ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

**JUNE 30, 2004** 

# OF STANISLAUS COUNTY

## SALIDA, CALIFORNIA

## **JUNE 30, 2004**

#### **GOVERNING BOARD**

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Ivan Wyeth	President	2005
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Dennis Thompson	Trustee	2007
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#### **ADMINISTRATION**

Antonio Borba Superintendent

### **ORGANIZATION**

The Salida Union School District was established in 1949 and is comprised of an area of approximately 31 square miles located in Stanislaus County. There were no changes in the boundaries of the District during the current year. The District is currently operating four elementary schools and one middle school providing instruction for kindergarten through eighth grade.

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FINANCIAL SECTION



#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Trustees Salida Union Elementary School District Salida, California

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the District, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2004, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the District's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, and Standards and Procedures for Audits of California K-12 Local Educational Agencies, prescribed by the State Controller. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

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 Salida Union Elementary School District, as of June 30, 2004, and the respective changes in financial positions, thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated October 27, 2004, 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 grants agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

The required supplementary information, such as management's discussion and analysis on pages 4 through 10 and budgetary comparison information on page 43, are not a required part of the basic financial statements, but are supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements. The other supplementary information listed in the table of contents, including the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal awards which is required by U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, Audits of State, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Vourcinek, Orine, Day & Co., LLP

Fresno, California October 27, 2004



# Salida Union School District

District Superintendent António L. Borba, Ed.D.

Board of Trustees
Dennis Thompson
Ivan Wyeth, II
Mark Hughes
Steve Ernst
Gary Dew

This section of Salida Union School District's 2003-2004 annual financial report presents our discussion and analysis of the District's financial performance during the fiscal year that ended on June 30, 2004. Please read it in conjunction with the District's financial statements, which immediately follow this section.

#### **OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

#### The Financial Statements

The financial statements presented herein include all of the activities of the Salida Union School District (the District) and its component units using the integrated approach as prescribed by GASB Statement Number 34.

The Government-Wide Financial Statements present the financial picture of the District from the economic resources measurement focus using the accrual basis of accounting. They present governmental activities and business-type activities separately. These statements include all assets of the District (including infrastructure) as well as all liabilities (including long-term debt). Additionally, certain eliminations have occurred as prescribed by the statement in regards to interfund activity, payables and receivables.

The Fund Financial Statements include statements for each of the three categories of activities: governmental, business-type, and fiduciary.

The Governmental Activities are prepared using the current financial resources measurement focus and modified accrual basis of accounting.

The Primary unit of the government is the Salida Union School District.

# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2004

#### REPORTING THE DISTRICT AS A WHOLE

# The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities and Changes in Net Assets

The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities and Changes in Net Assets report information about the District as a whole and about its activities. These statements include all assets and liabilities of the District using the accrual basis of accounting, which is similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are taken into account regardless of when cash is received or paid.

These two statements report the District's net assets and changes in them. Net assets are the difference between assets and liabilities, one way to measure the District's financial health, or financial position. Over time, increases or decreases in the District's net assets are one indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating. Other factors to consider are changes in the District's property tax base and the condition of the District's facilities.

The relationship between revenues and expenses is the District's operating results. Since the Board's responsibility is to provide services to our students and not to generate profit as commercial entities do, one must consider other factors when evaluating the overall health of the District. The quality of the education and the safety of our schools will likely be an important component in this evaluation.

In the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities and Changes in Net Assets, we separate the District activities as follows:

Governmental activities - Most of the District's services are reported in this category. This includes the education of kindergarten through grade twelve students, adult education students, the operation of child development activities, and the on-going effort to improve and maintain buildings and sites. Property taxes, state income taxes, user fees, interest income, federal, state and local grants, as well as general obligation bonds, finance these activities.

# REPORTING THE DISTRICT'S MOST SIGNIFICANT FUNDS

#### Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide detailed information about the most significant funds - not the District as a whole. Some funds are required to be established by State law and by bond covenants. However, management establishes many other funds to help it control and manage money for particular purposes or to show that it is meeting legal responsibilities for using certain taxes, grants, and other money that it receives from the U.S. Department of Education.

Governmental funds - Most of the District's basic services are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. These funds 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 general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the District's programs. The differences of results in the governmental fund financial statements to those in the government-wide financial statements are explained in a reconciliation following each governmental fund financial statement.

# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2004

#### THE DISTRICT AS TRUSTEE

### Reporting the District's Fiduciary Responsibilities

The District is the trustee, or *fiduciary*, for funds held on behalf of others, like our funds for associated student body activities, scholarships, employee retiree benefits and pensions. The District's fiduciary activities are reported in separate *Statements of Fiduciary Net Assets*. We exclude these activities from the District's other financial statements because the District cannot use these assets to finance its operations. The District is responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in these funds are used for their intended purposes.

#### THE DISTRICT AS A WHOLE

### <u>Net Assets</u>

The District's net assets were \$43.7 million for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2004. Of this amount, \$1.3 million was unrestricted. Restricted net assets are reported separately to show legal constraints from debt covenants and enabling legislation that limit the School Board's ability to use those net assets for day-to-day operations. Our analysis below focuses on the net assets (Table 1) and change in net assets (Table 2) of the District's governmental activities.

#### Table 1

Net Assets (Amounts in millions)	Governmental Activities 2003-04		Governmental Activities 2002-03		Governmental Activities Net Change	
Current and other assets	\$	10.6	\$	10.5	\$	0.1
Capital assets		46.5_		47.3		(0.8)
Total Assets		57.1		57.8		(0.7)
Current liabilities		2.2		1.4		0.8
Long-term debt		11.3		11.1		0.2
Total Liabilities		13.5		12.5		1.0
Net assets	<del>-</del>					
Invested in capital assets,						
net of related debt		35.2		37.4		(2.2)
Restricted		7.2		5.8		1.4
Unrestricted		1.3		2.0		(0.7)
Total Net Assets	\$	43.7	\$	45.2	\$	(1.5)

The \$1.3 million in unrestricted net assets of governmental activities represents the *accumulated* results of all past years' operations. It means that if we had to pay of all of our bills *today* including all of our non-capital liabilities (compensated absences as an example), we would have \$1.3 million left. We will need to closely monitor our expenditures in the future and adhere strictly to the budget to increase this amount.

# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2004

## Changes in Net Assets

The results of this year's operations for the District as a whole are reported in the *Statement of Activities*. Table 2 takes the information from the Statement, rounds off the numbers, and rearranges them slightly so you can see our total revenues for the year.

Table 2

Changes in Net Assets (Amounts in millions)	Governmental Activities 2003-2004		Governmental Activities 2002-2003		Governmental Activities Net Change	
Revenues			-			
Program revenues						
Charges for services	\$	0.6	\$	0.6	\$	-
Operating grants and contributions		6.1		6.3		(0.2)
Capital grants and contributions		-		2.8		(2.8)
General revenues:						-
State revenue limit sources		12.6		12.2		0.4
Property taxes		5.5		5.7		(0.2)
Other general revenues		1.0		1.5		(0.5)
Total Revenues		25.8		29.1		(3.3)
Expenses						
Instruction related		16.6		16.6		-
Student support services		2.5		2.5		-
Administration		1.4		1.5		(0.1)
Maintenance and operations		2.0		3.8		(1.8)
Other		4.8		3.7		1.1
Total Expenses		27.3		28.1		(0.8)
Change in Net Assets	\$	(1.5)	\$	1.0	\$	(2.5)

#### Governmental Activities

As reported in the Statement of Activities on page 12 the cost of all of our governmental activities this year was \$27.3 million. However, the amount that our taxpayers ultimately financed for these activities through local taxes was only \$5.5 million because the cost was paid by those who benefited from the programs (\$0.6 million) or by other governments and organizations who subsidized certain programs with grants and contributions (\$6.1 million). We paid for the remaining "public benefit" portion of our governmental activities with \$5.5 million in taxes, \$15.1 million in State and Federal funds and with other revenues, like interest and general entitlements.

In Table 3, we have presented the cost of each of the District's seven (7) largest functions - regular program instruction, guidance and counseling, school administration, pupil transportation, general administration, and maintenance and operations, as well as each program's *net* cost (total cost less revenues generated by the activities).

# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2004

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Net Cost of Governmental Activities						
(Dollar amounts in millions)	of S	al Cost ervices 3-2004	of S	al Cost ervices 2-2003		Change 2-2004
Instruction	\$	14.3	\$	14.3	\$	_
Guidance and counseling		0.8		1.0		(0.2)
School administration		1.4		1.4		-
Pupil transportation		0.5		0.5		-
Administration		1.4		1.6		(0.2)
Maintenance and operations		2.0		3.8		(1.8)
Other		6.9		5.9		1.0
Totals	\$	27.3	\$	28.5	\$	(1.2)

## THE DISTRICT'S FUNDS

As the District completed this year, our governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$8.6 million, which is a decrease of \$3.5 million from last year.

The primary reasons for these decreases are:

- a. Our General Fund is our principal operating fund. The fund balance in the General Fund decreased \$667,209. This decrease is due to:
  - 1. Decreased enrollment.
  - 2. Decreased State revenue.
  - 3. Increase in special education and other encroachments, plus unfunded mandates.
- b. Our Capital Projects funds decreased due to ongoing construction costs.

## General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Over the course of the year, the District revises its budget as it attempts to deal with unexpected changes in revenues and expenditures. The final amendment to the budget was adopted on June 21, 2004, as estimated actuals. (A schedule showing the District's original and final budget amounts compared with amounts actually paid and received is provided in our annual report.)

#### CAPITAL ASSET & DEBT ADMINISTRATION

#### Capital Assets

At June 30, 2004, the District had \$46.5 million in a broad range of capital assets, including land, buildings, and furniture and equipment net of depreciation. This amount represents a net increase (including additions, deductions and depreciation) of just over \$2 million or 4.0 percent, from last year.

# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2004

#### Table 4

## Capital Assets at Year-end

(Net of depreciation, in millions of dollars)

(Amounts in millions)	Α	rernmental ctivities 03-2004	Governmental Activities 2002-2003		Net Change 2002-2004	
Land and Construction In Progress	\$	7.8	\$	7.8	\$	-
Buildings and improvements		37.4		35.4		2.0
Equipment		1.3		1.3		-
Totals	\$	46.5	\$	44.5		2.0

This year's major additions included the District office continuing construction.

One capital project is planned for the 2004-05 year. We present more detailed information about our capital assets in Note 4 to the financial statements.

#### Long-Term Debt

At the end of this year, the District had \$11.3 million in debt outstanding. This debt consisted of:

### Table 5

Outstanding	Debt at	Year-end
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(Amounts in millions)	Governmental Activities 2003-2004		Governmental Activities 2002-2003		Net Change 2002-2004		
General obligation bonds	\$	2.0	\$	2.1	\$	(0.1)	
Certificates of participation		7.3		7.4		(0.1)	
QZAB		2.0		2.0			
Totals	\$	11.3	\$	11.5	\$	(0.2)	

The District's general obligation bond rating continues to be "AAA." The State limits the amount of general obligation debt that District's can issue to 35 percent of the assessed value of all taxable property within the District's boundaries. The District's outstanding general obligation debt of \$2.0 million is significantly below this statutorily - imposed limit.

Other obligations include compensated absences payable. We present more detailed information regarding our long-term liabilities in Note 8 of the financial statements.

# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2004

## SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF FISCAL YEAR 2003-04 ARE NOTED BELOW:

Continued the \$4,285,185.00 million Salida Union School District Administration project.

#### ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGETS AND RATES

In considering the District Budget for the 2004/2005 year, the District Board and management used the following criteria:

The key assumptions in our revenue forecast are:

- 1. Property tax revenues will increase, there is substantial rise in assessed valuation and general growth.
- 2. Revenue limit income increase by 2.44 %.
- 3. Interest earnings decreased due to an anticipated reduction in market interest rates. We will participate in TRANS issuance. This will solve the cash flow deferment imposed by State Government.
- 4. Developer fee collections are based on approximately new housing units to be constructed. There are currently several new slated housing project in planning for future construction.
- 5. Federal income will remain constant. We do not expect an increase to the population of qualified students.
- 6. State income will decrease by cuts to categorical and deficited funding.
- 7. Without significant reductions in expenditures, and/or significant growth, the District will have to rely on other funds to offset deficit spending. Expenditures are based on the following forecasts:

	Staffing Ratio	Enrollment
Grades kindergarten through third	20:1	1,461
Grades four through eight	32:1	1,921

## CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, students, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to show the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need any additional financial information, contact Jim Yardy, the Director, Business Services, at Salida Union School District, 4801 Sisk Road, Salida, California, 95356, or e-mail at Jyardy@Salida.k12.ca.us.

# STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS JUNE 30, 2004

Assets	Governmental Activities
Deposits and investments	\$ 6,857,134
Receivables	3,546,748
Prepaid expenses	214,815
Stores inventories	29,285
Capital assets	,
Land and construction in process	7,831,369
Other capital assets	49,089,794
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(10,436,187)
Total capital assets	46,484,976
Total Assets	57,132,958
Liabilities	
Overdrafts	222,878
Accounts payable	953,041
Accrued interest	304,819
Deferred revenue	674,312
Long-term liabilities	
Current portion of long-term obligations	269,478
Noncurrent portion of long-term obligations	11,000,000
Total long-term liabilities	11,269,478
Total Liabilities	13,424,528
Net Assets	
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	35,229,976
Restricted for:	, ,
Debt service	1,542,390
Capital projects	3,861,016
Educational programs	435,709
Other activities	1,337,072
Unrestricted	1,302,267
Total Net Assets	\$ 43,708,430

# STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

		Program Revenue					es	es		
Functions/Programs		Expenses		arges for vices and Sales	Operating Grants and Contributions		Capital Grants and Contributions			
Governmental Activities:		23200000				<del></del>				
Instruction	\$	14,314,258	\$	20,406	\$	1,790,877	\$	12,956		
Instruction-related activities:										
Supervision of instruction		653,813		475		236,457		-		
Instructional library, media and technology		160,241		-		4,842		-		
School site administration		1,428,601		420		21,011		-		
Pupil services:										
Home-to-school transportation		543,457		368		277,398		-		
Food services		1,169,159		475,463		703,864		-		
All other pupil services		783,062		1,355		144,228		-		
General administration:										
All other general administration		1,449,318		-		-		-		
Plant services		1,996,661		11,166		91,879		-		
Ancillary services		26,032		9,085		37,582		-		
Community services		2,701,711		66,136		2,596,779		-		
Interest on long-term debt		507,005		3,636		179,799		-		
Other outgo		377,654		-		-				
Depreciation (unallocated)		1,154,659		-				_		
Total School District	\$	27,265,631	\$	588,510	\$	6,084,716	\$	12,956		

General revenues and subventions:

Property taxes, levied for general purposes

Property taxes, levied for debt service

Taxes levied for other specific purposes

Federal and State aid not restricted to specific purposes

Interest and investment earnings

Miscellaneous

Subtotal, General Revenues

**Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenses** 

Net Assets - Beginning

Net Assets - Ending

	et (Expenses) evenues and						
	Changes in						
	Net Assets						
	Tito Transcen						
G	overnmental						
	Activities						
\$	(12,490,019)						
	(416,881)						
	(155,399)						
	(1,407,170)						
	(265,691)						
	10,168						
	(637,479)						
	(1.440.218)						
	(1,449,318)						
	(1,893,616)						
	20,635						
	(38,796) (323,570)						
	(377,654)						
	(1,154,659)						
	(20,579,449)						
	(20,075,115)						
	5,145,719						
	255,577						
	83,000						
	12,356,046						
	93,293						
	1,104,577						
	19,038,212						
	(1,541,237)						
<u> </u>	45,249,667						
\$	43,708,430						

# GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET JUNE 30, 2004

		General Fund	Deve	Child lopment Fund	Special Reserve Capital Outlay Fund		
ASSETS							
Deposits and investments	\$	10,294	\$	281,033	\$	2,218,270	
Receivables		3,167,823		56,963		-	
Due from other funds		338,449		-			
Stores inventories		-				-	
Total Assets	\$	3,516,566	\$	337,996	\$	2,218,270	
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES							
Liabilities:							
Overdrafts		222,878		-		-	
Accounts payable		884,344		23,381		135	
Due to other funds		220,000		16,474		-	
Deferred revenue		465,911		208,401			
Total Liabilities		1,793,133		248,256		135	
FUND BALANCES	-						
Reserved		445,709		-		-	
Unreserved:							
Designated		1,277,724		-		-	
Undesignated, reported in:							
Special revenue funds		-		89,740		-	
Debt service funds		-	*	-		-	
Capital projects funds						2,218,135	
Total Fund Balance		1,723,433		89,740		2,218,135	
Total Liabilities and							
Fund Balances	\$	3,516,566	\$	337,996	\$	2,218,270	

Сар	COP oital Project Fund	<b>D</b>	QZAB ebt Service Fund	Non-Major overnmental Funds	Go	Total overnmental Funds		
\$	802,318	\$	1,040,446	\$ 2,504,773	\$	6,857,134		
	-		-	321,962		3,546,748		
	-		_	220,000		558,449		
	-		-	 29,285		29,285		
\$	802,318	\$	1,040,446	\$ 3,076,020	\$	10,991,616		
						222.050		
	-	-		<del>-</del>		222,878		
	-		· -	45,181		953,041		
	-		-	321,975		558,449		
				 		674,312		
	<u>-</u>			 367,156		2,408,680		
	-		-	29,285		474,994		
	-		-	960,033		2,237,757		
	-		-	377,039		466,779		
	-		1,040,446	501,944		1,542,390		
	802,318			 840,563		3,861,016		
	802,318		1,040,446	2,708,864		8,582,936		
\$	802,318	\$	1,040,446	 3,076,020	\$	10,991,616		

# GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS JUNE 30, 2004

Amounts Reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of		
Net Assets are Different Because:		
Total Fund Balance - Governmental Funds		\$ 8,582,936
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources		
and, therefore, are not reported as assets in governmental funds.		
The cost of capital assets is	\$56,921,163	
Accumulated depreciation is	(10,436,187)	
Total capital assets		46,484,976
Expenditures relating to issuance of debt of next fiscal year were		
recognized in modified accrual basis, but should not be recognized in		
accrual basis.		214,815
In governmental funds, unmatured interest on long-term debt is recognized		
in the period when it is due. On the government-wide statements,		•
unmatured interest on long-term debt is recognized when it is incurred.		(304,819)
Long-term liabilities at year end consist of:		
General obligation bonds	(1,950,000)	
Certificates of participation	(7,305,000)	
QZAB Obligation	(2,000,000)	
Compensated absences	(14,478)	
Total long-term liabilities		(11,269,478)
Total Net Assets - Governmental Activities		\$ 43,708,430

# GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

	General Fund	Child Development Fund	Special Reserve Capital Outlay Capital Fund		
REVENUES					
Revenue limit sources	\$ 15,385,303	\$ -	\$ -		
Federal sources	3,173,161	91,200	· <b>_</b>		
Other state sources	2,995,131	300,797	-		
Other local sources	1,712,672	90,770	50,607		
Total Revenues	23,266,267	482,767	50,607		
EXPENDITURES					
Current					
Instruction	14,334,622	-	-		
Instruction-related activities:					
Supervision of instruction	653,813	-	-		
Instructional library, media and technology	160,241	-	-		
School site administration	1,428,601	-	-		
Pupil Services:					
Home-to-school transportation	543,457	-	-		
Food services	2,659	-	-		
All other pupil services	783,062	-	-		
General administration:					
All other general administration	1,413,343	30,608	-		
Plant services	1,875,474	-	18,410		
Facility acquisition and construction	87,560	-	14,085		
Ancillary services	26,032	-	-		
Community services	2,246,958	454,753	-		
Other outgo	377,654	-	-		
Debt service					
Principal	-	-	-		
Interest and other	-	12,163			
Total Expenditures	23,933,476	497,524	32,495		
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	(667,209)	(14,757)	18,112		
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Transfers in	-	-	-		
Transfers out	-	-	(454,277)		
Net Financing Sources (Uses)	-	-	(454,277)		
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(667,209)	(14,757)	(436,165)		
Fund Balance - Beginning	2,390,642	104,497	2,654,300		
Fund Balance - Ending	\$ 1,723,433	\$ 89,740	\$ 2,218,135		
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

COP Capital Project Fund	QZAB Debt Service Fund	Non-Major Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 15,385,303
ψ -	Ψ - -	677,496	3,941,857
_	-	165,134	3,461,062
33,232	116,562	932,329	2,936,172
33,232	116,562	1,774,959	25,724,394
			14,334,622
			1 1,00 1,000
_	_	<b>.</b>	653,813
_		• -	160,241
_	_	-	1,428,601
			•
-		-	543,457
-	-	1,166,500	1,169,159
-	-	-	783,062
-	-	17,518	1,461,469
-	-	112,027	2,005,911
2,858,775	<b>-</b>	198,790	3,159,210
-	-	-	26,032
-	-	-	2,701,711
-	-	-	377,654
		205.000	205 000
-	-	205,000	205,000
- 0.000.775		250,153 1,949,988	262,316 29,272,258
2,858,775	116,562	(73,224)	$\frac{29,272,238}{(3,547,864)}$
(2,825,543)	110,302	(13,224)	(3,347,804)
-	-	454,277	454,277
			(454,277)
		454,277	
(2,825,543)	116,562	279,248	(3,547,864)
3,627,861	923,884	2,429,616	12,130,800
\$ 802,318	\$ 1,040,446	\$ 2,708,864	\$ 8,582,936

# RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES TO THE DISTRICT-WIDE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

Total Net Change in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds Amounts Reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of Activities are Different Because:		\$	(3,547,864)
Capital outlays to purchase or build capital assets are reported in governmental funds as expenditures, however, for governmental activities, those costs are shown in the statement of net assets and allocated over their estimated useful lives as annual depreciation expenses in the statements of activities.			
This is the amount by which capital outlays exceed depreciation expense in			
the period.  Depreciation expense  Capital outlays	\$(1,154,659) 3,188,824	,	2,034,165
In the statement of activities, compensated absences (vacations) are measured by the amounts earned during the year. In the governmental funds, however, expenditures are measured by the amount of financial resources used (essentially, the amounts actually paid). Vacation paid was more than the earned by \$12,151.			12,151
Repayment of debt principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but it reduces long-term liabilities in the statement of net assets and does not affect the statement of activities:			
General obligation bonds			140,000
Certificates of participation  Interest on long-term debt in the statement of activities differs from the amount reported in the governmental funds because interest is recorded 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. The additional interest reported in the statement of activities is the result of interest accrued on debt payments which will be paid in the following fiscal year but is attributable to interest due for months falling into the current			65,000
fiscal year. The effect of this totals:			(244,689)
Change in Net Assets of Governmental Activities		<u>\$</u>	(1,541,237)

# FIDUCIARY FUNDS STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

	Agency Funds				
ASSETS					
Deposits and investments	\$ 102,287				
Total Assets	\$ 102,287				
LIABILITIES					
Due to student groups	102,287				
Total Liabilities	\$ 102,287				

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

## NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### A. Financial Reporting Entity

The Salida Union School District was established in 1949 and is comprised of an area of approximately 31 square miles located in Stanislaus County. There were no changes in the boundaries of the District during the current year. The District is currently operating four elementary schools and one middle school providing instruction for kindergarten through eighth grade.

A reporting entity is comprised of the primary government and other organizations that are included to ensure the financial statements are not misleading. The primary government of the District consists of all funds, departments, boards, and agencies that are not legally separate from the District. For Salida Union Elementary School District, this includes general operations, food service, and student related activities of the District.

## **B.** State Deferred Appropriations

As part of its plan to address the budget crisis facing the State of California, Senate Bill (SB) XI 18 (the "Bill") was signed into law during the year ended June 30, 2003. The provisions of the Bill significantly altered funding for California school districts. The Bill, among other things, shifted the appropriation for the payment of the June principal apportionment for the General Fund into the following fiscal year. The Bill allowed local educational agencies to recognize for budgetary and financial reporting purposes any amount of state appropriations deferred from the current fiscal year and appropriated from the subsequent fiscal year for payment of current-year costs as a receivable in the current year. In addition, Assembly Bill 2781 deferred the appropriations for the Home-to-School Transportation, School Safety, and Targeted Instructional Improvement programs into the following fiscal year. Exclusion of the apportionments would have resulted in a decrease in receivables, revenue, and available reserves of \$887,028.

#### C. Component Units

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the District is financially accountable. Component units may include organizations that are fiscally dependent on the District in that the District approves their budget, the issuance of their debt or the levying of their taxes. In addition, component units are other legally separate organizations for which the District is not financially accountable but the nature and significance of the organization's relationship with the District is such that exclusion would cause the District's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. The District has no component units.

Joint Powers Agencies The District is associated with two joint powers agencies. These organizations do not meet the criteria for inclusion as component units of the District. Summarized audited financial information is presented in Note 14 to the financial statements. These organizations are:

Central Region Schools' Insurance Group (CRSIG) Schools Excess Liability Fund (SELF)

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

### D. Basis of Presentation - Fund Accounting

The accounting system is organized and operated on a fund basis. A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts, which are segregated for the purpose of carrying on specific activities or attaining certain objectives in accordance with special regulations, restrictions, or limitations. The District's funds are grouped into two broad fund categories: governmental and fiduciary.

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

### **Major Governmental Funds**

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

Child Development Fund The Child Development Fund is used to account for resources committed to child development programs maintained by the District.

COP Capital Projects Fund The COP Capital Projects Fund is used to account for funds available for capital outlay from the proceeds of sales of Certificates of Participation.

Special Reserve Capital Outlay Fund The Special Reserve Capital Outlay Fund is used to account for funds set aside for Board designated construction projects.

**QZAB Debt Service Fund** The QZAB Debt Service Fund is used to account for the accumulation of funds for and to payment of debt related to the QZAB Bonds.

#### Other Non-Major Governmental Funds

**Special Revenue Funds** The Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for specific purposes. The District maintains the following special revenue funds:

Cafeteria Fund The Cafeteria Fund is used to account for the financial transactions related to the food service operations of the District.

**Deferred Maintenance Fund** The Deferred Maintenance Fund is used for the purpose of major repair or replacement of District property.

Special Reserve Fund for Other than Capital Outlay The Special Reserve Fund for Other than Capital Outlay is used to provide for the accumulation of General Fund monies for general operating purposes.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

**Debt Service Funds** The Debt Service Funds are used to account for the accumulation of resources for, and the payment of, general long-term debt principal, interest, and related costs. The District maintains the following debt service funds:

Bond Interest and Redemption Fund The Bond Interest and Redemption Fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for, and the repayment of, district bonds, interest, and related costs.

**COP Debt Service Fund** The COP Debt Service Fund is used to account for the interest and redemption of principal of Certificates of Participation.

Capital Projects Funds The Capital Projects Funds are used to account for the acquisition and/or construction of all major governmental general fixed assets. The District maintains the following capital projects funds:

Mello Roos Capital Projects Fund The Mello Roos Capital Projects Fund exists primarily to account separately for proceeds from the Mello Roos District and the acquisition of major governmental capital facilities and buildings.

Capital Facilities Fund The Capital Facilities Fund is used to account for resources received from developer impact fees assessed under provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

QZAB Capital Projects Fund The QZAB Capital Projects Fund is used to account for the proceeds and expenditures of the proceeds from the QZAB issuance.

County School Facilities Fund The County School Facilities Fund is used primarily to account separately for State apportionments provided for construction and reconstruction of school facilities (Education Code Sections 17010.10-17076.10).

**Fiduciary Funds** Fiduciary fund reporting focuses on net assets and changes in net assets. The fiduciary fund category is the agency fund. Agency funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of results of operations. The District's agency fund accounts for student body activities (ASB).

#### E. Basis of Accounting - Measurement Focus

Government-Wide Financial Statements The government-wide financial statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

The government-wide financial statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each governmental program. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a service, program, or department and are therefore clearly identifiable to a particular function. The District does not allocate indirect expenses to functions in the Statement of Activities. 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 program. Revenues that 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.

Net assets should be reported as restricted when constraints placed on net asset 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. The net assets restricted for other activities result from special revenue funds and the restrictions on their net asset use.

**Fund Financial Statements** 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. Each major fund is presented in a separate column. Nonmajor funds are aggregated and presented in a single column.

Governmental Funds All governmental funds are accounted for using a flow of current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities generally are included on the balance sheet. The statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance reports on the sources (revenues and other financing sources) and uses (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 reconciliation with brief explanations to better identify the relationship between the government-wide financial statements and the statements for the governmental funds on a 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.

**Fiduciary Funds** Fiduciary funds are accounted for using the flow of economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting.

Revenues – Exchange and Non-Exchange Transactions Revenue resulting from exchange transactions, in which each party gives and receives essentially equal value, is recorded on the accrual basis when the exchange takes place. On a modified accrual basis, revenue is recorded in the fiscal year in which the resources are measurable and become available. Available means that the resources will be collected within the current fiscal year or are expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current fiscal year. For the District, available means expected to be received within 90 days of fiscal year-end.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

Non-exchange transactions, in which the District receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include property taxes, certain grants, entitlements, and donations. Revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year in which the taxes are received. Revenue from certain grants, entitlements, and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied. Eligibility requirements include time and purpose requirements. On a modified accrual basis, revenue from non-exchange transactions must also be available before it can be recognized.

Under the modified accrual basis, the following revenue sources are considered to be both measurable and available at fiscal year-end: State apportionments, interest, certain grants, and other local sources.

**Deferred Revenue** Deferred revenue arises when potential revenue does not meet both the "measurable" and "available" criteria for recognition in the current period or when resources are received by the District prior to the incurrence of qualifying expenditures. In subsequent periods, when both revenue recognition criteria are met, or when the District has a legal claim to the resources, the liability for deferred revenue is removed from the combined balance sheet and revenue is recognized.

Certain grants received before the eligibility requirements are met are recorded as deferred revenue. On the governmental fund financial statements, receivables that will not be collected within the available period are also recorded as deferred revenue.

Expenses/Expenditures On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred. The measurement focus of governmental fund accounting is on decreases in net financial resources (expenditures) rather than expenses. Expenditures are generally recognized in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred, if measurable. Principal and interest on general long-term debt, which has not matured, are recognized when paid in the governmental funds. Allocations of costs, such as depreciation and amortization, are not recognized in the governmental funds.

### F. 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.

#### G. Investments

Investments held at June 30, 2004, with original maturities greater than one year are stated at fair value. Fair value is estimated based on quoted market prices at year-end. All investments not required to be reported at fair value are stated at cost or amortized cost.

#### H. Restricted Assets

Restricted assets arise when restrictions on their use change the normal understanding of the availability of the asset. Such constraints are either imposed by creditors, contributors, grantors, or laws of other governments or imposed by enabling legislation. Restricted assets in the Governmental Funds represent cash and cash equivalents required by debt covenants and grant covenants to be set aside by the District for the purpose of satisfying certain requirements of the agreement.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

# I. Prepaid Expenditures

Prepaid expenditures (expenses) represent amounts paid in advance of receiving goods or services. The District has the option of reporting an expenditure in governmental funds for prepaid items either when purchased or during the benefiting period. The District has chosen to report the expenditures when paid.

### J. Stores Inventory

Inventories consist of expendable food and supplies held for consumption. Inventories are stated at cost, on the first-in, first-out basis. The costs of inventory items are recorded as expenditures in the governmental type funds when used.

## K. Capital Assets and Depreciation

The accounting and reporting treatment applied to the capital assets associated with a fund are determined by its measurement focus. General capital assets are long-lived assets of the District as a whole. The District maintains a capitalization threshold of \$5,000. The District does not possess any infrastructure. Improvements are capitalized; the costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend an asset's life are not capitalized, but are expensed as incurred.

When purchased, such assets are recorded as expenditures in the governmental funds and capitalized. The valuation basis for general capital assets are historical cost, or where historical cost is not available, estimated historical cost based on replacement cost. Donated capital assets are capitalized at estimated fair market value on the date donated.

Depreciation of capital assets is computed and recorded by the straight-line method. Estimated useful lives of the various classes of depreciable capital assets are as follows: buildings, 20 to 50 years; improvements/infrastructure, 5 to 50 years; equipment, 2 to 15 years.

### **Interfund Balances**

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

# L. Compensated Absences

Accumulated unpaid vacation benefits are accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned. The entire compensated absence liability is reported on the government-wide financial statements. For governmental funds, the current portion of unpaid compensated absences is recognized upon the occurrence of relevant events such as employee resignations and retirements that occur prior to year end that have not yet been paid with expendable available financial resources. These amounts are reported in the fund from which the employees who have accumulated leave are paid. The non-current portion of the liability is reported as long-term debt. In proprietary funds, the entire amount of compensated absences is reported as a fund liability.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

Sick leave is accumulated without limit for each employee at the rate of one day for each month worked. Leave with pay is provided when employees are absent for health reasons; however, the employees do not gain a vested right to accumulated sick leave. Employees are never paid for any sick leave balance at termination of employment or any other time. Therefore, the value of accumulated sick leave is not recognized as a liability in the District's financial statements. However, credit for unused sick leave is applicable to all classified school members who retire after January 1, 1999. At retirement, each member will receive .004 year of service credit for each day of unused sick leave.

# M. Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Obligations

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

In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current financial resources are reported as obligations of the funds.

However, claims and judgments, compensated absences, special termination benefits, and contractually required pension contributions that will be paid from governmental funds are reported as a liability in the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are due for payment during the current year. Bonds, capital leases, and long-term loans are recognized as a liability on the government-wide financial statements as long-term debt.

# N. Fund Balance Reserves and Designations

The District reserves those portions of fund equity which are legally segregated for a specific future use or which do not represent available expendable resources and therefore are not available for appropriation or expenditure. Unreserved fund balance indicates that portion of fund equity which is available for appropriation in future periods. Fund equity reserves have been established for revolving cash accounts, stores inventories, prepaid expenditures (expenses), and legally restricted grants and entitlements.

Designations of fund balances consist of that portion of the fund balance that has been designated (set aside) by the governing board to provide for specific purposes or uses. Fund equity designations have been established for economic uncertainties and other purposes.

## O. Net Assets

Net assets represent the difference between assets and liabilities. Net assets invested in capital assets, net of related debt consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowings used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Net assets are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the District or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors, or laws or regulations of other governments. The District applies restricted resources when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

### P. Interfund Activity

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

## Q. Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America 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.

#### R. Budgetary Data

The budgetary process is prescribed by provisions of the California Education Code and requires the governing board to hold a public hearing and adopt an operating budget no later than July 1 of each year. The District governing board satisfied these requirements. The adopted budget is subject to amendment throughout the year to give consideration to unanticipated revenue and expenditures primarily resulting from events unknown at the time of budget adoption with the legal restriction that expenditures cannot exceed appropriations by major object account.

The amounts reported as the original budgeted amounts in the budgetary statements reflect the amounts when the original appropriations were adopted. The amounts reported as the final budgeted amounts in the budgetary statements reflect the amounts after all budget amendments have been accounted for.

#### S. Property Tax

Secured property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1. Taxes are payable in two installments on November 1 and February 1 and become delinquent on December 10 and April 10, respectively. Unsecured property taxes are payable in one installment on or before August 31. The County of Stanislaus bills and collects the taxes on behalf of the District. Local property tax revenues are recorded when received.

## T. New Accounting Pronouncement

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2004, the District has implemented Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 39, "Determining Whether Certain Organizations Are Component Units", an amendment of GASB Statement No. 14. This statement provides additional guidance to determine whether certain organizations for which the primary government is not financially accountable should be reported as component units based on the nature and significance of their relationship with the primary government.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

#### NOTE 2 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

### A. Policies and Practices

The District is considered to be an involuntary participant in an external investment pool since the District is required to deposit all receipts and collections of monies with their county treasurer (Education Code Section 41001). In addition, the District is authorized to maintain deposits with certain financial institutions that are federally insured up to \$100,000.

The District is also authorized to make direct investments in local agency bonds, notes, or warrants within the state; U.S. Treasury instruments; registered State warrants or treasury notes; securities of the U.S. Government, or its agencies; bankers acceptances; commercial paper; certificates of deposit placed with commercial banks and/or savings and loan companies; repurchase or reverse repurchase agreements; medium term corporate notes; shares of beneficial interest issued by diversified management companies, certificates of participation, obligations with first priority security; and collateralized mortgage obligations.

#### **B.** Deposits

At year-end, the carrying amounts of the District's deposits were \$10,884 for governmental activities, \$102,287 held in fiduciary funds. The bank balances totaled \$215,978. Of the bank balances, \$105,179 was covered by Federal deposit insurance and \$40,026 was covered by pooled and/or pledged collateral, but not necessarily held in the District's name (uncollateralized, risk Category 3).

#### C. Investments

The District's investments are categorized to give an indication of the level of risk assumed by the District at year-end. Category 1 includes investments that are insured or registered or for which the securities are held by the District or its agent in the District's name. Category 2 includes uninsured and unregistered investments for which the counterparty's trust department or agent in the District's name holds the securities. Category 3 includes uninsured and unregistered investments for which the securities are held by the financial institution's trust department or agent but not in the District's name. Deposits with the County Treasury and investments in the State Treasurer's Investment Pool are not categorized because they do not represent securities, which exist in physical or book entry form. The Local Agency Investment Fund (LAIF) is an external investment pool sponsored by the State of California authorized under Section 16429.1, 2, and 3 of the California Government Code. The fund is a voluntary program created by statute as an investment alternative for California local governments and special districts and is administered by California State Treasurer. The deposits with county treasury and the State pool's investments are valued using the amortized cost method (which approximates fair value). The fair values were provided by the County and State treasurers for their respective pools.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

The investments at June 30, 2004, are as follows:

	 	C	atego	ry	Reported	Fair
	 1		2	3	Amount	<u>Value</u>
Categorized	 					
First American Treasury Obligations	\$ -	\$	-	\$ 644,293	\$ 644,293	\$ 644,293
AIG 6.12% Guaranteeed Investment				1,040,446	1,040,446	1,040,446
Total categorized	\$ 	\$	-	\$1,684,739	1,684,739	1,684,739
Uncategorized Local Agency Investment Fund Federated Auto Gvt. Cash Rsv. Deposits with county treasurer Total uncategorized Total investments					655,487 1,361 4,504,663 5,161,511 \$ 6,846,250	655,487 1,361 4,493,942 5,150,790 \$ 6,835,529

## **NOTE 3 - RECEIVABLES**

Receivables at June 30, 2004, consisted of intergovernmental grants, entitlements, interest and other local sources. All receivables are considered collectible in full.

	General Fund	Child Development Fund	Non-Major Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Activities	
Federal Government		<del></del>			
Categorical aid	\$ 1,286,599	\$ 4,875	\$ 177,093	\$ 1,468,567	
State Government					
Apportionment	904,860	-	-	904,860	
Categorical aid	126,863	-	-	126,863	
Lottery	214,169	-	· _	214,169	
Other state	333,391	50,512	123,361	507,264	
Local Government	•				
Interest	-	-	2	2	
Other Local Sources	301,941	1,576	21,506	325,023	
Total	\$ 3,167,823	\$ 56,963	\$ 321,962	\$ 3,546,748	

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

## NOTE 4 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2004, was as follows:

	Balance		Balance
	July 1, 2003	Additions	June 30, 2004
Governmental Activities			
Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated			
Land	\$ 6,990,000	\$ -	\$ 6,990,000
Construction in process	841,369		841,369
Total Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated	7,831,369		7,831,369
Capital Assets Being Depreciated			
Buildings and improvements	43,552,554	3,111,418	46,663,972
Furniture and equipment	2,348,416	77,406_	2,425,822
Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated	45,900,970	3,188,824	49,089,794
Less Accumulated Depreciation			
Buildings and improvements	8,247,330	1,026,565	9,273,895
Furniture and equipment	1,034,198	128,094	1,162,292
Total Accumulated Depreciation	9,281,528	1,154,659	10,436,187
Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net	\$44,450,811	\$2,034,165	\$ 46,484,976

Depreciation expense was charged as follows:

## **Governmental Activities**

Unallocated

\$ 1,154,659

## **NOTE 5 - INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS**

# A. Interfund Receivables/Payables (Due To/Due From)

Interfund receivable and payable balances at June 30, 2004, are as follows:

	Interfund Receivables			
Funds				
General	\$ 338,449	\$	220,000	
Child Development	-		16,474	
Cafeteria	-		195,990	
Deferred Maintenance	220,000		125,985	
Total	\$ 558,449	\$	558,449	

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

## B. Operating Transfers

The Special Reserve - Capital Outlay Fund transferred to the COPS-Debt Service Fund for the required debt payment.

\$454,277

## NOTE 6 - ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Accounts payable at June 30, 2004, consisted of the following:

		1	Child	Special Reserve		No	n-Major	Total	
	General	Development Fund		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		Governmental Funds		Governmental Activities	
	Fund								
Vendor payables	\$ 340,133	\$	8,743	\$	135	\$	30,627	\$	379,638
Salaries and benefits	544,211		14,638		-		14,554		573,403
Total	\$ 884,344	\$	23,381	\$	135	\$	45,181	\$	953,041

## NOTE 7 - DEFERRED REVENUE

Deferred revenue at June 30, 2004, consists of the following:

				Child		Total
	General		Development		Governmental	
	Fund		Fund		Activities	
Federal financial assistance	\$	147,300	\$	163,825	\$	311,125
State categorical aid		318,611		44,576		363,187
Total	\$	465,911	\$	208,401	\$	674,312

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

#### NOTE 8 - LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

### A. Long-Term Debt Summary

The changes in the District's long-term obligations during the year consisted of the following:

	Balance		Balance	Due in	
	July 1, 2003	Deductions	June 30, 2004	One Year	
General obligation bonds-1988B	\$ 1,305,000	\$ 45,000	\$ 1,260,000	\$ 45,000	
General obligation bonds-1996 Refunding	785,000	95,000	690,000	100,000	
Certificates of Participation-2001	2,870,000	65,000	2,805,000	75,000	
Certificates of Participation-2003A	2,620,000	-	2,620,000	35,000	
Certificates of Participation-2003B	1,880,000	_	1,880,000	-	
Qualified Zone Academy Bond	2,000,000	-	2,000,000	_	
Accumulated vacation - net	26,629	12,151	14,478	14,478	
Total	\$11,486,629	\$ 217,151	\$11,269,478	\$ 269,478	

Payments on the Certificates of Participation are paid by the General Fund, the Debt Service Fund, and the Capital Facilities Fund. Payments on the general obligation bonds are made by the bond interest and redemption fund with local revenues. The accrued vacation will be paid by the fund for which the employee worked.

## B. Bonded Debt

The outstanding general obligation bonded debt is as follows:

				Bonds		Bonds
Issue	Maturity	Interest	Original	Outstanding		Outstanding
Date	Date	Rate	Issue	July 1, 2003_	Redeemed	June 30, 2004
1988	2020	5.00-5.50%	\$ 1,500,000	\$ 1,305,000	\$ 45,000	\$ 1,260,000
1996	2009	5.00-5.25%	1,315,000	785,000	95,000	690,000
Total				\$ 2,090,000	\$ 140,000	\$ 1,950,000

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

### **Debt Service Requirements to Maturity**

General Obligation 1988 Series B Bonds:

The bonds mature through 2021 as follows:

			11	iterest to			
Fiscal Year	Pr	Principal			Total		
2005	\$	45,000	\$	66,785	\$	111,785	
2006		50,000		64,410		114,410	
2007		50,000		61,910		111,910	
2008		55,000		59,258		114,258	
2009		60,000		56,295		116,295	
2010-2014		335,000		230,831		565,831	
2015-2019		450,000		123,790		573,790	
2020-2021		215,000		11,963		226,963	
Total	\$ 1	,260,000	\$	675,242	\$	1,935,242	

General Obligation 1996 Refunding Bonds:

The bonds mature through 2010 as follows:

	Interest to									
Fiscal Year	Principal Maturity Total									
2005	\$	100,000	\$	33,725	\$	133,725				
2006		105,000		28,600		133,600				
2007		110,000		22,950		132,950				
2008		120,000		16,625		136,625				
2009		125,000		10,075		135,075				
2010		130,000		3,413		133,413				
Total	\$	590,000	\$	115,388	\$	805,388				

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

Total District General Obligation Bonds Outstanding:

	Interest to									
Fiscal Year	P	Principal			Total					
2005	\$	145,000	\$	100,510	-\$	245,510				
2006		155,000		93,010		248,010				
2007		160,000		247,456		407,456				
2008		175,000		75,883		250,883				
2009		185,000		66,370		251,370				
2010-2014		465,000		234,244		699,244				
2015-2019		450,000		123,790		573,790				
2020-2021		215,000		11,963		226,963				
Total	\$	1,950,000	\$	953,226	\$	2,903,226				

### C. Certificates of Participation - California School Board Association Financing Corporation

On May 2, 2001 the District issued \$3,000,000 in Certificates of Participation under the California School Board Association Financing Corporation. The Certificates were issued to finance the acquisition of three new school sites. Interest is payable on the Certificates on each May 1 and November 1, commencing November 1, 2001. Principal payments on the Certificates will be due and payable each May 1, commencing on May 1, 2002. The debt payments related to this issuance are as follows:

On March 1, 2003 The District issued \$2,620,000 in 2003A Tax Exempt and \$1,880,000 in 2003B Taxable Certificates of Participation to finance the site acquisition, construction of and interior improvements for a district-wide administration building. Both series mature through 2023. The Series 2003A Tax Exempt certificates have interest rates ranging from 4.1 to 4.85 percent. Interest and principal payments are due each January 1 and July 1 commencing on July 1, 2004.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

Certificates of Participation - 2001 Issue

The certificates mature through 2029 as follows:

Year Ending		i.			
June 30,	Principal	Interest	Total		
2005	\$ 75,000	\$ 140,666	\$ 215,666		
2006	80,000	137,816	217,816		
2007	80,000	134,656	214,656		
2008	85,000	131,376	216,376		
2009	90,000	127,764	217,764		
2010-2014	515,000	574,532	1,089,532		
2015-2019	645,000	438,675	1,083,675		
2020-2024	835,000	246,713	1,081,713		
2025-2029	400,000	32,519	432,519		
Total	\$ 2,805,000	\$ 1,964,717	\$ 4,769,717		

Certificates of Participation - 2003A Issue

The certificates mature through 2023 as follows:

Year Ending			*
June 30,	Principal	Interest	 Total
2005	\$ 35,000	\$ 173,813	\$ 208,813
2006	110,000	102,385	212,385
2007	110,000	100,185	210,185
2008	110,000	97,710	207,710
2009	115,000	94,740	209,740
2010-2014	630,000	414,126	1,044,126
2015-2019	765,000	279,850	1,044,850
2020-2023	745,000	91,130	836,130
Total	\$ 2,620,000	\$ 1,353,939	\$ 3,973,939

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

Certificates of Participation - 2003B Issue

The certificates mature through 2023 as follows:

Year Ending June 30,	Principal		Interest	Total
2005	\$	- \$	176,831	\$ 176,831
2006	65,00		104,875	169,875
2007	70,00	00	102,438	172,438
2008	70,00	00	99,813	169,813
2009	75,00	00	97,188	172,188
2010-2014	435,0	00	424,833	859,833
2015-2019	570,00	00	287,980	857,980
2020-2023	595,00	00	92,565	687,565
Total	\$ 1,880,00	00 \$	1,386,523	\$ 3,266,523

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

#### D. Qualified Zone Academy Bond Program

On May 9, 2001, the District issued \$2,000,000 in Qualified Zone Academy Bonds. The Bonds were issued to finance the installation of technology infrastructure and related service upgrades and to facilitate the modernization and equipping of the K-8 Magnet School Academy located at Salida Elementary School. Interest is not payable with the bonds. In lieu of receiving periodic interest payments, eligible holders of the Bonds are allowed an annual federal income tax credit equal to the credit rate times the face amount of the Bond. The tax credit rate for the Bonds is 7.08 percent. The District has deposited \$870,596 in a trustee account that has been invested in an AIG Guaranteed Investment Contract paying 6.1209 percent. The account balance as of June 30, 2004 is \$1,040,446. The interest earnings on the deposit have been projected to be sufficient to cover the entire maturing principal balance at May 23, 2015. Should the District determine at any time that the full principal amount would not be covered, the District will be liable to make payments to cover the deficiency. The published projected account balance by fiscal year held for the principal payment on May 23, 2015, is as follows:

#### Qualified Zone Academy Bond Program

		Projected
Year Ending	Interest	Account
June 30,	Earnings	 Balance
2004	\$ 60,011	\$ 1,040,445
2005	63,685	1,104,130
2006	67,583	1,171,713
2007	71,719	1,243,432
2008	76,109	1,319,541
2009	80,767	1,400,308
2010	85,712	1,486,020
2011	90,958	1,576,978
2012	96,525	1,673,503
2013	102,434	1,775,937
2014	108,704	1,884,641
2015 1	115,359	\$ 2,000,000
	\$ 1,019,566	

The debt payment is due on May 23, 2015, by which time the account balance is projected to be \$2,000,000.

#### E. Accumulated Unpaid Employee Vacation

The long-term portion of accumulated unpaid employee vacation for the District at June 30, 2004, amounted to \$14,478.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

#### NOTE 9 - FUND BALANCES

Fund balances with reservations/designations are composed of the following elements:

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			Child	_	ecial Reserve		pital	Debt			
	General	Dev	velopment	Ca	pital Outlay		jects	Service		Major	<b></b>
	Fund		Fund		Fund	F	und	Fund	1	Funds	 Total
Reserved											
Revolving cash	\$ 10,000	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$ 10,000
Stores inventory	-		-		-		-	-		29,285	29,285
Restricted programs	435,709		-		-		-			-	435,709
Total Reserved	445,709		-		-					29,285	 474,994
Unreserved											
Designated											
Economic uncertainties	607,240		• =		-		-	-		114,560	721,800
Other designation	670,484		-		-		-			845,473	 1,515,957
Total Designated	1,277,724		-					-		960,033	2,237,757
Undesignated	-		89,740		2,218,135	80	2,318	1,040,446	1,	719,546	5,870,185
Total Unreserved	1,277,724		89,740		2,218,135	80	2,318	1,040,446	2,	679,579	 8,107,942
Total	\$1,723,433	\$	89,740	\$	2,218,135	\$80	2,318	\$1,040,446	\$2,	708,864	\$ 8,582,936

#### NOTE 10 - POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

The District provides postemployment health care benefits as an early retirement incentive program, in accordance with District employment contracts, to all employees who retire from the District with at least 30 years of service as established by PERS or STRS. Currently, three employees meet those eligibility requirements. The District contributes a percent of the amount of premiums incurred by retirees depending on the employee's age at retirement. The percentage of benefits cost paid by the District in relation to the employees age at retirement is as follows: 56 - 100 percent, 57 - 75 percent, 58 - 50 percent, 59 - 25 percent. Expenditures for postemployment benefits are recognized as premiums are paid. During the year, expenditures of \$7,394 were recognized for retirees' health care benefits.

The approximate accumulated future liability for the District at June 30, 2004, amounts to \$31,362. This amount was calculated based upon the number of retirees receiving benefits multiplied by the yearly district payment per employee in effect at June 30, 2004, multiplied by the number of years of payments remaining until the respective retirees reach age 65.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

#### NOTE 11 - RISK MANAGEMENT

#### A. Property and Liability

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. During fiscal year ending, the District contracted with Central Region Schools' Insurance Group (CRSIG) for property and liability insurance coverage. Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the past three years. There has not been a significant reduction in coverage from the prior year.

#### B. Workers' Compensation

For fiscal year 2004, the District participated in the Central Region Schools' Insurance Group (CRSIG), an insurance purchasing pool. The intent of the CRSIG is to achieve the benefit of a reduced premium for the District by virtue of its grouping and representation with other participants in the CRSIG. The workers' compensation experience of the participating districts is calculated as one experience and a common premium rate is applied to all districts in the CRSIG. Each participant pays its workers' compensation premium based on its individual rate. A participant will then either receive money from or be required to contribute to the "equity-pooling fund." Participation in the CRSIG is limited to districts that can meet the CRSIG selection criteria.

#### C. Employee Medical Benefits

The District has contracted with the CRSIG to provide employee medical and surgical benefits. Rates are set through an annual calculation process. The District pays a monthly contribution, which is placed in a common fund from which claim payments are made for all participating Districts. Claims are paid for all participants regardless of claims flow. The Board of Directors has a right to return monies to a district subsequent to the settlement of all expenses and claims if a district withdraws from the pool.

#### NOTE 12 - EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS

Qualified employees are covered under multiple-employer contributory retirement plans maintained by agencies of the State of California. Certificated employees are members of the State Teachers' Retirement System (STRS) and classified employees are members of the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS).

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

#### A. STRS

#### **Plan Description**

The District contributes to the California State Teachers' Retirement System (STRS); a cost-sharing multiple-employer public employee retirement system defined benefit pension plan administered by STRS. The plan provides retirement and disability benefits and survivor benefits to beneficiaries. Benefit provisions are established by State statutes, as legislatively amended, within the State Teachers' Retirement Law. STRS issues a separate comprehensive annual financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. Copies of the STRS annual financial report may be obtained from STRS, 7667 Folsom Blvd., Sacramento, CA 95826.

#### **Funding Policy**

Active plan members are required to contribute 8.0 percent of their salary and the District is required to contribute an actuarially determined rate. The actuarial methods and assumptions used for determining the rate are those adopted by STRS Teachers' Retirement Board. The required employer contribution rate for fiscal year 2003-2004 was 8.25 percent of annual payroll. The contribution requirements of the plan members are established by State statute. The District's contributions to STRS for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2004, 2003, and 2002, were \$987,751, \$972,708, and \$813,449, respectively, and equal 100 percent of the required contributions for each year.

#### B. PERS

#### **Plan Description**

The District contributes to the School Employer Pool under the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS); a cost-sharing multiple-employer public employee retirement system defined benefit pension plan administered by CalPERS. The plan provides retirement and disability benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Benefit provisions are established by State statutes, as legislatively amended, within the Public Employees' Retirement Laws. CalPERS issues a separate comprehensive annual financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. Copies of the CalPERS' annual financial report may be obtained from the CalPERS Executive Office, 400 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814.

#### **Funding Policy**

Active plan members are required to contribute 7.0 percent of their salary and the District is required to contribute an actuarially determined rate. The actuarial methods and assumptions used for determining the rate are those adopted by the CalPERS Board of Administration. The required employer contribution rate for fiscal year 2003-2004 was 10.42 percent of annual payroll. The contribution requirements of the plan members are established by State statute. The District's contributions to CalPERS for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2004, 2003, and 2002, were \$438,230, \$122,662, and \$0, respectively, and equal 100 percent of the required contributions for each year.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

#### C. Social Security

As established by Federal law, all public sector employees who are not members of their employer's existing retirement system (STRS or PERS) must be covered by Social Security or an alternative plan. The District has elected to Social Security. Contributions made by the District and an employee vest immediately. The District contributes 6.2 percent of an employee's gross earnings. An employee is required to contribute 6.2 percent of his or her gross earnings to Social Security.

#### D. On Behalf Payments

The State of California makes contributions to STRS and PERS on behalf of the District. These payments consist of State General Fund contributions to STRS in the amount of \$272,978 (2.28 percent of salaries subject to STRS). No contributions were made for PERS for the year ended June 30, 2004. Under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, these amounts are to be reported as revenues and expenditures, however, guidance received from the California Department of Education advises local educational agencies not to record these amounts in the Annual Financial and Budget Report. These amounts also have not been recorded in these financial statements.

#### NOTE 13 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

#### A. Grants

The District received financial assistance from Federal and State agencies in the form of grants. The disbursement of funds received under these programs generally requires compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements and are subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of the general fund or other applicable funds. However, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims will not have a material adverse effect on the overall financial position of the District at June 30, 2004.

#### B. Litigation

The District is not currently a party to any legal proceedings.

#### C. Operating Leases

The District has entered into various operating leases for buildings and equipment with lease terms in excess of one year. None of these agreements contain purchase options. All agreements contain a termination clause providing for cancellation after a specified number of days written notice to lessors, but it is unlikely that the District will cancel any of the agreements prior to the expiration date.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

#### D. Construction Commitments

As of June 30, 2004, the District had the following commitments with respect to the unfinished capital projects:

CAPITAL PROJECT
Administration Building

Remaining
Construction
Commitment
\$ 350,000

Expected
Date of
Completion
December 2005

#### NOTE 14 - PARTICIPATION IN PUBLIC ENTITY RISK POOLS AND JOINT POWERS AUTHORITIES

The District is a member of the Central Region Schools' Insurance Group (CRSIG), and the Schools Excess Liability Fund (SELF) joint powers authorities JPA's. The District pays an annual premium to each entity for its health, workers' compensation, and property liability coverage. The relationships between the District, the pools and the JPA's are such that they are not component units of the District for financial reporting purposes.

These entities have budgeting and financial reporting requirements independent of member units and their financial statements are not presented in these financial statements; however, fund transactions between the entities and the District are included in these statements. Audited financial statements are available from the respective entities.

Schools Excess Central Region A. Entity Liability Fund (SELF) Schools' Insurance Group (CRSIG) Arranges for excess Arranges for and B. Purpose liability insurance. provides workers' compensation, health, and property and liability insurance for its members. Other school districts. Other school districts. C. Participants One representative D. Governing Board One representative from each member from each member district. district.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2004

Е.	Condensed	Audited	Financial	Information	Follows

		т	(CRSIG) une 30, 2003*	Ĭı	(SELF) ine 30, 2003*
Assets		\$	22,855,742	\$	139,052,615
Liabilities			6,923,583		107,855,085
	Fund Equity	\$	15,932,159		31,197,530
Revenues			16,187,157		40,290,486
Expenses			14,051,360		56,733,282
	Net Increase/(Decrease) in Fund Equity	\$	2,135,797	\$	(16,442,796)

<sup>\*</sup>Most recent information available.

None of the JPA's had long-term debts outstanding at June 30, 2003. The District's share of year-end assets, liabilities, or fund equity has not been calculated.

#### NOTE 15 - EXPENDITURES (BUDGET VERSUS ACTUAL)

At June 30, 2004, the following District funds exceeded the budgeted amount as follows:

	Expenditures						
	Budget	Actual	]	Excess			
General Fund							
Employee benefits	\$ 3,649,186	\$ 3,666,169	\$	16,983			
Other outgo	\$ 308,729	\$ 331,809	\$	23,080			
Capital outlay	\$ 124,063	\$ 132,555	\$	8,492			
Cafeteria Fund	<del></del>						
Employee benefits	\$ 107,044	\$ 108,722	\$	1,678			
Child Development Fund							
Classified salaries	\$ 130,529	\$ 147,538		17,009			

#### NOTE 16 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The District issued \$4,000,000 of Tax and Revenue Anticipation Notes dated July 6, 2004. The notes mature on July 5, 2005, and yield 1.6 percent interest. The notes were sold to supplement cash flow. Repayment requirements are the balance of principal and interest be deposited with the Fiscal Agent by July 5, 2005, for a total of \$4,120,000.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

# GENERAL FUND BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

				Variances -
				Favorable
	Budgeted	Amounts		(Unfavorable)
	(GAAI	P Basis)	Actual	Final
	Original	Final	(GAAP Basis)	to Actual
REVENUES				
Revenue limit sources	\$14,984,823	\$15,268,401	\$ 15,385,303	\$ 116,902
Federal sources	2,977,580	3,562,351	3,173,161	(389,190)
Other state sources	2,950,611	3,209,295	2,995,131	(214,164)
Other local sources	1,701,550	1,677,292	1,712,672	35,380
Total Revenues	22,614,564	23,717,339	23,266,267	(451,072)
EXPENDITURES				
Current				
Certificated Salaries	11,692,048	12,245,652	12,186,010	59,642
Classified salaries	3,892,068	3,888,365	3,767,062	121,303
Employee benefits	3,799,759	3,649,186	3,666,169	(16,983)
Books and supplies	657,228	1,496,747	1,236,344	260,403
Services and operating expenditures	3,204,044	3,521,713	2,613,527	908,186
Other outgo	372,092	308,729	331,809	(23,080)
Capital outlay	14,359	124,063	132,555	(8,492)
Total Expenditures	23,631,598	25,234,455	23,933,476	1,300,979
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues				
Over Expenditures	(1,017,034)	(1,517,116)	(667,209)	849,907
Other Financing Sources (Uses):				
Transfers out	(115,000)	(9,376)		9,376
Net Financing Sources (Uses)	(115,000)	(9,376)	, =	9,376
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(1,132,034)	(1,526,492)	(667,209)	859,283
Fund Balance - Beginning	2,390,642	2,390,642	2,390,642	
Fund Balance - Ending	\$ 1,258,608	\$ 864,150	\$ 1,723,433	\$ 859,283

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** 

# SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/Program or Cluster Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Federal Expenditures
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION			
Passed through California Department of Education (CDE):			
No Child Left Behind			
Title I - Basic [1]	84.010	03797	\$ 302,176
Title I - Even Start [1]	84.213C	13700	204,414
Title II - Teacher Quality	<b>8</b> 4.376	14341	113,741
Title II - Education Technology	84.318	14334	66
Title III - LEP	84.365	10084	58,701
Title IV - Drug Free Schools	84.184	03453	21,820
Title V - Part A, Innovative Ed Strategy	84.298A	03340	2,825
21st Century After School Learning Center	84.002	03303	122,307
Special Education - State Grants			
Local Assistance [1]	84.027	03379	388,208
Passed through the Office of Public School Construction:			
Federal School Renovation	84.325A	10013	11,886
Total U.S. Department of Education			1,226,144
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE			
Passed through CDE:			
National School Lunch [1]	10.555	13755	564,645
School Breakfast Program [1]	10.553	13526	112,851
Team Nutrition Training	10.574	01206	11,712
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			689,208
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES			
Passed through CDE:			
After School Dependent Care	93.575	03868	91,200
Medi-Cal	93.778	10013	63,408
Head Start - Basic [1]	93.600	10016	1,645,499
Head Start - Early Intervention [1]	93.600	10016	226,398
Total U.S. Department of Health and Human Service	ces		2,026,505
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			\$3,941,857
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<sup>[1]</sup> Major program under OMB Circular A-133 guidelines.

# SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

	Second	
	Period	Annual
	Report	Report
ELEMENTARY		
Kindergarten	348	349
First through third	1,128	1,127
Fourth through sixth	1,072	1,073
Seventh and eighth	679	680
Opportunity schools	14	14
Home and hospital	2	2
Special education	82	81
Total Elementary	3,324	3,326
		Hours of
		Attendance
SUPPLEMENTAL HOURS		
Core Instruction		20,838
Remedial Instruction		10,006
Pupils Retained/Recommended for Retention	•	13,834
Pupils at Risk of Retention		6,642
Low STAR Score		11,538
Total Hours		62,858

# SCHEDULE OF INSTRUCTIONAL TIME FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

	1982-83	1986-87	2003-04	Number	of Days	
	Actual	Minutes	Actual	Traditional	Multitrack	
Grade Level	Minutes	Requirement	Minutes	Calendar	Calendar	Status
Kindergarten	33,325	36,000	36,750	180	175	Complied
Grades 1 - 3	50,580	50,400	51,845	180	175	Complied
Grades 4 - 8	56,790	54,000	58,335	180	175	Complied

# RECONCILIATION OF ANNUAL FINANCIAL AND BUDGET REPORT WITH AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

Summarized below are the reconciliations between the Unaudited Actual Financial Report and the audited financial statements.

	_	AB Capital Projects	OP Capital Projects	Q	ZAB Debt Service		COP Debt Service
FUND BALANCE	_			•		ф	
Balance, June 30, 2004,	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-
Unaudited Actuals		20,819	802,318		1,040,446		478,004
Cash in county treasury Balance, June 30, 2004,		20,019	 602,310		1,040,440		170,001
Audited Financial Statement	\$	20,819	\$ 802,318	\$	1,040,446	\$	478,004
·							neral Long-
						Τ	erm Debt
						Acc	count Group
GENERAL LONG-TERM LIABILIT	ΓIES						
Total Liabilities, June 30, 2004, 1	Jnaud	ited Actuals				\$	11,495,840
Adjustments							
Increase in:							
Qualified Zone Academ	y bon	ds					120,000
Decrease in:							
General obligation bond	ls paya	able	•				(130,000)
Certificates of participa	tion						(185,000)
Total Liabilities, June 30, 2004, J	Jnaud	ited Actuals					•
Audited Financial Statement						\$	11,300,840

# SCHEDULE OF FINANCIAL TRENDS AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

	(Budget)			
	2005 1	2004	2003	2002
GENERAL FUND				
Revenues	\$ 22,885,991	\$ 23,266,267	\$ 23,600,254	\$ 21,657,048
Other sources and transfers in			1,003,122	878,801
Total Revenues				
and Other Sources	22,885,991	23,266,267	24,603,376	22,535,849
Expenditures	22,436,037	23,933,476	25,590,231	22,098,985
Other uses and transfers out	123,853		192,883	606,870
Total Expenditures	•			
and Other Uses	22,559,890	23,933,476	25,783,114	22,705,855
INCREASE/(DECREASE)				
IN FUND BALANCE	\$ 326,101	\$ (667,209)	\$ (1,179,738)	\$ (170,006)
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$ 2,049,534	\$ 1,723,433	\$ 2,390,642	\$ 3,570,380
AVAILABLE RESERVES <sup>2</sup>	\$ 1,626,797	\$ 721,800	\$ 1,201,259	\$ 1,309,157
AVAILABLE RESERVES AS A				
PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL OUTGO	7.2%	3.0%	4.7%	5.8%
LONG-TERM DEBT	Not Available	\$11,269,478	\$11,486,629	\$ 7,240,135
AVERAGE DAILY				
ATTENDANCE AT P-2	3,327	3,324	3,271	3,131

The General Fund balance has decreased by \$1,767,311 over the past two years. The fiscal year 2004-05 budget projects an increase of \$326,101 (18.9 percent). For a district this size, the State recommends available reserves of at least 3.0 percent of total General Fund expenditures, transfers out, and other uses (total outgo). The Districts available reserves have dropped from near 6% two years ago to the minimum amount recommended by Department of Education. The District must closely monitor its operating budget and enrollment trends to ensure the reserves are maintained at a fiscally responsible level.

The District has incurred operating deficits in the past three years but anticipates incurring an operating surplus during the 2004-05 fiscal year. Total long-term debt has increased by \$4,029,343 over the past two years predominately due to the issuance of Certificates of Participation in 2003 for the construction of the administrative building.

Average daily attendance has increased by 193 ADA over the past two years. An increase of three ADA is anticipated during fiscal year 2004-05.

See accompanying note to supplementary information.

<sup>1</sup> Budget 2005 is included for analytical purposes only and has not been subjected to audit.

<sup>2</sup> Available reserves consist of all undesignated fund balances and all funds designated for economic uncertainty contained within the General Fund and Special Reserve Fund (other than capital outlay).

# GENERAL FUND SELECTED FINANCIAL INFORMATION THREE-YEAR SUMMARY OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES OF FUND BALANCE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

(Amounts in thousands)	Actual Results for the Years					
,	2003-2004		2002	-2003	2001-2002	
		Percent		Percent		Percent
		of		of		of
	Amount	Revenue	Amount	Revenue	Amount	Revenue
REVENUES						
Federal revenue	\$3,173	13.6	\$3,291	13.9	\$2,231	10.3
State and local revenue						
included in revenue limit	15,385	66.1	15,359	65.1	14,404	66.5
Other state revenue	2,995	12.9	3,187	13.5	3,175	14.7
Other local revenue	1,713	7.4	1,763	7.5	367	1.7
Tuition and transfers					1,480	6.8
Total Revenues	23,266	100.0	23,600	100.0	21,657	93.2
EXPENDITURES						
Salaries and Benefits						
Certificated salaries	12,186	52.4	12,230	51.8	10,525	48.6
Classified salaries	3,767	16.2	3,889	16.5	3,353	15.5
Employee benefits	3,666	15.8	3,522	14.9	2,577	11.9
Total Salaries						
and Benefits	19,619	84.3	19,641	83.2	16,455	76.0
Books and supplies	1,236	5.3	1,829	7.8	1,147	5.3
Contracts and operating expenses	2,614	11.2	3,044	12.9	2,783	12.9
Capital outlay	132	0.6	684	2.9	1,160	5.4
Other outgoing	332	1.4	392	1.7_	554	2.6
Total Expenditures	23,933	102.9	25,590	108.4	22,099	102.0
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER/						
(UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(667)	(2.9)	(1,990)	(8.4)	(442)	(8.9)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES/(USES)						
Transfers in	-	-	-	-	879	4.1
Transfers out	-	-	(193)	(0.8)	(607)	(2.8)
Other Sources	-	-	1,003	4.3		
Total Other Financing						
Sources (Uses)	_	-	810	3.4	272	1.3_
INCREASE/(DECREASE)						
IN FUND BALANCE	(667)	(2.9)	(1,180)	(5.0)	(170)	(7.6)
FUND BALANCE, BEGINNING	2,390		3,570		3,740	
FUND BALANCE, ENDING	\$1,723		\$2,390		\$3,570	:
BASE REVENUE LIMIT PER ADA						
Regular K-12	\$4,575		\$4,490		\$4,401	
			+ 1,15		<del></del>	

See accompanying note to supplementary information.

# CAFETERIA ACCOUNT SELECTED FINANCIAL INFORMATION THREE-YEAR SUMMARY OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

(Amounts in thousands)	Actual Results for the Years								
,	2003-2004			2002-2003			2001-2002		
	Percent			Percent					Percent
			of			of			of
	Ar	nount	Revenue	Ar	nount	Revenue	Ar	nount	Revenue
REVENUES									
Federal - NSLP	\$	677	<b>55.8</b>	\$	590	52.8	\$	527	51.4
State meal program		44	3.6		55	4.9		50	4.9
Food sales		493	40.6		473	42.3		449	43.8
Total Revenues		1,214	100.0		1,118	100.0		1,026	100.0
EXPENDITURES									<del></del>
Salaries and employee benefits		534	44.0		538	48.1		455	44.3
Food		-	-		520	46.5		475	46.3
Supplies		655	54.0		81	7.2		50	4.9
Capital outlay		-	-		-	-		11	1.1
Other and transfers out		15	1.2		78	7.0		35	3.4
Total Expenditures		1,204	99.2		1,217	108.9	:	1,026	100.0
INCREASE/(DECREASE)							-		
IN FUND BALANCE		10	0.8		(99)	(8.9)		_	
FUND BALANCE, BEGINNING		19			118			118	
FUND BALANCE, ENDING	\$	29		\$	19		\$	118	
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#### TYPE 'A' LUNCH/BREAKFAST PARTICIPATION

	2003-2004		2002-	2003	2001-2002	
	Amount	Percent	Amount	Percent	Amount	Percent
TYPE 'A' LUNCHES						
Paid	147,686	37.1	145,458	38.9	128,729	38.3
Reduced price	58,501	14.7	58,509	15.6	49,295	14.6
Free	192,213	48.2	170,428	45.5	158,492	47.1
Total Lunches	398,400	100.0	374,395	100.0	336,516	100.0
BREAKFAST						
Paid	11,954	12.5	13,702	15.4	12,657	15.3
Reduced price	15,063	15.8	12,960	14.6	11,151	13.4
Free	68,394	71.7	62,179	70.0	59,144	71.3
Total Breakfast	95,411	100.0	88,841	100.0	82,952	100.0

See accompanying note to supplementary information.

# K-3 CLASS SIZE REDUCTION REPORTING ERROR FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

During our review of the District's Form J7CSR and supporting documentation, we found the District's tally of class sizes to be incorrect. This clerical error amounted to a net reduction in eligible classes of one from 81 to 80 and a net reduction in eligible students of two from 1,550 to 1,552.

Additionally, we found that students at the elementary sites that are placed on short-term independent study are not disenrolled from the regular attendance program and enrolled in the Independent Study program, therefore, these students are counted as being enrolled in the teachers class during the independent study duration which is not allowed per State compliance guidelines. This condition further reduced the number of eligible students by four to 1,544. The District's total funding will be reduced by \$5,436 from \$1,404,300 to \$1,398,864.

# NOTE TO SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION JUNE 30, 2004

#### NOTE 1 - PURPOSE OF SCHEDULES

#### A. Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of Federal awards includes the Federal grant activity of the District and is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of the United States Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the financial statements.

#### B. Schedule of Average Daily Attendance (ADA)

Average daily attendance (ADA) is a measurement of the number of pupils attending classes of the District. The purpose of attendance accounting from a fiscal standpoint is to provide the basis on which apportionment's of State funds are made to school districts. This schedule provides information regarding the attendance of students at various grade levels and in different programs.

#### C. Schedule of Instructional Time

The District has received incentive funding for increasing instructional time as provided by the Incentives for Longer Instructional Day. This schedule presents information on the amount of instructional time offered by the District and whether the District complied with the provisions of Education Code Sections 46200 through 46206.

Districts must maintain their instructional minutes at either the 1982-83 actual minutes or the 1986-87 requirement, whichever is greater, as required by Education Code Section 46201.

#### D. Reconciliation of Annual Financial and Budget Report with Audited Financial Statements

This schedule provides the information necessary to reconcile the fund balance of all funds reported on the Unaudited Actual Financial Report to the audited financial statements.

### E. Schedule of Financial Trends and Analysis

This schedule discloses the District's financial trends by displaying past years' data along with current year budget information. These financial trend disclosures are used to evaluate the District's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

#### F. General Fund Selected Financial Information

This schedule provides a comparison of revenues and expenditures as a percentage of total revenue for the General Fund for the past three years.

# NOTE TO SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION JUNE 30, 2004

#### G. Cafeteria Account Selected Financial Information

This schedule provides a comparison of revenues and expenditures as a percentage of total revenue for the Cafeteria Account for the past three years.

#### H. K-3 Class Size Reduction Reporting Error

This schedule provides information required by the State Controller's Audit Guide when an error is made in reporting enrollment information on the J-7CSR form.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORTS



# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' 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

Board of Trustees Salida Union Elementary School District Salida, California

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the District, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2004, and have issued our report thereon dated October 27, 2004. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

#### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Salida Union Elementary School District's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting. However, we noted certain matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be reportable conditions. Reportable conditions involve matters coming to our attention relating to significant deficiencies in the design or operation of the internal control over financial reporting that, in our judgment, could adversely affect Salida Union Elementary School District's ability to record, process, summarize, and report financial data consistent with the assertions of management in the financial statements. Reportable conditions are described in the accompanying Schedule of Financial Statement Findings as items 2004-1 through 2004-3.

A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be reportable conditions and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all reportable conditions that are also considered to be material weaknesses. However, we believe none of the reportable conditions described above is a material weakness. We also noted other matters involving the internal control over financial reporting that we have reported to the management of Salida Union Elementary School District in a separate letter dated October 27, 2004.

#### Compliance and Other Matters

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

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Trustees, management, the California Department of Education, the State Controller's Office, and Federal awarding agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Vourinok, Orine, Day of Co., LIP Fresno, California

October 27, 2004



# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

Board of Trustees Salida Union Elementary School District Salida, California

#### Compliance

We have audited the compliance of Salida Union Elementary School District with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement that are applicable to each of its major Federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2004. Salida Union Elementary School District's major Federal programs are identified in the summary of auditors' results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to each of its major Federal programs is the responsibility of Salida Union Elementary School District's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on Salida Union Elementary School District's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major Federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about Salida Union Elementary School District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of Salida Union Elementary School District's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, Salida Union Elementary School District complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to each of its major Federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2004.

#### Internal Control Over Compliance

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

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

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Trustees, management, the California Department of Education, the State Controller's Office, and Federal awarding agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Fresno, California October 27, 2004

Vaurienak, Orine, Day & Co., LLP



### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON STATE COMPLIANCE

Board of Trustees Salida Union Elementary School District Salida, California

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the District, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2004, and have issued our report thereon dated October 27, 2004. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial and compliance audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and the State Controller's *Standards and Procedures for Audits of California K-12 Local Educational Agencies*. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

The management of Salida Union Elementary School District is responsible for the District's compliance with laws and regulations. In connection with the audit referred to above, we selected and tested transactions and records to determine the Salida Union Elementary School District's compliance with the State laws and regulations applicable to the following items:

	Procedures in	
	Controller's	Procedures
	Audit Guide	Performed
Attendance accounting		
Attendance reporting	6	Yes
Kindergarten continuance	3	Yes
Independent study	22	No (see below)
Continuation education	10	Not Applicable
Adult education	9	Not Applicable
Regional occupational centers and programs	6	Not Applicable
Instructional time and staff development reform program	7	Yes
Instructional Time:		
School districts	4	Yes
County Offices of Education	3	Not Applicable
Community day schools	9	Not Applicable

	Procedures in	
	Controller's	Procedures
	Audit Guide	Performed
Class size reduction program:		
General requirements	7	Yes
Option one classes	3	Yes
Option two classes	. 4	Not Applicable
District or charter schools with only one school servicing K-3	4	Not Applicable
Instructional Materials:		
General requirements	9	Yes
K-8 only	1	Yes
9-12 only	1	Not Applicable
Ratios of Administrative Employees to Teachers	1	Yes
Early retirement incentive	4	Not Applicable
GANN limit calculation	1	Yes
Office of Criminal Justice Planning	-	Not Applicable

We did not perform testing for Independent Study because the ADA from the program was below the State recommended testing level.

Based on our audit, we found that for the items tested, the Salida Union Elementary School District complied with the State laws and regulations referred to above, except as described in the Schedule of State Award Findings and Questioned Costs included in this report. Further, based on our audit, for items not tested, nothing came to our attention to indicate that the Salida Union Elementary School District had not complied with the laws and regulations.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Trustees, management, the California Department of Education, the State Controller's Office, and Federal awarding agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Varrierak, Orine, Day & Co., LLP

Fresno, California October 27, 2004 SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

# SUMMARY OF AUDITORS' RESULTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS		
Type of auditors' report issued		Unqualified
Internal control over financial:		<del></del>
Material weaknesses identi	No	
Reporting conditions identi	Yes	
Noncompliance material to fin	No	
FEDERAL AWARDS		
Internal control over major pro	grams:	
Material weaknesses identi	fied?	No
Reporting conditions identi	fied not considered to be material weaknesses?	None reported
Type of auditors' report issued	on compliance for major programs:	Unqualified
Any audit findings disclosed the	at are required to be reported in accordance with	
Circular A-133, Section .510(a	a)	No
Identification of major program	15:	
CFDA Number	Name of Federal Program or Cluster	
84.213C	Even Start	<u></u>
84.010	Title I - Basic	
84.027	Special Education - Local Assistance	<del></del>
10.555, 10.553	Department of Agriculture Cluster	<u></u>
93.600	Head Start Cluster	
Dollar threshold used to disting Auditee qualified as low-risk a	\$ 300,000 No	
STATE AWARDS	•	
Internal control over State prog	rams:	
Material weaknesses identi	No	
Reporting conditions identi	fied not considered to be material weaknesses?	Yes
Type of auditors' report issued	Unqualified	

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

The following findings represent reportable conditions and/or instances of noncompliance related to the financial statements that are required to be reported in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*. The findings have been coded as follows:

Five Digit Code

AB 3627 Finding Type

30000

Internal Control

2004-1 30000

Second Interim Financial Report

**Finding** 

We found that the beginning fund balance in the General Fund as reported in the Second Interim Financial Report. The beginning fund balance reported was \$2,204,544 while the prior year unaudited actuals ending fund balance was \$2,225,242. Additionally, an amount of \$10,698 was reported as a prior year audit adjustment but was actually an audit adjustment from the 2001-02 fiscal year. The actual General Fund audit adjustment for the 2002-03 fiscal year amounted to an increased fund balance of \$165,400. The net understatement of the beginning audited fund balance was \$175,400.

We also noted that the beginning fund balance in the Cafeteria Fund was misstated by \$16,946. The beginning fund balance per the prior year unaudited actuals and the audit report totaled \$18,790 but was reported on the Second Interim Financial Report at \$1,884.

A transfer was noted in the year-to-date actuals as being made from the Special Reserve-Other Than Capital Projects to the General Fund in the amount of \$784,028, however, this amount is not reflected in the Board Approved Operating Budget or the Projected Year Totals in either fund. If the transfer is a short-term loan that is to be paid back by year-end or set up as an interfund accrual, the transfer out from the General Fund should be reflected as well in the budget.

#### Recommendation

Care should be taken in the reporting of the District's interim financial conditions and certifications. The fund information should be reviewed for reasonableness including the beginning fund balance information. The actuals-to-date information should be carefully reviewed to the projected end of year figures as well as the current Board approved budget figures to be sure that they accurately reflect the District's expectations and projections.

#### **District Response**

The District will closely review the interim reports to ensure the fund balance information agrees to the prior year balances including any audit adjustments that need to be posted from the prior year. The actuals to date amounts will be closely compared to the actuals to date to determine if budget revisions are warranted.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

#### 2004-2 30000

#### Account Coding - Capital Assets

#### **Finding**

We noted numerous amounts charged to the object code 6000's and/or function code 8500 that appear to be immaterial repairs rather than major repairs that would lengthen the useful life of a capitalized asset. Additionally, it is the District's policy to capitalize items over \$5,000 and therefore, unless payments less than \$5,000 are related to a project that is to be capitalized because it will total over \$5,000.

Towards the end of the fiscal year the District business office will need to ensure that the charges to the 6000 object codes as well as all 8500 function code charges balance to the fiscal year additions in the fixed asset depreciation system or to the balance of Work In Progress.

#### Recommendation

The District should run a detailed general ledger report of the 6000 object codes as well as the 8500 functions codes and review the detail for entries not relating to an asset to be capitalized and depreciated. These entries should be corrected before the County Office of Education closes out the general ledger.

#### District Response

The account codings have been reviewed and the necessary journal entries have been posted. Care will be taken to ensure that major clean up of the 6000 object and 8500 function codes will not be needed with proper initial codings.

#### 2004-3 30000

#### District Office Cash Receipts

#### Finding

During our testing of cash collections at the District office, we noted that a master log to record the deposits in a sequential order and pre-numbered receipts are maintained, however, the District does not reconcile the logs and receipts to the deposits between the employee who opens the mail and logs/receipts and the deposits who prepares the deposit.

#### Recommendation

The District should add a column to the log that would indicate the date of deposit made to the County or the clearing account. The employee making the deposit should not have access to the actual log file but should be given a hard copy to balance with. After the deposit is made and the log Contrapor ason of entries are balances to the deposit to ensure that all funds are accounted for and were not lost, the log should be updated with the actual deposit date of the related checks.

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

District Response

The auditors' recommendation has been implemented.

# FEDERAL AWARDS FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

There were no findings representing reportable conditions, material weaknesses, nor instances of noncompliance including questioned costs that were required to be reported by OMB Circular A-133.

# STATE AWARDS FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

The following findings represent instances of noncompliance and questioned costs relating to State program laws and regulations. The findings have been coded as follows:

Five Digit Code

AB 3627 Finding Type
Attendance

10000 40000

State Compliance

#### 2004-4 40000

#### K-3 Class Size Reduction

#### **Finding**

During our review of the District's Form J7CSR and supporting documentation, we found the District's tally of class sizes to be incorrect. This clerical error amounted to a net reduction in eligible classes of one from 81 to 80 and a net reduction in eligible students of two from 1,550 to 1,552.

Additionally, we found that students at the elementary sites that are placed on short-term independent study are not disenrolled from the regular attendance program and enrolled in the Independent Study program, therefore, these students are counted as being enrolled in the teachers class during the independent study duration which is not allowed per State compliance guidelines. This condition further reduced the number of eligible students by four to 1,544. The District's total funding will be reduced by \$5,436 from \$1,404,300 to \$1,398,864.

#### Recommendation

The District should amend the Form J7CSR per the revised copy left with them by the auditors. The total classes should total to 80 from 81; total students should total to 1,544 from 1,550; the average class size per teacher should total to 19.30 from 19.14; and the total apportionment should total \$1,398,864 from \$1,404,300.

Regarding the Independent Study students, the District should either 1.) recalculate the average daily class size excluding the number of days enrolled relating the Independent Study by teacher or 2.) instruct the sites to utilize the SASI instructional program IS to track these students have entered into an Independent Study contract. The students would be disenrolled from the regular class program and enrolled in the Independent Study program on SASI. This would ensure no enrollment would be counted, as outlined by State compliance standards, for students on Independent Study.

#### District Response

The J7CSR form has been revised. Someone other than the initial preparing will review the final summation of class sizes.

# STATE AWARDS FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

#### 2004-5 10000

Second Period Attendance Report (P-2)

#### **Finding**

We noted that the Home & Hospital program average daily attendance (ADA) for the Dena Boer site was inadvertently excluded from the ADA as reported for Home & Hospital on Line A-8 of the P-2.

#### Recommendation

Line A-8 of the originally filed P-2 should be revised from .88 to 1.59 to include the .71 ADA related to the Dena Boer sites' Home & Hospital ADA. The increase of .71 ADA will net an increase in Revenue Limit funding of \$3,248.33 (.71 ADA X \$4,575.11 revenue limit funding per ADA). The District should amend the P-2 report and submit a copy to the County Office of Education, Department of Education, and to the auditors for verification.

#### District Response

The Second Period attendance report has been revised and filed with the necessary agencies.



## SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

Except as specified in previous sections of this report, summarized below is the current status of all audit findings reported in the prior year's schedule of financial statement findings.

#### Financial Statement Findings

#### 2003-1 30000

Associated Student Body - Dena Boer

Cash Count Sheet

#### **Finding**

Cash deposits forwarded from teachers or advisors to the associated student body bookkeeper are not always accompanied by a cash count sheet documenting the deposit total as counted by the teacher or advisor.

#### Recommendation

The cash count sheet serves the same purpose as a bank deposit slip, it provides for a reconciliation process since the deposit is usually not verified with both parties present. A difference between the bookkeepers count and the teacher's or advisor's count would warrant a recount with both parties present. This procedure decreases the number of disputes arising from deposits processed incorrectly.

#### **Current Status**

Implemented.

#### 2003-2 30000

#### Cash Receipts

#### **Finding**

It appears that the site does not provide adequate controls over cash receipts. We noted during our testing that:

- Prenumbered receipts are not used consistently to account for cash collections
- For three selected deposits, the receipts did not agree to the bank deposit
- There is no reconciliation between issued receipts and bank deposits.

# SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

#### Recommendation

Prenumbered receipts should be issued for all cash collections by teacher, advisors and the site book keeper which would include a specific description of the source of the funds. A carbon of the receipts issued by the teachers and advisors should be forwarded with the cash to the book keeper as documentation that all monies collected have been turned in. The receipts issued to teachers and advisors from the book keeper should be totalled and reconciled to the current bank deposit. Obviously, a system to mark the last receipt which corresponds to a deposit must be started in order to know which receipts are related to the current bank deposit. The basic premise of a cash receipts system is that the receipts are written at the time the cash is collected and not at the time the deposit is being made. If the receipts are written at this time, the book keeper would have no way of knowing if money is misplaced or has been stolen.

#### **Current Status**

Implemented. >

#### 2003-3 30000

#### Revenue Potentials

#### **Finding**

Revenue potential forms are not being used to document and control fund-raising activities as they occur. These forms supply an element of internal controls without which it is difficult to determine the success of a fund-raiser and to track money as it is spent and received.

#### Recommendation

The revenue potential form is a vital internal control tool, it should be used to document revenues, expenditures, potential revenue, and actual revenue. This allows an analysis of the fund-raiser to be conducted, indicating to the staff the success or failure of the completed project. The revenue potential also indicates weak control areas in the fund-raising procedures at the site, including lost or stolen merchandise, problems with collecting all moneys due and so forth. For the fundraiser that lasts all year, we recommend that new revenue be filled out monthly, or at least quarterly, thus ensuring that the number of items purchased have been updated, and the current receipts have been documented.

#### **Current Status**

Implemented.

# SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

#### 2003-4 30000

District Office

Cash Disbursements

#### **Finding**

Although procedures have been implemented to strengthen the controls over purchasing we still noted expenditures that appeared to be ordered or initiated prior to approvals from department heads independent of purchasing. Some appeared to be internet orders that were initiated that may not have been finalized over the internet prior to the purchase requisitions being approved however, this could not be verified as the date that appears on the order was the initiation date and not the final processing date.

#### Recommendation

The District should continue to monitor and implement the system designed based on the 2001-02 findings in order to ensure that no orders or purchases are placed or initiated prior to the purchase requisition being approved by all required personnel/administrators.

#### **Current Status**

Implemented.

#### State Award Findings

#### 2003-5 10000

Form J7-CSR

#### Finding

We noted that the J-7CSR was not completed accurately. Classes in Grades Two, Three, and the Combined classes were inaccurately reported within the wrong class size category. In Grade Two, there were three classes of sixteen students instead of four. For grade Three, there were four classes of fourteen students instead of three, one class of sixteen students instead of none, and seven classes of twenty instead of eight. The combined classes were total eligible students of twenty-four instead of twenty-one. The net effect was to reduce the number of students report by three students for a total questioned cost of \$2,718.

#### Recommendation

The District should file an amended J-7CSR claim.

# SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

#### **Current Status**

Not implemented. See current year findings and recommendations.

#### 2003-6 40000

#### Second Period Attendance Report (P-2)

#### **Finding**

During our examination of the P-2 we noted that the ADA on

Line A-3 (Grade 4-6) was 1,067.82 and should be 1069.47

Line A-4 (Grade 7-8) was 631.12 and should be 634.76

Line A-7 (Opportunity School) was 8.85 and should be 9.88

Line A-9 (Special Education - Special Day Class) was 71.15 and should be 71.40

Total ADA was understated by 6.57 ADA. This error was due to the spreadsheet used by the District to complete the P-2. The P-2 having the incorrect number of days taught during the P-2 period. The District used 139 instead of 138 days taught. The understatement amounts to \$29,500 in revenue limit funding.

#### Recommendation

The District should revise the Second Period Attendance Report (P-2) as outlined above and submit the revision to the Department of Education and the County Office of Education. The District should utilize the SASI report, ATP53, Attendance Monthly Summary when completing the Second Period Attendance Report (P-2).

#### **Current Status**

Not implemented. See current year findings and recommendations.