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BOARD OF EDUCATION
COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

Little Falls, New Jersey

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of the
Little Falls Board of Education
Little Falls, New Jersey
For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015**

**Prepared by
Business Office**

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INTRODUCTORY SECTION

**Little Falls Board of Education
560 Main Street
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Honorable President and
Members of the Board of Education
Little Falls School District
Little Falls, New Jersey

Dear Board Members:

The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report of the Little Falls Township School District (the "District") for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 is hereby submitted. Responsibility for both the accuracy of the data and completeness and fairness of the presentation, including all disclosures, rests with the management of the Board of Education (Board). To the best of our knowledge and belief, the data presented in this Report is accurate in all material respects and is reported in a manner designed to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of the various funds of the District. All disclosures necessary to enable the reader to gain an understanding of the District's financial activities have been included.

The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report is presented in four sections: Introductory, Financial, Statistical and Single Audit. The Introductory Section includes this Transmittal Letter, the District's Organizational Chart and a list of principal officials. The Financial Section includes the basic financial statements and schedules, as well as the auditors' report thereon. The Statistical Section includes selected financial and demographic information, generally presented on a multi-year basis. The District is required to undergo an annual Single Audit in conformity with the provisions of the Single Audit Act of 1984 and the U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, "Audits of State and Local Governments", and the state Treasury Letter 15-08, "Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid Payments". Information related to this Single Audit, including the auditors' report on the internal control structure and compliance with applicable laws and regulations and findings and recommendations, are included in the Single Audit section of this report.

REPORTING ENTITY AND ITS SERVICES: Little Falls Township School District is an independent reporting entity within the criteria adopted by the GASB as established by GASB Statement No. 14. All funds of the District are included in this Report. The Little Falls Board of Education and all its schools constitute the District's reporting entity.

The District provides a full range of educational services appropriate to grade levels Pre-K through 8. These include Regular, as well as Special Education including Preschool Inclusive. The District completed the 2014/2015 fiscal year with a student enrollment of 900 students, which is a 20 student decrease from the previous year's enrollment.

REPORTING ENTITY AND ITS SERVICES: (Continued)

The following details the changes in the student enrollment of the District over the last ten years:

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Student Enrollment</u>	<u>Percent Change</u>
2014-2015	900	(2.2)
2013-2014	920	1.4
2012-2013	907	(.10)
2011-2012	916	(2.4)
2010-2011	938	0.01
2009-2010	931	1.09
2008-2009	921	3.80
2007-2008	887	.70
2006-2007	881	3.40
2005-2006	851	1.60

ECONOMIC CONDITION AND OUTLOOK: The Little Falls Township is located in northeastern Passaic County, New Jersey. It is bordered on the north by Totowa, Wayne, and Woodland Park, on the east by Clifton, on the south by Montclair and Cedar Grove, and on the west by North Caldwell and Fairfield.

School # 1 serves the needs of students in Grades Five through Eight, as well as having self-contained LLD classrooms. School #1 currently houses approximately 380 students.

School #2 serves Pre-Kindergarten through Grade Two students and has self-contained Special Education classes. The total enrollment for School #2 is approximately 320 students.

School #3 serves Grades 3 and 4 and has one self-contained special education classes serving LLD. School #3 houses approximately 200 students.

The Little Falls Township School District is governed by a nine-member Board of Education elected by the voters. It should be noted here, that on January 17, 2012, Chapter 202 of the Laws, P.L. 2011, was approved and pursuant to the Law, the Board of Education has moved its annual election of members to the General Election date in November 2015, with its Organization to be held in the first week of January, 2016. No vote on Budgets will be required if the tax increase does not exceed 2%.

Based on our Five-Year Demographic Study of January 9, 2010 from Whitehall Associates, Inc., our District is projected to continue to increase in enrollment over the next few years. This Cohort Survival Method takes into account both statistics and related sources of information from the Township. The re-opening of School #3 assisted the District in meeting the need for increased space over the past few years. It should be noted that the drop in enrollment for 2011-2012 and 2012-2013 may be directly related to the poor economic climate and the housing market slow down which prohibits families from moving around or up.

The District ended the 2014 - 2015 school year with approximately 900 students. Facility needs continue to be of concern with enrollment having increased over the past ten years by approximately 83 students and the use of classrooms to house several balloon grades is problematic. Also with the proper planning and aggressive negotiations by the Board, the District was able to again increase the Capital Reserve Account prior to the June 30, 2015 fiscal year-end. The prior implementation of 1.5% employee contribution towards the cost of their medical insurance benefit continues to provide budget relief and indeed with the implementation of P.L. 2011, c. Chapter 78, which became effective June 28, 2011, employees will be "phased in" for greater contributions.

ECONOMIC CONDITION AND OUTLOOK: (Continued)

We currently have in excess of sixty-one (61) students on roll in self-contained Special Education in two (2) LLD classrooms at School #2, one (1) at School #3 and four (4) LLD classrooms at School #1 and Preschool Programs at School #2. These Programs have successfully passed Special Education monitoring and continue to meet the needs of Little Falls residents, as well as several Out-of-District students, generating tuition. We expect to continue to offer recommended ABA Behaviorist support and all mandated programs in compliance with State and Federal codes, while analyzing the costs of these offerings, in an effort to create improvement in the classroom while creating possible efficiencies.

Our District provides courtesy bussing and in accordance with the NJDOE mandated Corrective Action Plan to improve our efficiency, we contracted with Passaic County Educational Services Commission for the 2014-2015 school year. PCESC is considered an LEA and as such, a Shared Service; our efficiency requirement was met and a savings of over \$12,000.00 was realized.

MAJOR INITIATIVES:

The Little Falls Board of Education continues to refurbish its facilities. Electrical upgrades to all three buildings were performed over the summer of 2015. The goal of this work is to provide additional resources to support the growth of technology throughout the district.

A bond referendum was approved by the public on September 29, 2015. The primary focus is safety and security for the students and staff. A restricted main entrance to each of the three schools is being proposed to eliminate the current access that exists. Unit ventilator upgrades to improve air quality in all three schools is also proposed. Other renovations in School 1 include toilet room improvements, upgrading of lighting and ceiling materials and partial window replacements. ROD grants the Board applied for and received in 2013 will help offset a portion of the referendum costs if the public approves.

The district's website has undergone a major overhaul. A new company was retained to bring fresh ideas to the public face of the district. Information has been rearranged to make it easier for the public to find. An enhanced portal is being planned to engage parents in their children's education.

Communication with the public does not end with the website. The Superintendent has started a Twitter account to update followers on activities in the schools. Email blasts go home every week with important announcements. A regular newsletter written by the Superintendent is distributed to the public so people are aware of the accomplishments in district.

Parent academies are being formed by the Superintendent to start during the 2015-2016 school year. The academies will provide opportunities for parents and teachers to collaborate on raising children in a responsible way so they will become productive citizens. Topics could include literacy framework, PARCC expectations, and specific learning guidelines by grade level.

Increased use of technology continues to be a priority focus in the district. Ipads will be introduced in the lower grades in School 2 for students and staff. The eventual goal is to introduce this technology in a gradual rollout to all elementary grades. Chromebooks will continue in use in the middle school grades. Students will then have had exposure to various operating systems when they graduate to high school.

Cultivating an interest in science in young people is a priority at many levels throughout our nation. An AV Rover, which provides a host of STEM lessons in three dimensional presentations, will be in use at the middle school and will spark interest in this critical area.

Robotics is being introduced as an elective in the middle school. This will further enhance the scientific inquiry demanded by the standards into areas of physics. A future goal is to have students participate in robotic contests that are held throughout the state.

Additional electives are being examined for the middle school. Programs under consideration include additional world languages, science and technology courses.

MAJOR INITIATIVES: (Continued)

The need to update curriculum based on evolving state and national standards is challenging. The district is looking to retain the services of a Language Arts consultant to review the scope and sequence of the existing curriculum. Changes needed to bring this widely tested area to a state where it assists all students in their education will be accomplished over the next year.

The district will be working with the newly formed Little Falls Educational Foundation. The Foundation has begun fundraising to supplement programs in each school. Competitive grants are to be submitted by teaching staff members for consideration. The Foundation will select the submissions that most closely work with the district's plans for its programs

INTERNAL ACCOUNTING CONTROLS: Management of the District is responsible for establishing and maintaining an internal control structure designed to ensure that the assets of the District are protected from loss, theft or misuse and to ensure that adequate accounting data are compiled to allow for the preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). The internal control structure is designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that these objectives are met. The concept of reasonable assurance recognizes that: (1) the cost of a control should not exceed the benefits likely to be derived; and (2) the valuation of costs and benefits requires estimates and judgments by management.

As a recipient of federal and state financial assistance, the District also is responsible for ensuring that an adequate internal control structure is in place to ensure compliance with applicable laws and regulations related to those programs. This internal control structure is also subject to periodic evaluation by the District management.

As part of the District's Single Audit described earlier, tests are made to determine the adequacy of the internal control structure, including that portion related to federal and state financial assistance programs, as well as to determine that the District has complied with applicable laws and regulations.

BUDGETARY CONTROLS: In addition to internal accounting controls, the District maintains budgetary controls. The objective of these budgetary controls is to ensure compliance with legal provisions embodied in the annual appropriated Budget. Annual appropriated Budgets are adopted for the General and Special Revenue Funds. The final Budget amount as amended for the fiscal year is reflected in the Financial Section.

An encumbrance accounting system is used to record outstanding purchase commitments on a line item basis. Open encumbrances at year-end are either canceled or are included as reappropriations of fund balance in the subsequent year. Those amounts to be reappropriated are reported as reservations of fund balance at June 30, 2015.

CASH MANAGEMENT: The investment policy of the District is guided in large part by state statute as detailed in "Notes to the Financial Statements", Note 2. The District has adopted a cash management plan, which requires it to deposit public funds in public depositories protected from loss under the provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act ("GUDPA"). GUDPA was enacted in 1970 to protect governmental units from loss of funds on deposit with a failed banking institution in New Jersey. The law requires governmental units to deposit public funds only in public depositories located in New Jersey, where the funds are secured in accordance with the Act.

RISK MANAGEMENT: The Board carries various forms of insurance, including but not limited to general liability, automobile liability, comprehensive/collision, hazard and theft insurance on property and contents, and fidelity bonds. We participate in the NJSBAIG, thru the ERIC-West sub fund.

OTHER INFORMATION: Independent Audit - State statutes require an annual audit by independent certified public accountants or registered municipal accountants. The accounting firm of Lerch, Vinci, & Higgins, LLP, Certified Public Accountants, was selected by the Board of Education. In addition to meeting the requirements set forth in state statutes, the audit also was designed to meet the requirements of the Single Audit Act of 1984 as amended by the Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996 and State Treasury Circular Letter 15-08. The auditors' report on the basic financial statements and combining and individual fund statements and schedules is included in the Financial Section of this report. The auditors' reports related specifically to the Single Audit are included in the Single Audit section of this report.

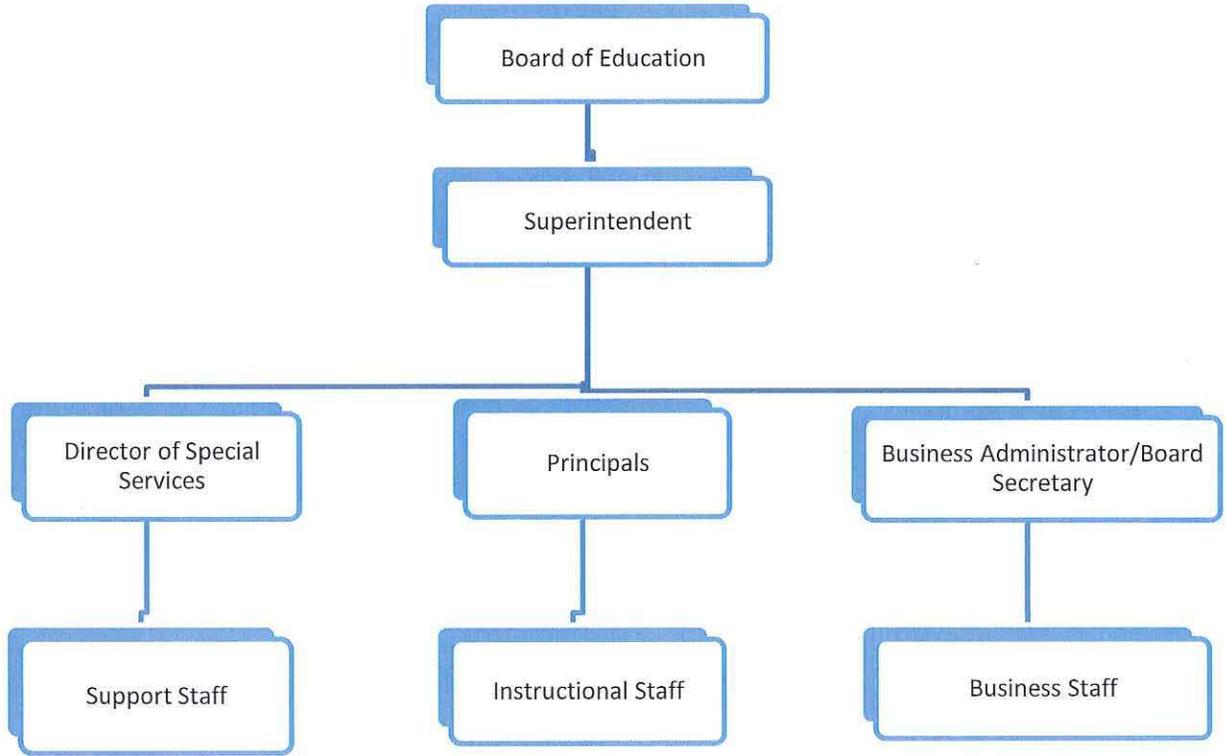
ACKNOWLEDGMENTS: We would like to express our appreciation to the members of the Little Falls Township School Board for their concern in providing fiscal accountability to the citizens and taxpayers of the School District and thereby contributing their full support to the development and maintenance of our financial operation. The preparation of this report could not have been accomplished without the efficient and dedicated services of our financial and accounting staff.

Respectfully submitted,



Michael Leary
Interim School Business Administrator/Board Secretary

Little Falls Board of Education
Organizational Chart
2014-2015



**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
LITTLE FALLS, NEW JERSEY**

**ROSTER OF OFFICIALS
JUNE 30, 2015**

<u>Members of the Board of Education</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
Janine Veteri Barone, President	2015
Lauren Verdi, Vice President	2015
Kenneth T. Kimmel	2016
Mark Simolaris	2016
John C. Groh	2015
Michael Russo	2017
Joseph A. Bennenuti	2016
Ruth MacDonado	2017
Rachel P. Capizzi	2017

Other Officials

Mr. William T. Petrick, Superintendent

Mrs. Andrea Del Guercio, School Business Admin./Board Secretary (to October 31, 2014)

Mr. Michael O. Leady, Interim School Business Admin./Board Secretary (November 1, 2014 – June 30, 2015)

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
LITTLE FALLS, NEW JERSEY**

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable President and Members
of the Board of Trustees
Little Falls Board of Education
Little Falls, New Jersey

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Little Falls Board of Education as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Board of Education's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the standards applicable to financial audits contained in the Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey. 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 involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Little Falls Board of Education as of June 30, 2015, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the fiscal year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Emphasis of Matter

Adoption of New Accounting Pronouncement

As discussed in Note 1 to the financial statements, in the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, the Little Falls Board of Education adopted new accounting guidance, Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, budgetary comparison information, and pension information be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Information

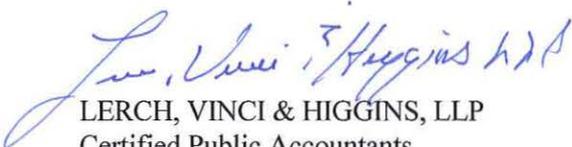
Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Little Falls Board of Education's basic financial statements. The introductory section, combining fund financial statements, financial schedules, statistical section, schedule of expenditures of federal awards and schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance as required by New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08, Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements of the Little Falls Board of Education.

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

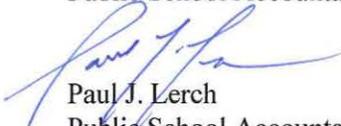
The introductory section, financial schedules and statistical section have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

Other Reporting Required by *Government Auditing Standards*

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated November 30, 2015 on our consideration of the Little Falls Board of Education’s internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering the Little Falls Board of Education’s internal control over financial reporting and compliance.



LERCH, VINCI & HIGGINS, LLP
Certified Public Accountants
Public School Accountants



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Public School Accountant
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Fair Lawn, New Jersey
November 30, 2015

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
LITTLE FALLS, NEW JERSEY**

**Management's Discussion and Analysis
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015**

This discussion and analysis of the Little Falls School District's financial performance provides an overview of its financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015. The intent of this is to look at the District's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the basic financial statements and the notes to enhance their understanding of the District's financial performance.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for the 2014/15 school year are as follows:

- District-wide - Overall revenues were \$18,061,315. General revenues accounted for \$13,697,156 or 76 percent of all revenues. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services and grants and contributions accounted for \$4,364,159 or 24 percent of total revenues.
- District-wide - The School District had \$17,070,630 in expenses; only \$4,364,159 of these expenses were offset by program specific charges for services, grants or contributions. General revenues (primarily taxes) of \$13,697,156 were adequate to provide for these programs.
- Fund Financial Statements - As of the close of the current fiscal year, the Little Falls Board of Education's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$3,318,663, an increase of \$857,692 in comparison with the prior year.
- Fund Financial Statements - At the end of June 30, 2015, unassigned fund balance for the General Fund was \$240,142, an increase of \$10,632 from the previous year.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
LITTLE FALLS, NEW JERSEY**

**Management's Discussion and Analysis (continued)
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015**

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial section of the annual report consists of four parts – Independent Auditor's Report, required supplementary information which includes the management's discussion and analysis (this section), the district-wide financial statements, fund financial statements and notes to the basic financial statements.

- The first two statements are district-wide financial statements that provide both short-term and long-term information about the Little Falls Board of Education's overall financial status.
- The remaining statements are fund financial statements that focus on individual parts of the Little Falls Board of Education, reporting the Little Falls Board of Education's operation in more detail than the district-wide statements.
 - The governmental fund statements tell how basic services such as regular and special education were financed in short term as well as what remains for future spending.
 - Proprietary fund statements offer short and long-term financial information about the activities the Little Falls Board of Education operates like a business.
 - Fiduciary funds statements provide information about the financial relationships in which the District acts solely as a trustee or agent for the benefit of others to whom the resources belong.

Figure A-1 summarizes the major features of the Little Falls Board of Education's financial statements, including the portion of the Little Falls Board of Education's activities they cover and the types of information they contain. The remainder of this overview section of management's discussion and analysis highlights the structure and contents of each of the statements.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
LITTLE FALLS, NEW JERSEY**

**Management's Discussion and Analysis (continued)
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2015**

Figure A-1 Major Features of the District-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

	District-Wide Statements	Governmental Funds	Proprietary Funds
Scope	Entire district (except fiduciary funds)	The activities of the district that are not proprietary or fiduciary, such as special education and building maintenance and food service	Activities the district operates similar to private businesses
Required financial statements	Statements of Net Position Statement of Activities	Balance Sheet Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances	Statement of Net Position Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Net Position
Accounting Basis and Measurement focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Modified accrual accounting and current financial focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus
Type of asset/deferred Inflows/outflows of resources and liability information	All assets deferred outflows of resources deferred inflows of resources and liabilities, both financial and capital, short-term and long-term	Generally assets and deferred outflows of resources expected to be used up and deferred inflows of resources and liabilities that come due during the year or soon thereafter; no capital assets or long-term liabilities included	All assets deferred inflows/outflows of resource and liabilities both financial and capital, and short-term and long-term
Type of inflow/outflow information	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	Revenues for which cash is received during or soon after the end of the year; expenditures when goods or services have been received and the related liability is due and payable.	All revenues and expenses during the year, regardless of when cash is received or paid.

District-wide Statements

District-wide. The *District-wide financial statements* are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the Little Falls Board of Education's finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The *statement of net position* presents information on all of the Little Falls Board of Education's assets, deferred outflows/inflows of resources and liabilities, with the difference reported as *net position*. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the District is improving or deteriorating. However, when assessing the overall health of the District, you need to consider additional non-financial factors, such as changes in the District's property tax base and the condition of the school buildings and other facilities.

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The *statement of activities* presents information showing how the government's net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, *regardless of the timing of related cash flows*.

District-wide Statements (Continued)

In the district-wide financial statements the District's activities are shown in two categories:

- *Governmental activities*- Most of the District's basic services are included here, such as regular and special education, transportation, maintenance and administration services. Property taxes and state aids finance most of these activities.
- *Business-type activities*- The District charges fees to customers to help it cover the costs of the District's Food Service Fund.

Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the District's funds – focusing on its most significant or “major” funds – not the district as a whole. Funds are accounting devices the District uses to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending on particular programs:

- Some funds are required by State law and by bond covenants.
- The District uses other funds, established in accordance with the State of New Jersey Uniform Chart of Accounts, to control and manage money for particular purposes (e.g., repaying its long-term debts) or to show that it is properly using certain revenues (e.g., federal funds).

The District has three kinds of funds:

Governmental Funds. The District's basic services are included in the governmental funds, which generally focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources and the balances of spendable resources at year-end. Consequently, the governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view that helps to determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the District's programs. Because this information does not encompass the additional long-term focus of the district-wide statements, we provide a reconciliation at the bottom of the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

The District adopts an annual appropriated budget for the General Fund, Special Revenue Fund and Debt Service Fund. A budgetary comparison statement has been provided for the General Fund, Special Revenue Fund and Debt Service Fund.

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Fund Financial Statements (Continued)

Proprietary Funds. The District maintains one type of Proprietary Fund, Enterprise Funds, which is used to report the activity of the Food Service Fund. Proprietary Funds provide the same type of information as the district-wide financial statements and is presented as business-type activities in the district-wide financial statements.

Fiduciary Funds. Fiduciary Funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the government, such as the Payroll Agency Fund, Unemployment Trust Fund and the Student Activity Funds. Fiduciary Funds are *not* reflected in the district-wide financial statement because the resources of those funds are not available to support the District's own programs. The accounting used for Fiduciary Funds is much like that used for Proprietary Funds.

Notes to the Financial Statements. The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the District-wide and fund financial statements.

DISTRICT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION AS A WHOLE

The District's financial position is the product of several financial transactions including the net results of activities, the acquisition and payment of debt, the acquisition and disposal of capital assets, and the depreciation of capital assets.

Table A-1 provides a summary of the school district's net position at June 30, 2015 and 2014.

Net position. The District's combined net position were \$1,619,026 on June 30, 2015 and \$628,341 on June 30, 2014. (See Table A-1).

By far the largest portion of the District's net position (66 percent) reflects its net investment in capital assets (e.g., land, buildings, machinery, and equipment), less any related debt used to acquire those assets that are still outstanding. The District uses these capital assets to provide regular and special education, transportation, maintenance and administration services. Although the District's investment in its capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

The majority of the restricted portion of net position represents the capital reserve which is reserved for capital expenditures.

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Table A-1
Statement of Net Position
As of June 30, 2015 and 2014

	<u>Governmental</u> <u>Activities</u>		<u>Business-Type</u> <u>Activities</u>		<u>Total</u>	
	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u> (Restated)	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u> (Restated)
Current and Other Assets	\$ 3,917,048	\$ 3,013,935	\$ 1,506	\$ 39,098	\$ 3,918,554	\$ 3,053,033
Capital Assets - Restated	4,120,152	4,284,191	-	-	4,120,152	4,284,191
Total Assets	<u>8,037,200</u>	<u>7,298,126</u>	<u>1,506</u>	<u>39,098</u>	<u>8,038,706</u>	<u>7,337,224</u>
Deferred Amounts on Refunding on Debt	12,903	17,183			12,903	17,183
Deferred Amounts on Pension Liability	115,225	-	-	-	115,225	-
Total Deferred Outflow of Resources	<u>128,128</u>	<u>17,183</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>128,128</u>	<u>17,183</u>
Total Assets and Deferred Outflows of Resources	<u>8,165,328</u>	<u>7,315,309</u>	<u>1,506</u>	<u>39,098</u>	<u>8,166,834</u>	<u>7,354,407</u>
Long-Term Liabilities	5,328,155	6,118,944			5,328,155	6,118,944
Other Liabilities	616,710	573,021	154	34,101	616,864	607,122
Total Liabilities	<u>5,944,865</u>	<u>6,691,965</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>34,101</u>	<u>5,945,019</u>	<u>6,726,066</u>
Deferred Amounts on Pension Liability	602,789	-	-	-	602,789	-
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	<u>602,789</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>602,789</u>	<u>-</u>
Total Liabilities and Deferred Inflows of Resources	<u>6,547,654</u>	<u>6,691,965</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>34,101</u>	<u>6,547,808</u>	<u>6,726,066</u>
Net Position:						
Net Investment in Capital Assets	2,782,904	2,761,687			2,782,904	2,761,687
Restricted	1,932,914	1,117,003			1,932,914	1,117,003
Unrestricted	(3,098,144)	(3,255,346)	1,352	4,997	(3,096,792)	(3,250,349)
Total Net Position	<u>\$ 1,617,674</u>	<u>\$ 623,344</u>	<u>\$ 1,352</u>	<u>\$ 4,997</u>	<u>\$ 1,619,026</u>	<u>\$ 628,341</u>

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Governmental activities. Governmental activities increased the District's net position by \$994,330. Key elements of this increase are as follows:

**Table A-2
Changes in Net Position
For the Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 2015 and 2014**

	Governmental Activities		Business-Type Activities		Total	
	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014
Revenues						
Program Revenues						
Charges for Services	\$ 84,299	\$ 92,292	\$ 117,186	\$ 127,277	\$ 201,485	\$ 219,569
Operating Grants and Contributions	4,015,044	2,219,819	118,281	110,386	4,133,325	2,330,205
Capital Grants and Contributions	29,349				29,349	
General Revenues						
Property Taxes	13,624,970	13,027,099			13,624,970	13,027,099
Other	72,184	26,627	2	2	72,186	26,629
Total Revenues	17,825,846	15,365,837	235,469	237,665	18,061,315	15,603,502
Expenses						
Instruction						
Regular	7,280,993	6,124,204			7,280,993	6,124,204
Special Education	3,824,169	3,342,399			3,824,169	3,342,399
Other Instruction	251,226	323,518			251,226	323,518
School Sponsored Activities and Ath.	47,942	63,845			47,942	63,845
Support Services						
Student and Instruction Related Serv.	2,187,789	2,002,335			2,187,789	2,002,335
School Administrative Services	743,079	754,923			743,079	754,923
General Administrative Services	468,797	515,227			468,797	515,227
Plant Operations and Maintenance	1,158,476	1,127,070			1,158,476	1,127,070
Pupil Transportation	446,749	467,648			446,749	467,648
Central Services	364,088	388,214			364,088	388,214
Food Services			252,114	253,234	252,114	253,234
Interest on Long-Term Debt	45,208	48,314	-	-	45,208	48,314
Total Expenses	16,818,516	15,157,697	252,114	253,234	17,070,630	15,410,931
Increase/(Decrease) in Net Position Before Transfers	1,007,330	208,140	(16,645)	(15,569)	990,685	192,571
Transfers	(13,000)	(14,000)	13,000	14,000	-	-
Change in Net Position	994,330	194,140	(3,645)	(1,569)	990,685	192,571
Net Position, Beginning of Year	623,344	5,785,252	4,997	6,566	628,341	5,791,818
Prior Period Adjustment	-	(5,356,048)	-	-	-	(5,356,048)
Net Position, End of Year	\$ 1,617,674	\$ 623,344	\$ 1,352	\$ 4,997	\$ 1,619,026	\$ 628,341

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Governmental activities. The District's total governmental revenues were \$17,825,846. The local share of the revenues, that included property taxes, interest and miscellaneous revenue, amounted to \$13,697,154 or 77% of total revenues. Funding from state and federal sources amounted to \$4,044,393 or 22%. Charges for services amounted to \$84,299 or 1%.

The District's total governmental expense were \$16,818,516 and are predominantly related to instruction and support services. Instruction totaled \$11,404,330 (68%), student and other support services totaled \$5,368,978 (31%) and interest on long-term debt total \$45,208 (1%) of total expenditures. (See Table A-4.)

Table A-3 Revenues by Source – Governmental Activities
For Fiscal Year 2015

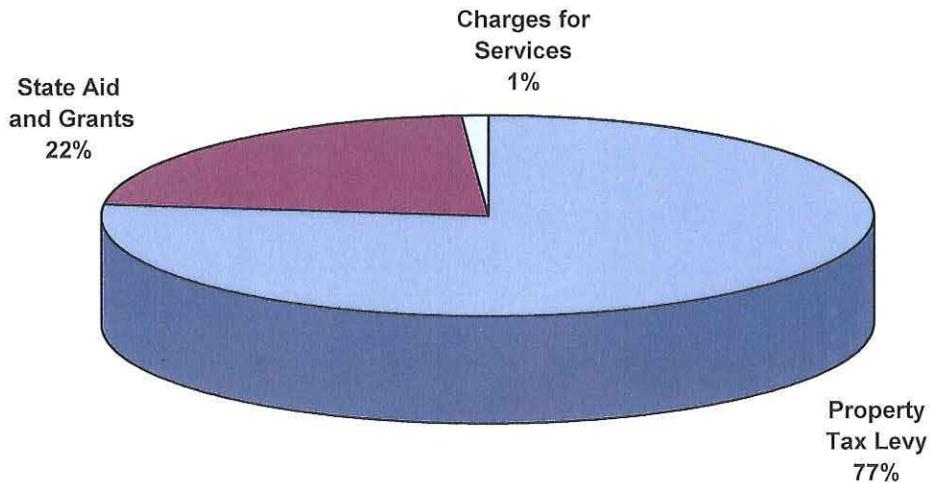
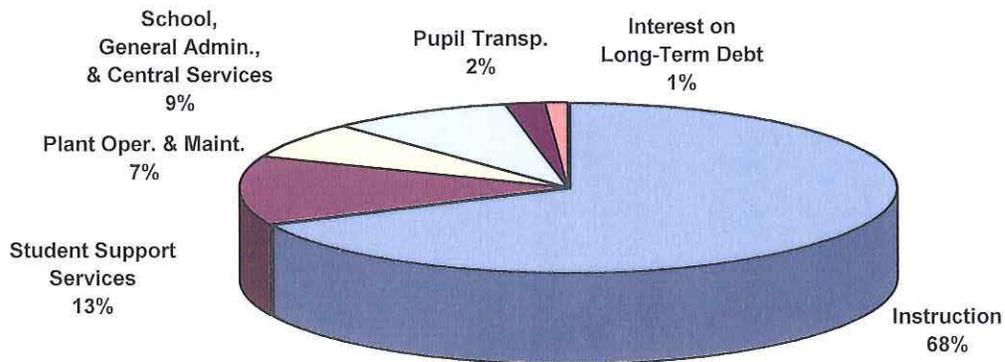


Table A-4 Expenditures by Type- Governmental Activities
For Fiscal Year 2015



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**Table A-5
Cost of Services and Net Cost of Services of Governmental Activities
For the Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 2015 and 2014**

<u>Functions/Programs</u>	<u>Cost of Services</u>		<u>Net Cost of Services</u>	
	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
Governmental Activities				
Instruction				
Regular	\$ 7,280,993	\$ 6,124,204	\$ 5,422,324	\$ 5,350,748
Special Education	3,824,169	3,342,399	2,214,503	2,208,670
Other Instruction	251,226	323,518	129,564	180,178
School Sponsored Activities and Athletics	47,942	63,845	47,942	63,845
Support Services				
Student and Instruction Related Svcs.	2,187,789	2,002,335	1,867,132	1,865,853
School Administrative Services	743,079	754,923	612,696	700,433
General Administrative Services	468,797	515,227	468,797	515,227
Plant Operations and Maintenance	1,158,476	1,127,070	1,108,890	1,095,858
Pupil Transportation	446,749	467,648	408,680	428,246
Central Services	364,088	388,214	364,088	388,214
Interest on Long-Term Debt	<u>45,208</u>	<u>48,314</u>	<u>45,208</u>	<u>48,314</u>
Total Governmental Activities	<u>\$ 16,818,516</u>	<u>\$ 15,157,697</u>	<u>\$ 12,689,824</u>	<u>\$ 12,845,586</u>

Business-Type Activities

The cost of Business-Type Activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 was \$252,114. These costs were funded by operating grants, charges for services and investment earnings (Detailed on Table A-2). The operations resulted in a decrease in net position of \$3,645.

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FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT'S FUNDS

Governmental Funds. The focus of the District's *governmental funds* is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows and balances of *spendable* resources. Such information is useful in assessing the District's financing requirements. In particular, *unassigned fund balance* may serve as a useful measure of a government's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year.

As the District completed the 2014/15 fiscal year, its governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$3,318,663. As of June 30, 2014 the fund balance was \$2,460,971.

The District's Funds

All governmental funds (i.e., general fund, special revenue fund and debt service fund presented in the fund-based statements) are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Total revenues amounted to \$16,299,023 and expenditures were \$15,428,331 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015.

As demonstrated by the various statements and schedules included in the financial section of this report, the District continues to meet its responsibility for sound fiscal management. The following schedule presents a summary of the governmental funds revenues for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2015 and 2014.

	<u>Year Ended</u> <u>June 30, 2015</u>	<u>Year Ended</u> <u>June 30, 2014</u>	<u>Amount of</u> <u>Increase</u> <u>(Decrease)</u>	<u>Percent</u> <u>Increase</u> <u>(Decrease)</u>
Local Sources	\$ 13,771,905	\$ 13,153,957	\$ 617,948	5%
State Sources	2,177,268	1,874,448	302,820	16%
Federal Sources	<u>349,850</u>	<u>337,432</u>	<u>12,418</u>	4%
 Total Revenues	 <u>\$ 16,299,023</u>	 <u>\$ 15,365,837</u>	 <u>\$ 933,186</u>	 6%

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The following schedule presents a summary of governmental fund expenditures for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2015 and 2014.

	<u>Year Ended</u> <u>June 30, 2015</u>	<u>Year Ended</u> <u>June 30, 2014</u>	<u>Amount of</u> <u>Increase</u> <u>(Decrease)</u>	<u>Percent</u> <u>Increase</u> <u>(Decrease)</u>
Instruction	\$ 10,005,173	\$ 9,724,638	\$ 280,535	3%
Undistributed	5,096,689	5,133,845	(37,156)	-1%
Capital Outlay	94,273	118,839	(24,566)	-21%
Debt Service				
Principal	185,130	183,000	2,130	1%
Interest and other charges	47,066	50,106	(3,040)	-6%
 Total Expenditures	 <u>\$ 15,428,331</u>	 <u>\$ 15,210,428</u>	 <u>\$ 217,903</u>	 1%

General and Special Revenue Fund

Budgetary Highlights

The District's budget is prepared according to New Jersey law and is based on generally accepted accounting principles on the basis of cash receipts, disbursement and encumbrances. The primary funds are the General Fund and Special Revenue Fund (grants and restricted aid).

Over the course of the year, the District revised the annual operating budget several times. Revisions in the budget were made to recognize revenues that were not anticipated and to prevent overexpenditures in specific line item accounts.

Capital Assets and Debt Administration. The Little Falls Board of Education's investment in capital assets for its governmental and business type activities as of June 30, 2015 amounts to \$4,120,152 (net of accumulated depreciation). This investment in capital assets includes land, land improvements, buildings and building improvements, construction in progress and machinery and equipment.

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**Table A-6
Capital Assets (net of depreciation)
as of June 30, 2015 and 2014**

	Governmental Activities		Business-Type Activities		Total	
	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
Land	\$ 29,415	\$ 29,415			\$ 29,415	\$ 29,415
Construction In Progress	64,323	-			64,323	-
Land Improvements	1,394,204	1,394,204			1,394,204	1,394,204
Buildings and Building Improvements	6,446,327	6,412,507			6,446,327	6,412,507
Machinery and Equipment	<u>2,155,870</u>	<u>2,159,740</u>	<u>\$ 33,228</u>	<u>\$ 33,228</u>	<u>2,189,098</u>	<u>2,192,968</u>
 Total	 10,090,139	 9,995,866	 33,228	 33,228	 10,123,367	 10,029,094
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	<u>5,969,987</u>	<u>5,711,675</u>	<u>33,228</u>	<u>33,228</u>	<u>6,003,215</u>	<u>5,744,903</u>
 Total - Restated	 <u>\$ 4,120,152</u>	 <u>\$ 4,284,191</u>	 <u>\$ -</u>	 <u>\$ -</u>	 <u>\$ 4,120,152</u>	 <u>\$ 4,284,191</u>

Additional information on Little Falls Board of Education's capital assets can be found in the Notes of this report.

Debt Administration. As of June 30, 2015 and 2014 the school district had long-term debt and outstanding long-term liabilities in the amount of \$5,328,155 and \$6,118,944, respectively, as stated in Table A-7.

**Table A-7
Long-Term Debt
Outstanding Long-Term Liabilities**

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
Bonds Payable, Net	\$ 1,318,281	\$ 1,497,687
Capital Leases	31,870	42,000
Compensated Absences	313,698	383,688
Net Pension Liability	<u>3,664,306</u>	<u>4,195,569</u>
 Total	 <u>\$ 5,328,155</u>	 <u>\$ 6,118,944</u>

The District has outstanding general obligation serial bonds including premium in the amount of \$1,318,281. These bonds were used to finance the facilities acquisitions and construction services at Schools #1, #2 and #3. The District has a capital lease for a bus in the amount of \$31,870. The compensated absences represent the District's liability for unused accrued sick leave. The District has a net pension liability in the amount of \$3,664,306.

Additional information on Little Falls Board of Education's long-term debt can be found in the Notes of this report.

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FOR THE FUTURE

Currently, the District is in superior financial condition. Everyone associated with the Little Falls School District is grateful for the community support of the schools. A major concern is the financial support required to maintain appropriate class sizes and services. This, in an environment of flat state aid support, means an ever-increasing reliance on local property taxes.

In conclusion, the Little Falls School District has committed itself to financial and educational excellence. Its system for financial planning, budgeting, and internal financial controls is audited annually and it plans to continue to manage its finances in order to meet the many challenges ahead.

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

If you have questions about this report or need additional information, contact the School Business Administrator at the Little Falls Board of Education, 560 Main St., Little Falls, NJ 07424.

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
AS OF JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	<u>Business-Type Activities</u>	<u>Total</u>
ASSETS			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 3,226,914	\$ 927	\$ 3,227,841
Receivables, net			
Receivables from Other Governments	685,059		685,059
Other Accounts Receivable	5,075		5,075
Inventory		579	579
Capital Assets, net			
Not Being Depreciated	93,738		93,738
Being Depreciated, Net	<u>4,026,414</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,026,414</u>
Total Assets	<u>8,037,200</u>	<u>1,506</u>	<u>8,038,706</u>
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Deferred Amounts on Refunding of Debt	12,903		12,903
Deferred Amounts on Net Pension Liability	<u>115,225</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>115,225</u>
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	<u>128,128</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>128,128</u>
Total Assets and Deferred Outflows of Resources	<u>8,165,328</u>	<u>1,506</u>	<u>8,166,834</u>
LIABILITIES			
Accounts Payable and Other Liabilities	79,443	154	79,597
Unearned Revenue	518,942		518,942
Accrued Interest Payable	18,325		18,325
Noncurrent Liabilities			
Due Within One Year	395,194		395,194
Due Beyond One Year	<u>4,932,961</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,932,961</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>5,944,865</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>5,945,019</u>
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Deferred Amounts on Net Pension Liability	<u>602,789</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>602,789</u>
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	<u>602,789</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>602,789</u>
Total Liabilities and Deferred Inflows of Resources	<u>6,547,654</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>6,547,808</u>
NET POSITION			
Net Investment in Capital Asset	2,782,904	-	2,782,904
Restricted for:			
Other Purposes	125,000		125,000
Capital Projects	1,807,914		1,807,914
Unrestricted	<u>(3,098,144)</u>	<u>1,352</u>	<u>(3,096,792)</u>
Total Net Position	<u>\$ 1,617,674</u>	<u>\$ 1,352</u>	<u>\$ 1,619,026</u>

The accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

Functions/Programs	Expenses	Program Revenues			Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position		
		Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total
Governmental Activities:							
Instruction:							
Regular	\$ 7,280,993		\$ 1,858,669		\$ (5,422,324)		\$ (5,422,324)
Special Education	3,824,169	\$ 84,299	1,525,367		(2,214,503)		(2,214,503)
Other Instruction	251,226		121,662		(129,564)		(129,564)
School Sponsored Activities	47,942				(47,942)		(47,942)
Support Services:							
Student and Instruction Related Services	2,187,789		320,657		(1,867,132)		(1,867,132)
School Administrative Services	743,079		130,383		(612,696)		(612,696)
General Administrative Services	468,797		-		(468,797)		(468,797)
Plant Operations and Maintenance	1,158,476		20,237	\$ 29,349	(1,108,890)		(1,108,890)
Pupil Transportation	446,749		38,069		(408,680)		(408,680)
Central Services	364,088				(364,088)		(364,088)
Interest on Long-Term Debt	45,208				(45,208)		(45,208)
Total Governmental Activities	16,818,516	84,299	4,015,044	29,349	(12,689,824)	-	(12,689,824)
Business-Type Activities:							
Food Service	252,114	117,186	118,281	-	-	\$ (16,647)	(16,647)
Total Business-Type Activities	252,114	117,186	118,281	-	-	(16,647)	(16,647)
Total Primary Government	\$ 17,070,630	\$ 201,485	\$ 4,133,325	\$ 29,349	(12,689,824)	(16,647)	(12,706,471)
General Revenues and Transfers:							
Taxes:							
Property Taxes, Levied for General Purposes, Net					13,403,910		13,403,910
Taxes Levied for Debt Service					221,060		221,060
Unrestricted Grants & Contributions					16,334		16,334
Interest					7,006	2	7,008
Miscellaneous Income					48,844		48,844
Transfers					(13,000)	13,000	-
Total General Revenues and Transfers					13,684,154	13,002	13,697,156
Change in Net Position					994,330	(3,645)	990,685
Net Position—Beginning of Year (Restated)					623,344	4,997	628,341
Net Position—End of Year					\$ 1,617,674	\$ 1,352	\$ 1,619,026

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FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
AS OF JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Special Revenue Fund</u>	<u>Capital Projects Fund</u>	<u>Debt Service Fund</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
ASSETS					
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 2,488,940		\$ 737,974		\$ 3,226,914
Receivables From Other Governments	59,457	\$ 118,104	507,498	-	685,059
Other Receivables	5,075				5,075
Due from Other Funds	<u>77,141</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>77,141</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$ 2,630,613</u>	<u>\$ 118,104</u>	<u>\$ 1,245,472</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 3,994,189</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES					
Liabilities:					
Accounts Payable	\$ 62,301	\$ 970			\$ 63,271
Accrued Salaries	16,172				16,172
Due to Other Funds	-	77,141			77,141
Unearned Revenue	<u>800</u>	<u>39,993</u>	<u>\$ 478,149</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>518,942</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>79,273</u>	<u>118,104</u>	<u>478,149</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>675,526</u>
Fund Balance:					
Restricted					
Excess Surplus	385,723				385,723
Excess Surplus Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures	504,785				504,785
Capital Reserve	1,040,591				1,040,591
Emergency Reserve	202,409				202,409
Maintenance Reserve	125,000				125,000
Capital Projects			767,323		767,323
Assigned					
Year-end Encumbrances	35,789				35,789
ARRA/SEMI - Unreserved - Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures	16,901				16,901
Unassigned					
General Fund	<u>240,142</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>240,142</u>
Total Fund Balances	<u>2,551,340</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>767,323</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,318,663</u>
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	<u>\$ 2,630,613</u>	<u>\$ 118,104</u>	<u>\$ 1,245,472</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	

The accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
AS OF JUNE 30, 2015**

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position (A-1) are different because:	\$ 3,318,663
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds. The cost of the assets is \$10,090,139 and the accumulated depreciation is \$5,969,987	4,120,152
Amount resulting from the refunding of debt are reported as deferred outflows of resources on the statement of net position and amortized over the life of the debt.	12,903
The District has financed capital assets through the issuance of serial bonds. The interest accrued at year end is:	(18,325)
Certain amounts resulting from the measurement of the net pension liability are reported as either deferred inflows or resources or deferred outflows of resources on the statement of net position and deferred over future years.	
Deferred Outflows of Resources	\$ 115,225
Deferred Inflows of Resources	<u>(602,789)</u>
	(487,564)
Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported as liabilities in the funds:	
Bonds Payable, Net	(1,318,281)
Capital Leases	(31,870)
Compensated Absence	(313,698)
Net Pension Liability	<u>(3,664,306)</u>
	<u>(5,328,155)</u>
Net position of governmental activities	<u>\$ 1,617,674</u>

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LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

	<u>General</u> <u>Fund</u>	<u>Special</u> <u>Revenue</u> <u>Fund</u>	<u>Capital</u> <u>Projects</u> <u>Fund</u>	<u>Debt</u> <u>Service</u> <u>Fund</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>Governmental</u> <u>Funds</u>
REVENUES					
Local Sources:					
Property Tax Levy	\$ 13,403,910			\$ 221,060	\$ 13,624,970
Tuition	84,299				84,299
Interest	7,006				7,006
Miscellaneous	48,844	\$ 6,786	-	-	55,630
Total - Local Sources	<u>13,544,059</u>	<u>6,786</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>221,060</u>	<u>13,771,905</u>
State Sources	2,147,919		\$ 29,349		2,177,268
Federal Sources	47,178	302,672	-	-	349,850
Total Revenues	<u>15,739,156</u>	<u>309,458</u>	<u>29,349</u>	<u>221,060</u>	<u>16,299,023</u>
EXPENDITURES					
Current:					
Regular Instruction	6,216,505	7,046			6,223,551
Special Education Instruction	3,277,945	216,504			3,494,449
Other Instruction	158,806	79,811			238,617
School Sponsored Activities and Athletics	48,556				48,556
Support Services	-				-
Student and Instruction Related Services	1,978,013	6,097			1,984,110
School Administrative Services	452,433				452,433
General Administrative Services	691,331				691,331
Plant Operations and Maintenance	1,164,291				1,164,291
Pupil Transportation	442,702				442,702
Central Services	361,822				361,822
Debt Service:					
Principal	10,130			175,000	185,130
Interest and Other Charges	1,006			46,060	47,066
Capital Outlay	-	-	94,273	-	94,273
Total Expenditures	<u>14,803,540</u>	<u>309,458</u>	<u>94,273</u>	<u>221,060</u>	<u>15,428,331</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	<u>935,616</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(64,924)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>870,692</u>
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)					
Transfers In			701,000		701,000
Transfers Out	(714,000)	-	-	-	(714,000)
Total Other Financing Sources and (Uses)	<u>(714,000)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>701,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(13,000)</u>
Net Change in Fund Balances	221,616	-	636,076	-	857,692
Fund Balance, Beginning of Year	<u>2,329,724</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>131,247</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,460,971</u>
Fund Balance, End of Year	<u>\$ 2,551,340</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 767,323</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 3,318,663</u>

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**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

Total net change in fund balances - governmental funds (from B-2) \$ 857,692

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities (A-2) are different because:

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 and allocated over their estimated useful lives as annual depreciation expense. This is the amount by which depreciation exceeds capital outlay in the current period.

Capital Outlay	\$ 94,273	
Depreciation Expense	<u>(258,312)</u>	(164,039)

Repayment of debt is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the statement of net assets and is not reported in the statement of activities.

Bond Principal	175,000	
Capital Leases	<u>10,130</u>	185,130

The issuance of refunding bonds provides current financial resources to the governmental funds, while the repayment of the refunded bonds uses those current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transactions, however, has any effect on net assets. Also, governmental funds report the effect of issuance costs, premiums and other such items related to the refunding bonds when they are first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities.

Amortization of Bond Premium	4,406	
Amortization of Deferred Outflow on Refunding	<u>(4,280)</u>	126

In the statement of activities, interest on long-term debt in the statement of activities is accrued, regardless of when due. In the governmental funds, interest is reported when due. The accrued interest is an addition in the reconciliation. (+)

Decrease in Accrued Interest Payable		1,732
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In the statement of activities, certain operating expenses, e.g., compensated absences and pension expense are measured by the amounts earned during the year. In the governmental funds, however, expenditures for these items are reported in the amount of financial resources used (paid). When the earned amount exceeds the paid amount, the difference is reduction in the reconciliation (-); when the paid amount exceeds the earned amount the difference is an addition to the reconciliation (+).

Decrease in Compensated Absences	69,990	
Decrease in Pension Expense	<u>43,699</u>	113,689

Change in net assets of governmental activities (Exhibit A-2) \$ 994,330

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 PROPRIETARY FUND
 STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
 AS OF JUNE 30, 2015

**Business-Type
 Activities
 Enterprise Funds**
Food Services

ASSETS

Current Assets

Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 927
Inventory	<u>579</u>

Total Current Assets	<u>1,506</u>
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Noncurrent Assets

Furniture, Machinery and Equipment	33,228
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(33,228)</u>

Total Noncurrent Assets	<u>-</u>
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Total Assets	<u>1,506</u>
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LIABILITIES

Current Liabilities

Accounts Payable	<u>154</u>
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Total Current Liabilities	<u>154</u>
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NET POSITION

Unrestricted	<u>1,352</u>
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Total Net Position	<u>\$ 1,352</u>
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**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 PROPRIETARY FUND
 STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND
 CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION
 FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

**Business-Type
 Activities
 Enterprise Funds**

Food Services

OPERATING REVENUES

Charges for Services	
Daily Sales	\$ 117,186
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Total Operating Revenues	117,186

OPERATING EXPENSES

Cost of Food	187,118
Salaries and Wages	63,226
Supplies and Materials	821
Other Expense	949
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Total Operating Expenses	252,114

Operating Income (Loss)	<u>(134,928)</u>
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NONOPERATING REVENUES

State Sources	
State School Lunch Program	2,808
Federal Sources	
National School Lunch Program	113,573
National School Breakfast Program	1,900
Interest and Investment Revenue	<u>2</u>
Total Nonoperating Revenues	<u>118,283</u>

Change in Net Position Before Transfers	(16,645)
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Transfers In	<u>13,000</u>
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Change in Net Position	(3,645)
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Total Net Position - Beginning of Year	<u>4,997</u>
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Total Net Position - End of Year	<u>\$ 1,352</u>
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**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 PROPRIETARY FUND
 STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
 FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	Business-Type Activities Enterprise Funds
	<u>Food Services</u>
Cash Flows from Operating Activities	
Cash Received from Customers	\$ 117,186
Cash Payments for Employees' Salaries and Benefits	(63,226)
Cash Payments to Suppliers for Goods and Services	<u>(203,612)</u>
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities	<u>(149,652)</u>
Cash Flows from Noncapital Financing Activities	
Cash Received from State and Federal Subsidy Reimbursements	118,312
Cash Received from Other Funds	<u>13,000</u>
Net Cash Provided by Noncapital Financing Activities	<u>131,312</u>
Cash Flows from Investing Activities	
Interest on Investments	<u>2</u>
Net Cash Provided by Investing Activities	<u>2</u>
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(18,338)
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Year	<u>19,265</u>
Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Year	<u>\$ 927</u>
Reconciliation of Operating (Loss) / Income to Net Cash (Used) / Provided by Operating Activities	
Operating (Loss) / Income	\$ <u>(134,928)</u>
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Loss to Net Cash (Used) / Provided by Operating Activities	
Non-Cash Federal Assistance - USDA Commodity Program	18,665
(Increase) Decrease in Inventory	558
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable	<u>(33,947)</u>
Total Adjustments	<u>(14,724)</u>
Net Cash (Used) / Provided by Operating Activities	<u>\$ (149,652)</u>
Non-Cash Investing, Capital and Financial Activities	
Value Received - Food Distribution Program	\$ 18,665

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**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
AS OF JUNE 30, 2015**

	Unemployment Compensation <u>Trust Fund</u>	<u>Agency Fund</u>
ASSETS		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 74,325	\$ 31,438
Total Assets	<u>74,325</u>	<u>\$ 31,438</u>
LIABILITIES		
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings		\$ 9,769
Reserve for Flex Spending		1,533
Due to State of New Jersey	102	
Due to Student Groups	<u>-</u>	<u>20,136</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>102</u>	<u>\$ 31,438</u>
NET POSITION		
Held In Trust For Unemployment Claims and Other Purposes	<u>\$ 74,223</u>	

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**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	Unemployment Compensation <u>Trust Fund</u>
ADDITIONS	
Contributions	
Employee	\$ <u>15,704</u>
Total Contributions	<u>15,704</u>
Investment Earnings:	
Interest	<u>179</u>
Net Investment Earnings	<u>179</u>
Total Additions	<u>15,883</u>
DEDUCTIONS	
Unemployment Claims	<u>48,877</u>
Total Deductions	<u>48,877</u>
Change in Net Position	(32,994)
Net Position, Beginning of Year	<u>107,217</u>
Net Position, End of Year	<u>\$ 74,223</u>

The accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Reporting Entity

The Little Falls Board of Education (the “Board” or the “District”) is an instrumentality of the State of New Jersey, established to function as an education institution. The Board consists of nine elected officials and is responsible for the fiscal control of the District. A superintendent is appointed by the Board and is responsible for the administrative control of the District. Under existing statutes, the Board's duties and powers include, but are not limited to, the development and adoption of a school program; the establishment, organization and operation of schools; and the acquisition, maintenance and disposition of school property.

The Board also has broad financial responsibilities, including the approval of the annual budget and the establishment of a system of accounting and budgetary controls.

The reporting entity is composed of the primary government, component units, and other organizations that are included to ensure that the financial statements of the District are not misleading. The primary government consists of all funds, departments, boards and agencies that are not legally separate from the District. For the Little Falls Board of Education this includes general operations, food service, and student related activities of the District.

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the District is financially accountable. The District is financially accountable for an organization if the District appoints a voting majority of the organization's governing board and (1) the District is able to significantly influence the programs or services performed or provided by the organization; or (2) the District is legally entitled to or can otherwise access the organization's resources; the District is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the responsibility to finance the deficits of, or provide financial support to, the organization; or the District is obligated for the debt of the organization. Component units may also include organizations that are fiscally dependent on the District in that the District approves the budget, the issuance of debt or the levying of taxes. Based on the foregoing criteria, the District has no component units. Furthermore, the District is not includable in any other reporting entity as a component unit.

B. New Accounting Standards

During fiscal year 2015, the District adopted the following GASB statements:

- GASB 68, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions*. The objective of this Statement is to improve accounting and financial reporting by state and local governments for pensions. It also improves information provided by state and local governmental employers about financial support for pensions that is provided by other entities. This Statement replaces the requirements of Statement No. 27, *Accounting for Pensions by State and Local Governmental Employers*, as well as the requirements of Statement No. 50, *Pension Disclosures*, as they relate to pensions that are provided through pension plans administered as trusts or equivalent arrangements that meet certain criteria.
- GASB 71, *Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date – an amendment of GASB Statement No. 68*, should be applied simultaneously with the provisions of Statement No. 68. The objective of this Statement is to address an issue regarding application of the transition provisions of Statement No. 68, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions*. The issue relates to amounts associated with contributions, if any, made by a state or local government employer or nonemployer contributing entity to a defined benefit pension plan after the measurement date of the government's beginning net pension liability.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

B. New Accounting Standards (Continued)

The District was unable to implement these accounting standards for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2015 as the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits, has not provided the applicable information required to comply with these accounting standards. Therefore, the District is unable to determine the impact of these accounting standards on its financial statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015.

Other accounting standards that the District is currently reviewing for applicability and potential impact on the financial statements include:

- GASB 72, *Fair Value Measurement and Application*, will be effective beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016. This Statement addresses accounting and financial reporting issues related to fair value measurements. This Statement provides guidance for determining a fair value measurement for financial reporting purposes. This Statement also provides guidance for applying fair value to certain investments and disclosures related to all fair value measurements.
- GASB 73, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions and Related Assets that Are Not Within the Scope of GASB Statement 68, and Amendments to Certain Provisions of GASB Statements 67 and 68*, will be effective beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017. The objective of this Statement is to improve the usefulness of information about pensions included in the general purpose external financial reports of state and local governments for making decisions and assessing accountability.
- GASB 74, *Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other than Pension Plans*, will be effective beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017. The objective of this Statement is to improve the usefulness of information about postemployment benefits other than pensions (other postemployment benefits or OPEB) included in the general purpose external financial reports of state and local governmental OPEB plans for making decisions and assessing accountability.
- GASB 75, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions*, will be effective beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018. The primary objective of this Statement is to improve accounting and financial reporting by state and local governments for postemployment benefits other than pensions (other postemployment benefits or OPEB). It also improves information provided by state and local governmental employers about financial support for OPEB that is provided by other entities.
- GASB 76, *The Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for State and Local Governments*, will be effective beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016. The objective of this Statement is to identify – in the context of the current governmental financial reporting environment – the hierarchy of generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). The “GAAP hierarchy” consists of the sources of accounting principles used to prepare financial statements of state and local governmental entities in conformity with GAAP and the framework for selecting those principles. This Statement reduces the GAAP hierarchy to two categories of authoritative GAAP and addresses the use of authoritative and nonauthoritative literature in the event that the accounting treatment for a transaction or other event is not specified within a source of authoritative GAAP.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

C. Basis of Presentation - Financial Statements

The financial statements include both district-wide financial statements (based on the District as a whole) and fund financial statements (based on specific District activities or objectives). Both the district-wide and fund financial statements categorize activities as either governmental activities or business-type activities. While separate district-wide and fund financial statements are presented, they are interrelated. In the district-wide financial statements, the governmental activities column incorporates data from governmental funds, while business-type activities incorporate data from the District's enterprise funds. Fiduciary funds are excluded from the district-wide financial statements.

District-Wide Financial Statements

The district-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the Board of Education. All fiduciary activities are reported only in the fund financial statements. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by property taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. In the statement of net position, both the governmental and business-type activities columns (a) are presented on a consolidated basis by column, and (b) reflect on a full accrual economic resource basis, which incorporates long-term assets and receivables as well as long-term debt and obligations.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. Program revenues include 1) charges to customers or other governmental entities, including other school districts, who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods or services provided by a given function or segment and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Property taxes, unrestricted state aid, and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

As a general rule the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the district-wide financial statements. Exceptions to this general rule are charges between the Board's proprietary and fiduciary funds since elimination of these charges would distort the direct costs and program revenues reported for the various functions concerned.

Fund Financial Statements

Separate fund financial statements are provided for governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary activities, even though the latter are excluded from the district-wide financial statements. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major individual governmental and enterprise funds, each reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. The District considers all of its governmental and enterprise funds to be major funds.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

C. Basis of Presentation - Financial Statements (Continued)

Fund Financial Statements (Continued)

The District reports the following major governmental funds:

The *general fund* is the School District's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the District, except those to be accounted for in another fund.

The *special revenue fund* accounts for the proceeds of specific revenue sources legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes. This fund accounts for federal, state and local financial programs, with the exception of grants for major capital projects and the child nutrition programs.

The *capital projects fund* accounts for the proceeds from the sale of bonds, lease purchases and other revenues used for the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets, other than those financed by the proprietary funds.

The *debt service fund* accounts for the accumulation of resources that are restricted, committed or assigned for the payment of principal and interest on long-term general obligation debt of governmental funds.

The District reports the following major proprietary fund which is organized to be self-supporting through user charges:

The *food service fund* accounts for the activities of the school cafeteria, which provides food service to students as well as a la carte and catering services for teachers and special events.

Additionally, the government reports the following fund type:

The *fiduciary trust fund* is used to account for resources legally held in trust for the state unemployment insurance claims, payroll related activities and student related activities which are supported and controlled by student organizations and clubs. All resources of the fund, including any earnings on invested resources, may be used to support the intended purpose. There is no requirement that any portion of these resources be preserved as capital.

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

Reclassifications

Certain amounts presented in the prior year data may have been reclassified in order to be consistent with the current year's presentation.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

D. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The accounting and financial reporting treatment is determined by the applicable measurement focus and basis of accounting. Measurement focus indicates the type of resources being measured such as current financial resources or economic resources. The basis of accounting indicates the timing of transactions or events for recognition in the financial statements.

The district-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements with the exception of the agency fund which does not have a measurement focus. All assets, all liabilities and all deferred outflows/inflows of resources associated with these operations (with the exception of the fiduciary funds) are included on the Statement of Net Position. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when susceptible to accrual (i.e. when they are both measurable and available). Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the Board considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days after year-end. Expenditures are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual basis of accounting, with the exception of debt service expenditures as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments which are recorded only when payment is due. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Issuance of long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Property taxes, tuition, unrestricted state aid and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. Entitlements (formula-type grants and aid) are recorded as revenues when all eligibility requirements are met, including any time requirements, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue source. Expenditure-driven grants and similar awards (reimbursement-type grants and awards) are recognized as revenue when the qualifying expenditures have been incurred and all other eligibility requirements imposed by the grantor or provider have been met, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue source. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the District.

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the government's policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

E. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance

1. Cash, Cash Equivalents and Investments

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.

Investments are reported at fair value and are limited by N.J.S.A. 18A:20-37.

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NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

E. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued)

2. *Receivables*

All receivables are reported at their gross value, and where appropriate, are reduced by the estimated portion that is expected to be uncollectible.

3. *Inventories*

The cost of inventories of the governmental fund types are recorded as expenditures at the time individual inventory items are purchased.

Food Service Fund inventories, exclusive of the federal commodities, are valued at cost, using the first-in first-out (FIFO) method and consist of food and expendable supplies. The cost of such inventories is recorded as expenses when consumed rather than when purchased. The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) commodity portion of the Food Service Fund inventory consists of food donated by the USDA. It is valued at estimated market prices by the USDA.

4. *Capital Assets*

Capital assets, which include property, plant and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the district-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the Board as assets with an initial, individual cost of \$2,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. The District was able to estimate the historical cost for the initial reporting of these capital assets through back trending. As the District constructs or acquires additional capital assets each period, they are capitalized and reported at historical cost. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend its useful life are not capitalized.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed. Interest incurred during the construction phase of capital assets of business-type activities is included as part of the capitalized value of the assets constructed.

Land and construction in progress are not depreciated. The other property, plant, and equipment of the District is depreciated using the straight line method over the following estimated useful lives:

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Years</u>
Land Improvements	20
Buildings and Building Improvements	20-50
Machinery and Equipment	5-10

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NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

E. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued)

5. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The government has two items which arise only under the accrual basis of accounting that qualify for reporting in this category. One item is the deferred amounts on refunding of debt which results from the loss on a debt refunding reported in the district-wide statement of net position. Deferred amounts on debt refunding result from the loss on the transaction when the debt's reacquisition price is greater than the carrying value of the refunded debt. These amounts are deferred and amortized over the shorter of the life of the refunded or refunding debt. The other item that qualifies for reporting in this category is the deferred amounts on net pension liability. Deferred amounts on net pension liability are reported in the district-wide statement of net position and result from: (1) differences between expected and actual experience; (2) changes in assumptions; (3) net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments; (4) changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share of contributions; and (5) contributions made subsequent to the measurement date. These amounts are deferred and amortized over future years.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The government has one type of item which arise only under the accrual basis of accounting that qualify for reporting in this category. The item that qualifies for reporting in this category are the deferred amounts on net pension liability. Deferred amounts on net pension liability are reported in the district-wide statement of net position and result from: (1) differences between expected and actual experience; (2) changes in assumptions; (3) net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments; and (4) changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share of contributions. These amounts are deferred and amortized over future years.

6. Compensated Absences

It is the District's policy to permit employees to accumulate (with certain restrictions) earned but unused sick leave benefits. A long-term liability of accumulated vacation, personal and sick leave and salary related payments has been recorded in the governmental activities in the district-wide financial statements, representing the Board's commitment to fund such costs from future operations. Proprietary Funds accrue accumulated vacation, personal and sick leave and salary related payments in the period that they are earned. A liability is reported in the governmental funds only to the amount actually due at year end as a result of employee resignations and retirements.

7. Pensions

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

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NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

E. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued)

7. Pensions (Continued)

In the governmental fund financial statements, net pension liabilities represent amounts normally expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources for required pension contributions that are due and payable at year end. Pension expenditures are recognized based on contractual pension contributions that are required to be made to the pension plan during the fiscal year.

8. Long-Term Obligations

In the district-wide financial statements, and proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund type statement of net position. Gains resulting from debt refundings are classified as deferred inflows of resources and losses are reported as deferred outflows or resources. Bond premiums and discounts are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method. Gains and losses resulting from debt refundings are also deferred and amortized over the life of the refunded bonds or new bonds whichever is less using the effective interest method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. Bond issuance costs (other than for prepaid insurance) are treated as an expense.

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

9. Net Position/Fund Balance

District-Wide Statements

In the district-wide statements, there are three classes of net position:

- **Net Investment in Capital Assets** – consists of net capital assets (cost less accumulated depreciation) reduced by outstanding balances of related debt obligations from the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources attributable to the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets or related debt also should be included.
- **Restricted Net Position** – reports net position when constraints placed on the residual amount of noncapital assets 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.
- **Unrestricted Net Position** – any portion of net position not already classified as either net investment in capital assets or net position – restricted is classified as net position – unrestricted.

Governmental Fund Statements

Fund balance categories are designed to make the nature and extent of the constraints placed on the District's fund balance more transparent. These categories are comprised of a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which the District is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources reported in governmental funds.

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NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

E. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued)

9. Net Position/Fund Balance (Continued)

Governmental Fund Statements (Continued)

Restricted Fund Balance – Amounts constrained to specific purposes by their providers (such as grantors, bondholders, and higher levels of government), through constitutional provisions, or by enabling legislation.

Excess Surplus – Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures - This restriction was created in accordance with NJSA 18A:7F-7 to represent the June 30, 2014 audited excess surplus that was appropriated in the 2015/2016 original budget certified for taxes.

Excess Surplus – This restriction was created in accordance with NJSA 18A:7F-7 to represent the June 30, 2015 audited excess surplus that is required to be appropriated in the 2016/2017 original budget certified for taxes.

Capital Reserve – This restriction was created by the District in accordance with NJAC 6A:23A-14.1 to fund future capital expenditures (See Note 2.)

Emergency Reserve – This restriction was created in accordance with NJAC 6A:23A-14.4(A)1 to accumulate funds in accordance with State statute to finance unanticipated general fund expenditures required for a thorough and efficient education.

Maintenance Reserve – This restriction was created by the Board in accordance with NJAC 6A:23A-14.2 to accumulate funds for the required maintenance of school facilities in accordance with the EFCA (NJSA 18A:7G-9) for a thorough and efficient education.

Capital Projects – Represents fund balance restricted specifically for capital acquisitions and improvements in the Capital Projects Fund.

Assigned Fund Balance – Amounts a government intends to use for a specific purpose; intent can be expressed by the governing body or by an official or body to which the governing body delegates the authority.

Year-End Encumbrances – Represent outstanding purchase orders for goods or services approved by management for specific purposes from available resources of the current year for which the goods and materials have not yet been received or the services have not yet been rendered at June 30.

ARRA/SEMI – Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures – This designation was created to dedicate the portion of the ARRA/SEMI revenue that is unexpended at June 30, 2015 that will be appropriated either by Board resolution into the 2015/2016 budget or in the adopted 2016/2017 budget certified for taxes.

Unassigned Fund Balance – Represents fund balance that has not been restricted, committed or assigned to specific purposes within the governmental funds.

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NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

F. Revenues and Expenditures/Expenses

1. *Program Revenues*

Amounts reported as program revenues in the district-wide statement of activities include 1) charges to customers or applicants for goods or services, provided, 2) operating grants and contributions, and 3) capital grants and contributions. Internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues. Likewise, general revenues include all property taxes, investment earnings and miscellaneous revenues.

2. *Property Taxes*

Property taxes are levied pursuant to law and are collected by the municipality and are transferred to the District as requested. Property tax revenues are recognized in the year they are levied and become available. Property taxes collected in advance of the year-end for which they are levied and transferred to the District are reported as deferred inflows of resources. The tax bills are mailed annually in June by the municipal tax collector and are levied and due in four quarterly installments on August 1, November 1, February 1 and May 1 of the fiscal year. When unpaid, taxes or any other municipal lien, or part thereof, on real property, remains in arrears on April 1st in the year following the calendar year levy when the same became in arrears, the tax collector of the municipality shall, subject to the provisions of New Jersey Statute, enforce the lien by placing the property on a tax sale. The municipality may institute annual "in rem" tax foreclosure proceedings to enforce the tax collection or acquisition of title to the property.

3. *Tuition Revenues and Expenditures*

Tuition Revenues - Tuition charges were established by the Board of Education based on estimated costs. The charges are subject to adjustment when the final costs are determined and certified by the State Department of Education.

Tuition Expenditures - Tuition charges for the fiscal years 2013-2014 and 2014-2015 were based on rates established by the receiving district. These rates are subject to change when the actual costs have been certified by the State Department of Education.

4. *Proprietary Funds, Operating and Non-Operating Revenues and Expenses*

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the food service enterprise fund are charges to customers for sales and services. Operating expenses for enterprise funds include the cost of sales and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses. Federal and State subsidies for the food service operation are considered nonoperating revenues.

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NOTE 2 STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

A. Budgetary Information

In accordance with the requirements of the New Jersey Department of Education (“the Department”), the District annually prepares its operating budget for the forthcoming year. The budget, except for the general fund and special revenue fund, which is more fully explained below and in the notes to the required supplementary information, is prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and serves as a formal plan for expenditures and the proposed means for financing them. Capital lease transactions are accounted for on the GAAP basis.

The annual budget is adopted in the spring of the preceding year for the general, special revenue and debt service funds. The District is not required to adopt an annual budget for the capital projects fund. The budget is submitted to the county superintendent for review and approval prior to adoption. Prior to the 2012/2013 budget year, the annual budget was required to be voted upon at the annual school election held on the third Tuesday in April. On January 17, 2012, Chapter 202 of the Laws of P.L. 2011 was approved which established procedures for moving the date of a school district’s annual school election from April to the general election in November. Under the new law, districts that have their school board members elected in November no longer have to submit their budgets that meet levy cap requirements for voter approval beginning with the 2012/2013 budget year. Only a school board decision to exceed the tax levy cap would require voter approval for the additional amount on the November ballot. On February 7, 2012, the Board adopted a resolution to move its annual election to the date of the general elections in accordance with the law; therefore voter approval of the annual budget is not required.

Budget adoptions and amendments are recorded in the District’s board minutes. The budget is amended by the Board of Trustees as needed throughout the year. The budget for revenues, other resources, other uses, and fund balances is prepared by fund source and amount. The budget for expenditures is prepared by fund, program, function, object and amount. The legal level of budgetary control is established at the line item account within each fund. Line item accounts are defined as the lowest (most specific) level of detail as established pursuant to the minimum chart of accounts referenced in N.J.A.C. 6:20-2A.2(m)1. The Board approved several budget transfers during 2014/2015. Also, during 2014/2015 the Board increased the original budget by \$850,747. The increase was funded by additional grant awards, the reappropriation of prior year general fund encumbrances and the appropriation of capital reserve funds.

Formal budgetary integration into the accounting system is employed as a management control device during the year. For governmental funds there are no substantial differences between the budgetary basis of accounting and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, with the exception of the legally mandated revenue recognition of certain state aid payments for budgetary purposes only and the treatment of encumbrances in the special revenue fund as described in the Notes to Required Supplementary Information (RSI). Encumbrance accounting is also employed as an extension of formal budgetary integration in the governmental fund types. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at fiscal year end.

Encumbrance accounting is employed in the governmental funds. Under encumbrance accounting, purchase orders, contracts and other commitments for the expenditure of resources are recorded to reserve a portion of the applicable appropriation. Open encumbrances in governmental funds other than the special revenue fund are reported as committed and/or assigned fund balances at fiscal year end as they do not constitute expenditures or liabilities but rather commitments related to unperformed contracts for goods and services which are reappropriated and honored during the subsequent fiscal year.

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NOTE 2 STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY (Continued)

B. Capital Reserve

A capital reserve account was established by the District. The accumulation of funds will be used for capital outlay expenditures in subsequent fiscal years. The capital reserve is maintained in the general fund and its activity is included in the general fund annual budget.

Funds placed in the capital reserve are restricted to capital projects in the district’s approved Long Range Facilities Plan (LRFP). Upon submission of the LRFP to the Department, a district may increase the balance in the capital reserve by appropriating funds in the annual general fund budget certified for taxes or by transfer by board resolution at year end of any unanticipated revenue or unexpended line-item appropriation amounts or both. A district may also appropriate additional amounts when the express approval of the voters has been obtained either by a separate proposal at budget time or by a special question at one of the four special elections authorized pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:60-2. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6:23A-14.1(g), the balance in the reserve cannot at any time exceed the local support costs of uncompleted capital projects in its approved LRFP.

The activity of the capital reserve for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 is as follows:

Balance, July 1, 2014		\$ 860,756
Increased by		
Deposits Approved by District Budget	\$ 190,835	
Deposits Approved by Board Resolution	<u>690,000</u>	
		880,835
		<u>1,741,591</u>
Withdrawals		
Approved by Board Resolution		<u>701,000</u>
Balance, June 30, 2015		<u>\$ 1,040,591</u>

C. Maintenance Reserve

A maintenance reserve account was established by the District. The accumulation of funds will be used for required maintenance of school facilities expenditures in subsequent fiscal years. The maintenance reserve is maintained in the General Fund and its activity is included in the General Fund annual budget.

Funds placed in the maintenance reserve are restricted to required maintenance activities for a school facility as reported in the comprehensive maintenance plan. A District may appropriate funds into the maintenance reserve in the annual General Fund budget certified for taxes or by transfer by board resolution at year end of any unanticipated revenue or unexpended line item appropriation amounts or both. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-14.2(g), the balance in the reserve cannot at any time exceed four percent of the replacement cost of the school district’s school facilities for the current year.

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NOTE 2 STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY (Continued)

C. Maintenance Reserve (Continued)

The activity of the maintenance reserve for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 is as follows:

Balance, July 1, 2014	<u>\$ 125,000</u>
Balance, June 30, 2015	<u>\$ 125,000</u>

The June 30, 2015 comprehensive maintenance plan indicated a maximum maintenance reserve amount of \$721,143. The withdrawals from the maintenance reserve were for use in required maintenance activities for school facilities.

D. Emergency Reserve

An emergency reserve account was established by the District. The accumulation of funds will be used to finance unanticipated General Fund current expenditures required for a thorough and efficient education in subsequent fiscal years.

Funds placed in the emergency reserve are restricted to finance reasonably unforeseeable costs and shall not include additional costs due to poor planning. A District may appropriate funds into the emergency reserve in the annual General Fund budget certified for taxes or by transfer by board resolution at year end of any unanticipated revenue or unexpended line item appropriation amounts or both. Withdrawals from the reserve require the approval of the Commissioner unless the withdrawal is necessary to meet an increase in total health care costs in excess of four percent. Pursuant to NJAC 6A:23A-14.4(A), the balance in the reserve cannot at any time exceed the greater of \$250,000 or one percent of the school district's General Fund budget as certified for taxes up to a maximum of \$1,000,000.

The activity of the emergency reserve for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 is as follows:

Balance, July 1, 2014	<u>\$ 202,409</u>
Balance, June 30, 2015	<u>\$ 202,409</u>

E. Calculation of Excess Surplus

In accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:7F-7, as amended, the restricted fund balance for Reserved Excess Surplus is a required calculation pursuant to the New Jersey Comprehensive Educational Improvement and Financing Act of 1996 (CEIFA). New Jersey school districts are required to reserve General Fund fund balance in excess of 2% of budget expenditures at the fiscal year end of June 30 if they did not appropriate a required minimum amount as budgeted fund balance in their subsequent year's budget. The excess fund balance at June 30, 2015 is \$890,508. Of this amount, \$504,785 was designated and appropriated in the 2015/2016 original budget certified for taxes and the remaining amount of \$385,723 will be appropriated in the 2016/2017 original budget certified for taxes.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
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NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS

A. Cash Deposits and Investments

Cash Deposits

The Board's deposits are insured through either the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC) or New Jersey's Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act (GUDPA). The Board is required to deposit their funds in a depository which is protecting such funds pursuant to GUDPA. The New Jersey Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act requires all banks doing business in the State of New Jersey to pledge collateral equal to at least 5% of the average amount of its public deposits and 100% of the average amount of its public funds in excess of the lesser of 75% of its capital funds or \$200 million for all deposits not covered by the FDIC.

Bank balances are insured up to \$250,000 in the aggregate by the FDIC for each bank. SIPC replaces cash claims up to a maximum of \$250,000 for each failed brokerage firm. At June 30, 2015, the book value of the Board's deposits were \$3,333,604 and bank and brokerage firm balances of the Board's deposits amounted to \$3,647,545. The Board's deposits which are displayed on the various fund balance sheets as "cash and cash equivalents" are categorized as:

Depository Account

Insured	\$ <u>3,647,545</u>
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Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits – Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits may not be returned to it. The Board does not have a policy for custodial credit risk. As of June 30, 2015 none of the Board's bank balances were exposed to custodial credit risk.

Investments

The Board is permitted to invest public funds in accordance with the types of securities authorized by N.J.S.A. 18A:20-37. Examples of the allowable investments are bonds or other obligations of the United States or obligations guaranteed by the United States of America, Government Money Market Mutual Funds, bonds or other obligations of the school district or bonds or other obligations of the local unit or units within which the school district is located, Local Government investment pools, and agreements or the repurchase of fully collateralized securities, if transacted in accordance with the above statute.

As of June 30, 2015, the Board had no outstanding investments.

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NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

B. Receivables

Receivables as of June 30, 2015 for the district's individual major funds, in the aggregate, are as follows:

	<u>General</u>	<u>Special Revenue</u>	<u>Capital Projects</u>	<u>Total</u>
Receivables:				
Intergovernmental	\$ 59,457	\$ 118,104	\$ 507,498	\$ 685,059
Other	<u>5,075</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>5,075</u>
Net Total Receivables	<u>\$ 64,532</u>	<u>\$ 118,104</u>	<u>\$ 507,498</u>	<u>\$ 690,134</u>

C. Unearned Revenue

Governmental funds report unearned revenue in connection with resources that have been received, but not yet earned. At the end of the current fiscal year, the various components of unearned revenue reported in the governmental funds were as follows:

General Fund		
Unearned Tuition Revenue	\$	800
Special Revenue Fund		
Unencumbered Grant Draw Downs		39,993
Capital Projects Fund		
Unrealized School Facilities Grant		<u>478,149</u>
Total Unearned Revenue for Governmental Funds	<u>\$</u>	<u>518,942</u>

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NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

D. Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 was as follows:

	Balance, July 1, 2014 (Restated)	Increases	Decreases	Balance, June 30, 2015
Governmental activities:				
Capital Assets, Not Being Depreciated:				
Land	\$ 29,415			\$ 29,415
Construction In Progress	-	\$ 64,323	-	64,323
Total Capital Assets, Not Being Depreciated	<u>29,415</u>	<u>64,323</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>93,738</u>
Capital Assets, Being Depreciated:				
Land Improvements	1,394,204			1,394,204
Buildings and Building Improvements	6,416,377	29,950		6,446,327
Machinery and Equipment	2,155,870	-	-	2,155,870
Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated	<u>9,966,451</u>	<u>29,950</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,996,401</u>
Less Accumulated Depreciation for:				
Land Improvements	(669,524)	(69,651)		(739,175)
Buildings and Improvements	(3,264,136)	(122,881)		(3,387,017)
Machinery and Equipment	(1,778,015)	(65,780)	-	(1,843,795)
Total Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(5,711,675)</u>	<u>(258,312)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(5,969,987)</u>
Total Capital Assets, Being Depreciated, Net	<u>4,254,776</u>	<u>(228,362)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,026,414</u>
Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net	<u>\$ 4,284,191</u>	<u>\$ (164,039)</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 4,120,152</u>
Business-Type Activities:				
Capital Assets, Being Depreciated:				
Machinery and Equipment	\$ 33,228	-	-	\$ 33,228
Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated	<u>33,228</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>33,228</u>
Less Accumulated Depreciation For:				
Machinery and Equipment	(33,228)	\$ -	-	(33,228)
Total Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(33,228)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(33,228)</u>
Total Capital Assets, Being Depreciated, Net	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Business-Type Activities Capital Assets, Net	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

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NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

D. Capital Assets (Continued)

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

Governmental Activities:

Instruction		
Regular	\$	116,345
Special		47,581
Other Instruction		<u>4,701</u>
Total Instruction		<u>168,627</u>
Support Services		
Support Services-Students		46,884
General Administration		7,129
School Administration		14,646
Operations and Maintenance of Plant		13,846
Student Transportation		1,111
Business and Other Support Services		<u>6,069</u>
Total Support Services		<u>89,685</u>
Total Depreciation Expense - Governmental Activities	\$	<u><u>258,312</u></u>

E. Interfund Receivables, Payables, and Transfers

The composition of interfund balances as of June 30, 2015, is as follows:

Due to/from other funds

<u>Receivable Fund</u>	<u>Payable Fund</u>	<u>Amount</u>
General Fund	Special Revenue	<u>\$ 77,141</u>

The above balances are the result of revenues earned or other financing sources received in one fund which are due to another fund and/or expenditures paid by one fund on behalf of another fund and/or to cover cash balances which were in an overdraft position.

The District expects all interfund balances to be liquidated within one year.

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NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

E. Interfund Receivables, Payables, and Transfers (Continued)

Interfund transfers

	<u>Transfer In:</u>		
	<u>Capital Projects</u>	<u>Food Service</u>	<u>Total</u>
Transfer Out:			
General Fund	<u>\$ 701,000</u>	<u>\$ 13,000</u>	<u>\$ 714,000</u>

The above transfers are the result of revenues earned and/or other financing sources received in one fund to finance expenditures in another fund.

F. Leases

Operating Leases

The District leases copiers under noncancelable operating leases. Lease payments for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 were \$19,178. The future minimum lease payments for these operating leases are as follows:

<u>Fiscal Year Ending June 30</u>	<u>Amount</u>
2016	\$ 19,178
2017	<u>1,600</u>
Total	<u>\$ 20,778</u>

Capital Leases

The District is leasing a bus totaling \$50,000 under capital leases. The leases are for terms of 5 years.

The future minimum lease obligations and the net present value of these minimum lease payments as of June 30, 2015 were as follows:

<u>Year Ending June 30</u>	<u>Governmental Activities</u>
2016	\$ 11,136
2017	11,136
2018	<u>11,136</u>
Total Minimum Lease Payments	33,408
Less: Amount Representing Interest	<u>1,538</u>
Present Value of Minimum Lease Payments	<u>\$ 31,870</u>

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NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

G. Long-Term Debt

General Obligation Bonds

The Board issued general obligation bonds to provide funds for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities and other capital assets. The full faith and credit of the Board are irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal of the bonds and the interest thereon.

Bonds payable at June 30, 2015 are comprised of the following issues:

\$1,850,000, 2011 Bonds, due in annual installments of \$175,000 to \$190,000 through August 1, 2011, interest at 2.625% to 4.00% \$1,305,000

The Board's schedule of principal and interest for long-term debt issued and outstanding is as follows:

Governmental Activities:

Fiscal Year Ended <u>June 30,</u>	<u>Serial Bonds</u>		<u>Total</u>
	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	
2016	\$ 185,000	\$ 41,553	\$ 226,553
2017	190,000	36,275	226,275
2018	190,000	30,456	220,456
2019	190,000	24,281	214,281
2020	185,000	17,722	202,722
2021-2024	<u>365,000</u>	<u>14,384</u>	<u>379,384</u>
	<u>\$ 1,305,000</u>	<u>\$ 164,671</u>	<u>\$ 1,469,671</u>

Statutory Borrowing Power

The Board's remaining borrowing power under N.J.S. 18A:24-19, as amended, at June 30, 2015 was as follows:

3% of Equalized Valuation Basis (Municipal)	\$ 50,812,469
Less: Net Debt	<u>1,305,000</u>
Remaining Borrowing Power	<u>\$ 49,507,469</u>

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NOTE 3 DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

H. Other Long-Term Liabilities

Changes in Long-Term Liabilities

Long-term liability activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, was as follows:

	<u>Balance,</u> <u>July 1, 2014</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Reductions</u>	<u>Balance,</u> <u>June 30, 2015</u>	<u>Due</u> <u>Within</u> <u>One Year</u>
Governmental Activities:					
Bonds Payable	\$ 1,480,000		\$ 175,000	\$ 1,305,000	\$ 185,000
Deferred Amounts:					
Add: Original Issue Premium	<u>17,687</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,406</u>	<u>13,281</u>	<u>3,607</u>
 Total Bonds Payable	 1,497,687	 -	 179,406	 1,318,281	 188,607
 Capital Leases	 \$ 42,000		 10,130	 31,870	 10,373
Compensated Absences	383,688	\$ 9,833	79,823	313,698	27,407
Net Pension Liability	<u>4,195,569</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>531,263</u>	<u>3,664,306</u>	<u>168,807</u>
Governmental Activity Long-Term Liabilities	<u>\$ 6,118,944</u>	<u>\$ 9,833</u>	<u>\$ 800,622</u>	<u>\$ 5,328,155</u>	<u>\$ 395,194</u>

Compensated absences are generally liquidated by the general fund.

NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION

A. Risk Management

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to property, general liability, automobile coverage, theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; student accident; termination of employees and natural disasters. The Board has obtained commercial insurance coverage to guard against these events to minimize the exposure to the District should they occur. A complete schedule of insurance coverage can be found in the statistical section of this Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

The District is a member of the New Jersey School Boards Association Insurance Group (NJSBAIG). The Group is a risk sharing public entity pool, established for the purpose of insuring against worker's compensation claims.

The relationship between the Board and the insurance funds is governed by a contract and by-laws that have been adopted by resolution of each unit's governing body. The Board is contractually obligated to make all annual and supplementary contributions to the funds, to report claims on a timely basis, cooperate with the management of the funds, its claims administrator and attorneys in claims investigation and settlement, and to follow risk management procedures as outlined by the funds. Members have a contractual obligation to fund any deficit of the funds attributable to a membership year during which they were a member.

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NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

A. Risk Management (Continued)

NJSBAIG provides its members with risk management services, including the defense of and settlement of claims and to establish reasonable and necessary loss reduction and prevention procedures to be followed by the members. Complete financial statements of the respective insurance funds are on file with the School's Business Administrator.

There has been no significant reduction in insurance coverage from the previous year nor have there been any settlements in excess of insurance coverage's in any of the prior three years.

The District has elected to fund its New Jersey Unemployment Compensation Insurance under the "Benefit Reimbursement Method". Under this plan the District is required to reimburse the New Jersey Unemployment Trust Fund for benefits paid to its former employees and charged to its account with the State. The District is billed quarterly for amounts due to the State. The following is a summary of District contributions, employee contributions, reimbursements to the State for benefits paid and the ending balance of the District's fiduciary trust fund for the current and previous two years:

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Employee Contributions	Amount Reimbursed	Ending Balance
2015	\$ 15,704	\$ 48,877	\$ 74,223
2014	14,967	70,562	107,217
2013	14,090	36,813	162,515

B. Contingent Liabilities

The District is a party defendant in some lawsuits, none of a kind unusual for a school district of its size and scope of operation. In the opinion of the Board's Attorney the potential claims against the District not covered by insurance policies would not materially affect the financial condition of the District.

Federal and State Awards – The Board participates in a number of federal and state programs that are fully or partially funded by grants received from other governmental units. Expenditures financed by grants are subject to audit by the appropriate grantor government. If expenditures are disallowed due to noncompliance with grant program regulations, the Board may be required to reimburse the grantor government. As of June 30, 2015, significant amounts of grant expenditures have not been audited by the various grantor agencies but the Board believes that disallowed expenditures, if any, based on subsequent audits will not have a material effect on any of the individual governmental funds or the overall financial position of the District.

C. Federal Arbitrage Regulations

The District is subject to Section 148 of the Internal Revenue Code as it pertains to the arbitrage rebate on all tax-exempt obligations, both long and short-term debt. Under the 1986 Tax Reform Act, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) required that all excess earnings from investment proceeds be rebated to the IRS. Arbitrage, for purposes of these regulations, is defined as the difference between the yield on the investment and the yield on the obligations issued. If there are excess earnings, this amount may be required to be rebated to the IRS. At June 30, 2015, the District has not estimated its arbitrage earnings due to the IRS, if any.

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D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans

The State of New Jersey sponsors and administers the following contributory defined benefit public employee retirement systems (retirement systems) covering substantially all eligible Board employees:

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) – Established in January 1955, under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:15A to provide coverage, including post-retirement health care, to substantially all full time employees of the State or any county, municipality, school district, or public agency provided the employee is not a member of another State-administered retirement system. Membership is mandatory for such employees and vesting occurs after 10 years of service for pension benefits and 25 years for post-retirement health care coverage. PERS is a cost sharing multi-employer defined benefit pension plan.

Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) – Established in January 1955, under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 18A:66 to provide coverage including post-retirement health care to substantially all full time certified teachers or professional staff of the public school systems in the State. Membership is mandatory for such employees and vesting occurs after 10 years of service for pension benefits and 25 years for post-retirement health care coverage. TPAF is a cost sharing plan with special funding situations.

The State of New Jersey sponsors and administers the following defined contribution public employee retirement program covering certain state and local government employees which include those Board employees who are eligible for pension coverage.

Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP) – established under the provisions of Chapter 92, P.L. 2007 and Chapter 103, P.L. 2008 to provide coverage to elected, certain appointed officials, and certain Board employees not eligible for enrollment in PERS or TPAF. Effective July 1, 2007 membership is mandatory for such individuals with vesting occurring after one (1) year of membership. DCRP is a defined contribution pension plan.

Other Pension Funds

The State established and administers a Supplemental Annuity Collective Trust Fund (SACT) which is available to active members of the State-administered retirement systems to purchase annuities to supplement the guaranteed benefits provided by their retirement system. The state or local government employers do not appropriate funds to SACT.

The cost of living increase for PERS and TPAF, are funded directly by each of the respective systems but are currently suspended as a result of reform legislation.

According to state law, all obligations of each retirement system will be assumed by the State of New Jersey should any retirement system be terminated.

The State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits, issues publicly available financial reports that include the financial statements and required supplementary information of each of the above systems. The financial reports may be accessed via the New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits, website at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions.

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NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the retirement systems are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. Employer contributions are recognized when payable to the retirement systems. Benefits or refunds are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the terms of the retirement systems.

Investment Valuation

Investments are reported at fair value. Securities traded on a national or international exchange are valued at the last reported sales price at current exchange rates. Mortgages are valued on the basis of future principal and interest payments, and are discounted at prevailing interest rates for similar instruments. The fair value of real estate investments is based on independent appraisals. Investments that do not have an established market are reported at estimated fair values.

The State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Investment, issues publicly available financial reports that include the financial statements of the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund. The financial reports may be obtained in writing to the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Investment, P.O. Box 290, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0290 or at www.state.nj/treasury/doinvest.

Funding Status and Funding Progress

As of July 1, 2013, the most recent actuarial valuation date, the aggregate funded ratio for all the State administered retirement systems including TPAF and PERS, is 62.8 percent with an unfunded actuarial accrued liability of \$51.0 billion. The aggregate funded ratio and unfunded accrued liability for the State-funded systems is 54.2 percent and \$37.3 billion, and the aggregate funded ratio and unfunded accrued liability for local PERS and Police and Firemen's Retirement System ("PFRS") is 75.4 percent and \$13.7 billion, respectively.

The funded status and funding progress of the retirement systems is based on actuarial valuations which involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of events far into the future. These amounts are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared to past expectations and new estimates are made about the probability of future events.

Actuarial calculations reflect a long-term perspective and are based on the benefits provided under the terms of the retirement systems in effect at the time of each valuation and also consider the pattern of the sharing of costs between the employer and members at that point in time. The projection of benefits for financing reporting purposes does not explicitly incorporate the potential effects of legal or contractual funding limitations on the pattern of cost sharing between the employer and members in the future.

Actuarial Methods and Assumptions

In the July 1, 2013 actuarial valuation, the projected unit credit was used as the actuarial cost method, and the five year average of market value was used as the asset valuation method for the retirement systems. The actuarial assumptions included (a) an investment rate of return for the retirement systems of 7.90 percent and (b) projected salary increases of 4.24 percent for the PERS and 3.33 percent for TPAF.

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D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

Employer and Employee Pension Contributions

The contribution policy is set by laws of the State of New Jersey and contributions are required by active members and participating employers. Plan member and employer contributions may be amended by State of New Jersey legislation with the amount of contributions by the State of New Jersey contingent upon the Annual Appropriations Act. As defined, the retirement systems require employee contributions based on 6.9% for PERS, 6.9% for TPAF and 5.50% for DCRP of the employee's annual compensation.

Annual Pension Costs (APC)

Per the requirements of GASB Statement No. 27 *Accounting for Pensions by State and Local Government Employees*, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 for TPAF, which is a cost sharing plan with special funding situations, the annual pension cost differs from the annual required contribution. For PERS, which is a cost sharing multi-employer defined benefit pension plan, the annual pension cost equals contributions made. TPAF employer contributions are made annually by the State of New Jersey to the pension system on behalf of the Board. PERS employer contributions are made annually by the Board to the pension system in accordance with Chapter 114, P.L. 1997. In the DCRP, which is a defined contribution plan, member contributions are matched by a 3% employer contribution.

During the fiscal years ended June 30, 2015, 2014 and 2013 the Board was required to contribute for PERS and DCRP and the State of New Jersey was required to contribute for TPAF for normal cost pension and accrued liability contributions (including non-contributory group life insurance (NCGI)) the following amounts:

Fiscal Year Ended <u>June 30,</u>	<u>PERS</u>	On-behalf <u>TPAF</u>	<u>DCRP</u>
2015	\$ 182,549	\$ 348,712	\$ 8,063
2014	189,980	275,885	5,155
2013	164,124	407,621	3,832

For fiscal years 2014/2015 and 2012/2013, the state contributed \$348,712 and \$407,621, respectively for normal cost pension, accrued liability and the NCGI premium. For fiscal year 2013/2014 the State did not contribute to the TPAF for accrued liability but did contribute \$275,885 for normal cost pension and NCGI premium.

The PERS contributions are recognized in the governmental fund financial statements (modified accrual basis) as an expenditure. The on-behalf TPAF contributions are recognized in the governmental fund financial statements (modified accrual basis) as both a revenue and expenditure in accordance with GASB No. 24. The DCRP contributions are recognized in the governmental fund financial statements (modified accrual basis) as an expenditure, as well as, the district-wide financial statements (accrual basis) as an expense.

Also, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:66-66 the State of New Jersey reimbursed the Board \$492,526 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 for the employer's share of social security contributions for TPAF members as calculated on their base salaries. This amount has been recognized in the district-wide financial statements (accrual basis) and the governmental fund financial statements (modified accrual basis) as a revenue and expense/expenditure in accordance with GASB No. 24.

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D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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

Public Employees Retirement System (PERS)

At June 30, 2015, the District reported in the statement of net position (accrual basis) a liability of \$3,664,306 for its proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2014 and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The District's proportionate share of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the District's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating governmental entities, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2014, the District's proportionate share was .01957 percent, which was an decrease of .00238 percent from its proportionate share measured as of June 30, 2013.

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, the District recognized in the district-wide statement of activities (accrual basis) pension expense of \$138,850 for PERS. At June 30, 2015, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PERS pension from the following sources:

	<u>Deferred Outflows of Resources</u>	<u>Deferred Inflows of Resources</u>
Changes of Assumptions	\$ 115,225	
Net Difference Between Projected and Actual Earnings on Pension Plan Investments		\$ 218,373
Changes in Proportion and Differences Between District Contributions and Proportionate Share of Contributions	<u>-</u>	<u>384,416</u>
Total	<u>\$ 115,225</u>	<u>\$ 602,789</u>

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PERS pension will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Fiscal Year Ending <u>June 30,</u>	<u>Total</u>
2016	\$ (104,077)
2017	(104,077)
2018	(104,077)
2019	(104,077)
2020	(49,484)
Thereafter	<u>(21,772)</u>
	<u>\$ (487,564)</u>

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D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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 Related to Pensions (Continued)**

Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) (Continued)

Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability for the June 30, 2014 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2013, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2014. The total pension liability for the June 30, 2013 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2013. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

	<u>PERS</u>
Inflation Rate	3.01%
Salary Increases:	
2012-2021	2.15-4.40%
	Based on Age
Thereafter	3.15-5.40%
	Based on Age
Investment Rate of Return	7.90%
Mortality Rate Table	RP-2000
Period of Actuarial Experience	July 1, 2008 -
Study Upon Which Actuarial	June 30, 2011
Assumptions were Based	

Assumptions for mortality improvements are based on Society of Actuaries Scale AA.

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D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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

Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) (Continued)

Long-Term Expected Rate of Return

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rate of return (expected returns, net of pension plans investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in the pension plans' target asset allocation as of June 30, 2014 are summarized in the following table:

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Target Allocation</u>	<u>Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return</u>
Cash	6.00%	0.80%
Core Bonds	1.00%	2.49%
Intermediate-Term Bonds	11.20%	2.26%
Mortgages	2.50%	2.17%
High Yield Bonds	5.50%	4.82%
Inflation-Indexed Bonds	2.50%	3.51%
Broad US Equities	25.90%	8.22%
Developed Foreign Equities	12.70%	8.12%
Emerging Market Equities	6.50%	9.91%
Private Equity	8.25%	13.02%
Hedge Funds/Absolute Return	12.25%	4.92%
Real Estate (Property)	3.20%	5.80%
Commodities	2.50%	5.35%

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liabilities of the PERS plan was as follows:

<u>Plan</u>	<u>Discount Rate</u>
PERS	5.39%

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D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) (Continued)

Discount Rate (Continued)

The following table represents the crossover period, if applicable, for the PERS defined benefit plan:

PERS

Period of Projected Benefit	
Payments for which the Following	
Rates were Applied:	
Long-Term Expected Rate of Return	Through June 30, 2033
Municipal Bond Rate *	From July 1, 2033 and Thereafter

* The municipal bond return rate used is 4.29%. The source is the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index, which includes tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher.

Sensitivity of Net Pension Liability

The following presents the District's proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 5.39%, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (4.39 percent) or 1-percentage-point higher (6.39 percent) than the current rate:

	1% Decrease <u>(4.39%)</u>	Current Discount Rate <u>(5.39%)</u>	1% Increase <u>(6.39%)</u>
District's Proportionate Share of the PERS Net Pension Liability	<u>\$ 4,609,807</u>	<u>\$ 3,664,306</u>	<u>\$ 2,870,324</u>

The sensitivity analysis was based on the proportionate share of the District's net pension liability at June 30, 2014. A sensitivity analysis specific to the District's net pension liability was not provided by the pension system.

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the PERS pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued financial report from the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pension and Benefits. The financial reports may be accessed via the New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits, website at www.state.nj.us/trasury/pensions.

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D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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

Teachers Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF)

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 68, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions*, the District is not required to recognize a net pension liability for TPAF. The State of New Jersey is the only entity that has a legal obligation to make employer contributions to TPAF on behalf of the District. Accordingly, the District's proportionate share percentage determined under Statement No. 68 is zero percent and the State's proportionate share is 100% for TPAF. Therefore, in addition, the District does not recognize any portion of the TPAF collective deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources.

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, the District recognized in the district-wide statement of activities (accrual basis) pension expense of \$1,875,536 for TPAF. This amount has been included in the district-wide statement of activities (accrual basis) as a revenue and expense in accordance with GASB No. 24.

At June 30, 2015 the State's proportionate share of the net pension liability attributable to the District is \$34,855,179. The nonemployer allocation percentages are based on the ratio of the State's contributions made as an employer and nonemployer towards the actuarially determined contribution amount adjusted by locations who participated in the State early retirement incentives to total contributions to TPAF during the year ended June 30, 2014.

Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability for the June 30, 2014 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2013, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2014. The total pension liability for the June 30, 2013 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2013. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement.

	<u>TPAF</u>
Inflation Rate	2.50%
Salary Increases:	
2012-2021	Varies based on experience
Thereafter	Varies based on experience
Investment Rate of Return	7.90%
Mortality Rate Table	RP-2000
Period of Actuarial Experience	July 1, 2009 -
Study Upon Which Actuarial	June 30, 2012
Assumptions were Based	

Assumptions for mortality improvements are based on Society of Actuaries Scale AA.

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

Teachers Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) (Continued)

Long-Term Expected Rate of Return

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rate of return (expected returns, net of pension plans investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in the pension plans' target asset allocation as of June 30, 2014 are summarized in the following table:

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Target Allocation</u>	<u>Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return</u>
Cash	6.00%	0.50%
Core Fixed Income	0.00%	2.19%
Core Bonds	1.00%	1.38%
Short-Term Bonds	0.00%	1.00%
Intermediate-Term Bonds	11.20%	2.60%
Long-Term Bonds	0.00%	3.23%
Mortgages	2.50%	2.84%
High Yield Bonds	5.50%	4.15%
Non-US Fixed Income	0.00%	1.41%
Inflation-Indexed Bonds	2.50%	1.30%
Broad US Equities	25.90%	5.88%
Large Cap US Equities	0.00%	5.62%
Mid Cap US Equities	0.00%	6.39%
Small Cap US Equities	0.00%	7.39%
Developed Foreign Equities	12.70%	6.05%
Emerging Market Equities	6.50%	8.90%
Private Equity	8.25%	9.15%
Hedge Funds/Absolute Return	12.25%	3.85%
Real Estate (Property)	3.20%	4.43%
Real Estate (REITS)	0.00%	5.58%
Commodities	2.50%	3.60%
Long Credit Bonds	0.00%	3.74%

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NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

D. Employee Retirement Systems and Pension Plans (Continued)

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

Teachers Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) (Continued)

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the TPAF pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued financial report from the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pension and Benefits. The financial reports may be accessed via the New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits, website at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions.

E. Post-Retirement Medical Benefits

The State of New Jersey sponsors and administers the post-retirement health benefit program plans for school districts. The Plans are classified as either single employer plans or cost sharing multiple employer defined benefit plans depending on the plan the eligible employee is covered under.

As a result of implementing Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 43, *Financial Reporting for Post-employment Benefit Plans Other than Pension Plans* (OPEB), effective for Fiscal Year 2007, the State Health Benefits Program (SHBP), and the Prescription Drug Program (PDP), and Post-Retirement Medical (PRM) of the PERS and TPAF are combined and reported as Pension and Other employee Benefit Trust Funds in the State's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR). Specifically, SHBP-State, and the PRM of the PERS are combined and reported as a Health Benefits Program Fund – State classified as a single employer plan. The SHBP-Local, PDP-Local, and the PRM of the TPAF-Local are combined and reported as Health Benefits Program Fund –Local Government classified as a cost-sharing multiple-employer plan in the State's CAFR. The post-retirement benefit programs had a total of 590 state and local participating employers and contributing entities for Fiscal Year 2014.

The State of New Jersey sponsors and administers the following health benefit programs covering certain state and local government employees, including those Board employees and retirees eligible for coverage.

Health Benefits Program Fund (HBPF) – Local Education (including Prescription Drug Program Fund) – The State of New Jersey provides paid coverage to members of the Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund who retire from a board of education or county college with 25 years of service or on a disability retirement. Under the provisions of P.L. 1992, c.126, the State also provides paid coverage to members of the Public Employees' Retirement System and Alternate Benefits Program who retire from a board of education or county college with 25 years of service or on a disability retirement if the member's employer does not provide this coverage. Certain local participating employers also provide post-retirement medical coverage to their employees. Retirees who are not eligible for state paid health coverage at retirement can continue in the program if their employer participates in this program or if they are participating in the health benefits plan of their former employer and are enrolled in Medicare parts A and B by paying the cost of the insurance for themselves and their covered dependents. Also, education employees are eligible for the PDP coverage after 60 days of employment.

The State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits, issues publicly available financial reports that include the financial statements and required supplementary information of the above Fund. The financial reports may be accessed via the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits, website at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions.

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NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

E. Post-Retirement Medical Benefits (Continued)

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the health benefit programs are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. Employer contributions are recognized when payable to the health benefit programs. Benefits or refunds are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the terms of the health benefit programs.

Significant Legislation

P.L. 2011, c.78, effective October 2011, sets new employee contribution requirements towards the cost of employer-provided health benefit coverage. Employees are required to contribute a certain percentage of the cost of coverage. The rate of contribution is determined based on the employee's annual salary and the selected level of coverage. The increased employee contributions will be phased in over a 4-year period for those employed prior to this new legislation's effective date with a minimum contribution required to be at least 1.5% of salary.

Investment Valuation

Investments are reported at fair value. Investments that do not have an established market are reported at estimated fair values.

Funded Status and Funding Progress

As of July 1, 2013, the most recent actuarial valuation date, the State had a \$53.0 billion unfunded actuarial accrued liability for other post-employment benefits (OPEB) which is made up to \$19.7 billion for state active and retired members and \$33.3 billion for education employees and retirees that become the obligation of the State of New Jersey upon retirement.

The funded status and funding progress of the OPEB includes actuarial valuations which involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of events far into the future. These amounts are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared to past expectations and new estimates are made about the probability of future events.

Actuarial calculations reflect a long-term perspective and are based on the benefits provided under the terms of the OPEB in effect at the time of each valuation and also consider the pattern of the sharing of costs between the employer and members at the point in time. The projection of benefits for financial reporting purposes does not explicitly incorporate the potential effects of legal or contractual funding limitations on the pattern of cost sharing between the employer and members in the future.

Actuarial Methods and Assumptions

In the July 1, 2013, OPEB actuarial valuation, the projected unit credit was used as the actuarial cost method. The actuarial assumptions included an assumed investment rate of return of 4.50 percent.

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NOTE 4 OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

E. Post-Retirement Medical Benefits (Continued)

Post-Retirement Medical Benefits Contributions

P.L. 1987, c. 384 and P.L. 1990, c.6 required the Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) and Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS), respectively to fund post-retirement medical benefits for those State employees and education employees who retire after accumulating 25 years of credited service or on a disability retirement. As of June 30, 2014, there were 103,432, retirees receiving post-retirement medical benefits and the State contributed \$1.04 billion on their behalf. The cost of these benefits is funded through contributions by the State and in accordance with P.L. 1994, c.62. Funding of post-retirement medical benefits changed from a pre-funding basis to a pay-as-you-go basis beginning in Fiscal Year 1994.

The State is also responsible for the cost attributable to P.L. 1992, c.126, which provides employer paid health benefits to members of PERS and the Alternate Benefit Program who retired from a board of education or county college with 25 years of service. The State paid \$165.8 million toward Chapter 126 benefits for 18,122 eligible retired members in Fiscal Year 2014.

The State sets the contribution rate based on a pay as you go basis and not on the annual required contribution of the employers (ARC), an amount actuarially determined in accordance with the parameters of GASB Statement 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal cost each year and amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities (or funding excess) of the plan over a period not to exceed thirty years. The State's contributions to the State Health Benefits Program Fund for TPAF retirees' post-retirement benefits on behalf of the School District for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2015, 2014 and 2013 were \$553,581, \$452,348 and \$460,917, respectively, which equaled the required contributions for each year. The State's contributions to the State Health Benefits Program Fund for PERS retirees' post-retirement benefits on behalf of the School District was not determined or made available by the State of New Jersey.

NOTE 5 RESTATEMENT

On July 1, 2014, the Little Falls Board of Education implemented GASB Statement No. 68, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions. The Little Falls Board of Education has determined that the effect of implementing this accounting change on the financial statements previously reported as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014 was to recognize the District's proportionate share of the Public Employees' Retirement System's (PERS) net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources with a corresponding reduction in the unrestricted component of net position in the amount of \$4,195,569.

On July 1, 2014, the Little Falls Board of Education had a capital asset evaluation performed. The Little Falls Board of Education has determined that the effect of this evaluation on the financial statements previously reported as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014 was to reduce the valuation of the capital assets in the amount of \$1,160,479.

The result of these restatements is to reduce total net position of governmental activities at June 30, 2014 from \$5,979,392 as originally reported to \$623,344.

NOTE 6 SUBSEQUENT EVENT

On September 29, 2015, the District held a special election for consideration of a bond proposal for various school improvements by the legally qualified voters of the school district. The bond proposal was approved by the voters authorizing the District to issue bonds in the amount of \$3,067,765 for various school improvements. As of the date of the audit the District has not issued said bonds.

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULES

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
GENERAL FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Adjustment</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance Final to Actual</u>
REVENUES					
Local Sources					
Property Tax Levy	\$ 13,403,910		\$ 13,403,910	\$ 13,403,910	
Tuition	95,000		95,000	84,299	\$ (10,701)
Interest	500		500	7,006	6,506
Miscellaneous	3,440	-	3,440	48,844	45,404
Total Local Sources	13,502,850	-	13,502,850	13,544,059	41,209
State Sources					
Special Education Aid	458,142		458,142	458,142	
Transportation Aid	32,836		32,836	32,836	
Security Aid	20,222		20,222	20,222	
Adjustment Aid	1		1	1	
PARCC Readiness Aid	9,010		9,010	9,010	
Per Pupil Growth Aid	9,010		9,010	9,010	
Extraordinary Aid				101,433	101,433
Additional Nonpublic Transportation Aid				5,208	5,208
On-behalf TPAF Pension System Contribution (Non-Budgeted)					
Normal				325,308	325,308
Premium NCGI				23,404	23,404
Post Retirement Medical Benefits				553,581	553,581
On-behalf TPAF Social Security Contributions (Non-budgeted)	-	-	-	492,526	492,526
Total State Sources	529,221	-	529,221	2,030,681	1,501,460
Federal Sources					
ARRA/SEMI				16,901	16,901
Semi Medicaid Reimbursement	-	-	-	30,277	30,277
Total Federal Sources	-	-	-	47,178	47,178
Total Revenues	14,032,071	-	14,032,071	15,621,918	1,589,847
EXPENDITURES					
CURRENT EXPENSE					
Instruction - Regular Programs					
Salaries of Teachers					
Preschool	83,455	\$ (334)	83,121	78,783	4,338
Kindergarten	332,580	323	332,903	319,687	13,216
Grades 1-5	2,284,348	(292,469)	1,991,879	1,989,777	2,102
Grades 6-8	1,325,120	340,209	1,665,329	1,655,769	9,560
Regular Programs - Home Instruction					
Salaries of Teachers	7,000	38	7,038	7,038	
Purchased Professional Education Svcs.		17,345	17,345	10,341	7,004
Regular Programs - Undistributed Instruction					
Purchased Professional Education Svcs.	8,418		8,418	8,244	174
Purchased Technical Services	8,721	(70)	8,651	6,993	1,658
Other Purchased Services	108,366	5,070	113,436	108,590	4,846
General Supplies	158,740	(15,921)	142,819	132,184	10,635
Textbooks	47,994	(17,599)	30,395	15,111	15,284
Total Regular Programs	4,364,742	36,592	4,401,334	4,332,517	68,817

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
GENERAL FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Adjustment</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance Final to Actual</u>
EXPENDITURES					
CURRENT EXPENSE (Continued)					
Learning and/or Language Disabilities					
Salaries of Teachers	\$ 268,503	\$ 9,884	\$ 278,387	\$ 278,228	\$ 159
Other Salaries for Instruction	238,227	64,063	302,290	301,350	940
General Supplies	1,800		1,800	1,399	401
Textbooks	1,600	-	1,600	681	919
	<u>510,130</u>	<u>73,947</u>	<u>584,077</u>	<u>581,658</u>	<u>2,419</u>
Multiple Disabilities					
Salaries of Teachers	167,605		167,605	166,381	1,224
Other Salaries for Instruction	354,972	(90,705)	264,267	262,456	1,811
Purchased Professional-Educational Svs.	31,400		31,400	18,515	12,885
General Supplies	3,000	-	3,000	1,587	1,413
	<u>556,977</u>	<u>(90,705)</u>	<u>466,272</u>	<u>448,939</u>	<u>17,333</u>
Resource Room/Resource Center					
Salaries of Teachers	654,930	116,122	771,052	761,052	10,000
Other Salaries for Instruction	79,588	(19,215)	60,373	55,372	5,001
Supplies	2,500	(37)	2,463	1,733	730
Textbooks	1,200	37	1,237	1,216	21
	<u>738,218</u>	<u>96,907</u>	<u>835,125</u>	<u>819,373</u>	<u>15,752</u>
Preschool Disabilities - Part Time					
Salaries of Teachers	80,493	(72,198)	8,295	7,235	1,060
Other Salaries for Instruction	33,247	16,369	49,616	49,223	393
General Supplies	-	700	700	700	-
	<u>113,740</u>	<u>(55,129)</u>	<u>58,611</u>	<u>57,158</u>	<u>1,453</u>
Preschool Disabilities - Full Time					
Salaries of Teachers	51,687	13,740	65,427	63,108	2,319
Other Salaries for Instruction	161,296	41,666	202,962	202,083	879
Purchased Professional-Educational Svs.	10,800	4,890	15,690	15,690	
General Supplies	2,000	(700)	1,300	1,015	285
	<u>225,783</u>	<u>59,596</u>	<u>285,379</u>	<u>281,896</u>	<u>3,483</u>
Basic Skills/Remedial - Instruction					
Salaries of Teachers	120,011	(27,222)	92,789	86,923	5,866
General Supplies	1,000	-	1,000	-	1,000
	<u>121,011</u>	<u>(27,222)</u>	<u>93,789</u>	<u>86,923</u>	<u>6,866</u>
Bilingual Education					
Salaries of Teachers	89,633	(13,637)	75,996	4,639	71,357
Purchased Professional-Educational Services		13,637	13,637	13,636	1
General Supplies	2,000	-	2,000	137	1,863
	<u>91,633</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>91,633</u>	<u>18,412</u>	<u>73,221</u>
School Sponsored Co-Curricular Activities					
Salaries	44,788	-	44,788	35,131	9,657
	<u>44,788</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>44,788</u>	<u>35,131</u>	<u>9,657</u>
Total - Instruction	<u>6,767,022</u>	<u>93,986</u>	<u>6,861,008</u>	<u>6,662,007</u>	<u>199,001</u>

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
GENERAL FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Adjustment</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance Final to Actual</u>
EXPENDITURES					
CURRENT EXPENSE (Continued)					
Undistributed Expenditures					
Instruction					
Tuition to Other LEAs within the State-Special	\$ 37,404	\$ (4,321)	\$ 33,083	\$ 9,966	\$ 23,117
Tuition to Priv Sch. For Disabled w/in State	255,974	(5,885)	250,089	146,157	103,932
Tuition - Other	-	4,321	4,321	4,321	-
	<u>293,378</u>	<u>(5,885)</u>	<u>287,493</u>	<u>160,444</u>	<u>127,049</u>
Health Services					
Salaries	239,481	(24,815)	214,666	214,629	37
Purchased Professional and Technical Svs.	17,370	1,000	18,370	18,080	290
Supplies and Materials	14,000	(4,160)	9,840	7,957	1,883
	<u>270,851</u>	<u>(27,975)</u>	<u>242,876</u>	<u>240,666</u>	<u>2,210</u>
Speech, OT, PT and Related Services					
Salaries	222,550	5,813	228,363	228,362	1
Purchased Professional-Educational Services	70,173	(36)	70,137	60,909	9,228
Supplies and Materials	5,500	-	5,500	1,365	4,135
	<u>298,223</u>	<u>5,777</u>	<u>304,000</u>	<u>290,636</u>	<u>13,364</u>
Other Support Services - Students - Extra Services					
Salaries	164,580	(13,998)	150,582	150,205	377
Purchased Professional-Educational Services	104,473	-	104,473	90,023	14,450
	<u>269,053</u>	<u>(13,998)</u>	<u>255,055</u>	<u>240,228</u>	<u>14,827</u>
Guidance					
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	49,500	7,694	57,194	57,193	1
Supplies and Materials	1,000	-	1,000	184	816
	<u>50,500</u>	<u>7,694</u>	<u>58,194</u>	<u>57,377</u>	<u>817</u>
Child Study Teams					
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	470,189	(29,487)	440,702	439,701	1,001
Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	59,727	-	59,727	59,569	158
Purchased Professional-Educational Services	-	6,500	6,500	6,000	500
Other Purchased Professional-Technical Svs.	6,000	-	6,000	6,000	-
Supplies and Materials	2,000	-	2,000	1,167	833
Other Objects	1,500	-	1,500	1,355	145
	<u>539,416</u>	<u>(22,987)</u>	<u>516,429</u>	<u>513,792</u>	<u>2,637</u>
Improvement of Instruction Services					
Purchased Professional-Educational Services	31,300	(11,475)	19,825	10,075	9,750
Other Purchased Services	5,000	-	5,000	144	4,856
	<u>36,300</u>	<u>(11,475)</u>	<u>24,825</u>	<u>10,219</u>	<u>14,606</u>

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
GENERAL FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Adjustment</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance Final to Actual</u>
EXPENDITURES					
CURRENT EXPENSE (Continued)					
Undistributed Expenditures					
Educational Media Services/School Library					
Salaries	\$ 45,292	\$ (7,472)	\$ 37,820	\$ 37,819	\$ 1
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	73,170	1,860	75,030	74,280	750
Supplies and Materials	2,500	-	2,500	1,608	892
Total Educational Media Services/School Library	<u>120,962</u>	<u>(5,612)</u>	<u>115,350</u>	<u>113,707</u>	<u>1,643</u>
Instructional Staff Training Service					
Purchased Professional - Educational Svcs.	13,100	(2,000)	11,100	3,174	7,926
Other Purchased Services	4,800	2,000	6,800	5,850	950
Total Instructional Staff Training Service	<u>17,900</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>17,900</u>	<u>9,024</u>	<u>8,876</u>
Support Services General Administration					
Salaries	181,598	(21,733)	159,865	159,865	
Legal Services	45,000	16,328	61,328	61,328	
Audit Fees	24,152	31,222	55,374	32,087	23,287
Architectural/Engineering Services		3,818	3,818	3,817	1
Other Purchased Professional Services	26,017	14,149	40,166	40,166	
Communications/Telephone	19,400	1,790	21,190	21,190	
BOE Other Purchased Services	3,000	(444)	2,556	2,556	
Miscellaneous Purchased Services	33,800	2,958	36,758	36,517	241
Supplies and Materials	4,000	(476)	3,524	3,524	
Judgments Against the School District		1,604	1,604	1,603	1
Miscellaneous Expenditures	1,825	80	1,905	1,905	
BOE Membership Dues and Fees	7,100	(460)	6,640	6,640	-
Total Support Services General Administration	<u>345,892</u>	<u>48,836</u>	<u>394,728</u>	<u>371,198</u>	<u>23,530</u>
Support Services School Administration					
Salaries of Principals/Asst. Principals	300,684	(15,425)	285,259	285,258	1
Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	159,895	(960)	158,935	158,389	546
Other Salaries	4,000	12,219	16,219	16,218	1
Purchased Professional and Technical Svcs.	2,500		2,500	2,500	
Other Purchased Services	500	(52)	448	312	136
Supplies and Materials	7,150	(558)	6,592	6,580	12
Other Objects	3,175	(1,296)	1,879	1,879	-
Total Support Services School Administration	<u>477,904</u>	<u>(6,072)</u>	<u>471,832</u>	<u>471,136</u>	<u>696</u>
Undistributed Expenditures - Central Services					
Salaries	234,350	(34,356)	199,994	179,510	20,484
Purchased Professional Services	1,500	99,350	100,850	87,880	12,970
Purchased Technical Services	3,500	(2,248)	1,252		1,252
Misc. Purchased Services - Travel	2,500	(1,635)	865	222	643
Supplies and Materials	5,500	(492)	5,008	5,005	3
Other Objects	1,800	(182)	1,618	1,618	-
Total Undistributed Expenditures -Central Services	<u>249,150</u>	<u>60,437</u>	<u>309,587</u>	<u>274,235</u>	<u>35,352</u>

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
GENERAL FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Adjustment</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance Final to Actual</u>
EXPENDITURES					
CURRENT EXPENSE (Continued)					
Undist. Expend. - Admin. Info. Technology					
Purchased Technical Services	\$ 4,434	\$ 610	\$ 5,044	\$ 5,043	\$ 1
Supplies and Materials	12,701	1,248	13,949	13,949	-
Total Undist. Expend-Admin. Info. Tech.	17,135	1,858	18,993	18,992	1
Undist. Expend. - Required Maint. For School Facilities					
Salaries	89,753	149	89,902	89,902	
Cleaning, Repair, and Maintenance	37,907	(977)	36,930	33,385	3,545
General Supplies	33,552	(8,913)	24,639	19,825	4,814
Other Objects	757	-	757	628	129
Total Undist. Expend - Required Maint. For School Facilities	161,969	(9,741)	152,228	143,740	8,488
Custodial Services					
Salaries	388,833	10,996	399,829	392,121	7,708
Salaries of Non-Instructional Aides	23,664	6,935	30,599	26,865	3,734
Purchased Professional and Technical Svs.	9,727	14,187	23,914	19,593	4,321
Cleaning, Repair, and Maintenance Services	54,248	27,121	81,369	76,742	4,627
Other Purchased Property Services	13,000	6,221	19,221	19,220	1
Insurance	69,500	(4,688)	64,812	64,811	1
General Supplies	38,211	7,673	45,884	45,741	143
Energy(Electricity)	120,000	(1,420)	118,580	103,038	15,542
Energy (Gasoline)	18,000	(1,690)	16,310	10,644	5,666
Energy (Natural Gas)	139,600	(43,103)	96,497	66,888	29,609
Other Objects	800	-	800	430	370
Total Custodial Services	875,583	22,232	897,815	826,093	71,722
Student Transportation Services					
Salaries for Pupil Transportation (Between Home and School) - Regular	20,000	549	20,549	17,452	3,097
Salaries for Pupil Transportation (Between Home and School) - Sp Ed	72,488	(6,015)	66,473	55,093	11,380
Management Fee - ESC & CTSA Transportation Prog.	12,000		12,000	3,303	8,697
Cleaning, Repair & Maint. Services	13,000		13,000	6,092	6,908
Lease Purchase Payments - School Buses	9,000	2,137	11,137	11,136	1
Contracted Services (Special Ed. Students)-Vendors	25,000	(10,074)	14,926		14,926
Contracted Services (Other Than Between Home and School) - Vendors	3,000	4,300	7,300	2,805	4,495
Contracted Services (Between Home and School) - Joint Agreements	25,000		25,000	16,818	8,182
Contracted Services (Regular Ed. Students)- ESCs & CTSA	227,612		227,612	221,040	6,572
Contracted Services (Special Ed. Students)- ESCs & CTSA	68,268	4,074	72,342	66,638	5,704
Contracted Services-Aid in Lieu of Payments - Non-Public Schools	40,491	(5,516)	34,975	22,984	11,991
Miscellaneous Purchased Services-Trans.	500	208	708	708	-
Supplies and Materials	3,915	(129)	3,786	2,048	1,738
Total Student Transportation Services	520,274	(10,466)	509,808	426,117	83,691

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
GENERAL FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Adjustment</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance Final to Actual</u>
EXPENDITURES					
CURRENT EXPENSE (Continued)					
Unallocated Benefits - Employee Benefits					
Social Security Contributions	\$ 197,000	\$ 3,453	\$ 200,453	\$ 200,452	\$ 1
Other Retirement Contributions-PERS	210,000	(22,193)	187,807	182,549	5,258
Other Retirement Contributions-DCRP		8,063	8,063	8,063	-
Workmen's Compensation	77,685	(9,400)	68,285	68,187	98
Health Benefits	2,251,000	(77,299)	2,173,701	1,967,641	206,060
Tuition Reimbursement	35,000	740	35,740	35,740	-
Other Employee Benefits	91,000	1,536	92,536	85,684	6,852
Total Unallocated Benefits - Employee Benefits	<u>2,861,685</u>	<u>(95,100)</u>	<u>2,766,585</u>	<u>2,548,316</u>	<u>218,269</u>
On-behalf TPAF Pension System Contribution (Non-Budget)					
NCGI Premium				325,308	(325,308)
Normal				23,404	(23,404)
Post Retirement Medical Benefits				553,581	(553,581)
On-behalf TPAF Social Security Contributions (Non-budgeted)	-	-	-	492,526	(492,526)
Total On-behalf Contributions	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,394,819</u>	<u>(1,394,819)</u>
Total Undistributed Expenditures	<u>7,406,175</u>	<u>(62,477)</u>	<u>7,343,698</u>	<u>8,110,739</u>	<u>(767,041)</u>
Total Expenditures - Current Expense	<u>14,173,197</u>	<u>31,509</u>	<u>14,204,706</u>	<u>14,772,746</u>	<u>(568,040)</u>
CAPITAL OUTLAY					
Interest Deposit to Capital Reserve	500	-	500		500
Increase in Capital Reserve	190,335	-	190,335	-	190,335
Total Capital Outlay	<u>190,835</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>190,835</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>190,835</u>
Facilities Acquisition and Construction Serv. Assessment for Debt Service on SDA Funding	20,146	-	20,146	20,146	-
Total Facilities Acquisition and Construction Serv.	<u>20,146</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>20,146</u>	<u>20,146</u>	<u>-</u>
Total Capital Outlay	<u>210,981</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>210,981</u>	<u>20,146</u>	<u>190,835</u>
Transfer of Funds to Charter Schools	10,648	-	10,648	10,648	-
Total Expenditures	<u>14,394,826</u>	<u>\$ 31,509</u>	<u>14,426,335</u>	<u>14,803,540</u>	<u>(377,205)</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over/(Under) Expenditures	<u>(362,755)</u>	<u>(31,509)</u>	<u>(394,264)</u>	<u>818,378</u>	<u>1,212,642</u>
Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
Transfers to Enterprise Fund - Food Service		(13,000)	(13,000)	(13,000)	
Transfers Out - Capital Projects	-	(701,000)	(701,000)	(701,000)	-
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>-</u>	<u>(714,000)</u>	<u>(714,000)</u>	<u>(714,000)</u>	<u>-</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over/(Under) Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>(362,755)</u>	<u>(745,509)</u>	<u>(1,108,264)</u>	<u>104,378</u>	<u>1,212,642</u>
Fund Balances, Beginning of Year	<u>2,595,655</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,595,655</u>	<u>2,595,655</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund Balances, End of Year	<u>\$ 2,232,900</u>	<u>\$ (745,509)</u>	<u>\$ 1,487,391</u>	<u>\$ 2,700,033</u>	<u>\$ 1,212,642</u>

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
 GENERAL FUND
 FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Adjustment</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance Final to Actual</u>
Recapitulation:					
Fund Balance:					
Restricted					
Excess Surplus				\$ 385,723	
Excess Surplus Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures				504,785	
Capital Reserve				1,040,591	
Emergency Reserve				202,409	
Maintenance Reserve				125,000	
Assigned					
Year-end Encumbrances				35,789	
Unreserved ARRA/SEMI Reserve for Subsequent Year's Expenditures				16,901	
Unassigned				<u>388,835</u>	
				2,700,033	
Less: State Aid Payment Not Recognized on GAAP				(49,532)	
Extraordinary Aid Payment Not Recognized on GAAP				<u>(99,161)</u>	
Fund Balance, GAAP Basis				<u>\$ 2,551,340</u>	

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
BUDGET (NON-GAAP) AND ACTUAL
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Adjustment</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance Final to Actual</u>
REVENUES					
Federal Sources	\$ 244,212	\$ 97,938	\$ 342,150	\$ 302,672	\$ (39,478)
Local Sources	-	7,300	7,300	6,786	(514)
Total Revenues	<u>244,212</u>	<u>105,238</u>	<u>349,450</u>	<u>309,458</u>	<u>(39,992)</u>
EXPENDITURES					
Instruction					
Salaries of Teachers	58,152	14,600	72,752	55,248	17,504
Other Purchased Services	8,659	(8,659)	-	-	-
Tuition	138,286	32,007	170,293	169,925	368
General Supplies	<u>38,265</u>	<u>32,772</u>	<u>71,037</u>	<u>67,012</u>	<u>4,025</u>
Total Instruction	<u>243,362</u>	<u>70,720</u>	<u>314,082</u>	<u>292,185</u>	<u>21,897</u>
Support Services					
Purchase Professional & Educational	-	2,500	2,500	2,000	500
Other Purchased Services	850	5,680	6,530	-	6,530
Personal Services- Employee Benefits	-	15,338	15,338	11,176	4,162
General Supplies	<u>-</u>	<u>11,000</u>	<u>11,000</u>	<u>4,097</u>	<u>6,903</u>
Total Support Services	<u>850</u>	<u>34,518</u>	<u>35,368</u>	<u>17,273</u>	<u>18,095</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>244,212</u>	<u>105,238</u>	<u>349,450</u>	<u>309,458</u>	<u>39,992</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund Balances, Beginning of Year	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund Balances, End of Year	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - PART II

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

Formal budgetary integration into the accounting system is employed as a management control device during the year. For governmental funds there are no substantial differences between the budgetary basis of accounting and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, with the exception of the legally mandated revenue recognition of certain state aid payments for budgetary purposes only and the treatment of encumbrances in the special revenue fund as described below. Encumbrance accounting is also employed as an extension of formal budgetary integration of the governmental fund types. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at fiscal year end.

The accounting records of the Special Revenue Funds are maintained on the grant accounting budgetary basis. The grant accounting budgetary basis differs from GAAP in that the grant accounting budgetary basis recognizes encumbrances as expenditures and also recognizes the related revenues, whereas the GAAP basis does not. Sufficient supplemental records are maintained to allow for the presentation of GAAP basis financial reports.

The following presents a reconciliation of the General and Special Revenue Funds from the budgetary basis of accounting as presented in the Budgetary Comparison Schedule - General Fund and Special Revenue Fund to the GAAP basis of accounting as presented in the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds.

	General Fund	Special Revenue Fund
Sources/Inflows of Resources		
Actual amounts (budgetary basis) revenue from the budgetary comparison schedule (Exhibits C-1 and C-2)	\$ 15,621,918	\$ 309,458
Difference - Budget to GAAP:		
Grant accounting budgetary basis differs from GAAP in that encumbrances are recognized as expenditures, and the related revenue is recognized.		
Prior Year		-
(Current Year)		
State Aid payment not recognized for budgetary purposes, recognized for GAAP statements (2013/2014 State Aid)	265,931	
State Aid payment recognized for budgetary purposes, not recognized for GAAP statements (2014/2015 State Aid)	<u>(148,693)</u>	<u>-</u>
Total revenues as reported on the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds (Exhibits B-2)	<u>\$ 15,739,156</u>	<u>\$ 309,458</u>
Uses/Outflows of Resources		
Actual amounts (budgetary basis) total outflows from the budgetary comparison schedule (Exhibits C-1 and C-2)	<u>\$ 14,803,540</u>	<u>\$ 309,458</u>
Total expenditures as reported on the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds (Exhibit B-2)	<u>\$ 14,803,540</u>	<u>\$ 309,458</u>

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - PART III

PENSION INFORMATION

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY**

Public Employees Retirement System

Last Two Fiscal Years*

	2015	2014
District's Proportion of the Net Position Liability (Asset)	0.01957 %	0.02195 %
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset)	\$ 3,664,306	\$ 4,195,569
District's Covered-Employee Payroll	\$ 1,335,781	\$ 1,352,320
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) as a Percentage of its Covered-Employee Payroll	274.32 %	310.25 %
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	52.08 %	48.72 %

* The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the previous fiscal year-end.

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years in accordance with GASB Statement No. 68. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the District will only present information for those years for which information is available.

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
 SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS

Public Employees Retirement System

Last Two Fiscal Years

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
Contractually Required Contribution	\$ 182,549	\$ 165,408
Contributions in Relation to the Contractually Required Contribution	<u>182,549</u>	<u>165,408</u>
Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
District's Covered-Employee Payroll	\$ 1,335,781	\$ 1,352,320
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered-Employee Payroll	13.67 %	12.23 %

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years in accordance with GASB Statement No. 68. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the District will only present information for those years for which information is available.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY**

Teachers Pension and Annuity Fund

Last Two Fiscal Years*

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
District's Proportion of the Net Position Liability (Asset)	0 %	0 %
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset)	0 %	0 %
State's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) Associated with the District	<u>\$ 34,855,179</u>	<u>\$ 31,882,257</u>
Total	<u>\$ 34,855,179</u>	<u>\$ 31,882,257</u>
District's Covered-Employee Payroll	\$ 5,850,530	\$ 6,462,351
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) as a Percentage of its Covered-Employee Payroll	0.00 %	0.00 %
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	33.64 %	33.76 %

* The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the previous fiscal year-end.

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years in accordance with GASB Statement No. 68. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the District will only present information for those years for which information is available.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF NET PENSION LIABILITY
AND SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS
NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

Change of Benefit Terms: None.

Change of Assumptions: The discount rate changed from the District's rate as of June 30, 2014 to the District's rate as of June 30, 2015, in accordance with GASB Statement No. 67.

SCHOOL LEVEL SCHEDULES

EXHIBITS D-1, D-2 AND D-3

NOT APPLICABLE

SPECIAL REVENUE FUND

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES
BUDGETARY BASIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>NCLB Title I</u>	<u>I.D.E.I.A. Part B Basic</u>	<u>I.D.E.I.A. Part B Preschool</u>	<u>Local Grant</u>	<u>Total</u>
REVENUES					
Intergovernmental					
Federal	\$ 94,144	\$ 198,776	\$ 9,752		\$ 302,672
Local	-	-	-	\$ 6,786	6,786
Total Revenues	<u>\$ 94,144</u>	<u>\$ 198,776</u>	<u>\$ 9,752</u>	<u>\$ 6,786</u>	<u>\$ 309,458</u>
EXPENDITURES					
Instruction					
Salaries of Teachers	\$ 55,248				\$ 55,248
Other Purchased Services					-
Tuition		\$ 169,925			169,925
General Supplies	21,623	28,851	\$ 9,752	\$ 6,786	67,012
Total Instruction	<u>76,871</u>	<u>198,776</u>	<u>9,752</u>	<u>6,786</u>	<u>292,185</u>
Support Services					
Purchase Professional & Educational	2,000	-			2,000
Personal Services-Emp. Benefits	11,176	-	-	-	11,176
General Supplies	4,097	-	-	-	4,097
Total Support Services	<u>17,273</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>17,273</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>\$ 94,144</u>	<u>\$ 198,776</u>	<u>\$ 9,752</u>	<u>\$ 6,786</u>	<u>\$ 309,458</u>

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
SCHEDULE OF PRESCHOOL EDUCATION AID
BUDGETARY BASIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

THIS SCHEDULE IS NOT APPLICABLE

CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PROJECT EXPENDITURES - BUDGETARY BASIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

<u>Project</u>	<u>Appropriations</u>	<u>Expenditures to Date Current Year</u>	<u>Unexpended Balance, June 30, 2015</u>
School #1 Electrical Upgrades - 2014/15	\$ 524,500	\$ 21,712	\$ 502,788
School #2 Electrical Upgrades - 2014/15	574,500	21,711	552,789
School #3 Exterior Door & Roof Replacement - 2013/14	218,745	29,950	188,795
Referendum School Improvements School #1,2,& 3 - 2015/16	<u>22,000</u>	<u>20,900</u>	<u>1,100</u>
	<u>\$ 1,339,745</u>	<u>\$ 94,273</u>	<u>\$ 1,245,472</u>
Project Balance, Budgetary			\$ 1,245,472
Less: Unrealized Grant Awards			<u>(478,149)</u>
Fund Balance - GAAP, June 30, 2015			<u>\$ 767,323</u>
<u>Reconciliation to GAAP</u>			
Restricted for Capital Projects:			
Reserve for Encumbrances			\$ 295,177
Available for Capital Projects			<u>472,146</u>
Total Fund Balance - Restricted for Capital Projects			<u>\$ 767,323</u>

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE-
BUDGETARY BASIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

Revenues and Other Financing Sources

Revenues		
State Sources - SDA Grant	\$	420,000
Other Financing Sources		
Transfer In - Capital Reserve Local Contribution		701,000
 Total Revenues and Other Financing Sources		 1,121,000

Expenditures and Other Financing Uses

Capital Outlays		
Arhitect Engineer		64,323
Construction Services		29,950
 Total Expenditures and Other Financing Uses		 94,273

Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources over (under) Expenditures and Other Financing Uses		1,026,727
 Fund Balance- Beginning of Year		 218,745
 Fund Balance- End of Year	\$	 1,245,472

Reconciliation to GAAP

Fund Balance - End of Year - Budgetary Basis	\$	1,245,472
 Less: Unearned Revenue		 (478,149)
 Fund Balance, June 30, 2015 - GAAP	\$	 767,323

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
 SCHEDULE OF PROJECT REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, PROJECT BALANCE AND PROJECT STATUS
 SCHOOL #3 EXTERIOR DOOR & ROOF REPLACEMENT
 FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

	<u>Prior</u> <u>Periods</u>	<u>Current</u> <u>Year</u>	<u>Totals</u>	<u>Revised</u> <u>Authorized</u> <u>Cost</u>
Revenues and Other Financing Sources				
State Sources- SDA Grant	\$ 87,498	\$ -	\$ 87,498	\$ 87,498
Transfer from Capital Reserve Local Contribution	131,247	-	131,247	131,247
	<u>218,745</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>218,745</u>	<u>218,745</u>
Expenditures and Other Financing Uses				
Construction Services	-	29,950	29,950	218,745
	<u>-</u>	<u>29,950</u>	<u>29,950</u>	<u>218,745</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources over (under) Expenditures and Other Financing Uses	<u>\$ 218,745</u>	<u>\$ (29,950)</u>	<u>\$ 188,795</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

Additional Project Information:

Project Number	N/A
FAA/Port Authority	
Project Number	SDA #2700-070-14-1012-G04
Grant Date	Various
Bond Authorization Date	N/A
Bonds Authorized	N/A
Original Authorized Cost	\$ 218,745
Revised Authorized Cost	\$ 218,745
Percentage Completion	
Original Target Completion Date	November 2014
Revised Target Completion Date	November 2014

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
SCHEDULE OF PROJECT REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, PROJECT BALANCE AND PROJECT STATUS
SCHOOL #1 ELECTRICAL UPGRADE
FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Prior Periods</u>	<u>Current Year</u>	<u>Totals</u>	<u>Revised Authorized Cost</u>
Revenues and Other Financing Sources				
State Sources- SDA Grant		\$ 200,000	\$ 200,000	\$ 200,000
Transfer from Capital Reserve Local Contribution	-	324,500	324,500	324,500
	-	524,500	524,500	524,500
Expenditures and Other Financing Uses				
Architect Engineer		21,712	21,712	24,500
Construction Services	-	-	-	500,000
	-	21,712	21,712	524,500
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources over (under) Expenditures and Other Financing Uses	\$ -	\$ 502,788	\$ 502,788	\$ -

Additional Project Information:

Project Number	N/A
FAA/Port Authority	
Project Number	SDA #2700-050-14-1001-G04
Grant Date	Various
Bond Authorization Date	N/A
Bonds Authorized	N/A
Original Authorized Cost	\$ 500,000
Revised Authorized Cost	\$ 524,500
Percentage Completion	
Original Target Completion Date	October 2015
Revised Target Completion Date	October 2015

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
SCHEDULE OF PROJECT REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, PROJECT BALANCE AND PROJECT STATUS
SCHOOL #2 ELECTRICAL UPGRADE
FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Prior Periods</u>	<u>Current Year</u>	<u>Totals</u>	<u>Revised Authorized Cost</u>
Revenues and Other Financing Sources				
State Sources- SDA Grant		\$ 220,000	\$ 220,000	\$ 220,000
Transfer from Capital Reserve Local Contribution	-	354,500	354,500	354,500
	-	574,500	574,500	574,500
Expenditures and Other Financing Uses				
Architect Engineer		21,711	21,711	24,500
Construction Services	-	-	-	550,000
	-	21,711	21,711	574,500
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources over (under) Expenditures and Other Financing Uses	\$ -	\$ 552,789	\$ 552,789	\$ -

Additional Project Information:

Project Number	N/A
FAA/Port Authority	
Project Number	SDA #2700-060-14-1009-G04
Grant Date	Various
Bond Authorization Date	N/A
Bonds Authorized	N/A
Original Authorized Cost	\$ 550,000
Revised Authorized Cost	\$ 574,500
Percentage Completion	
Original Target Completion Date	October 2015
Revised Target Completion Date	October 2015

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
SCHEDULE OF PROJECT REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, PROJECT BALANCE AND PROJECT STATUS
REFERENDUM SCHOOL IMPROVEMENTS FOR SCHOOL #1, 2 & 3
FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

	<u>Prior</u> <u>Periods</u>	<u>Current</u> <u>Year</u>	<u>Totals</u>	<u>Revised</u> <u>Authorized</u> <u>Cost</u>
Revenues and Other Financing Sources				
State Sources- SDA Grant				
Transfer from Capital Reserve Local Contribution	-	\$ 22,000	\$ 22,000	\$ 22,000
	-	22,000	22,000	22,000
Total Revenues and Other Financing Sources	-	22,000	22,000	22,000
Expenditures and Other Financing Uses				
Architect Engineer		20,900	20,900	22,000
Construction Services	-	-	-	-
	-	20,900	20,900	22,000
Total Expenditures and Other Financing Uses	-	20,900	20,900	22,000
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources over (under) Expenditures and Other Financing Uses	\$ -	\$ 1,100	\$ 1,100	\$ -

Additional Project Information:

Project Number	N/A
FAA/Port Authority	
Project Number	N/A
Grant Date	Various
Bond Authorization Date	N/A
Bonds Authorized	N/A
Original Authorized Cost	\$ 22,000
Revised Authorized Cost	\$ 22,000
Percentage Completion	
Original Target Completion Date	December 2016
Revised Target Completion Date	December 2016

ENTERPRISE FUNDS

EXHIBIT G-1

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
PROPRIETARY FUND
STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS
AS OF JUNE 30, 2015**

NOT APPLICABLE

EXHIBIT G-2

**PROPRIETARY FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND
CHANGES IN FUND NET ASSETS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

NOT APPLICABLE

EXHIBIT G-3

**PROPRIETARY FUND
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

NOT APPLICABLE

FIDUCIARY FUNDS

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
COMBINING STATEMENT OF AGENCY NET POSITION
AS OF JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Agency</u>		<u>Total</u>
	<u>Student Activity</u>	<u>Payroll</u>	
ASSETS			
Cash	\$ 20,136	\$ 11,302	\$ 31,438
Total Assets	<u>\$ 20,136</u>	<u>\$ 11,302</u>	<u>\$ 31,438</u>
LIABILITIES			
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings		\$ 9,769	\$ 9,769
Reserve for Flex Spending		1,533	1,533
Due to Student Groups	<u>\$ 20,136</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>20,136</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>\$ 20,136</u>	<u>\$ 11,302</u>	<u>\$ 31,438</u>

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

FINANCIAL STATEMENT IS PRESENTED ON EXHIBIT B-8

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
STUDENT ACTIVITY AGENCY FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

<u>School</u>	<u>Balance July 1, 2014</u>	<u>Cash Receipts</u>	<u>Cash Disbursements</u>	<u>Balance, June 30, 2015</u>
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS				
School #1	\$ 15,985	\$ 52,556	\$ 56,160	\$ 12,381
School #2	208	5,988	6,148	48
School #3	6,343	2,992	1,628	7,707
	<u>\$ 22,536</u>	<u>\$ 61,536</u>	<u>\$ 63,936</u>	<u>\$ 20,136</u>

**PAYROLL AGENCY FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Balance, July 1, 2014</u>	<u>Cash Receipts</u>	<u>Cash Disbursements</u>	<u>Balance, June 30, 2015</u>
Due to/from Other Funds		\$ 334,252	\$ 334,252	
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings	\$ 69,493	4,340,405	4,400,129	\$ 9,769
Accrued Salaries and Wages		5,987,453	5,987,453	
Flex Spending	-	6,220	4,687	1,533
	<u>\$ 69,493</u>	<u>\$ 10,668,330</u>	<u>\$ 10,726,521</u>	<u>\$ 11,302</u>

LONG-TERM DEBT

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
LONG TERM DEBT
SCHEDULE OF SERIAL BONDS PAYABLE
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

<u>Issue</u>	<u>Date of Issue</u>	<u>Amount of Issue</u>	<u>Annual Maturities</u>		<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Balance, July 1, 2014</u>	<u>Issued</u>	<u>Retired</u>	<u>Balance, June 30, 2015</u>
			<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>					
Refunding Bonds	4/7/2012	\$ 1,850,000	8/1/2015	\$ 185,000	2.625 %				
			8/1/2016	190,000	3.000				
			8/1/2017	190,000	3.125				
			8/1/2018	190,000	3.375				
			8/1/2019	185,000	3.625				
			8/1/2020	185,000	3.875				
			8/1/2021	180,000	4.000				
						<u>\$ 1,480,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>\$ 175,000</u>	<u>\$ 1,305,000</u>
						<u>\$ 1,480,000</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 175,000</u>	<u>\$ 1,305,000</u>
								Paid by Budget Appropriation	<u>\$ 175,000</u>

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
LONG-TERM DEBT
STATEMENT OF OBLIGATIONS UNDER CAPITAL LEASES
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Original Issue</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Balance, June 30, 2014</u>	<u>Issued</u>	<u>Matured</u>	<u>Balance, June 30, 2015</u>
Bus Lease -2015	\$ 50,000	2.395%	\$ 42,000	\$ -	\$ 10,130	\$ 31,870
			<u>\$ 42,000</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 10,130</u>	<u>\$ 31,870</u>

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
DEBT SERVICE FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Transfers</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance Final to Actual</u>
REVENUES					
Local Sources	\$ 221,060	-	\$ 221,060	\$ 221,060	\$ -
Total Revenues	<u>221,060</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>221,060</u>	<u>221,060</u>	<u>-</u>
EXPENDITURES					
Regular Debt Service					
Principal	175,000		175,000	175,000	
Interest	46,060	-	46,060	46,060	-
Total Expenditures	<u>221,060</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>221,060</u>	<u>221,060</u>	<u>-</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over/(Under) Expenditures	-	-	-	-	-
Excess of Revenues Over Expenditures	-	-	-	-	-
Fund Balance, Beginning of Year	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund Balance, End of Year	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

STATISTICAL SECTION

This part of the Little Falls Board of Education's comprehensive annual financial report presents detailed information as a context for understanding what the information in the financial statements, note disclosures, and required supplementary information says about the government's overall financial health.

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Sources: Unless otherwise noted, the information in these schedules is derived from the comprehensive annual financial reports for the relevant year.

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
NET POSITION BY COMPONENT
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Unaudited)
(accrual basis of accounting)

	Fiscal Year Ended June 30,									
	2006	2007 (Restated)	2008	2009	2010	2011 (1)	2012	2013	2014 (2) (Restated)	2015
Governmental Activities										
Net Investment in Capital Assets	\$ 2,962,621	\$ 3,271,187	\$ 3,060,740	\$ 3,509,356	\$ 3,720,730	\$ 3,588,307	\$ 3,866,993	\$ 3,936,967	\$ 2,761,687	\$ 2,782,904
Restricted	415,560	92,441	442,441	565,426	426,750	931,018	1,017,535	1,051,516	1,117,003	1,932,914
Unrestricted	681,162	876,233	690,525	131,299	74	183,193	548,348	796,769	(3,255,346)	(3,098,144)
Total Governmental Activities Net Position	<u>\$ 4,059,343</u>	<u>\$ 4,239,861</u>	<u>\$ 4,193,706</u>	<u>\$ 4,206,081</u>	<u>\$ 4,147,554</u>	<u>\$ 4,702,518</u>	<u>\$ 5,432,876</u>	<u>\$ 5,785,252</u>	<u>\$ 623,344</u>	<u>\$ 1,617,674</u>
Business-type activities										
Net Investment in Capital Assets	\$ 3,416	\$ 585		\$ 1,768	\$ 1,326	\$ 884	\$ 442			
Restricted										
Unrestricted	4,161	2,741	\$ 8,269	31,982	67,850	74,400	78,374	\$ 6,566	\$ 4,997	\$ 1,352
Total Business-Type Activities Net Position	<u>\$ 7,577</u>	<u>\$ 3,326</u>	<u>\$ 8,269</u>	<u>\$ 33,750</u>	<u>\$ 69,176</u>	<u>\$ 75,284</u>	<u>\$ 78,816</u>	<u>\$ 6,566</u>	<u>\$ 4,997</u>	<u>\$ 1,352</u>
District-Wide										
Net Investment in Capital Assets	\$ 2,966,037	\$ 3,271,772	\$ 3,060,740	\$ 3,511,124	\$ 3,722,056	\$ 3,589,191	\$ 3,867,435	\$ 3,936,967	\$ 2,761,687	\$ 2,782,904
Restricted	415,560	92,441	442,441	565,426	426,750	931,018	1,017,535	1,051,516	1,117,003	1,932,914
Unrestricted	685,323	878,974	698,794	163,281	67,924	257,593	626,722	803,335	(3,250,349)	(3,096,792)
Total District-Wide Net Position	<u>\$ 4,066,920</u>	<u>\$ 4,243,187</u>	<u>\$ 4,201,975</u>	<u>\$ 4,239,831</u>	<u>\$ 4,216,730</u>	<u>\$ 4,777,802</u>	<u>\$ 5,511,692</u>	<u>\$ 5,791,818</u>	<u>\$ 628,341</u>	<u>\$ 1,619,026</u>

Note 1 - Net Position at June 30, 2012 is restated to reflect the implementation of GASB Statement No. 63, "Financial Reporting of Deferred Outflows of Resources, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Net Position" and GASB Statement No. 65, "Items Previously Reported in Assets and Liabilities".

Note 2 - Net Position at June 30, 2014 is restated to reflect the implementation of GASB Statement No. 68, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions" and for corrections of the capital assets.

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
CHANGES IN NET POSITION
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Unaudited)
(accrual basis of accounting)

	2006		2007		2008		2009		Fiscal Year Ended June 30,		2010		2011		2012		2013		2014		2015	
Expenses																						
Governmental activities																						
Instruction																						
Regular	\$	4,903,454	\$	4,517,836	\$	5,078,355	\$	4,848,757	\$	5,097,365	\$	5,120,002	\$	5,617,550	\$	6,033,664	\$	6,124,204	\$	7,280,993		
Special education		1,671,736		1,998,084		2,112,337		2,536,565		2,890,096		3,195,971		3,005,060		2,532,687		3,342,399		3,824,169		
Other instruction		163,295		200,882		198,936		252,146		313,019		266,115		177,692		225,448		323,518		251,226		
School Sponsored Activities and Athletics		54,518		50,207		46,639		58,865		64,404		43,368		59,276		61,740		63,845		47,942		
Support Services:																						
Student & instruction related services		2,022,207		2,098,942		2,543,975		2,182,613		2,160,196		2,157,528		2,185,634		2,862,433		2,002,335		2,187,789		
School Administrative services		581,977		516,650		588,764		542,530		649,661		631,840		567,107		640,021		754,923		743,079		
General administration		438,466		478,276		482,775		470,477		435,252		451,282		397,089		399,352		515,227		468,797		
Central Services		236,897		286,010		344,592		298,703		323,753		308,143		346,694		368,369		388,214		364,088		
Plant operations and maintenance		1,008,444		1,113,434		1,207,088		1,084,625		1,104,511		1,069,624		1,090,995		1,104,938		1,127,070		1,158,476		
Pupil transportation		402,886		384,627		397,987		421,367		441,960		494,498		495,664		480,777		467,648		446,749		
Other support services																						
Interest on long-term debt		119,198		117,579		113,984		107,841		100,411		97,182		54,050		52,169		48,314		45,208		
Total governmental activities expenses		<u>11,603,078</u>		<u>11,762,527</u>		<u>13,115,432</u>		<u>12,804,489</u>		<u>13,580,628</u>		<u>13,835,553</u>		<u>13,996,811</u>		<u>14,761,598</u>		<u>15,157,697</u>		<u>16,818,516</u>		
Business-type activities:																						
Food service		113,007		121,662		126,205		120,790		160,851		206,366		220,312		262,168		253,234		252,114		
Inclusive Preschool				12,779		16,686		20,429		46,500		65,000		985		-		-		-		
Total business-type activities expense		<u>113,007</u>		<u>121,662</u>		<u>138,984</u>		<u>137,476</u>		<u>181,280</u>		<u>252,866</u>		<u>285,312</u>		<u>263,153</u>		<u>253,234</u>		<u>252,114</u>		
Total district expenses	\$	<u>11,716,085</u>	\$	<u>11,884,189</u>	\$	<u>13,254,416</u>	\$	<u>12,941,965</u>	\$	<u>13,761,908</u>	\$	<u>14,088,419</u>	\$	<u>14,282,123</u>	\$	<u>15,024,751</u>	\$	<u>15,410,931</u>	\$	<u>17,070,630</u>		
Program Revenues																						
Governmental activities:																						
Charges for services:																						
Instruction (tuition)	\$	118,841	\$	276,405	\$	263,542	\$	211,404	\$	147,035	\$	257,695	\$	109,782	\$	109,101	\$	92,292	\$	84,299		
Operating grants and contributions		1,858,180		2,112,558		2,290,082		1,919,572		1,789,668		1,765,174		1,951,744		2,336,741		2,219,819		4,015,044		
Capital grants and contributions		477,061		506		-		19,544		139,490		-		-		-		-		29,349		
Total governmental activities program revenues		<u>2,454,082</u>		<u>2,389,469</u>		<u>2,553,624</u>		<u>2,150,520</u>		<u>2,076,193</u>		<u>2,022,869</u>		<u>2,061,526</u>		<u>2,445,842</u>		<u>2,312,111</u>		<u>4,128,692</u>		

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
CHANGES IN NET POSITION
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Unaudited)
(accrual basis of accounting)

	Fiscal Year Ended June 30,									
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Business-type activities:										
Charges for services										
Food service	\$ 69,228	\$ 74,264	\$ 76,109	\$ 76,208	\$ 100,827	\$ 126,435	\$ 121,221	\$ 143,193	\$ 127,277	\$ 117,186
Inclusive Preschool	22,242	22,242	22,242	36,850	51,985	46,540	68,250	68,250	68,250	68,250
Operating grants and contributions	22,878	25,137	29,915	31,397	45,664	67,597	91,065	100,722	110,386	118,281
Total business type activities program revenues	<u>92,106</u>	<u>99,401</u>	<u>128,266</u>	<u>144,455</u>	<u>198,476</u>	<u>240,572</u>	<u>280,536</u>	<u>243,915</u>	<u>237,663</u>	<u>235,467</u>
Total district program revenues	<u>\$ 2,546,188</u>	<u>\$ 2,488,870</u>	<u>\$ 2,681,890</u>	<u>\$ 2,294,975</u>	<u>\$ 2,274,669</u>	<u>\$ 2,263,441</u>	<u>\$ 2,342,062</u>	<u>\$ 2,689,757</u>	<u>\$ 2,549,774</u>	<u>\$ 4,364,159</u>
Net (Expense)/Revenue										
Governmental activities	\$ (9,148,996)	\$ (9,373,058)	\$ (10,561,808)	\$ (10,653,969)	\$ (11,504,435)	\$ (11,812,684)	\$ (11,935,285)	\$ (12,315,756)	\$ (12,845,586)	\$ (12,689,824)
Business-type activities	(20,901)	(22,261)	(10,718)	6,979	17,196	(12,294)	(4,776)	(19,238)	(15,571)	(16,647)
Total district-wide net expense	<u>\$ (9,169,897)</u>	<u>\$ (9,395,319)</u>	<u>\$ (10,572,526)</u>	<u>\$ (10,646,990)</u>	<u>\$ (11,487,239)</u>	<u>\$ (11,824,978)</u>	<u>\$ (11,940,061)</u>	<u>\$ (12,334,994)</u>	<u>\$ (12,861,157)</u>	<u>\$ (12,706,471)</u>
General Revenues and Other Changes in Net Position										
Governmental activities:										
Property taxes levied for general purposes, net	\$ 9,290,530	\$ 9,812,794	\$ 10,064,639	\$ 10,383,528	\$ 11,250,627	\$ 12,113,531	\$ 12,355,802	\$ 12,355,802	\$ 12,806,443	\$ 13,403,910
Taxes levied for debt service	231,260	231,198	230,910	230,398	229,660	233,585	223,676	218,725	220,656	221,060
Unrestricted grants and contributions	120,828	121,035	141,318	28,036	75,562	11,575				16,334
Interest								5,544	6,889	7,006
Miscellaneous income	68,199	106,096	74,786	42,392	25,940	26,957	94,165	35,046	19,738	48,844
Donated Capital Assets			19,500							
Transfers	(13,500)	(18,000)	(15,500)	(18,010)	(18,000)	(18,000)	(8,000)	53,015	(14,000)	(13,000)
Total governmental activities	<u>9,697,317</u>	<u>10,253,123</u>	<u>10,515,653</u>	<u>10,666,344</u>	<u>11,563,789</u>	<u>12,367,648</u>	<u>12,665,643</u>	<u>12,668,132</u>	<u>13,039,726</u>	<u>13,684,154</u>
Business-type activities:										
Investment earnings	17	10	161	492	230	402	308	3	2	2
Transfers	13,500	18,000	15,500	18,010	18,000	18,000	8,000	(53,015)	14,000	13,000
Total business-type activities	<u>13,517</u>	<u>18,010</u>	<u>15,661</u>	<u>18,502</u>	<u>18,230</u>	<u>18,402</u>	<u>8,308</u>	<u>(53,012)</u>	<u>14,002</u>	<u>13,002</u>
Total district-wide	<u>\$ 9,710,834</u>	<u>\$ 10,271,133</u>	<u>\$ 10,531,314</u>	<u>\$ 10,684,846</u>	<u>\$ 11,582,019</u>	<u>\$ 12,386,050</u>	<u>\$ 12,673,951</u>	<u>\$ 12,615,120</u>	<u>\$ 13,053,728</u>	<u>\$ 13,697,156</u>
Change in Net Position										
Governmental activities	\$ 548,321	\$ 880,065	\$ (46,155)	\$ 12,375	\$ 59,354	\$ 554,964	\$ 730,358	\$ 352,376	\$ 194,140	\$ 994,330
Business-type activities	(7,384)	(4,251)	4,943	25,481	35,426	6,108	3,532	(72,250)	(1,569)	(3,645)
Total district	<u>\$ 540,937</u>	<u>\$ 875,814</u>	<u>\$ (41,212)</u>	<u>\$ 37,856</u>	<u>\$ 94,780</u>	<u>\$ 561,072</u>	<u>\$ 733,890</u>	<u>\$ 280,126</u>	<u>\$ 192,571</u>	<u>\$ 990,685</u>

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Unaudited)
(modified accrual basis of accounting)

	2006	2007	2008	2009	Fiscal Year Ended June 30,		2012	2013	2014	2015
					2010	2011				
General Fund										
Reserved	\$ 978,730	\$ 1,424,694	\$ 1,205,077	\$ 598,173	\$ 804,349					
Unreserved	167,551	570,543	431,936	252,804	57,265					
Restricted						\$ 1,432,759	\$ 1,810,228	\$ 1,857,384	\$ 2,055,705	\$ 2,258,248
Committed						42,719	29,852	19,693	-	-
Assigned						41,131	143,887	168,734	44,509	52,690
Unassigned	-	-	-	-	-	81,440	26,296	219,301	229,510	240,402
Total general fund	<u>\$ 1,146,281</u>	<u>\$ 1,995,237</u>	<u>\$ 1,637,013</u>	<u>\$ 850,977</u>	<u>\$ 861,614</u>	<u>\$ 1,598,049</u>	<u>\$ 2,010,263</u>	<u>\$ 2,265,112</u>	<u>\$ 2,329,724</u>	<u>\$ 2,551,340</u>
All Other Governmental Funds										
Reserved	\$ 54,254		\$ 7,530	\$ 286,304						
Unreserved	288,514	\$ 19,549	70,574	2,423						
Restricted							\$ 4,450	\$ 4,450	\$ 131,247	\$ 767,323
Committed										
Assigned										
Unassigned	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total all other governmental funds	<u>\$ 342,768</u>	<u>\$ 19,549</u>	<u>\$ 78,104</u>	<u>\$ 288,727</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 4,450</u>	<u>\$ 4,450</u>	<u>\$ 131,247</u>	<u>\$ 767,323</u>

Beginning with Fiscal Year 2012, the District implemented GASB Statement No. 54, "Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions". The Statement provides more clearly defined fund balance categories to make the nature and extent of the constraints placed on a government's fund balance more transparent. This Statement established fund balance classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which a government is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources reported in governmental funds. Reclassification of prior year fund balance amounts to comply with Statement No. 54 is not required.

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Unaudited)
(modified accrual basis of accounting)

	Fiscal Year Ended June 30,									
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Revenues										
Tax levy	\$ 9,521,790	\$ 10,043,992	\$ 10,295,549	\$ 10,613,926	\$ 11,480,287	\$ 12,347,116	\$ 12,579,478	\$ 12,574,527	\$ 13,027,099	\$ 13,624,970
Miscellaneous	187,040	382,501	338,328	253,796	172,975	284,652	203,947	150,174	126,858	146,935
State sources	2,222,131	2,007,430	2,187,886	1,673,387	1,646,376	1,361,402	1,640,606	2,063,424	1,874,448	2,177,268
Federal sources	233,938	226,669	243,514	293,765	358,344	415,347	311,138	272,834	337,432	349,850
Total revenue	12,164,899	12,660,592	13,065,277	12,834,874	13,657,982	14,408,517	14,735,169	15,060,959	15,365,837	16,299,023
Expenditures										
Instruction										
Regular Instruction	4,675,171	4,448,902	4,904,030	4,720,139	5,009,208	4,987,090	5,543,768	5,916,582	5,988,018	6,223,551
Special education instruction	1,628,749	1,909,829	2,022,456	2,525,745	2,854,977	3,091,306	2,958,334	2,482,906	3,309,026	3,494,449
Other instruction	147,220	206,119	204,677	246,157	250,233	257,909	178,449	194,531	363,749	238,617
School sponsored activities and athletics	54,518	50,207	46,639	58,865	64,404	43,368	59,276	61,740	63,845	48,556
Support Services:										
Student & inst. related services	1,890,748	2,055,704	2,407,007	2,132,357	2,217,257	2,118,241	2,146,189	2,839,384	1,973,235	1,984,110
General administration	430,408	510,189	461,439	460,943	438,968	428,546	387,348	647,264	507,864	691,331
School administrative services	585,037	435,555	532,632	566,266	618,372	588,991	550,871	405,799	704,047	452,433
Central services	240,806	268,108	327,339	291,581	306,086	302,661	338,534	360,262	370,283	361,822
Plant operations and maintenance	982,027	1,121,483	1,184,112	1,081,968	1,051,765	1,054,915	1,077,038	1,087,039	1,111,914	1,164,291
Pupil transportation	401,633	383,323	396,800	419,952	440,957	493,495	494,594	479,657	466,502	442,702
Capital outlay	559,069	539,607	674,878	625,308	285,696	-	332,381	165,236	118,839	94,273
Debt service:										
Principal	128,869	140,331	143,629	152,382	158,956	166,900	195,047	165,000	183,000	185,130
Interest and other charges	121,260	117,928	116,650	110,624	103,312	120,660	48,676	53,725	50,106	47,066
Cost of issuance	-	-	-	-	-	66,218	-	-	-	-
Advance Refunding Escrow	-	-	-	-	-	41,492	-	-	-	-
Total expenditures	11,845,515	12,187,285	13,422,288	13,392,287	13,800,191	13,761,792	14,310,505	14,859,125	15,210,428	15,428,331
Excess (Deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	319,384	473,307	(357,011)	(557,413)	(142,209)	646,725	424,664	201,834	155,409	870,692
Other Financing sources (uses)										
Proceeds from borrowing						1,850,000				
Premium on Refunding Bonds						42,710				
Payment to Refunded Bond Escrow Agent						(1,785,000)				
Capital Lease Proceeds		70,430	72,842						50,000	-
Transfers in	91,114	275,386	94,309	317,119	150,728			65,015	131,247	701,000
Transfers out	(104,614)	(293,386)	(109,809)	(335,129)	(168,728)	(18,000)	(8,000)	(12,000)	(145,247)	(714,000)
Total other financing sources (uses)	(13,500)	52,430	57,342	(18,010)	(18,000)	89,710	(8,000)	53,015	36,000	(13,000)
Net change in fund balances	\$ 305,884	\$ 525,737	\$ (299,669)	\$ (575,423)	\$ (160,209)	\$ 736,435	\$ 416,664	\$ 254,849	\$ 191,409	\$ 857,692
Debt service as a percentage of										
noncapital expenditures	1.14%	1.20%	1.13%	1.19%	1.18%	1.51%	1.40%	1.12%	1.21%	1.21%

* Noncapital expenditures are total expenditures less capital outlay.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
GENERAL FUND OTHER LOCAL REVENUE BY SOURCE
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Unaudited)**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Tuition</u>	<u>Interest on Investments</u>	<u>Total</u>
2006	\$ 3,383	\$ 118,841	\$ 56,625	\$ 178,849
2007	12,410	276,405	87,771	376,586
2008	10,288	263,542	55,100	328,930
2009	15,398	211,404	26,354	253,156
2010	21,686	147,035	3,187	171,908
2011	20,314	257,695	6,643	284,652
2012	84,520	109,782	5,195	199,497
2013	35,046	109,101	5,544	149,691
2014	19,738	92,292	6,889	118,919
2015	48,844	84,299	7,006	140,149

GAAP Basis

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 ASSESSED VALUE AND ACTUAL VALUE OF TAXABLE PROPERTY
 LAST TEN YEARS
 (Unaudited)

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Vacant Land	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Apartment	Total Assessed Value	Public Utilities	Net Valuation Taxable	Estimated Actual (County Equalized) Value	Total Direct School Tax Rate ^a
2006	\$ 16,927,800	\$ 539,021,600	\$ 95,079,000	\$ 29,779,200	\$ 40,627,300	\$ 721,434,900	\$ 3,378,452	\$ 724,813,352	\$ 1,692,902,856	\$ 1
2007	16,968,300	541,871,900	95,431,400	29,034,200	40,627,300	723,933,100	3,378,452	727,311,552	1,882,274,611	1.402
2008	16,872,000	542,293,100	96,911,800	28,454,700	39,977,300	724,508,900	2,484,700	726,993,600	1,967,283,064	1.450
2009 *	34,303,900	1,389,066,700	301,526,300	69,114,000	122,049,600	1,916,060,500	7,056,766	1,923,117,266	1,991,873,881	0.520
2010	36,499,400	1,385,258,500	304,646,000	64,840,900	122,049,600	1,913,294,400	6,569,100	1,919,863,500	1,929,790,969	0.621
2011	37,838,400	1,376,785,400	303,200,600	64,602,700	120,741,600	1,903,168,700	6,429,200	1,909,597,900	1,902,086,209	0.653
2012	36,882,200	1,376,430,700	283,233,000	65,340,500	117,147,600	1,879,034,000	6,627,100	1,885,661,100	1,892,934,504	0.667
2013 **	26,783,060	1,066,372,000	246,005,100	54,397,400	108,646,700	1,502,204,260	5,200,700	1,507,404,960	1,623,729,535	0.8505
2014	27,412,500	1,051,978,100	232,899,200	54,169,600	116,124,200	1,482,583,600	4,169,300	1,486,752,900	1,663,010,478	0.8970
2015	28,120,300	1,049,623,100	231,829,600	53,267,000	115,646,700	1,478,486,700	4,260,500	1,482,747,200	1,643,964,705	0.9222

Source: County Abstract of Ratables

a Tax rates are per \$100

N/A = Not Available

* The Borough had a revaluation which became effective in 2009.

** The Borough had a reassessment which became effective in 2014.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING PROPERTY TAX RATES
PER \$100 OF ASSESSED VALUATION
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Unaudited)
(rate per \$100 of assessed value)**

<u>Calendar Year</u>	<u>Total Direct School Tax Rate</u>	<u>Regional High School District</u>	<u>Municipality</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Total Direct and Overlapping Tax Rate</u>	
2006	\$1.34	\$0.80	\$1.02	\$1.23	\$4.39	
2007	1.40	0.85	1.18	1.26	4.72	
2008	1.45	0.90	1.30	1.37	5.02	
2009	*	0.52	0.58	0.32	0.51	1.93
2010	0.621	0.331	0.57	0.54	2.062	
2011	0.653	0.337	0.58	0.57	2.145	
2012	0.667	0.385	0.61	0.64	2.30	
2013	**	0.8505	0.5053	0.7735	0.716	2.845
2014	0.8970	0.5200	0.8010	0.776	2.994	
2015	0.9222	0.4875	0.8170	0.849	3.076	

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**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
PRINCIPAL PROPERTY TAXPAYERS,
CURRENT YEAR AND TEN YEARS AGO
(Unaudited)**

Taxpayer	2014		2005	
	Taxable Assessed Value	% of Total District Net Assessed Value	Taxable Assessed Value	% of Total District Net Assessed Value
Inwood Owners Inc	\$ 68,500,000	4.54%	\$ 27,000,000	3.73%
Theta Holding Co	50,055,000	3.32%	24,489,000	3.38%
North Jersey District PAR 3 PAR 5			5,283,500	0.73%
Park Falls Associates PAR3 LLC	13,285,000	0.88%	4,852,400	0.67%
Ward Trucking Corp AMB			4,748,700	0.66%
Great Notch Village	10,027,700	0.67%	4,545,000	0.63%
Park Falls Associates			4,481,400	0.62%
Andrew Realty			4,400,000	0.61%
Saturn Realty	9,656,300	0.64%	3,750,000	0.52%
Sisco	8,965,100	0.59%		
Andrew Realty	8,500,000	0.56%		
Hilltop Manor Associates LLC	7,000,000	0.46%	-	0.00%
Brownstone Inc	6,898,800	0.46%		
Verizon			3,378,452	0.47%
	<u>\$ 195,320,100</u>	<u>12.13%</u>	<u>\$ 86,928,452</u>	<u>12.01%</u>

Source: Municipal Tax Assessor

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
PROPERTY TAX LEVIES AND COLLECTIONS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Unaudited)**

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Taxes Levied for the Fiscal Year	Collected within the Fiscal Year of the Levy		Collections in Subsequent Years
		Amount	Percentage of Levy	
2006	\$ 9,521,790	\$ 9,521,790	100.00%	N/A
2007	10,043,992	10,043,992	100.00%	N/A
2008	10,295,549	10,295,549	100.00%	N/A
2009	10,613,926	10,613,926	100.00%	N/A
2010	11,480,287	11,480,287	100.00%	N/A
2011	12,347,116	12,347,116	100.00%	N/A
2012	12,579,478	12,579,478	100.00%	N/A
2013	12,574,527	12,574,527	100.00%	N/A
2014	13,027,099	13,027,099	100.00%	N/A
2015	13,624,970	13,624,970	100.00%	N/A

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
RATIOS OF OUTSTANDING DEBT BY TYPE
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Unaudited)**

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Governmental Activities			Total District	Population	Per Capita
	General Obligation Bonds	Capital Leases	Bond Anticipation Notes (BANs)			
2006	\$ 2,560,000	\$ 11,787		\$ 2,571,787	11,614	\$ 221
2007	2,445,000	54,072		2,499,072	11,581	216
2008	2,325,000	103,285		2,428,285	11,585	210
2009	2,200,000	75,903		2,275,903	11,646	195
2010	2,070,000	46,947		2,116,947	14,441	147
2011	1,995,000	20,047		2,015,047	14,449	139
2012	1,820,000			1,820,000	14,472	126
2013	1,655,000			1,655,000	14,522	114
2014	1,480,000	42,000		1,522,000	14,516	105
2015	1,305,000	31,870		1,336,870	14,516 *	92

Source: District records

*Estimate

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
RATIOS OF NET GENERAL BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Unaudited)

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	General Bonded Debt Outstanding		Net General Bonded Debt Outstanding	Percentage of Actual Taxable Value ^a of Property	Per Capita ^b
	General Obligation Bonds	Deductions			
2006	\$ 2,560,000		\$ 2,560,000	0.35%	\$ 221
2007	2,445,000		2,445,000	0.34%	211
2008	2,325,000		2,325,000	0.32%	201
2009	2,200,000		2,200,000	0.11%	189
2010	2,070,000		2,070,000	0.11%	143
2011	1,995,000		1,995,000	0.10%	138
2012	1,820,000		1,820,000	0.10%	126
2013	1,655,000		1,655,000	0.11%	114
2014	1,480,000		1,480,000	0.10%	102
2015	1,305,000		1,305,000	0.09%	90

Source: District records

Notes:

a See Exhibit J-6 for property tax data.

b See Exhibit J-14 for population data.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
COMPUTATION OF DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING OUTSTANDING BONDED DEBT
FOR YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014
(Unaudited)**

Net Direct Debt of School District as of December 31, 2014	\$ 1,305,000
Net Overlapping Debt of School District:	
Little Falls Township (100%)	28,838,956
County of Passaic - Township's Share (4.85%)	13,659,932
Passaic County Utilities Authority - Township's Share (4.85%)	2,037,511
Passaic Valley Sewage Commission (1.72%)	<u>1,876,715</u>
 Total Direct and Overlapping Bonded Debt as of December 31, 2014	 <u>\$ 47,718,114</u>

Source: Little Falls Township Chief Financial Officer and Passaic County Treasurer's Office,
Sewerage Commission and Utilities Authority Auditors

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 LEGAL DEBT MARGIN INFORMATION
 LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Equalized valuation basis

2014	\$ 1,641,115,342
2013	1,672,460,766
2012	1,767,670,743
[A]	<u>\$ 5,081,246,851</u>

[A/3] \$ 1,693,748,950

[B]	50,812,469 a
[C]	1,305,000
[B-C]	<u>\$ 49,507,469</u>

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Debt limit	\$ 45,835,613	\$ 50,842,593	\$ 54,899,836	\$ 57,818,438	\$ 58,344,139	\$ 57,782,231	\$ 57,097,672	\$ 55,631,003	\$ 53,404,497	\$ 50,812,469
Total net debt applicable to limit	2,560,000	2,445,000	2,325,000	2,200,000	2,070,000	1,995,000	1,820,000	1,655,000	1,480,000	1,305,000
Legal debt margin	<u>\$ 43,275,613</u>	<u>\$ 48,397,593</u>	<u>\$ 52,574,836</u>	<u>\$ 55,618,438</u>	<u>\$ 56,274,139</u>	<u>\$ 55,787,231</u>	<u>\$ 55,277,672</u>	<u>\$ 53,976,003</u>	<u>\$ 51,924,497</u>	<u>\$ 49,507,469</u>
Total net debt applicable to the limit as a percentage of debt limit	5.59%	4.81%	4.23%	3.81%	3.55%	3.45%	3.19%	2.97%	2.77%	2.57%

Source: Annual Debt Statements

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
DEMOGRAPHIC AND ECONOMIC STATISTICS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Unaudited)**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>County Per Capita Personal Income</u>	<u>Unemployment Rate</u>
2006	11,614	\$ 38,603	4.5%
2007	11,581	40,855	4.2%
2008	11,585	41,658	5.4%
2009	11,646	41,249	10.5%
2010	14,441	41,997	10.7%
2011	14,449	43,857	10.5%
2012	14,472	44,900	10.5%
2013	14,547	44,688	8.9%
2014	14,516 *	44,688 *	5.9% *
2015	14,516 *	44,688 *	5.9% *

Source: New Jersey State Department of Education

* Estimate

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 PRINCIPAL EMPLOYERS,
 CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEARS AGO
 (Unaudited)

Employer	2015		2006	
	Employees	Percentage of Total Municipal Employment	Employees	Percentage of Total Municipal Employment

INFORMATION NOT AVAILABLE

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT DISTRICT EMPLOYEES BY FUNCTION/PROGRAM
 LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
 (Unaudited)**

<u>Function/Program</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>
Instruction										
Regular	51.0	50.0	52.0	53.0	55.0	55.0	55.0	60.0	61.2	62.8
Special education	16.5	16.5	22.5	21.5	21.5	21.5	21.5	16.0	21.4	15.8
Other special education	16.3	25.0	24.5	26.5	32.0	32.0	32.0	37.0	42.0	38.0
Other instruction	15.0	18.3	10.5	15.0	9.5	9.5	9.5	8.6	8.6	10.0
Support Services:										
Student & instruction related services	3.5	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	8.0	8.0	9.0
General administration	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	1.5
School administrative services	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	6.0	6.0	5.5
Other administrative services	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	2.0
Central services	2.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	3.5	3.5	2.6
Administrative Information Technology	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0			
Plant operations and maintenance	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	8.6	8.6	7.5
Pupil transportation	1.0	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	2.8	2.8	1.5
Other support services	6.5	8.3	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	5.6	5.6	4.1
Total	125.8	137.6	135.5	142.0	142.0	142.0	142.0	159.1	170.7	160.3

Source: District Personnel Records

Note:
 GASB requires that ten years of statistical data be presented. As a result of the implementation of GASB No. 44 in fiscal year 2006 only nine (9) years of information is available. Each year thereafter, an additional year's data will be included until ten years of data is present.

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 OPERATING STATISTICS
 LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
 (Unaudited)

Fiscal Year	Enrollment ^a	Operating Expenditures ^b	Cost Per Pupil ^c	Percentage Change	Teaching Staff	Teacher/Pupil Ratio		Average Daily Enrollment (ADE)	Average Daily Attendance (ADA)	% Change in Average Daily Enrollment	Student Attendance Percentage
							Elementary				
2006	851	\$ 11,036,317	\$ 12,972	4.31%	83.0		1:10.25	850.80	813.70	1.64%	95.64%
2007	881	11,389,419	12,925	-0.36%	83.0		1:10.62	881.20	839.80	3.57%	95.30%
2008	887	12,487,131	14,078	8.92%	83.0		Not Available	884.40	843.70	0.36%	95.40%
2009	921	12,503,963	13,577	-3.56%	83.0		Not Available	917.30	874.60	3.72%	95.35%
2010	931	13,252,227	14,234	4.85%	81.0		Not Available	934.70	895.50	1.90%	95.81%
2011	942	13,366,522	14,190	-0.32%	89.0		Not Available	938.50	897.00	0.41%	95.58%
2012	925	13,734,401	14,848	4.64%	89.0		Not Available	916.40	879.90	-2.35%	96.02%
2013	907	14,475,164	15,959	7.49%	91.6		1:9.9	900.90	864.60	-1.69%	95.97%
2014	920	14,858,483	16,151	8.77%	92.0		00:00.0	905.80	866.54	-1.16%	95.67%
2015	898	15,101,862	16,817	5.38%	87.6		01:10.3	897.71	859.86	-0.35%	95.78%

Sources: District records

- Note:
- a Enrollment based on School Register Summary.
 - b Operating expenditures equal total expenditures (modified accrual) less debt service and capital outlay.
 - c Cost per pupil represents operating expenditures divided by enrollment.

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 SCHOOL BUILDING INFORMATION
 LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
 (Unaudited)

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
District Building										
<u>Elementary</u>										
Square Feet	53,756	53,756	53,756	53,756	53,756	53,756	53,756	53,756	53,756	53,756
Capacity (students)	418	418	418	418	418	418	418	418	418	418
Enrollment	397	397	393	393	393	393	374	391	391	391
Square Feet	38,907	38,907	38,907	38,907	38,907	38,907	38,907	38,907	38,907	38,907
Capacity (students)	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280
Enrollment ^a	294	294	294	294	294	294	340	297	297	297
Square Feet	28,901	28,901	28,901	28,901	28,901	28,901	28,901	28,901	28,901	28,901
Capacity (students)	178	178	178	178	178	178	178	178	178	178
Enrollment	190	190	197	197	197	197	203	208	208	208

Number of Schools at June 30, 2015
 Elementary = 3

Source: District Records

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**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF REQUIRED MAINTENANCE FOR SCHOOL FACILITIES
LAST TEN YEARS
(Unaudited)**

**UNDISTRIBUTED EXPENDITURES - REQUIRED
MAINTENANCE FOR SCHOOL FACILITIES**

		<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>
<u>School Facilities</u>	<u>School Number</u>										
Number 1	050	\$ 82,986	\$ 67,965	\$ 54,689	\$ 52,537	\$ 50,072	\$ 50,067	\$ 43,182	\$ 71,563	\$ 58,843	\$ 51,113
Number 2	060	62,240	44,016	43,546	47,703	55,888	51,648	49,101	44,096	41,898	49,535
Number 3	999	62,240	46,754	49,362	48,623	42,262	45,084	46,452	46,096	35,403	43,092
Total Required Maintenance for School Faci		<u>\$ 207,465</u>	<u>\$ 158,735</u>	<u>\$ 147,597</u>	<u>\$ 148,863</u>	<u>\$ 148,222</u>	<u>\$ 146,799</u>	<u>\$ 138,735</u>	<u>\$ 161,755</u>	<u>\$ 136,144</u>	<u>\$ 143,740</u>

Source: District Records

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF INSURANCE
JUNE 30, 2015
(Unaudited)**

	<u>Coverage</u>	<u>Deductible</u>
School Package Policy - NJSBAIG		
Property - Blanket Building & Contents	\$ 25,774,088	\$ 5,000
Comprehensive General Liability	11,000,000	
Comprehensive Automobile Liability	11,000,000	
Computer and Scheduled Equipment	900,000	1,000
Umbrella Liability - Fireman's Fund Insurance Co. Umbrella Policy	50,000,000	
School Board Legal Liability - NJSBAIG	11,000,000	5,000
Public Employees' Faithful Performance Blanket NJSBAIG	100,000 per person	
Surety Bond Coverage - Business Administrator	200,000	
Student Accident - Peoples Benefits Life Insurance Co.	5,000,000	
Worker's Compensation	2,000,000	

Source: District Records.



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**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**

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable President and Members
of the Board of Trustees
Little Falls Board of Education
Little Falls, New Jersey

We have audited, in accordance with the 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 audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Little Falls Board of Education as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Little Falls Board of Education's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated November 30, 2015.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Little Falls Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Little Falls Board of Education's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Little Falls Board of Education's internal control.

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

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

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Little Falls Board of Education’s financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards and audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey.

However, we noted certain matters that are not required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards that we reported to management of the Little Falls Board of Education in a separate report entitled, “Auditor’s Management Report on Administrative Findings – Financial, Compliance and Performance” dated November 30, 2015.

Purpose of this Report

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


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Fair Lawn, New Jersey
November 30, 2015



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**REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR STATE PROGRAM;
REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE; AND REPORT
ON THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE FINANCIAL
ASSISTANCE AS REQUIRED BY NEW JERSEY OMB CIRCULAR 15-08**

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable President and Members
of the Board of Trustees
Little Falls Board of Education
Little Falls, New Jersey

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal and State Program

We have audited the Little Falls Board of Education's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08 State Aid/Grant Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Little Falls Board of Education's major state programs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015. The Little Falls Board of Education's major state programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to its state programs.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the Little Falls Board of Education's major state programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. 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; audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey; and New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08, Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid. Those standards and Circulars 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 state program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Little Falls Board of Education'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 on compliance for each major state program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Little Falls Board of Education's compliance.

Opinion on Each Major State Program

In our opinion, the Little Falls Board of Education complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major state programs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of the Little Falls Board of Education is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the Little Falls Board of Education's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major state program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major state program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Little Falls Board of Education's internal control over compliance.

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

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

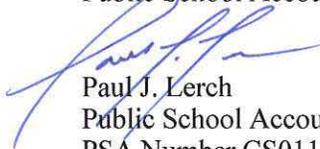
The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Report on Schedule of Expenditures of State Financial Assistance Required by New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Little Falls Board of Education as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Board of Education's basic financial statements. We issued our report thereon dated November 30, 2015, which contained unmodified opinions on those financial statements. Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance as required by New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08 are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of federal awards and schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.



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November 30, 2015

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
 FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

Federal/Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/ Program Title	Federal CFDA Number	Grant or State Project Number	Grant Period	Award Amount	Balance, July 1, 2014		Unearned Revenue Carryover/ Walkover Amount	(A/R) Carryover/ Walkover Amount	Cash Received	Budgetary Expenditures	Balance, June 30, 2015			Memo GAAP Receivable
					(Accounts Receivable)	Unearned Revenue					(Account Receivable)	Unearned Revenue	Due to Grantor	
U.S. Department of Agriculture														
Passed-Through State Department of Education														
<u>Enterprise Fund</u>														
National School Lunch Program	10.555	N/A	7/1/13-6/30/14	\$ 90,037	\$ (17,664)				\$ 17,664					
National School Lunch Program	10.555	N/A	7/1/14-6/30/15	94,908					94,908	\$ 94,908				
National School Breakfast Program	10.553	N/A	7/1/13-6/30/14	1,191	(289)				289					
National School Breakfast Program	10.553	N/A	7/1/14-6/30/15	1,900					1,900	1,900				
Non-Cash Assistance	10.555	N/A	7/1/14-6/30/15	18,665	-	-	-	-	18,665	18,665				
Total Enterprise Fund					(17,953)	-	-	-	133,426	115,473				
U.S. Department of Education														
Passed-Through State Department of Education														
<u>General Fund</u>														
ARRA/SEMI	93.778	N/A	7/1/14-6/30/15	16,901	-	-	-	-	16,901	16,901				
Medicaid Reimbursement	93.778	N/A	7/1/14-6/30/15	30,277	-	-	-	-	23,154	30,277	\$ (7,123)	-	-	\$ (7,123)
Total General Fund					-	-	-	-	40,055	47,178	(7,123)	-	-	(7,123)
<u>Special Revenue</u>														
N.C.L.B. - Title I	84.010A	NCLB270009	9/1/13-8/31/14	77,878	(57,288)	\$ 9,133	\$ (9,133)	\$ 9,133	48,155					
N.C.L.B. - Title I	84.010A	NCLB270009	9/1/14-8/31/15	97,322					9,133	94,144	(37,137)	\$ 12,311		(37,137)
N.C.L.B. - Title II - A	84.367A	NCLB270009	9/1/13-8/31/14	20,138	(3,766)				3,766					
N.C.L.B. - Title II - A	84.367A	NCLB270009	9/1/14-8/31/15	20,166							(20,166)	20,166		(20,166)
I.D.E.I.A. Part B-Basic	84.027	IDEA270009	9/1/13-8/31/14	179,529	(46,324)	13,891	(13,891)	13,891	32,433					
I.D.E.I.A. Part B-Basic	84.027	IDEA270009	9/1/14-8/31/15	191,793					13,891	154,729	(50,955)	6,908		(50,955)
I.D.E.I.A. Part B-Preschool	84.173	IDEA270009	9/1/13-8/31/14	9,764	(9,764)	48	(48)	48	9,716					
I.D.E.I.A. Part B-Preschool	84.173	IDEA270009	9/1/14-8/31/15	9,798					48	9,752	(9,846)	94		(9,846)
Total Special Revenue					(117,142)	23,072	-	-	318,117	302,672	(118,104)	39,479	-	(118,104)
Total Federal Financial Awards					\$ (135,095)	\$ 23,072	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 491,598	\$ 465,323	\$ (125,227)	\$ 39,479	\$ -	\$ (125,227)

Note - This schedule was not subject to a single audit in accordance with OMB-133.

LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
 SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
 FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

State Grantor/Program Title	Grant or State Project Number	Grant Period	Award Amount	Balance, July 1, 2014	Carryover Amount	Cash Received	Budgetary Expenditures	Adjust	Repayment of Prior Yr. Balances	Balance, June 30, 2015			Memo		
										Accounts Receivable	Unearned Revenue	Due to Grantor	GAAP Receivable	Cumulative Total Expenditures	
State Department of Education															
<u>General Fund</u>															
Special Education Categorical Aid	14-495-034-5120-089	7/1/13-6/30/14	\$ 458,142	\$ (43,223)		\$ 43,223									*
Special Education Categorical Aid	15-495-034-5120-089	7/1/14-6/30/15	458,142			415,262	\$ 458,142				\$ (42,880)				*
Security Aid	14-495-034-5120-084	7/1/13-6/30/14	20,222	(1,908)		1,908									*
Security Aid	15-495-034-5120-084	7/1/14-6/30/15	20,222			18,329	20,222				(1,893)				*
Additional Adjustment Aid	14-495-034-5120-085	7/1/14-6/30/15	1			1	1								*
Extraordinary Aid	14-100-034-5120-473	7/1/13-6/30/14	217,702	(217,702)		217,702									*
Extraordinary Aid	15-100-034-5120-473	7/1/14-6/30/15	101,433			2,272	101,433				(99,161)				*
PARCC Readiness Aid	15-495-034-5120-098	7/1/14-6/30/15	9,010			8,167	9,010				(843)				*
Per Pupil Growth Aid	15-495-034-5120-097	7/1/14-6/30/15	9,010			8,167	9,010				(843)				*
Transportation Aid	14-495-034-5120-014	7/1/13-6/30/14	32,836	(3,098)		3,098									*
Transportation Aid	15-495-034-5120-014	7/1/14-6/30/15	32,836			29,763	32,836				(3,073)				*
Additional Nonpublic Transportation Aid	N/A	7/1/13-6/30/14	6,252	(6,252)		6,252									*
Additional Nonpublic Transportation Aid	N/A	7/1/14-6/30/15	5,208				5,208				(5,208)		\$ (5,208)	5,208	*
Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contribution	14-495-034-5095-002	7/1/13-6/30/14	443,783	(21,896)		21,896									*
Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contribution	15-495-034-5094-003	7/1/14-6/30/15	492,526			445,400	492,526				(47,126)		\$ (47,126)	492,526	*
On-Behalf TPAF Normal Pension Contribution	15-495-034-5094-006	7/1/14-6/30/15	325,308			325,308	325,308							325,308	*
On-Behalf TPAF - NCGI Premium	15-495-034-5094-007	7/1/14-6/30/15	23,404			23,404	23,404							23,404	*
Oh-Behalf TPAF Post Retirement Medical Contribution	15-495-034-5094-001	7/1/14-6/30/15	553,581	-	-	553,581	553,581	-	-	-	-	-	-	553,581	*
Total General Fund				(294,079)	-	2,123,733	2,030,681	-	-	(201,027)	-	-	(52,334)	2,030,681	
State Department of Agriculture															
<u>Enterprise Fund</u>															
National School Lunch Program (State Share)	14-100-010-3350-023	7/1/13-6/30/14	3,093	(744)		744	-							-	*
National School Lunch Program (State Share)	15-100-010-3350-023	7/1/14-6/30/15	2,808			2,808	2,808							2,808	*
Total Enterprise Fund				(744)	-	3,552	2,808	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,808	
State of New Jersey Schools Development Authority:															
<u>Capital Projects</u>															
School #1 Electrical Upgrade	#2700-050-14-1001-G04	N/A	200,000				8,685				(200,000)	\$ 191,315	(200,000)	8,685	*
School #2 Electrical Upgrade	#2700-060-14-1009-G04	N/A	220,000				8,684				(220,000)	211,316	(220,000)	8,684	*
School #3 Exterior Door & Roof Replacement	#2700-070-14-1012-G04	N/A	87,498				11,980				(87,498)	75,518	(87,498)	11,980	*
Total Capital Projects				-	-	-	29,349	-	-	(507,498)	478,149	-	(507,498)	29,349	
Total State Financial Assistance				(294,823)	-	2,127,285	2,062,838	-	-	(708,525)	478,149	-	(559,832)	2,062,838	
Not Subject to Single Audit Determination															
<u>General Fund</u>															
On-Behalf TPAF Pension System Contribution	15-495-034-5094-006	7/1/14-6/30/15	325,308			(325,308)	(325,308)							(325,308)	*
On-Behalf TPAF Post-Retirement Medical Cor	15-495-034-5094-007	7/1/14-6/30/15	23,404			(23,404)	(23,404)							(23,404)	*
On-Behalf TPAF - NCGI Premium	15-495-034-5094-001	7/1/14-6/30/15	553,581			(553,581)	(553,581)							(553,581)	*
Total State Financial Assistance Subject to Single Audit				\$ (294,823)	\$ -	\$ 1,224,992	\$ 1,160,545	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (708,525)	\$ 478,149	\$ -	\$ (559,832)	\$ 1,160,545	

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**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOTES TO THE SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF
FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 GENERAL

The accompanying schedules present the activity of all federal and state financial assistance programs of the Little Falls Board of Education. The Board of Education is defined in Note 1(A) to the Board's financial statements. All federal financial assistance received directly from federal agencies, as well as federal awards and state financial assistance passed through other government agencies is included on the schedule of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance.

NOTE 2 BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The accompanying schedules are prepared and presented using the budgetary basis of accounting with the exception of programs recorded in the food service fund, which are presented using the accrual basis of accounting. These basis of accounting are described in Notes 1(C) to the Board's financial statements. The information in these schedules is presented in accordance with requirements of New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08, "Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants, and State Aid". Therefore, some amounts presented in these schedules may differ from the amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the financial statements.

NOTE 3 RELATIONSHIP TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements present the general fund and special revenue fund on a GAAP basis. Budgetary comparison statements or schedules (RSI) are presented for the general fund and special revenue fund to demonstrate finance-related legal compliance in which certain revenue is permitted by law or grant agreement to be recognized in the audit year, whereas for GAAP reporting, revenue is not recognized until the subsequent year or when expenditures have been made.

The general fund is presented in the accompanying schedules on a modified accrual basis with the exception of the revenue recognition of the delayed state aid payments in the current budget year, which is mandated pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:22-44.2. For GAAP purposes, those payments are not recognized until the subsequent year due to the state deferral and recording of certain state aid payments in the subsequent year. The special revenue fund is presented in the accompanying schedules on the grant accounting budgetary basis which recognizes encumbrances as expenditures and also recognizes the related revenues, which may include the delayed state aid payments, whereas the GAAP basis does not. The special revenue fund also recognizes the delayed state aid payments in the current budget year, consistent with N.J.S.A. 18A:22-44.2.

The net adjustment to reconcile from the budgetary basis to the GAAP basis is an increase of \$117,238 for the general fund. See the Notes to Required Supplementary Information for a reconciliation of the budgetary basis to the modified accrual basis of accounting for the general and special revenue funds. Awards and financial assistance revenues are reported in the Board's financial statements on a GAAP basis as presented as follows:

	<u>Federal</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Total</u>
General Fund	\$ 47,178	\$ 2,147,919	\$ 2,195,097
Special Revenue Fund	302,672		302,672
Capital Projects Fund		29,349	29,349
Food Service Fund	<u>115,473</u>	<u>2,808</u>	<u>118,281</u>
Total Financial Assistance	<u>\$ 465,323</u>	<u>\$ 2,180,076</u>	<u>\$ 2,645,399</u>

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
NOTES TO THE SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF
FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

NOTE 4 RELATIONSHIP TO FEDERAL AND STATE FINANCIAL REPORTS

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedules may not necessarily agree with the amounts reported in the related federal and state financial reports due to timing differences between the District's fiscal year and grant program years.

NOTE 5 OTHER INFORMATION

Revenues and expenditures reported under the National School Lunch Program as non-cash assistance represent current year value received and current year distributions, respectively of the Federal Food Distribution Program. TPAF Social Security contributions in the amount of \$492,526 represents the amount reimbursed by the State for the employer's share of social security contributions for TPAF members for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015. The amount reported as TPAF Pension System Contributions in the amount of \$348,712 and TPAF Post-Retirement Medical Benefits Contributions in the amount of \$553,581 represents the amount paid by the State on behalf of the District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015.

NOTE 6 ON-BEHALF PROGRAMS NOT SUBJECT TO STATE SINGLE AUDIT

On-behalf State Programs for TPAF Pension and Post-Retirement Medical Benefits Contributions are not subject to a State single audit and, therefore, are excluded from major program determination. The Schedule of State Financial Assistance provides a reconciliation of State financial assistance reported in the District's financial statements and the amount subject to State single audit and major program determination.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

Part 1 – Summary of Auditor’s Results

Financial Statements

Type of auditor's report issued: Unmodified

Internal control over financial reporting:

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|---|-----------|-----------------------|--|
| 1) Material weakness(es) identified? | _____ Yes | _____ X No | |
| 2) Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? | _____ Yes | _____ X None reported | |

Noncompliance material to the basic financial statements noted?	_____ Yes	_____ X No	
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Federal Awards Section - Not Applicable

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SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS (CONT'D)
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

Part 2 - Schedule of Financial Statement Findings

This section identifies the significant deficiencies, material weaknesses, fraud, illegal acts, violations of provisions of contracts and grant agreements and abuse related to the financial statements in accordance with Government Auditing Standards.

There are none.

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SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS (CONT'D)
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

Part 3 - Schedule of Federal and State Award Findings and Questioned Costs

This section identifies the significant deficiencies, material weaknesses, and instances of noncompliance, including questioned costs, related to the audit of major federal and state programs, as required by OMB Circular A-133 and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08.

CURRENT YEAR FEDERAL AWARDS

Not Applicable

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FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

Part 3 – Schedule of Federal and State Award Findings and Questioned Costs

This section identifies the significant deficiencies, material weaknesses, and instances of noncompliance, including questioned costs, related to the audit of major federal and state programs, as required by OMB Circular A-133 and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08.

CURRENT YEAR STATE AWARDS

There are none.

**LITTLE FALLS BOARD OF EDUCATION
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR-YEAR AUDIT FINDINGS
AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015**

This section identifies the status of prior-year findings related to the basic financial statements and federal and state awards that are required to be reported in accordance with Chapter 6.12 of *Government Auditing Standards*, U.S. OMB Circular A-133 (section .315(a)(b)) and New Jersey OMB's Circular 04-04/15-08.

STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS

Condition:

Travel and expenditure reimbursements were not always charged to the proper object code (580).

Current Status

Corrective Action has been taken.