MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORTS BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

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Certified Public Accountants

Independent Auditor's Report

To the School Board May-Port CG School District #14 900 Main Street West Mayville, North Dakota

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the May-Port CG School District #14 as of and for the year ended June 30, 2017, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes 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.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the District's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the May-Port CG School District #14 as of June 30, 2017, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, budgetary comparison information, and schedules of employer share of net pension liability and employer contributions on pages 3-5 and 34-38 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 because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued a report dated December 11, 2017 on our consideration of the May-Port CG School District #14's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on 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 May-Port CG School District #14's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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Certified Public Accountants Grand Forks, North Dakota

December 11, 2017

May-Port CG School District #14

Mayville, North Dakota 58257-1000

Management's Discussion and Analysis Fiscal Year 6/30/2017

Using this Annual Report

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements. The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities provide information about the activities of the District as a whole and present a longer-term view of the District's finances. Fund financial statements report the District's operations in more detail than the government-wide financial statements.

The District as a Whole

The District's net position decreased \$470,768 during the year. Last year, net position decreased by \$162,041.

| | | ernmental | Business Type | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| | Ad | ctivities | Activities | Total | | | |
| | 2017 | 2016 | <u>2017</u> <u>2016</u> | 20172016 | | | |
| ASSETS | | | | | | | |
| Current Assets | \$ 2,043,782 | \$ 2,119,106 | \$ - \$ - | \$ 2,043,782 \$ 2,119,106 | | | |
| Non-Current Assets | \$ 3,377,027 | \$ 3,536,234 | <u> </u> | \$ 3,377,027 \$ 3,536,234 | | | |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$ 5,420,809 | \$ 5,655,340 | <u> </u> | \$ 5,420,809 \$ 5,655,340 | | | |
| DEFERRED OUTFLOWS | | | | | | | |
| Pension Related Deferred Outflows | \$ 1,487,837 | \$ 1,092,805 | | \$ 1,487,837 \$ 1,092,805 | | | |
| TOTAL OUTFLOWS | \$ 1,487,837 | \$ 1,092,805 | | <u>\$ 1,487,837</u> <u>\$ 1,092,805</u> | | | |
| LIABILITIES | | | | | | | |
| Current Liabilities | \$ 167,112 | \$ 159,992 | | \$ 167,112 \$ 159,992 | | | |
| Long-Term Liabilities | <u> </u> | <u>s - </u> | | <u>s - s </u> | | | |
| Net Pension Liability | \$ 6,195,839 | \$ 5,562,033 | | <u>\$ 6,195,839</u> | | | |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | \$ 6,362,951 | \$ 5,722,025 | - | \$ 6,362,951 \$ 5,722,025 | | | |
| DEFERRED INFLOWS | | | | | | | |
| Deferred Revenue | \$ - | \$ - | | <u>s - s - </u> | | | |
| Pension Related Deferred Inflows | \$ 53,063 | \$ 62,720 | | \$ 53,063 \$ 62,720 | | | |
| TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS | \$ 53,063 | \$ 62,720 | | \$ 53,063 \$ 62,720 | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| NET POSITION | | | | | | | |
| Net Investment in Capital Assets | \$ 3,357,157 | \$ 3,522,441 | | \$ 3,357,157 \$ 3,522,441 | | | |
| Restricted for Capital Projects | \$ 518,433 | \$ 492,297 | | \$ 518,433 \$ 492,297 | | | |
| Unrestricted | \$ (3,382,958) | \$ (3,051,338) | <u> </u> | <u>\$ (3,382,958)</u> <u>\$ (3,051,338)</u> | | | |
| TOTAL NET POSITION | <u>\$ 492,632</u> | \$ 963,400 | | <u>\$ 492,632</u> <u>\$ 963,400</u> | | | |

| Following are the changes in net pe | osition for the y | ears: | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| | <u>2017</u> | <u>2016</u> | <u>2017</u> <u>2016</u> | <u>2017</u> | <u>2016</u> |
| Charges for Services (pg 7) | \$ 343,053 | \$ 332,453 | \$ - \$ - | \$ 343,053 | \$ 332,453 |
| Operating Grants and Contributions | 4,104,469 | 4,167,996 | | 4,104,469 | 4,167,996 |
| Property Taxes | 1,769,694 | 1,701,096 | | 1,769,694 | 1,701,096 |
| Mill Reduction Payment | - | - | | - | - |
| Interest Income | 4,546 | 7,312 | | 4,546 | 7,312 |
| Other Revenues | 24,459 | 13,870 | | 24,459 | 13,870 |
| Proceeds from Sale of Fixed Assets | | | | - | |
| Total Revenues | \$ 6,246,221 | \$ 6,222,727 | | \$ 6,246,221 | \$ 6,222,727 |
| Program Expenses | | | | | |
| Instruction | \$ 3,390,051 | \$ 3,175,651 | \$ - \$ - | \$ 3,390,051 | \$ 3,175,651 |
| Special Education | 333,757 | 273,863 | | 333,757 | 273,863 |
| Guidance | 161,540 | 127,545 | | 161,540 | 127,545 |
| Vocational Education | 203,743 | 183,384 | | 203,743 | 183,384 |
| Instructional Administration | 365,695 | 351,105 | | 365,695 | 351,105 |
| Instructional Media Services | 140,747 | 172,196 | | 140,747 | 172,196 |
| Technology | 161,238 | 159,983 | | 161,238 | 159,983 |
| Food Services | 338,514 | 359,110 | | 338,514 | 359,110 |
| Nursing Services | 30,758 | 28,091 | | 30,758 | 28,091 |
| School Administration | 512,723 | 473,910 | | 512,723 | 473,910 |
| Plant Services | 842,171 | 861,255 | | 842,171 | 861,255 |
| Transportation | 236,052 | 218,675 | | 236,052 | 218,675 |
| Interest and Fiscal Charges on Debt | - | - | | - | - |
| Total Expenses | \$ 6,716,989 | \$ 6,384,768 | | \$ 6,716,989 | \$ 6,384,768 |
| Change in Net Position | \$ (470,768) | \$ (162,041) | | \$ (470,768) | \$ (162,041) |

The District's net position decreased by \$470,768. Property Taxes brought in \$68,598 more; the increase was due to the increase in property value. Operating Grants and Contributions decreased by \$63,527; this was mainly due to the decrease in state and federal funding. Overall expenses increased by \$332,221. The Instructional area saw an increase of \$214,403 in expenses; the increase was due to salary and benefit increases. Special Education expenditures increased by \$59,894; this was due to salary and benefit increases. School Administration expenditures increased by \$38,813; this was due mainly to late billing for services from other agencies that caused an additional payment during the fiscal year.

Business-Type Activities

The District had no business-type activities during the year.

School District's Funds

The May-Port CG School District maintains three major funds: General, Capital Projects, and Hot Lunch.

The General Fund pays for such District expenses as regular instruction, special education, vocational, technology, library and district-wide services, administration, school lunch, buildings and grounds operation and maintenance, student transportation, and co-curricular activities. The number of mills levied for the General Fund was 72 mills.

The Capital Projects has a 10 mill levy for the Building Fund, which is used for repair and maintenance on all MPCG Buildings, over and above operating and maintenance expenses paid from the General Fund.

The Hot Lunch Fund pays all expenses for the school lunch program. Salaries for cooks are paid from the General Fund and then reimbursed by the Hot Lunch Fund.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Revenue was more than budget by \$114,268 with actual expenditures coming in under budget by \$69,334. Revenue from *state sources* was \$104,945 more than budget; this was due to a larger student population than estimated by the state.

Governmental Activities

The District's total governmental revenues increased by \$29,911. Local sources increased \$75,015; this was due to the increase in property value. Expenditures increased by \$115,103. Special Education expenses increased by \$59,894; this was due to salary and benefit increases. School Administration expenditures increased by \$38,813; this was due mainly to late billing for services from other agencies that caused an additional payment during the fiscal year.

The May-Port CG School District, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

Capital Asset and Debt Administration

Capital assets acquired totaled \$134,153. Depreciation for the year was \$299,437 with a net decrease of \$165,284. There was no debt repayment and no interest expensed during the year.

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budget

The District's budget for 2017-2018 increased. The state will continue to provide a large portion of the District's revenue with the funding formula continuing to be based on a per pupil payment. The value of mills will increase due to an increase in property valuation; each mill will provide more funding from a local level. The District will request 77 mills for the General Fund to prevent deficit spending.

On the expense side, the District will see decreased expenses due to staffing changes. We will continue to focus on providing needed curriculum enhancements such as textbooks and technology supplemental materials. The District plans to continue with building improvements as needed. These factors will enable the District to meet the needs of the District and remain in a financially stable condition.

Contacting The District's Management

This financial report is intended to provide a general overview of the May-Port CG School District's finances and to show the District's accountability for the money it receives. Please direct any further questions to the attention of the Business Manager at the May-Port CG School District, 900 Main Street West, Mayville, ND 58257-1000.

Deanna Kville, Business Manager May-Port CG School District #14 Michael Bradner, Superintendent May-Port CG School District #14

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AS OF JUNE 30, 2017

| | Governmental | |
|---------------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| | Activities | Total |
| | | |
| ASSETS | • | 4 4 |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents | \$ 1,506,575 | \$ 1,506,575 |
| Investments | 247,762 | 247,762 |
| Property Tax Receivable, Current | 143,404 | 143,404 |
| Due From Federal Sources | 112,984 | 112,984 |
| Due From State Sources | 12,433 | 12,433 |
| Due From Other Sources | 1,980 | 1,980 |
| Prepaid Expenses | 18,644 | 18,644 |
| Property Tax Receivable, Non-Current | 19,870 | 19,870 |
| Capital Assets, Net | 3,357,157 | 3,357,157 |
| Total Assets | \$ 5,420,809 | \$ 5,420,809 |
| DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES | | |
| Pension Related Deferred Outflows | \$ 1,487,837 | \$ 1,487,837 |
| Pension Related Deletted Outliows | Ψ 1,407,007 | Ψ 1,407,007 |
| Total Deferred Outflows of Resources | \$ 1,487,837 | \$ 1,487,837 |
| LIABILITIES | | |
| Accounts Payable | \$ 58,639 | \$ 58,639 |
| Accrued Liabilities | 108,473 | 108,473 |
| Net Pension Liability | 6,195,839 | 6,195,839 |
| , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , | | |
| Total Liabilities | \$ 6,362,951 | \$ 6,362,951 |
| DESERBED INSLOWS OF DESCRIPTION | | |
| DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES | • | \$ - |
| Deferred Revenue | \$ - | |
| Pension Related Deferred Inflows | 53,063 | 53,063 |
| Total Deferred Inflows of Resources | \$ 53,063 | 53,063 |
| NET POSITION | | |
| Net Investment in Capital Assets | \$ 3,357,157 | \$ 3,357,157 |
| Restricted for Capital Projects | 518,433 | 518,433 |
| Unrestricted | (3,382,958) | (3,382,958) |
| Oniestricted | (0,002,000) | \0,002,000/ |
| Total Net Position | <u>\$ 492,632</u> | \$ 492,632 |

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017 STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14

| | эnuəxəЯ (| Net (Expense |
|----------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| uc | | and Changes in |
| | | nmental |
| Total | | vities |
| 695,684 (317,152) | \$ | 898,98 (317,15 |
| (191,540) | | (0 1 240) |

| es in Net. Position | gnsdO bns | Revenues | Program | | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| IsioT | Governmental Activities | Grants and Contributions | Charges for Services | Expense | |
| | 002 007 y | 300 002 0 9 | 202 00 | ,10 000 0 4 | PRIMARY GOVERNMENT |
| £99'687 \$ | £99'687 \$ | 628,687,8 \$ | 987,68 \$ | 130,095,8 \$ | Instruction |
| (217,152) | (217,152) | - | 102,042 | 737,666 | Special Education |
| (042,131) | (161,540) | - | - | 0 7 2'191 | Guidance |
| (203,781) | (821,181) (369,335) | 22,620 | _ | 203,743 | Vocational Education |
| (269,365) | (369,336) (747,041) | - | - | 269,336 369,336 | Instructional Administration services |
| (747,041) (862,131) | (862,191) | - | - | 747,041 882,131 | Technology |
| (882,89) | (882,89) | 124,000 | 151,226 | 338,514 | Food Services |
| (837,0 <i>E</i>) | (867,06) | - | - | 867,08 | Nursing Services |
| (512,723) | (512,723) | - | - | 512,723 | School Administration |
| (171,2 1 8) | (171,2 <u>4</u> 8) | - | - | 171,5 <u>4</u> 8 | Plant Services |
| (SE0,89) | (SE0,89) | 168,020 | - | 236,052 | Transportation |
| | | | | | Interest and Fiscal Charges |
| | - | | | | on Long-Term Debt |
| (794,695,2) \$ | (794,692,2) \$ | 694,401,4 \$ | \$ 343,053 | 686,817,8 \$ | Total Primary Government |
| V09 09Z 1 \$ | NO3 037 1 2 | | | General Revenu | |
| 9 7 9' 1 7 9 1 9'692' 1 | 9 7 9'69 / 'l \$ | • | , estment Earnings | Property Taxes Interest and Inv | |
| - | - | | Sale of Fixed Ass | = : | |
| 7,459 | | | S | Other Revenue | |
| 669'862'\\$ | 669'864'\\$ | | sənuəxə | Fotal General R | |
| (897,074) \$ | (897,074) \$ | | noitieo | Change in Net F | |
| 004,896 | 004,696 | | noition | Beginning Net F | |
| | | | ••• | | |

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Ending Net Position

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS AS OF JUNE 30, 2017

| | | General Fund | | Hot Lunch Fund | | Capital Projects Fund | Gov | Other ernmental Funds | Go | Total vernmental Funds |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------|----------|----------------------------------|-----|------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| ASSETS Cash and Cash Equivalents Investments Property Tax Receivable Due From Federal Sources Due From State Sources Due From Other Sources | \$ | 872,969 247,112 141,659 112,984 12,433 1,980 | \$ | 92,793 - - - - - | \$ | 496,818 - 21,615 - - | \$ | 43,996 650 - - - | \$ | 1,506,576 247,762 163,274 112,984 12,433 1,980 |
| Prepaid Expenses Total Assets | | 18,643 | | 92,793 | <u> </u> | <u>-</u> 518,433 | | 44,646 | | 18,643 |
| DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF | Φ | 1,407,700 | Ψ | 92,793 | Ą | 510,433 | Ą | 44,040 | Þ | 2,003,032 |
| RESOURCES | _\$_ | | _\$_ | | _\$_ | <u> </u> | \$ | - | \$ | |
| Total Assets and Deferred Outflows of Resources | | 1,407,780 | | 92,793 | \$ | 518,433 | \$ | 44,646 | \$ | 2,063,652 |
| LIABILITIES Accounts Payable Accrued Liabilities Due to Other Sources | \$ | 57,461 108,473 | \$ | 48 - - | \$ | 1,130 | \$ | - | \$ | 58,639 108,473 |
| Notes Payable Bond Payable | | <u>.</u> | | <u>.</u> | | <u>.</u> | | - | | - |
| Total Liabilities | \$ | 165,934 | \$ | 48 | \$ | 1,130 | \$ | - | \$ | 167,112 |
| DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES Deferred Revenue Deferred Property Tax | \$ | - 75,589 | \$ | <u>.</u> | \$ | 11,709 | \$ | - | \$ | - 87,298 |
| Total Deferred Inflows of Resources | \$ | 75,589 | \$ | - | \$ | 11,709 | \$ | - | \$ | 87,298 |
| FUND BALANCES Nonspendable Restricted Committed Assigned | \$ | 18,643 - - - | \$ | - - - 92,745 | \$ | - - 505,594 - | \$ | - 44,646 - - | \$ | 18,643 44,646 505,594 92,745 |
| Unassigned | _ | 1,147,614 | | | _ | - | _ | - | _ | 1,147,614 |
| Total Liabilities Deferred | | 1,166,257 | | 92,745 | \$ | 505,594 | | 44,646 | \$ | 1,809,242 |
| Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balances | <u>\$</u> | 1,407,780 | <u>\$</u> | 92,793 | \$ | 518,433 | \$ | 44,646 | <u>\$</u> | 2,063,652 |

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 RECONCILIATION OF THE BALANCE SHEET OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION - GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

| Fund Balances - Governmental Funds | \$ 1,809,242 |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| 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 governmental funds | |
| Governmental capital assets \$ 7,855,253 Less accumulated depreciation (4,498,096) | 3,357,157 |
| Property taxes not received within 60 days after the year end are not a current resource and therefore are not included in governmental funds | 87,298 |
| Net pension liability is not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, is not included in governmental funds | (6,195,839) |
| Deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions are applicable to future periods and, therefore, are not included in governmental funds | |
| Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions | (53,063) |
| Deferred outflows of resources related to pension of \$1,487,837 = \$1,129,754 deferred outflows of resources related to pension expense and \$358,083 deferred outflows of employer contributions related to pensions subsequent to the pension | |
| measurement date | 1,487,837 |

Net Position of Governmental Activities

492,632

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

| | General Fund | Lunch Proje | | Capital Projects Fund | Other Governmental Funds | | Total I Government Funds | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|---------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|------|--------------------------------|----|-----------|
| REVENUES | | | | | | | | | |
| Local Sources | \$ 1,537,224 | \$ | - | \$ | 226,682 | \$ | - | \$ | 1,763,906 |
| State Sources | 3,794,403 | | 2,974 | | - | | - | | 3,797,377 |
| Federal Sources | 176,791 | | 121,026 | | - | | - | | 297,817 |
| Fees and Other Non-Tax Revenues | 191,716 | | 151,226 | | - | | 15,386 | | 358,328 |
| Other | 22,069 | | 349 | | 531 | | 56 | | 23,005 |
| Total Revenues | \$ 5,722,203 | \$ | 275,575 | \$ | 227,213 | \$ | 15,442 | \$ | 6,240,433 |
| EXPENDITURES | | | | | | | | | |
| Current | | | | | | | | | |
| Instruction | \$ 3,136,651 | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | 19,650 | \$ | 3,156,301 |
| Special Education | 333,757 | | - | | - | | _ | | 333,757 |
| Guidance | 161,540 | | - | | - | | - | | 161,540 |
| Vocational Education | 203,743 | | - | | - | | - | | 203,743 |
| Instructional Administration | 365,695 | | - | | - | | - | | 365,695 |
| Instructional Media Services | 140,292 | | - | | - | | - | | 140,292 |
| Technology | 137,974 | | - | | - | | - | | 137,974 |
| Food Services | 56,491 | | 278,209 | | - | | - | | 334,700 |
| Nursing Services | 30,758 | | - | | - | | - | | 30,758 |
| School Administration | 512,723 | | - | | - | | - | | 512,723 |
| Plant Services | 553,078 | | - | | 66,548 | | - | | 619,626 |
| Transportation | 191,326 | | - | | - | | - | | 191,326 |
| Capital Outlay | | | | | | | | | |
| Buildings and Equipment | | | | | 134,153 | | - | | 134,153 |
| Total Expenditures | \$ 5,824,028 | _\$_ | 278,209 | \$ | 200,701 | _\$_ | 19,650 | \$ | 6,322,588 |
| Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues | | | | | | | | | |
| Over Expenditures | \$ (101,825) | \$ | (2,634) | \$ | 26,512 | \$ | (4,208) | \$ | (82,155) |

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

| | General Fund | | Hot Lunch Fund | Capital Projects Fund | | Other Governmental Funds | | Total Governmental Funds | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|-------------|
| OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers From Other Funds Transfer To Other Funds Proceeds From Sale of Fixed Assets | \$ | - - | \$ - - | \$ | - - - | \$ | - - - | \$ | - - - |
| Total Other Financing Sources (Uses) | \$ | <u>-</u> | \$ | _\$_ | | _\$_ | | _\$_ | <u>-</u> |
| Net Change in Fund Balance | \$ | (101,825) | \$ (2,634) | \$ | 26,512 | \$ | (4,208) | \$ | (82,155) |
| Beginning Fund Balance | | 1,268,082 | 95,379 | | 479,082 | | 48,854 | | 1,891,397 |
| Ending Fund Balance | <u>\$</u> | 1,166,257 | \$ 92,745 | _\$_ | 505,594 | \$ | 44,646 | \$ | 1,809,242 |

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES - GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

| Net Change in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds | | \$ (82,155) |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|
| Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because: | | |
| Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is depreciated over their estimated useful lives | | |
| Expenditures for capital assets Less current year depreciation | \$ 134,153 (299,437) | (165,284) |
| Property taxes not received within 60 days after the year end are not a current resource and therefore are not included in governmental funds, but all unpaid property taxes are in the statement of activities | | 5,788 |
| Governmental funds report District pension contributions as expenditures. However in the statement of activities, the cost of pension benefits earned net of employee contributions is included in pension expense | | |
| District pension contributions | 358,083 | |
| Cost of benefits earned net of employee contributions | (587,200) | (229,117) |

(470,768)

Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AS OF JUNE 30, 2017

| ASSETS | Agency Fund |
|---------------------------------|----------------|
| ASSETS | |
| Cash and Short-Term Investments | \$ 171,270 |
| Total Assets | \$ 171,270 |
| LIABILITIES | |
| Accounts Payable | \$ 171,270 |
| Total Liabilities | \$ 171,270 |

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of the May-Port CG School District #14 (the District) conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applicable to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles in the United States of America. The more significant of the District's accounting policies are described below.

Reporting Entity

The District is a multi-county educational district governed by an elected board. As required by GAAP, these financial statements present the District (the primary government). There were no component units as determined by financial accountability or by the nature and significance of relationships.

Financial accountability includes the ability of the primary government to appoint a voting majority to the District's governing board, and is either able to impose its will on the District or there is potential for the District to provide specific financial benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens on the primary government.

Basis of Presentation - Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The District's basic financial statements consist of government-wide financial statements (which consist of a statement of net position and a statement of activities) and fund financial statements (which provide a more detailed level of financial information).

The **government-wide financial statements** include the statement of net position and the statement of activities. These statements report financial information for the District as a whole. The effect of interfund activity has been removed from these financial statements. Individual funds are not displayed but the statements distinguish governmental activities, normally supported by taxes, grants and the District's general revenues, from business-type activities which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. Likewise, the primary government is reported separately from certain legally separate component units for which the primary government is financially accountable.

The statement of net position presents the financial position of the governmental activities of the District and its discretely presented component units, if any, at year end.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. A function is an assembly of similar activities and may include portions of a fund or summarize more than one fund to capture the expenses and program revenues associated with distinct functional activity.

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Basis of Presentation - Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements - continued

Program revenues include (1) charges for services which report fees and other charges to users of the District's services; (2) operating grants and contributions that finance annual operating activities; and (3) capital grants and contributions which fund the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of capital assets. These revenues are subject to externally imposed restrictions to these program uses. For identifying to which function program revenue pertains, the determining factor for charges for services is which function generates the revenue. For grants and contributions, the determining factor is which function the revenues are restricted.

Taxes and other revenue sources not properly included with program revenues are reported as general revenues of the District. The comparison of direct expenses with program revenues identifies the extent to which each governmental function and each identifiable business activity is self-financing or draws from the general revenue of the District.

Fund financial statements are designed to present financial information of the District at a more detailed level. During the 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 are provided for governmental funds and proprietary funds.

Major individual governmental funds and enterprise funds are reported in separate columns.

The District uses funds to maintain its financial records during the year. A fund is an independent fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts.

Funds are classified into the following categories: governmental.

Governmental Funds

Government funds are those through which most governmental functions typically are financed. Governmental fund reporting focuses on the sources, uses and balances of current financial resources. Expendable assets are assigned to the various governmental funds according to the purposes for which they may or must be used. Fund liabilities are assigned to the fund from which they will be liquidated. The District reports the difference between governmental fund assets and liabilities as fund balance.

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Basis of Presentation - Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements - continued

The following are the District's major governmental funds:

General Fund – The General Fund is the general operating fund of the District and accounts for all revenues and expenditures of the District not encompassed within other funds. All general tax revenues and other receipts that are not allocated by law or contractual agreement to some other fund are accounted for in this fund. General operating expenditures and the capital improvement costs that are not paid through other funds are paid from the General Fund.

Hot Lunch Fund – The District chooses to treat the Hot Lunch Fund as a major governmental fund. It is used by the District to account for the revenues and expenditures relating to providing breakfast and lunch to its students.

Capital Projects Fund – The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for all resources for the acquisition and maintenance of capital facilities by the District.

Proprietary Funds

Proprietary fund reporting focuses on the determination of operating income, changes in net position, financial position and cash flows. Proprietary funds are classified as enterprise funds and internal service funds. The District had no proprietary funds during the year.

Measurement Focus

The **government-wide financial statements** are reported using the economic resources measurement focus. All assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of the District are included on the statement of net position. The statement of activities reports revenues and expenses.

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

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting determines when transactions are recorded in the financial records and reported on the financial statements. Government-wide financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. At the fund reporting level, the governmental funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting. Differences in the accrual and modified accrual basis of accounting arise in the recognition of revenue, recording of deferred outflows and inflows of resources, and in the presentation of expenses versus expenditures.

Revenue resulting from **exchange transactions**, in which each party gives and receives essentially equal value, is recorded on the accrual basis when the exchange takes place. On the modified accrual basis, revenue is recorded when the exchange takes place and in the fiscal year in which the resources are measurable and become available. Available means that the resources will be collected within the current fiscal year or are expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current fiscal year. For the District, the phrase "available" means expected to be received within 60 days of year end.

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

Under the modified accrual basis, the following revenue sources are considered to be susceptible to accrual: interest and federal and state grants.

Deferred revenue arises when assets are recognized before revenue recognition criteria have been satisfied.

On governmental fund financial statements, which use the modified basis of accrual, revenues not received within 60 days have been reported as deferred revenue because they are measurable but not available. Grants and entitlements received before the eligibility requirements are met (cash advances) are recorded as deferred revenue.

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Basis of Accounting - continued

On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred. On the modified accrual basis, expenditures generally are recognized in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred and due, if measurable.

Encumbrance Accounting

Encumbrances are not liabilities and, therefore, are not recorded as expenditures until receipt of material or service. For budgetary purposes, appropriations lapse at fiscal year-end and outstanding encumbrances at year-end are re-appropriated in the next year.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and Cash Equivalents include all highly liquid investments with an original maturity of less than three months.

Investments

Investments, if any, are stated at cost or amortized cost, subject to adjustment for market declines judged to be other than temporary (lower of cost or market).

Inventories

Inventories consist of food commodities, which are valued at cost. Cost approximates market, using the first-in/first-out (FIFO) method. The costs of governmental fund-type inventories are recorded as expenditures when purchased or awarded.

Capital Assets

General capital assets are those assets not specifically related to activities reported in proprietary funds. These assets generally result from expenditures in governmental funds. The District reports these assets in the governmental activities column of the government-wide statement of net position but does not report these assets in the District fund financial statements.

All capital assets are capitalized at historical cost, or estimated historical cost if historical cost is not available, and updated for additions and retirements during the year. Donated capital assets are valued at their estimated fair market value on the date received.

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Capital Assets - continued

The District maintains the following capitalization thresholds:

| Major Buildings and Site Improvements | \$ 10,000 |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| Buildings and Additions | \$ 20,000 |
| Sports Complex Building | \$ 10,000 |
| Track | \$ 10,000 |
| Equipment | \$ 5,000 |
| Technology Equipment | \$ 5,000 |
| Buses | \$ 5,000 |
| Vehicles | \$ 5,000 |

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

All reported capital assets are depreciated except for sites and construction in progress. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

| Major Buildings and Site Improvements | 20 years |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Buildings and Additions | 50 years |
| Sports Complex Building | 25 years |
| Track | 10 years |
| Equipment | 7 years |
| Technology Equipment | 5 years |
| Buses | 10 years |
| Vehicles | 5 years |

At the inception of capital leases at the governmental fund reporting level, expenditures and an "other financing source" of an equal amount are reported at the net present value of future minimum lease payments.

Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of net position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The District has only one type of this item, which arises only under the full accrual of accounting, that qualifies for reporting in this category. Pension related deferred outflows of resources are reported only in the statement of net position.

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources - continued

In addition to liabilities, the statement of net position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The District has two types of this item that qualify for reporting in this category: one which arises only under a modified accrual basis of accounting and one type which arises only under full accrual basis of accounting. Deferred revenue is reported only in the governmental funds balance sheet. The governmental fund reports deferred revenues from one source: property taxes. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period that the amounts become available. Pension related deferred inflows of resources are reported only in the statement of net position. These amounts are recognized as an inflow of resources in the period that the amounts become available.

Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Debt

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

In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current financial resources, are reported as obligations of these funds. Bonds and capital leases are recognized as a liability in the governmental fund financial statements when due.

Bond Premiums, Discounts and Issuance Costs

On the government-wide statement of net position, bond premiums and discounts are netted against bonds payable and bond issuance costs are reported as deferred charges. On the government-wide fund type statement of activities, bond premiums, discounts and bond issuance costs are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method.

At the governmental fund reporting level, bond premiums and discounts are reported as other financing sources and uses, separately from the face amount of the bonds issued. Bond issuance costs are reported as an expenditure. During the year, the District had no bond premiums, discounts or issuance costs.

Fund Equity

Fund equity at the governmental fund financial reporting level is classified as "fund balance". Fund equity for all other reporting is classified as "net position".

Generally, **fund balance** represents the difference between the current assets and current liabilities. As per GASB Statement No. 54, fund balances for governmental funds are reported in classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which the District is bound to honor constraints on the specific purposes for which amounts in those funds can be spent. The following classifications are used by the District:

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Fund Equity - continued

Nonspendable Fund Balance

The nonspendable fund balance classification includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either not in spendable form or legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted Fund Balance

The restricted fund balance classification includes amounts where constraints placed on the use of resources are either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments; or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Committed Fund Balance

The committed fund balance classification includes amounts that can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of a simple majority of the School Board, the District's highest level of decision-making authority.

Assigned Fund Balance

The assigned fund balance classification includes amounts that are constrained by the School Board's *intent* to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed.

Unassigned Fund Balance

The unassigned fund balance classification is the residual classification for the general fund representing the fund balance that has not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the general fund.

Net position represents the difference between assets and deferred outflows of resources, and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources. Net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by outstanding balances of any borrowing used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. This net position amount also is adjusted by any bond issuance deferral amounts. Net position is reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on its use either through enabling legislation adopted by the District or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments. All other net positions are reported as unrestricted.

The District applies restricted resources first when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position are available, and committed and assigned fund balances first when both these and unassigned fund balances are available.

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Teachers' Fund for Retirement (TFFR) and additions to/deductions from TFFR's fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by TFFR. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

2. CUSTODIAL CREDIT RISK RELATED TO DEPOSITS

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in event of a bank failure, the District's deposits might not be recovered. The District has two authorized depositories for its deposits and investments. The District follows North Dakota state statutes which authorize the District to make deposits in the Bank of North Dakota or in other financial institutions situated and doing business within the state. Deposits, other than with the Bank of North Dakota, must be fully insured or secured with pledges of securities equal to 110% of the uninsured balance.

State statutes authorize the District to invest in: a) Bonds, treasury bills and notes, or other securities that are a direct obligation of or an obligation insured or guaranteed by, the treasury of the United States, or its agencies, instrumentalities, or organizations created by an act of Congress, b) Securities sold under agreements to repurchase written by a financial institution in which the underlying securities for the agreement to repurchase are of the type listed above, c) Certificates of Deposit fully insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or the State, d) Obligations of the State. As of June 30, 2017, \$1,479,797 of the District's bank balances of \$1,979,797 were exposed to custodial credit risk as follows:

Uninsured and collateralized with letters of credit held by the pledging financial institution

\$ -

Uninsured and collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution

\$1,479,797

3. PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes are levied July 31 of each year on property values assessed by the previous February. Taxes paid by February 15 of the following year receive a discount of 5%. Regular payment dates are March 1 and October 15. A tax lien becomes enforceable on unpaid taxes the following January.

The District records taxes receivable at net realizable value. The District considers all taxes receivable to be collectible as of June 30. The District's policy is to record the net taxes receivable as an asset, with a deferred revenue account to recognize taxes not expected to be available within 60 days. At June 30, 2017, the aging of taxes receivable is as follows:

| | Traill County | Steele County | Cass County | Total |
|--------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------|---------------|
| 0 - 60 days | \$ 65,338 | \$ 9,484 | \$ 1,155 | \$ 75,977 |
| 2016 | 50,603 | 14,980 | 1,844 | 67,427 |
| 2015 | 13,679 | 4,107 | - | 17,786 |
| 2014 & Prior | 1,129 | 955 | | 2,084 |
| Totals | \$ 130,749 | \$ 29,526 | \$ 2,999 | \$ 163,274 |

4. DUE FROM STATE AND FEDERAL SOURCES

Following are funds received after June 30, 2017 for assistance relating to the year then ended:

| | State | | Federal | |
|--------------------------------|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Title I - Grants to LEA's | \$ | _ | \$ | 104,022 |
| Small Rural School Achievement | | - | | - |
| National School Lunch | | - | | 8,962 |
| National Breakfast | | - | | - |
| Vocational Education | | 12,433 | | - |
| School Safety | | | | - |
| Totals | \$ | 12,433 | \$ | 112,984 |

5. CHANGE IN PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

| | Beginning Balance | Additions Deletions | | Ending Balance | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|--|
| Sites Sports Complex Buildings/Additions Equipment Buses and Vehicles | \$ 424,925 769,312 4,930,899 836,465 785,443 | \$ - 134,153 - | \$ - - - (25,944) | \$ 424,925 769,312 5,065,052 810,521 785,443 | |
| Less: Accumulated Depreciation | (4,224,603) \$3,522,441 | (299,437) \$ (165,284) | 25,944 \$ - | (4,498,096) \$3,357,157 | |

Government Activities Depreciation Expense

| Instruction | \$ 4,633 |
|------------------------------|---------------|
| Instructional Media Services | 455 |
| Technology | 23,264 |
| Food Service | 3,814 |
| Plant Services | 222,545 |
| Transportation | 44,726 |
| | |
| | \$ 299,437 |

6. COMPENSATED ABSENCES

As per GASB Statement No. 16 - Accounting for Compensated Absences, probable payments for vested vacation leave, plus associated payroll expenses, have been accrued at the end of each year. The District also provides benefits for sick leave. However, there is no provision for termination payments of accrued sick leave. As per GASB Statement No. 16, no accrual of accumulated sick leave benefits has been provided.

7. PENSION PLAN

North Dakota Teachers' Fund for Retirement

The following brief description of TFFR is provided for general information purposes only. Participants should refer to NDCC Chapter 15-39.1 for more complete information.

TFFR is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan covering all North Dakota public teachers and certain other teachers who meet various membership requirements. TFFR provides pension, death and disability benefits. The cost to administer the TFFR plan is financed by investment income and contributions.

7. PENSION PLAN - continued

North Dakota Teachers' Fund for Retirement - continued

Responsibility for administration of the TFFR benefits program is assigned to a sevenmember Board of Trustees (Board). The Board consists of the State Treasurer, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, and five members appointed by the Governor. The appointed members serve five-year terms which end on June 30 of alternate years. The appointed Board members must include two active teachers, one active school administrator, and two retired members. The TFFR Board submits any necessary or desirable changes in statutes relating to the administration of the fund, including benefit terms, to the Legislative Assembly for consideration. The Legislative Assembly has final authority for changes to benefit terms and contribution rates.

Pension Benefits

For purposes of determining pension benefits, members are classified within one of three categories. Tier 1 grandfathered and Tier 1 non-grandfathered members are those with service credit on file as of July 1, 2008. Tier 2 members are those newly employed and returning refunded members on or after July 1, 2008.

Tier 1 Grandfathered

A Tier 1 grandfathered member is entitled to receive unreduced benefits when three or more years of credited service as a teacher in North Dakota have accumulated, the member is no longer employed as a teacher and the member has reached age 65, or the sum of age and years of service credit equals or exceeds 85. TFFR permits early retirement from ages 55 to 64, with benefits actuarially reduced by 6% per year for every year the member's retirement age is less than 65 years or the date as of which age plus service equal 85. In either case, benefits may not exceed the maximum benefits specified in Section 415 of the Internal Revenue Code.

Pension benefits paid by TFFR are determined by NDCC Section 15-39.1-10. Monthly benefits under TFFR are equal to the three highest annual salaries earned divided by 36 months and multiplied by 2.00% times the number of service credits earned. Retirees may elect payment of benefits in the form of a single life annuity, 100% or 50% joint and survivor annuity, ten or twenty-year term certain annuity, partial lump-sum option or level income with Social Security benefits. Members may also qualify for benefits calculated under other formulas.

Tier 1 Non-grandfathered

A Tier 1 non-grandfathered member is entitled to receive unreduced benefits when three or more years of credited service as a teacher in North Dakota have accumulated, the member is no longer employed as a teacher and the member has reached age 65, or has reached age 60 and the sum of age and years of service credit equals or exceeds 90. TFFR permits early retirement from ages 55 to 64, with benefits actuarially reduced by 8% per year from the earlier of age 60/Rule of 90 or age 65. In either case, benefits may not exceed the maximum benefits specified in Section 415 of the Internal Revenue Code.

7. PENSION PLAN - continued

Pension Benefits - continued

Tier 1 Non-grandfathered - continued

Pension benefits paid by TFFR are determined by NDCC Section 15-39.1-10. Monthly benefits under TFFR are equal to the three highest annual salaries earned divided by 36 months and multiplied by 2.00% times the number of service credits earned. Retirees may elect payment of benefits in the form of a single life annuity, 100% or 50% joint and survivor annuity, ten or twenty-year term certain annuity, partial lump-sum option or level income with Social Security benefits. Members may also qualify for benefits calculated under other formulas.

Tier 2

A Tier 2 member is entitled to receive unreduced benefits when five or more years of credited service as a teacher in North Dakota have accumulated, the member is no longer employed as a teacher and the member has reached age 65, or has reached age 60 and the sum of age and years of service credit equals or exceeds 90. TFFR permits early retirement from ages 55 to 64, with benefits actuarially reduced by 8% per year from the earlier of age 60/Rule of 90 or age 65. In either case, benefits may not exceed the maximum benefits specified in Section 415 of the Internal Revenue Code.

Pension benefits paid by TFFR are determined by NDCC Section 15-39.1-10. Monthly benefits under TFFR are equal to the five highest annual salaries earned divided by 60 months and multiplied by 2.00% times the number of service credits earned. Retirees may elect payment of benefits in the form of a single life annuity, 100% or 50% joint and survivor annuity, ten or twenty-year term certain annuity, partial lump-sum option or level income with Social Security benefits. Members may also qualify for benefits calculated under other formulas.

Death and Disability Benefits

Death benefits may be paid to a member's designated beneficiary. If a member's death occurs before retirement, the benefit options available are determined by the member's vesting status prior to death. If a member's death occurs after retirement, the death benefit received by the beneficiary (if any) is based on the retirement plan the member selected at retirement.

An active member is eligible to receive disability benefits when: (a) a total disability lasting 12 months or more does not allow the continuation of teaching, (b) the member has accumulated five years of credited service in North Dakota, and (c) the Board of Trustees of TFFR has determined eligibility based upon medical evidence. The amount of the disability benefit is computed by the retirement formula in NDCC Section 15-39,1-10 without consideration of age and uses the member's actual years of credited service. There is no actuarial reduction for reason of disability retirement.

7. PENSION PLAN - continued

Member and Employer Contributions

Member and employer contributions paid to TFFR are set by NDCC Section 15-39.1-09. Every eligible teacher in the State of North Dakota is required to be a member of TFFR and is assessed at a rate of 11.75% of salary as defined by NDCC Section 15-39.1-04. Every governmental body employing a teacher must also pay into TFFR a sum equal to 12.75% of the teacher's salary. Member and employer contributions will be reduced to 7.75% each when the fund reaches 100% funded ratio on an actuarial basis. The District has agreed to pay 6.25% of the member assessments in lieu of a salary increase.

A vested member who terminates covered employment may elect a refund of contributions paid plus 6% interest or defer payment until eligible for pension benefits. A non-vested member who terminates covered employment must claim a refund of contributions paid before age 70 1/2. Refunded members forfeit all service credits under TFFR. These service credits may be repurchased upon return to covered employment under certain circumstances, as defined by the NDCC.

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

At June 30, 2017, the District reported a liability of \$6,195,840 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2016, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The District's portion of the net pension liability was based on the District's share of covered payroll in the pension plan relative to the covered payroll of all participating TFFR employers. At June 30, 2016, the District's proportion was 0.42290734 percent, which was an increase of .00237166 percent from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2015.

7. PENSION PLAN - continued

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions - continued

For the year ended June 30, 2017, the District recognized pension expense of \$587,200. At June 30, 2017, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

| | Deferred | Deferred | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|------------|---------|
| | Outflows of | Inflows of | |
| _ | Resources | Re | sources |
| _ | | | |
| Differences between expected and | | | |
| actual experience | \$ 29,263 | \$ | 29,336 |
| Changes of assumptions | 517,532 | | - |
| Net difference between projected and | | | |
| actual earnings on pension plan | | | |
| investments | 515,042 | | 23,727 |
| Changes in proportion and differences | | | |
| between employer contributions | | | |
| and proportionate share of | | | |
| contributions | 67,917 | | - |
| Employer contributions subsequent to | | | |
| the measurement date | 358,083 | | - |
| | | | |
| Total = | \$ 1,487,837 | \$ | 53,063 |

\$358,083 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from District contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2018.

Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

| 2018 | \$ 200,761 |
|------------|---------------|
| 2019 | 200,761 |
| 2020 | 326,613 |
| 2021 | 247,816 |
| 2022 | 109,582 |
| Thereafter | (8,842) |

7. PENSION PLAN - continued

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions - continued

Actuarial Assumptions. The total pension liability in the July 1, 2016 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation 2.75%

Salary increases 4.25% to 14.50%, varying by service,

including inflation and productivity

Investment rate of return 7.75%, net of investment expenses

Cost-of-living adjustments None

For active and inactive members, mortality rates were based on the RP-2014 Employee Mortality Table, projected generationally using Scale MP-2014. For healthy retirees, mortality rates were based on the RP-2014 Healthy Annuitant Mortality Table set back one year, multiplied by 50% for ages under 75 and grading up to 100% by age 80, projected generationally using Scale MP-2014. For disabled retirees, mortality rates were based on the RP-2014 Disabled Mortality Table set forward four years.

The actuarial assumptions used were based on the results of an actuarial experience study date April 30, 2015. They are the same as the assumptions used in the July 1, 2016, funding actuarial valuation for TFFR.

As a result of the April 30, 2015 actuarial experience study, the TFFR Board adopted several assumption changes, including the following:

- Investment return assumption lowered from 8.00% to 7.75%.
- Inflation assumption lowered from 3.00% to 2.75%.
- Total salary scale rates lowered by 0.25% due to lower inflation.
- Added explicit administrative expense assumption, equal to prior year administrative expense plus inflation.
- Rates of turnover and retirement were changed to better reflect anticipated future experience.
- Updated mortality assumption to the RP-2014 mortality tables with generational improvement.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a 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 weighing the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in the Fund's target asset allocation are summarized in the following table:

7. PENSION PLAN - continued

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions - continued

| | | Long-Term |
|---------------------|------------|-----------|
| | | Expected |
| | Target | Real Rate |
| Asset Class | Allocation | of Return |
| | | |
| Global Equities | 58% | 7.30% |
| Global Fixed Income | 23% | 0.90% |
| Global Real Assets | 18% | 5.30% |
| Cash Equivalents | 1% | 0.00% |

Discount Rate. The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.75 percent as of June 30, 2016. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumes that member and employer contributions will be made at rates equal to those based on July 1, 2016, Actuarial Valuation Report. For this purpose, only employer contributions that are intended to fund benefits of current plan members and their beneficiaries are included. Projected employer contributions that are intended to fund the service costs of future plan members and their beneficiaries, as well as projected contributions from future plan members, are not included. Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments for current plan members as of June 30, 2016. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investment was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability as of June 30, 2016.

Sensitivity of the Employer's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate. The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 7.75 percent, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (6.75 percent) or 1-percentage-point higher (8.75 percent) than the current rate:

| | Current | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--|--|
| | 1% Decrease | Discount | 1% Increase | | |
| | (6.75%) | Rate (7.75%) | (8.75%) | | |
| | | | | | |
| District's proportionate share of | | | | | |
| the net pension liability | \$ 8,036,470 | \$6,195,840 | \$4,662,769 | | |

7. PENSION PLAN - continued

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions - continued

Pension Plan Fiduciary Position. Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued TFFR financial report. TFFR's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) is located at www.nd.gov/rio/sib/publications/cafr/default.htm.

Non-Certified Employees

The District contributes to a tax deferred annuity plan for the purpose of purchasing annuity contracts for its employees pursuant to section 403(b) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, which is a defined contribution plan.

A defined contribution plan provides benefits in return for services rendered, provides an individual account for each participant, and specifies how contributions to the individual's account are to be determined instead of specifying the amount of benefits the individual is to receive. Under a defined contribution plan, the benefits a participant will receive depend solely on the amount contributed to the participant's account, and the returns earned on investments on those contributions. All full-time non-certified employees are eligible to participate in the plan from the day they are hired. Contributions vest immediately. Each employee must contribute at least 2% of his or her base salary to receive an employer contribution of 3% of his or her base salary.

During the year the District's required and actual matching contributions amounted to \$16,158 which was 3% of the covered payroll of \$538,600. The employees' elected contributions amounted to \$33,934. During the year, \$50,092 was actually paid into the Plan.

No provision changes occurred during the year that affected the required contributions to be made by the District or its employees.

The plan held no securities of the District or other related parties during the year.

8. INTERFUND OPERATING TRANSFERS

There were no operating transfers for the year ended June 30, 2017.

9. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

The District participates in numerous state and federal grant programs, which are governed by various rules and regulations of the grantor agencies. Costs charged to the respective grant programs are subject to audit and adjustment by the grantor agencies. Therefore, to the extent that the District has not complied with the rules and regulations governing the grants, refunds of any money received may be required and the collectability of any related receivable at June 30, 2017 may be impaired. In the opinion of the District, there are no significant contingent liabilities relating to compliance with the rules and regulations governing the respective grants; therefore, no provision has been recorded in the accompanying combined financial statements for such contingencies.

10. RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks including, but not limited to, losses from worker's compensation, employee health insurance, public liability, and general property and casualty. The District has contracted with third party insurance carriers for specific and aggregate stop loss coverage to limit the District's exposure to losses as follows:

| Educators Professional Liability | \$ | 1,000,000 | per occurrence and aggregate |
|----------------------------------|----|------------|--------------------------------|
| General Liability | \$ | | aggregate limit |
| Products/Completed Operations | \$ | | aggregate limit |
| Personal/Advertising Injury | \$ | 1,000,000 | per occurrence and aggregate |
| Fire Damage | \$ | | per occurrence |
| Medical Expense | \$ | - | per person |
| • | \$ | • | • • |
| Personal Property | Ф | 650,440 | or 90% replacement cost |
| | | | (\$500 - \$1,000 deductible) |
| Hired Autos | \$ | 1,000,000 | aggregate limit |
| Uninsured and Underinsured | \$ | 1,000,000 | aggregate limit |
| Crime | \$ | 32,000 | inside, \$32,000 outside |
| Umbrella | \$ | 3,000,000 | per occurrence and aggregate |
| | | | \$10,000 retained limit |
| Directors and Officers | \$ | 1,000,000 | each loss (\$1,000 deductible) |
| Vehicles | | | actual cash value or repair |
| | | | cost, \$250 deductible |
| Employee Dishonesty | \$ | 16,000 | aggregate (\$1,000 deductible) |
| Buildings and Contents | \$ | 20,495,722 | combined totals |
| | | , | (limits for each location) |
| Workers Compensation | | | based on rate schedule |
| Workers Compensation | | | subject to \$1,000 deductible |
| | | | • |
| Health Insurance | | | various plans available |
| | | | through BCBS |

10. RISK MANAGEMENT - continued

There was a no reduction in insurance coverage from the prior year. At no time during the years ended June 30, 2017, 2016, and 2015 did settlements exceed insurance coverage.

11. FEDERAL AWARDS

Following is a schedule of significant federal awards received during the year:

| Grant Name | Grant Award | | Amount Received | | Amount Expended | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|---------|--------------------|---------|--------------------|---------|
| | | | | | | |
| Title I Grants to LEA's (84.010) | \$ | 108,674 | \$ | 37,538 | \$ | 108,674 |
| Fresh Fruits and Vegetables (10.582) | | 11,500 | | 10,580 | | 10,580 |
| Food Distribution (10.550) | | 20,000 | | 17,868 | | 17,868 |
| National School Lunch (10.553 and | | | | | | |
| 10.555) | | 92,000 | | 92,578 | | 92,578 |
| Carl Perkins (84.048) | | 8,648 | | | | 8,962 |
| REAP - Small Rural School | | · | | | | |
| Achievement (84.358A) | | 7,638 | | 7,728 | | 7,728 |
| REAP (84.367) | | 51,427 | _ | 18,541 | | 51,427 |
| Totals | \$ | 299,887 | \$ | 184,833 | <u>\$</u> | 297,817 |
| Beginning Receivable | | | | _ | | |
| Ending Receivable | | | | 112,984 | | |
| Revenues From Federal Awards | | | \$ | 297,817 | | |

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

| | Budgeted | d Amounts | Actual | Variance With Final Budget Positive (Negative) | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| | Original Budget | Final Budget | Actual Amounts (Budgetary Basis) | | |
| Beginning Fund Balance | \$ 1,268,082 | \$ 1,268,082 | \$ 1,268,082 | \$ - | |
| Resources (Inflows) | | | | | |
| Local Sources | \$ 1,588,500 | \$ 1,588,500 | \$ 1,537,224 | \$ (51,276) | |
| State Sources | 3,689,458 | 3,689,458 | 3,794,403 | 104,945 | |
| Federal Sources | 182,249 | 176,477 | 176,791 | 314 | |
| Fees and Other Non-Tax Revenues | 137,000 | 137,000 | 191,716 | 54,716 | |
| Other | 16,500 | 16,500_ | 22,069 | 5,569 | |
| Amounts Available for Apportionment | \$ 6,881,789 | \$ 6,876,017 | \$ 6,990,285 | \$ 114,268 | |
| Charges to Appropriations (Outflows) | | | | | |
| Current | | | | | |
| Instruction | \$ 3,139,172 | \$ 3,133,262 | \$ 3,136,651 | \$ (3,389) | |
| Special Education | 340,083 | 340,083 | 333,757 | 6,326 | |
| Guidance | 134,849 | 134,849 | 161,540 | (26,691) | |
| Vocational Education | 200,465 | 200,465 | 203,743 | (3,278) | |
| Instructional Administration | 367,550 | 367,550 | 365,695 | 1,855 | |
| Instructional Media Services | 155,040 | 155,040 | 140,292 | 14,748 | |
| Technology | 160,570 | 160,570 | 137,974 | 22,596 | |
| Food Services | 70,313 | 70,313 | 56,491 | 13,822 | |
| Nursing Services | 31,400 | 31,400 | 30,758 | 642 | |
| School Administration | 497,440 | 497,440 | 512,723 | (15,283) | |
| Plant Services | 610,737 | 610,737 | 553,078 | 57,659 | |
| Transportation | 191,653 | 191,653 | 191,326 | 327 | |
| Capital Outlay | | | | | |
| Buildings and Equipment | | | | | |
| Total Charges to Appropriation | \$ 5,899,272 | \$ 5,893,362 | \$ 5,824,028 | \$ 69,334 | |

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

| | Budgeted Amounts | | | s | | | Variance | |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|---------------|------|-------------|-------------------------------------------|--------|---------------------------------------|---------|
| | | ginal dget | | nal dget | Actual Amounts (Budgetary Basis) | | With Final Budget Positive (Negative) | |
| OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) | | | | | | | | |
| Transfers From Other Funds | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | - |
| Transfers To Other Funds | | - | | - | | - | | - |
| Proceeds From Sale of Fixed Assets | | | | | | | | |
| Total Other Financing Sources (Uses) | _\$ | • | _\$ | | \$ | | \$ | |
| Ending Fund Balance | <u>\$ 9</u> | 82,517 | \$ 9 | 82,655 | \$ 1,16 | 66,257 | \$ | 183,602 |

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER'S SHARE OF NET PENSION LIABILITY ND TEACHERS' FUND FOR RETIREMENT LAST 10 FISCAL YEARS

| | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Employer's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) | 0.42290734% | 0.42527900% | 0.41707400% |
| Employer's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) | \$ 6,195,840 | \$ 5,562,033 | \$ 4,370,196 |
| Employer's Covered-Employee Payroll | \$ 2,747,734 | \$ 2,615,913 | \$ 2,419,251 |
| Employer's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) as a Percentage of its Covered-Employee Payroll | 225.49% | 212.62% | 180.64% |
| Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability | 59.20% | 62.10% | 66.60% |
| Measurement Date | 6/30/2016 | 6/30/2015 | 6/30/2014 |

Note: GASB Statement No. 68 requires ten years of information to be presented in this table. However, until a full ten year trend is compiled, the District will present information for those years for which information is available.

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS ND TEACHERS' FUND FOR RETIREMENT LAST 10 FISCAL YEARS

| | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--|
| Statutorily Required Contribution | \$ 350,336 | \$ 333,513 | \$ 260,067 | |
| Contributions in Relation to the Statutorily Required Contribution | \$ (350,336) | \$ (333,513) | \$ (260,067) | |
| Contribution Deficiency (Excess) | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | |
| Employer's Covered-Employee Payroll | \$ 2,747,734 | \$ 2,615,913 | \$ 2,419,251 | |
| Contributions as a Percentage of Covered- Employee Payroll | 12.75% | 12.75% | 10.75% | |
| Measurement Date | 6/30/2017 | 6/30/2015 | 6/30/2014 | |
| | | | | |

Note: GASB Statement No. 68 requires ten years of information to be represented in this table. However, until a full ten year trend is compiled, the District will present information for those years for which information is available.

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

1. BUDGETS

The District is required by North Dakota state statutes to adopt its final annual budget for the General Fund by August 15 and to be filed with the county auditor by August 25. Budgets may be amended during the year, except no amendment changing the taxes levied can be made after October 10. The budget is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting, which is consistent with GAAP. All budget appropriations lapse at year-end.

Budgets are adopted for the General Fund on the modified accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Expenditures are controlled at the object level for the budget.

2. EXPENDITURES EXCEED APPROPRIATIONS

During the year ended June 30, 2017, expenditures exceeded appropriations in the following funds:

| Fund | Amount | Explanation |
|-----------------------|-----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| General Fund: | | |
| Instruction | \$ 3,389 | Caused by underbudgeted high school payroll and benefit costs Caused by underbudgeted |
| Guidance | 26,691 | payroll and benefit costs Caused by underbudgeted |
| Vocational Education | 3,278 | payroll and benefit costs |
| School Administration | 15,283 | Caused by unbudgeted fees |
| General Fund Total | \$ 48,641 | |

3. CHANGES OF ASSUMPTIONS

Amounts reported in 2016 and later reflect the following actuarial assumption changes based on the results of an actuarial experience study dated April 30, 2015.

- Investment return assumption lowered from 8.00% to 7.75%.
- Inflation assumption lowered from 3.00% to 2.75%.
- Total salary scale rates lowered by 0.25% due to lower inflation.
- Added explicit administrative expense assumption, equal to prior year administrative expense plus inflation.
- Rates of turnover and retirement were changed to better reflect anticipated future experience.
- Updated mortality assumption to the RP-2014 mortality tables with generational improvement.



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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

To the School Board May-Port CG School District #14 900 Main Street West Mayville, North Dakota

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 **May-Port CG School District #14** as of and for the year ended **June 30**, **2017**, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated December 11, 2017.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the May-Port CG School District #14's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the May-Port CG School District #14's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the May-Port CG School District #14's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in the internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. However, as described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses and significant deficiencies.

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 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. We consider the deficiencies 2017-002 and 2017-003 described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs to be material weaknesses. 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.

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. We consider deficiency 2017-001 described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs to be a significant deficiency.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the May-Port CG School District #14's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclose no instances of noncompliance that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

May-Port CG School District #14's Response to Findings

The May-Port CG School District #14's response to the findings in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The May-Port CG School District #14's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on them.

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 entity'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 entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

OVERMOE & NELSON, LTD

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Certified Public Accountants Grand Forks, North Dakota

December 11, 2017

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

Section I - Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements

Type of Auditor's Report Issued

Unmodified

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting:

Material Weaknesses Identified

Yes

Significant Deficiencies Identified that are not

Considered to be Material Weaknesses

Yes

Noncompliance Material to Financial Statements Noted

No

Section II - Financial Statement Findings

Reference 2017-001 Segregation of Duties (A Significant Deficiency)

Criteria

An appropriate system of internal controls maintains proper segregation of duties to provide reasonable assurance that transactions are handled appropriately.

Condition

The May-Port CG School District #14 has one accountant responsible for most accounting functions. The accountant collects monies, issues checks, sends checks to vendors, records receipts and disbursements in journals, maintains the general ledger, and prepares financial reports.

Questioned Costs

None

Context

This condition existed for the entire year.

Effect

The accountant performed duties that included executing and recording transactions.

Cause

There is one accountant for multiple functions such as executing and record transactions.

Recommendation

The duties should be separated as much as possible, and alternative controls should be used to compensate for lack of segregation.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions

Due to the size of the District, it is not feasible to obtain proper segregation of duties. The cost of adding personnel in order to obtain a proper segregation of duties exceeds the benefit.

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

Reference 2017-002 Audit Adjustments (A Material Weakness)

Criteria

An appropriate system of internal controls requires that the District prepare and present fairly financial statements and related notes to the financial statements in accordance with government accounting standards.

Condition

The May-Port CG School District #14's accounting records required adjustments to cash, receivables, payables, depreciation and net pension liability and related deferred outflows and deferred inflows of resources.

Questioned Costs

None

Context

This condition existed for the entire year.

Effect

The District's government-wide financial statements were misstated throughout the year.

<u>Cause</u>

The accountant prepares the District's financial statements on the cash basis of accounting which is not in accordance with government accounting standards.

Recommendation

The accountant should strive to ensure the general ledger is maintained in accordance with government accounting standards.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions

The School Board will consider additional training opportunities for the accountant.

Reference 2017-003 Financial Statements (A Material Weakness)

Criteria

An adequate system of internal controls requires that the District must make a determination that financial statements are properly stated in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

<u>Condition</u>

May-Port CG School District #14 does not have internal controls necessary to assess whether all relevant disclosures have been included in the financial statements as required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Questioned Costs

None

MAY-PORT CG SCHOOL DISTRICT #14 SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

Reference 2017-003 Financial Statements (A Material Weakness) - continued

Context

This condition existed for the entire year.

Effect

The lack of appropriate disclosures may affect the user's judgment related to net position and changes in net position.

Cause

The accountant does not have complete knowledge of current accounting principles and required financial statement disclosure requirements.

Recommendation

Compensating controls over financial statement disclosure requirements could be provided by the use of current disclosure checklists.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions

Management and the School Board will analyze the cost versus benefit of the use of current disclosure checklists.