projected future benefit payments; therefore, the plan is considered a "pay-as-you-go" plan. A discount rate of 4.09 percent, which represents the S&P 20-year Municipal Bond Rate at June 30, 2022, was applied to all projected benefit payments to measure the total OPEB liability.

Sensitivity of the Net OPEB Liability to Changes in Healthcare Cost Trend Rates

Healthcare cost trends were applied to retirees receiving less than \$1,200 in annual premium assistance. As of June 30, 2022, retirees' premium assistance benefits are not subject to future healthcare cost increases. The annual premium assistance reimbursement for qualifying retirees is capped at a maximum of \$1,200. As of June 30, 2022, 93,293 retirees were receiving the maximum amount allowed of \$1,200 per year. As of June 30, 2022, 582 members were receiving less than the maximum amount allowed of \$1,200 per year. The actual number of retirees receiving less than the \$1,200 per year cap is a small percentage of the total population and has a minimal impact on healthcare cost trends as depicted below.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 10 PSERS HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (cont'd)

The following presents the system's net OPEB liability for June 30, 2022, calculated using current healthcare cost trends, as well as what the system's net OPEB liability would be if its healthcare cost trends were one percentage point lower or one percentage point higher than the current rate:

		1%		Current		1%	
	[Decrease		Trend Rates		Increase	
District's proportionate share	<u> </u>						
of the net OPEB liability	\$	4,417,000	\$	4,418,000	\$	4,418,000	

<u>Sensitivity of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate</u>

The following presents the net OPEB liability, calculated using the discount rate of 4.09 percent, as well as what the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower (3.09 percent) or one percentage-point higher (5.09 percent) than the current rate:

	1%		Current		1%	
	 Decrease 3.09%	Dis	scount Rate 4.09%		Increase 5.09%	
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	\$ 4,996,000	\$	4,418,000	\$	3,934,000	

OPEB Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about PSERS' fiduciary net position is available in PSERS Comprehensive Annual Financial Report, which can be found on the system's website at www.psers.pa.gov.

NOTE 11 SUMMARY OF NET OPEB LIABILITY AND DEFERRED INFLOWS AND OUTFLOWS RELATED TO PENSIONS AND OPEB

The District's aggregate net OPEB liability is as follows:

	Net OPEB Liability
District Plan (See Note 9) PSERS Plan (See Note 10)	\$ 16,979,734 4,418,000
Total	\$ 21,397,734

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 11 SUMMARY OF NET OPEB LIABILITY AND DEFERRED INFLOWS AND OUTFLOWS RELATED TO PENSIONS AND OPEB (cont'd)

The District's aggregate deferred inflows and outflows of resources related to pensions and OPEB are as follows:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources - Contributions	Other Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Pension – PSERS (See Note 8) OPEB – District Plan (See Note 9) OPEB – PSERS (See Note 10)	\$ 12,530,204 588,422 273,904	\$ 6,014,867 2,196,590 745,016	\$ 3,729,000 9,239,453 1,189,000	
Total	\$ 13,392,530	\$ 8,956,473	\$ 14,157,453	

NOTE 12 LEASES

The District leases certain copy machines and modular classrooms under various lease agreements that are reported in accordance with GASB Statement No. 87, "Leases."

On December 15, 2017, the District entered into a lease agreement for six high-volume copy machines. The non-cancellable lease term was for a five-year period ending on December 15, 2022, with payments due monthly of \$4,773. The lease payments included an interest rate of 4.38 percent. At the termination of this lease, a new lease agreement for similar equipment was executed, with a non-cancellable five-year lease term ending on June 20, 2028. Monthly payments due under this lease are \$951 each month, including an interest rate of 7.92 percent.

On January 15, 2018, the District entered into a lease agreement for 23 copy machines. The non-cancellable lease term was for a five-year period ending on January 15, 2023, with payments due monthly of \$1,057. The lease payments included an interest rate of 4.38 percent. At the termination date of this lease, a new five-year lease agreement for eight copiers was executed. Required payments under this lease are \$874 each month, including an interest rate of 7.92 percent. The lease terminates on June 20, 2028.

On June 4, 2021, the District entered into a lease agreement for 24 multi-function digital copiers. The non-cancellable lease term is for a five-year period ending June 4, 2026, with payments due monthly of \$1,464. The lease payments include an interest rate of 3.40 percent.

Presented below are summaries of lease payment requirements to maturity by years, and lease asset activity:

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 12 <u>LEASES</u> (cont'd)

Year Ending June 30,	Principal Maturities			nterest aturities	<u>N</u>	Total Naturities
2024	\$	31,427	\$	8,047	\$	39,474
2025	-	33,241	-	6,233	•	39,474
2026		35,177		4,297		39,474
2027		19,399		2,504		21,903
2028		20,991		911		21,902
	\$	140,235	\$	21,992	\$	162,227

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balance
Governmental Activities Leased assets being amortized:				
Leased buildings	\$ 924,621	\$ -	\$ 924,621	\$ -
Leased equipment	394,283	90,191	313,599	170,875
Total Leased Assets Being Amortized	1,318,904	90,191	1,238,220	170,875
Less accumulated amortization for:				
Leased buildings	919,089	5,532	924,621	-
Leased equipment	293,149	52,723	313,599	32,273
Total accumulated amortization	1,212,238	58,255	1,238,220	32,273
Total Leased Assets Being Amortized, Net	106,666	31,936		138,602
Governmental Activities Assets, Net	\$ 106,666	\$ 31,933	\$ -	\$ 138,602

NOTE 13 SUBSCRIPTION-BASED INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ARRANGEMENTS

The District has entered into several multi-year information technology subscription agreements for the use of various software services. Initial lease liabilities were recorded in the amount of \$403,709, and include discount rates ranging from 1.86 percent to 4.06 percent. The noncancelable agreement terms range from three years to five years, with the last service arrangement terminating on June 30, 2026.

Presented below are summaries of subscription payment requirements to maturity by years, and subscription asset activity:

Year Ending June 30,	Principal Maturities		nterest aturities	 Total Naturities
2024 2025 2026	\$	98,328 95,782 7,784	\$ 5,840 3,006 316	\$ 104,168 98,788 8,100
	\$	201,894	\$ 9,162	\$ 211,056

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 13 <u>SUBSCRIPTION-BASED INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ARRANGEMENTS</u> (cont'd)

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balance
Governmental Activities Subscription assets being amortized Less: accumulated amortization	\$ 271,929 114,844	\$ 131,899 89,246	\$ 17,351 17,351	\$ 386,477 186,739
Total Subscription Assets Being Amortized, Net	157,085	42,653		199,738
Governmental Activities Subscription Assets, Net	\$ 157,085	\$ 42,653	\$ -	\$ 199,738

NOTE 14 JOINT VENTURES

The District is a participating member of the Center for Arts Technology ("the Vo-Tech"). The Vo-Tech is run by a joint board consisting of school directors from each member district. The board of directors from each member district must approve the Vo-Tech's annual budget. Each member pays an allocated share of the debt and operating costs of the Vo-Tech based on the number of students from each district. For fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, the District's share of debt and operating costs was \$2,752,901. The Vo-Tech prepares financial statements which are available to the public. The financial statements of the Vo-Tech are available from the Chester County Intermediate Unit located at 455 Boot Road, Downingtown, Pennsylvania 19335.

NOTE 15 FUND BALANCES

As of June 30, 2023, fund balances are composed of the following:

	General Fund		Pro	Capital ojects Fund	Total Governmental Funds	
Nonspendable:		_		_		
Prepaid expenditures	\$	186,333	\$	26,008	\$	212,341
Restricted:						
Capital projects		-		7,850,971		7,850,971
Committed:						
Future retirement contributions		5,998,719		-		5,998,719
Assigned:						
Subsequent year's budget		4,344,582		-		4,344,582
Future projects		10,000,000		-		10,000,000
Real estate tax appeal losses		1,500,000		-		1,500,000
Pupil services expenditures		500,000		-		500,000
Unassigned		8,536,034		<u>-</u>		8,536,034
Total Fund Balances	\$	31,065,668	\$	7,876,979	\$	38,942,647

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 16 CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS

Construction Commitments

As of June 30, 2023, the District had ongoing construction projects yet to be completed. The commitments and amounts completed to date are as follows:

	Project Amount	Completed as of 06/30/2023	Co	ommitments _
High school construction High school construction – offsite	\$ 95,158,065	\$ 94,608,575	\$	549,490
improvements	1,984,974	1,961,636		23,338
Middle school renovation Elementary school window	18,851,615	18,006,781		844,834
replacements	38,130	34,504		3,626
Totals	\$116,032,784	\$114,611,496	\$	1,421,288

Of the balance completed as of June 30, 2023, \$102,476,689 was substantially complete and placed in service as of June 30, 2023, and \$12,134,807 remained in construction in progress as of June 30, 2023. In addition, the District has incurred costs totaling \$6,844,350 that were not under a formal contract at June 30, 2023. These costs include insurance, building and other permit fees, legal fees, and other expenses of a similar nature.

Government Grants and Awards

The District participates in both state and federally assisted grant programs. These programs are subject to program compliance audits by the grantors or their representatives. The District is potentially liable for any expenditure which may be disallowed pursuant to the terms of these grant programs. Management is not aware of any material items of noncompliance which would result in the disallowance of program expenditures.

Standby Letter of Credit

On June 7, 2022, the District issued an irrevocable standby letter of credit in the amount of \$892,568 for the purpose of securing collateral required by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Department of Transportation ("PennDOT") while the District makes certain roadway improvements in conjunction with the construction of a new high school facility. PennDOT is the named beneficiary of the letter of credit. The letter of credit expires on May 13, 2024, and will be renewed on an annual basis until PennDOT no longer requires the letter of credit for collateralization. As of June 30, 2023, no amounts were drawn on the letter of credit.

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NOTE 17 RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. Significant losses are covered by commercial insurance for all major programs except for workers' compensation, for which the District retains risk of loss. For insured programs, there were no significant reductions in insurance coverages during the 2022-2023 year. Settlement amounts have not exceeded insurance coverage for the current year or the three prior years.

NOTE 18 DEFICIT NET POSITION

The unrestricted net deficit amount for governmental activities of \$82,465,358 includes the effect of deferring the recognition of pension and postretirement benefit contributions made subsequent to the measurement date of the net pension and net other postemployment benefits liabilities, the unamortized portion of contributions made in excess of the District's share of its proportionate contributions to its pension plan, and the deferred outflows resulting from the change in the District's share of the net pension liability. This is offset by the District's actuarially determined pension liability and the deferred inflows resulting from the differences between projected and actual investment earnings.

NOTE 19 CHANGE IN ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLE

The District has decreased its July 1, 2021 net position of its governmental activities by \$891 due to the effects of implementing GASB Statement No. 96, "Subscription-based Information Technology Arrangements." Certain software subscriptions meeting the definition for inclusion under GASB Statement No. 96 are now accounted for by recognizing an intangible right-to-use asset and a corresponding liability. Net position has been decreased for the amount of subscription liabilities that exceeded the value of the corresponding subscription assets.

NOTE 20 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The District has evaluated all subsequent events through November 14, 2023, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.



AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY Pennsylvania Public School Employees' Retirement System (PSERS)

MEASUREMENT DATE June 30, 2016 June 30, 2022 June 30, 2021 June 30, 2020 June 30, 2019 June 30, 2017 June 30, 2015 June 30, 2014 June 30, 2018 District's proportion of the net pension liability 0.2394% 0.2378% 0.2291% 0.2375% 0.2377% 0.2330% 0.2399% 0.2384% 0.2360% District's proportion of the net pension liability -\$106,434,000 \$ 97,633,000 \$112,807,000 \$111,109,000 \$114,108,000 \$115,075,000 \$118,887,000 \$103,264,000 \$ 93,411,000 dollar value District's covered employee payroll \$ 35,303,166 \$ 33,826,983 \$ 32,994,928 \$ 32,776,368 \$ 32,239,975 \$ 31,017,068 \$ 31,066,045 \$ 30,675,916 \$ 30,121,772 District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered employee payroll 301.49% 288.62% 341.89% 338.99% 353.93% 371.01% 382.69% 336.63% 310.11% Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage 54.00% 57.24% of the total pension liability 61.34% 63.67% 54.32% 55.66% 51.84% 50.14% 54.36%

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 68, this schedule has been prepared prospectively as the above information for the preceding years is not readily available. This schedule will accumulate each year until sufficient information to present a ten-year trend is available.

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS Pennsylvania Public School Employees' Retirement System (PSERS)

	June 30, 2023	June 30, 2022	June 30, 2021	June 30, 2020	June 30, 2019	June 30, 2018	June 30, 2017	June 30, 2016	June 30, 2015
Contractually required contribution	\$ 12,530,204	\$ 11,999,546	\$ 11,335,422	\$ 11,007,108	\$ 10,685,096	\$ 10,232,968	\$ 9,056,984	\$ 7,766,511	\$ 6,288,563
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	12,530,204	11,999,546	11,335,422	11,007,108	10,685,096	10,232,968	9,056,984	7,766,511	6,288,563
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
District's covered-employee payroll	\$ 36,520,560	\$ 35,303,166	\$ 33,826,983	\$ 32,994,928	\$ 32,776,368	\$ 32,239,975	\$ 31,017,068	\$ 31,066,045	\$ 30,675,916
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	34.31%	33.99%	33.51%	33.36%	32.60%	31.74%	29.20%	25.00%	20.50%

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 68, this schedule has been prepared prospectively as the above information for the preceding years is not readily available. This schedule will accumulate each year until sufficient information to present a ten-year trend is available.

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET OPEB LIABILITY

Pennsylvania Public School Employees' Retirement System (PSERS) Health Insurance Premium Assistance Program

MEASUREMENT DATE June 30, 2022 June 30, 2021 June 30, 2020 June 30, 2019 June 30, 2018 June 30, 2017 District's proportion of the net OPEB liability 0.2400% 0.2379% 0.2293% 0.2375% 0.2377% 0.2330% District's proportion of the net OPEB liability dollar value \$ 4,418,000 \$ 5.639.000 \$ 4,954,000 5.051.000 \$ 4,956,000 \$ 4,747,000 District's covered employee payroll \$ 35,303,166 \$ 33,826,983 \$ 32,994,928 \$ 32,776,368 \$ 32,239,975 \$ 31,017,068 District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability as a percentage of its covered employee payroll 12.51% 16.67% 15.01% 15.41% 15.37% 15.30% Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability 6.86% 5.30% 5.69% 5.56% 5.56% 5.73%

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 75, this schedule has been prepared prospectively as the above information for the preceding years is not readily available. This schedule will accumulate each year until sufficient information to present a ten-year trend is available.

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS

Pennsylvania Public School Employees' Retirement System (PSERS) Health Insurance Premium Assistance Program

	June 30, 2023	June 30, 2022	June 30, 2021	June 30, 2020	June 30, 2019	June 30, 2018
Contractually required contribution	\$ 273,904	\$ 282,425	\$ 277,381	\$ 277,157	\$ 272,044	\$ 267,592
Contributions in related to the contractually required contribution	273,904	282,425	277,381	277,157	272,044	267,592
Contribution excess	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
District's covered employee payroll	\$ 36,520,560	\$ 35,303,166	\$ 33,826,983	\$ 32,994,928	\$ 32,776,368	\$ 32,239,975
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	0.75%	0.80%	0.82%	0.84%	0.83%	0.83%

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 75, this schedule has been prepared prospectively as the above information for the preceding years is not readily available. This schedule will accumulate each year until sufficient information to present a ten-year trend is available.

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN NET OPEB LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS SINGLE EMPLOYER PLAN

			MEASURE	MENT DATE		
	July 1, 2022	July 1, 2021	July 1, 2020	July 1, 2019	July 1, 2018	July 1, 2017
TOTAL OPEB LIABILITY Service cost Interest	\$ 1,046,095 450,494	\$ 1,084,556 392,862	\$ 779,244 578,265	\$ 866,165 549,270	\$ 816,724 549,563	\$ 1,079,004 545,531
Changes of benefit terms Differences between expected and actual experience	-	- (1,493,070)	-	- (1,339,519)	-	483,830 (5,132,266)
Changes of assumptions Benefit payments	(2,986,555) (529,641)	(759,875) (572,052)	2,818,424 (567,421)	(631,867) (592,074)	44,442 (579,300)	(3,132,266) (415,796) (731,345)
NET CHANGE IN TOTAL OPEB LIABILITY	(2,019,607)	(1,347,579)	3,608,512	(1,148,025)	831,429	(4,171,042)
TOTAL OPEB LIABILITY, BEGINNING OF YEAR	18,999,341	20,346,920	16,738,408	17,886,433	17,055,004	21,226,046
TOTAL OPEB LIABILITY, END OF YEAR	\$ 16,979,734	\$ 18,999,341	\$ 20,346,920	\$ 16,738,408	\$ 17,886,433	\$ 17,055,004
PLAN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION						
PLAN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION, BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
PLAN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION, END OF YEAR	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
DISTRICT'S NET OPEB LIABILITY	\$ 16,979,734	\$ 18,999,341	\$ 20,346,920	\$ 16,738,408	\$ 17,886,433	\$ 17,055,004
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of total OPEB liability	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Covered employee payroll	\$ 32,606,170	\$ 32,606,170	\$ 30,811,258	\$ 30,811,258	\$ 30,046,491	\$ 30,046,491
District's net OPEB liability as a percentage of covered payroll	52.08%	58.27%	66.04%	54.33%	59.53%	56.76%

NOTES TO SCHEDULE

Changes of Assumptions

The discount rate changed from 2.18% to 4.06%. The trend assumption was updated.

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 75, this schedule has been prepared prospectively as the above information for the preceding years is not readily available. This schedule will accumulate each year until sufficient information to present a ten-year trend is available.





INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON
INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND
ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT
OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE
WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

November 14, 2023

Members of the Board Avon Grove School District West Grove, Pennsylvania

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Avon Grove School District ("the District"), West Grove, Pennsylvania, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated November 14, 2023.

Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

Members of the Board Avon Grove School District

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

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the District's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statements. 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.

Purpose of This Report

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

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

November 14, 2023

Members of the Board Avon Grove School District West Grove, Pennsylvania

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Avon Grove School District's ("the District") compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on the District's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2023. The District's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and recommendations.

In our opinion, the District compiled, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2023.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAS"); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States ("Government Auditing Standards"); and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards ("Uniform Guidance"). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

Members of the Board Avon Grove School District

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

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

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

<u>Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance</u>

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

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, Government Auditing Standards, and the Uniform Guidance, we:

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

Members of the Board Avon Grove School District

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

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

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

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

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

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

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AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

FEDERAL GRANTOR/PASS-THROUGH GRANTOR PROJECT TITLE	SOURCE CODE	FEDERAL ALN	PASS- THROUGH GRANTOR'S NUMBER	GRANT PERIOD BEGINNING/ ENDING DATES	GRANT AMOUNT	TOTAL RECEIVED FOR YEAR	ACCRUED (UNEARNED) REVENUE 07/01/22	REVENUE RECOGNIZED	EXPENDITURES	ACCRUED (UNEARNED) REVENUE 06/30/23	PASSED THROUGH TO SUB- RECIPIENTS
U.S. Department of Education	0002	7 12.1	- HOMBER	21121110 271120	7.11.00.111		01701722	112000111222		00/00/20	112011 121110
Passed through Pennsylvania Department of Education											
Title I - Improving Basic Programs	1	84.010	013-22-0017	08/25/21-09/30/22	\$ 410,543	\$ 146,622	\$ 77,766	\$ 68,856	\$ 68,856	\$ -	\$ -
Title I - Improving Basic Programs	I	84.010	013-23-0017	08/16/22-09/30/23	347,058	223,109		313,967	313,967	90,858	
Total ALN 84.010						369,731	77,766	382,823	382,823	90,858	
Title II - Supporting Effective Instructions		84.367	020-22-0017	08/25/21-09/30/22	86.424	12.286	8,750	28,529	28,529	24,993	
Title II - Supporting Effective Instructions	i	84.367	020-22-0017	08/16/22-09/30/23	94,359	53,245	0,730	61,728	61,728	8,483	-
Total ALN 84.367	•				,	65,531	8,750	90,257	90,257	33,476	
Title III - English Language Acquisition Grants	1	84.365	010-21-0017	08/25/20-09/30/22	89,648	(1,135)	(1,135)	-	-	-	-
Title III - English Language Acquisition Grants	!	84.365	010-22-0017	08/25/21-09/30/22	80,577	29,422	19,807	9,615	9,615	-	-
Title III - English Language Acquisition Grants Total ALN 84.365	1	84.365	010-23-0017	08/16/22-09/30/23	94,056	50,687 78,974	18,672	74,499 84,114	74,499 84,114	23,812	
Total ALIN 64.505						70,974	10,072	04,114	04,114	23,012	
Title IV - Student Support and Academic Enrichment	1	84.424	144-22-0017	08/25/21-09/30/22	36,123	5,157	(2,226)	12,562	12,562	5,179	_
Title IV - Student Support and Academic Enrichment	1	84.424	144-23-0017	08/16/22-09/30/23	32,038	17,440	-	22,152	22,152	4,712	-
Total ALN 84.424						22,597	(2,226)	34,714	34,714	9,891	-
Subgrant from U.S. Department of Education											
Passed through Chester County Intermediate Unit (CCIU) IDEA Part B		84.027	062-22-0024	07/01/21-09/30/22	533,030	497,495	497,495				
IDEA Part B	i	84.027	062-23-0024	07/01/21-09/30/22	561,697			561,697	561.697	561,697	-
IDEA Part B - ARP	i	84.027	062-22-0024	07/01/21-09/30/23	128,555	119,985	119,985	-	-		_
Total IDEA Part B - CCIU						617,480	617,480	561,697	561,697	561,697	
Passed through Pennsylvania Training and											
Technical Assistance Network (PaTTAN) IDEA Part B - Transition Discoveries Grant		84.027	14,491,736	12/01/20-06/30/23	7,500		(1,181)	1,181	1,181		
IDEA Part B - Transition Discoveries Grant	i	84.027	14491736-2	09/01/21-06/30/23	7,500	3,750	(3,750)	2,121	2,121	(5,379)	
IDEA Part B - Secondary MTSS Grant	i	84.027	062-22-0033	07/01/21-06/30/22	20,000	3,739	3,739	-	-	(0,070)	-
Total IDEA Part B - PaTTAN						7,489	(1,192)	3,302	3,302	(5,379)	
Total ALN 84.027						624,969	616,288	564,999	564,999	556,318	
Passed through Chester County Intermediate Unit (CCIU)											
IDEA Part B 619	1	84.173	131-230024B	07/01/22-06/30/23	3.712	_	_	3,712	3,712	3,712	_
Total ALN 84.173	•	04.170	101 2000248	01701722 00700720	0,7 12			3.712	3.712	3,712	
Total Special Education Cluster						624,969	616,288	568,711	568,711	560,030	
Passed through Pennsylvania Department of Education											
Education Stabilization Fund:											
Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief:											
CRRSA - ESSER II	1	84.425D	200-21-0017	03/12/20-09/30/23	1,773,814	453,766	173,873	279,893	279,893	-	-
ARP - ESSER III	1	84.425U	223-21-0017	03/12/20-09/30/24	3,587,912	1,369,930	495,152	1,342,924	1,342,924	468,146	-
ARP - ESSER III 7% Learning Loss Set Aside	1	84.425U	225-21-0017	03/12/20-09/30/24	199,187	115,891	117,982	8,930	8,930	11,021	-
ARP - ESSER III 7% After School Program Set Asi	ae I	84.425U	225-21-0017	03/12/20-09/30/24	39,837	23,178	32,594	-	-	9,416	-
ARP - ESSER III 7% Summer School Program ARP HCY II - Homeless Children and Youth	i I	84.425U 84.425W	225-21-0017 181-21-2019	03/12/20-09/30/24 03/12/20-09/30/24	39,837 53,501	23,178 1,372	(7,243) (4,115)	-	-	(30,421) (5,487)	-
Total ESSER - PDE		5-1Z0VV	.51 21 2010	33, 12/20 00/00/24	55,551	1,987,315	808,243	1.631.747	1.631.747	452,675	
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AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

FEDERAL GRANTOR/PASS-THROUGH GRANTOR PROJECT TITLE Total ALN 84.425D Total ALN 84.425U Total ALN 84.425W	SOURCE CODE	FEDERAL ALN	PASS- THROUGH GRANTOR'S NUMBER	GRANT PERIOD BEGINNING/ ENDING DATES	GRANT AMOUNT	TOTAL RECEIVED FOR YEAR 453,766 1,532,177 1,372	ACCRUED (UNEARNED) REVENUE 07/01/22 173,873 638,485 (4,115)	REVENUE RECOGNIZED 279,893 1,351,854	EXPENDITURES 279,893 1,351,854	ACCRUED (UNEARNED) REVENUE 06/30/23 	PASSED THROUGH TO SUB- RECIPIENTS
Total ALN 84.425						1,987,315	808,243	1,631,747	1,631,747	452,675	
Total U.S. Department of Education						3,149,117	1,527,493	2,792,366	2,792,366	1,170,742	
U.S. Department of Agriculture National School Lunch Program											
Value of U.S.D.A. Donated Commodities	1	10.555	N/A	07/01/22-06/30/23	N/A	211,496	_	211,496	211,496	_	-
Passed through Pennsylvania Department of Education National School Lunch Program		10.555	N/A	07/01/21-06/30/22	N/A	276,634	276,634	_	_	_	_
National School Lunch Program	i	10.555	N/A	07/01/21-06/30/23	N/A	822,566	-	994,052	994,052	171,486	_
National School Lunch Program - Supply Chain Assistance	i	10.555	N/A	07/01/21-06/30/23	98,913	-	(90,784)	90,784	90,784	-	-
National School Lunch Program - Supply Chain Assistance	1	10.555	N/A	07/01/22-06/30/23	133,135	133,135	-	36,389	36,389	(96,746)	-
National School Lunch Program - P-EBT Local Admin Funds	s I	10.555	N/A	07/01/22-06/30/23	3,256			3,256	3,256	3,256	
Total ALN 10.555						1,443,831	185,850	1,335,977	1,335,977	77,996	
Breakfast Program	1	10.553	N/A	07/01/21-06/30/22	N/A	48,005	48,005	-	-	_	-
Breakfast Program	1	10.553	N/A	07/01/22-06/30/23	N/A	144,793	· -	180,122	180,122	35,329	
Total ALN 10.553						192,798	48,005	180,122	180,122	35,329	
Total Child Nutrition Cluster						1,636,629	233,855	1,516,099	1,516,099	113,325	
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture						1,636,629	233,855	1,516,099	1,516,099	113,325	
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Passed through PA Department of Public Welfare											
Title XIX Medical Assistance Program	1	93.778	N/A	07/01/22-06/30/23	N/A	13,359	11,466	13,086	13,086	11,193	-
Total ALN 93.778						13,359	11,466	13,086	13,086	11,193	
December 1 de la companya del companya del companya de la companya											
Passed through the County of Chester Department of Health Crisis Cooperative Agreement	1 1	93.354	21,681	11/30/22-03/10/23	12,000	12,000	_	12,000	12,000	_	_
Total ALN 93.354	'	33.334	21,001	11/30/22-03/10/23	12,000	12,000		12,000	12,000		
10007121100.001						12,000		12,000	12,000		
Total U.S. Department of Health and Human Servic	es					25,359	11,466	25,086	25,086	11,193	
Federal Emergency Management Agency Passed through Pennsylvania Emergency Management Age Disaster Grants - Public Assistance Total ALN 97.036	ency I	97.036	N/A	07/01/20-06/30/22	65,000	16,250 16,250	16,250 16,250	<u>-</u>			<u>=</u>
Total Federal Emergency Management Agency						16,250	16,250			-	-

Source Codes:

D = Direct Funding
I = Indirect Funding

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

NOTE A SCOPE OF THIS SCHEDULE

The schedule of expenditures of federal awards reflects federal expenditures for all individual grants which were active during the fiscal year.

NOTE B BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The District uses the modified accrual method of recording transactions except as noted for the accounting of donated commodities in Note C. Revenues are recorded when measurable and available. Expenditures are recorded when incurred.

NOTE C NONMONETARY FEDERAL AWARDS - DONATED FOOD

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania distributes federal surplus food to institutions (schools, hospitals, and prisons) and to the needy. Expenditures reported in the schedule of expenditures of federal awards under ALN #10.555 include surplus food consumed by the District during the 2022-2023 fiscal year.

NOTE D ACCESS PROGRAM

The ACCESS Program is a medical assistance program that reimburses local educational agencies for direct eligible health-related services provided to enrolled special needs students. Reimbursements are federal source revenues but are classified as fee-for-service and are not considered federal financial assistance. The amount of ACCESS funding recognized for the year ended June 30, 2023 was \$523,269.

NOTE E INDIRECT COST RATE

The District has not elected to use the 10 percent de minimis indirect cost rate allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

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NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

PART A - SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

Financial Statements		
Type of auditor's report issued [unmodified, qua	lified, adverse, or disclaime	er]:
Unmodified		
 Internal control over financial reporting: Material weakness(es) identified? Significant deficiency(ies) identified? Noncompliance material to financial statements noted? 	Yes Yes Yes	X No X None reported X No
Federal Awards		
 Internal control over major program: Material weakness(es) identified? Significant deficiency(ies) identified? 	Yes Yes	X No X None reported
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance f disclaimer]:	or major programs [<i>unm</i> od	lified, qualified, adverse, o
Unmodified		
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance?	Yes	X No
Identification of major programs:		
Assistance Listing Numbers	Name of Federal Pro	gram or Cluster
84.425D, 84.425U, 84.425W	Elementary and Sec Relief Fund	ondary School Emergency
10.555, 10.553	Child Nutrition Cluster	r
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs:	<u>\$ 750</u>	,000
Auditee gualified as low-risk guiditee?	Y Voc	No

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SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS (CONT'D)

PART B - FINDINGS RELATED TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

	STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS
None.	
	CURRENT YEAR FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS
None.	
PART C - FINDINGS RELATED	O TO FEDERAL AWARDS
	STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS
None.	
	CURRENT YEAR FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS
None.	