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**COLUMBIANA COUNTY CAREER AND TECHNICAL CENTER
COLUMBIANA COUNTY**

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Columbiana County Career and Technical Center
Columbiana County
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To the Board of Education:

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Columbiana County Career and Technical Center, Columbiana County, Ohio (the "Center"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2013, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Center's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for preparing and fairly presenting these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes designing, implementing, and maintaining internal control relevant to preparing and fairly presenting financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to opine on these financial statements based on our audit. We audited in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the financial audit standards in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. Those standards require us to plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit requires obtaining evidence about financial statement amounts and disclosures. The procedures selected depend on our judgment, including assessing the risks of material financial statement misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. In assessing those risks, we consider internal control relevant to the Center's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not to the extent needed to opine on the effectiveness of the Center's internal control. Accordingly, we express no opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of management's accounting policies and the reasonableness of their significant accounting estimates, as well as our evaluation of the overall financial statement presentation.

We believe the audit evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to support our audit opinions.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Columbiana County Career and Technical Center, Columbiana County, Ohio, as of June 30, 2013, and the respective changes in financial position thereof and the respective budgetary comparisons for the General and Adult Education Funds thereof for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 3 to the financial statements, during the year ended June 30, 2013, the District adopted the provisions of Governmental Accounting Standard No. 63, *Financial Reporting of Deferred Outflows of Resources, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Net Position* and No. 65, *Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities*. We did not modify our opinion regarding this matter.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require this presentation to include *Management's Discussion and Analysis* listed in the table of contents, to supplement the basic financial statements. Although this information is not part of the basic financial statements, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board considers it essential for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, consisting of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, to the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not opine or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to opine or provide any other assurance.

Supplementary and Other Information

Our audit was conducted to opine on the Center's basic financial statements taken as a whole.

The Schedule of Federal Awards Receipts and Expenditures presents additional analysis as required by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations" and is not a required part of the financial statements.

The schedule is management's responsibility, and derives from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. We subjected this schedule to the auditing procedures we applied to the basic financial statements. We also applied certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling this schedule directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, this schedule is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated March 18, 2014, on our consideration of the Center's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. That report describes the scope of our internal control testing over financial reporting and compliance, and the results of that testing, and does not opine 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 Center's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Dave Yost
Auditor of State
Columbus, Ohio

March 18, 2014

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COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO**

**MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013
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The management's discussion and analysis of the Columbiana County Career and Technical Center's (the "Center") financial performance provides an overall review of the Center's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the Center's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the basic financial statements and the notes to the basic financial statements to enhance their understanding of the Center's financial performance.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for fiscal year 2013 are as follows:

- In total, net position of governmental activities increased \$1,009,304 which represents a 6.50% increase from 2012.
- General revenues accounted for \$5,793,382 in revenue or 70.63% of all revenues. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services and sales, grants and contributions accounted for \$2,409,389 or 29.37% of total revenues of \$8,202,771.
- The Center had \$7,193,467 in expenses related to governmental activities; \$2,409,389 of these expenses were offset by program specific charges for services, grants or contributions. General revenues supporting governmental activities (primarily taxes and unrestricted grants and entitlements) of \$5,793,382 were adequate to provide for these programs.
- The Center's major governmental funds are the general fund, adult education fund and permanent improvement fund. The general fund had \$6,022,922 in revenues and other financing sources and \$6,007,411 in expenditures and other financing uses. During fiscal year 2013, the general fund's fund balance increased \$15,511 from a balance of \$3,281,664 to \$3,297,175.
- The adult education fund had \$1,471,763 in revenues and other financing sources and \$1,354,855 in expenditures. During fiscal year 2013, the adult education fund's fund balance increased \$116,908 from \$647,833 to \$764,741.
- The permanent improvement fund had \$1,021,869 in revenues and other financing sources and \$565,111 in expenditures. During fiscal year 2013, the permanent improvement fund's fund balance increased \$456,758 from \$2,395,294 to \$2,852,052.

Using these Basic Financial Statements

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

The *statement of net position* and *statement of activities* provide information about the activities of the whole Center, presenting both an aggregate view of the Center's finances and a longer-term view of those finances. Fund financial statements provide the next level of detail. For governmental funds, these statements tell how services were financed in the short-term as well as what remains for future spending. The fund financial statements also look at the Center's most significant funds with all other nonmajor funds presented in total in one column. In the case of the Center, the general fund, adult education fund and permanent improvement fund are by far the most significant funds, and the only governmental funds reported as major funds.

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Reporting the Center as a Whole

Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities

While this document contains the large number of funds used by the Center to provide programs and activities, the view of the Center as a whole looks at all financial transactions and asks the question, "How did we do financially during fiscal year 2013?" The statement of net position and the statement of activities answer this question. These statements include *all assets, deferred outflows, liabilities, deferred inflows, revenues and expenses* using the *accrual basis of accounting* similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. This basis of accounting will take into account all of the current year's revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid.

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

In the statement of net position and the statement of activities, the Governmental Activities include the Center's programs and services, including instruction, support services, operation and maintenance of plant, pupil transportation, extracurricular activities, and food service operations.

The Center's statement of net position and statement of activities can be found on pages 15-16 of this report.

Reporting the Center's Most Significant Funds

Fund Financial Statements

The analysis of the Center's major governmental funds begins on page 11. Fund financial reports provide detailed information about the Center's major funds. The Center uses many funds to account for a multitude of financial transactions. However, these fund financial statements focus on the Center's most significant funds. The Center's major governmental funds are the general fund, adult education fund and permanent improvement fund.

Governmental Funds

Most of the Center's activities are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at year-end available for spending in future periods. These funds are reported using an accounting method called *modified accrual* accounting which measures cash and all other *financial assets* that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund financial statements provide a detailed *short-term* view of the Center's general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance educational programs. The relationship (or differences) between governmental *activities* (reported in the statement of net position and the statement of activities) and governmental *funds* is reconciled in the basic financial statements. The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found on pages 17-22 of this report.

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Reporting the Center's Fiduciary Responsibilities

The Center is the trustee, or fiduciary, for its scholarship programs. This activity is presented as a private-purpose trust fund. The Center also acts in a trustee capacity as an agent for individuals or other entities. These activities are reported in agency funds. All of the Center's fiduciary activities are reported in separate statements of fiduciary net position and changes in fiduciary net position on pages 23 and 24. These activities are excluded from the Center's other financial statements because the assets cannot be utilized by the Center to finance its operations.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements

The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. These notes to the basic financial statements can be found on pages 25-50 of this report.

The Center as a Whole

Recall that the statement of net position provides the perspective of the Center as a whole.

The table below provides a summary of the Center's net position at June 30, 2013 and June 30, 2012. The 2012 amounts for liabilities and deferred inflows have been reclassified to conform to 2013 presentation.

	Net Position	
	Governmental Activities <u>June 30, 2013</u>	Governmental Activities <u>June 30, 2012</u>
<u>Assets</u>		
Current and other assets	\$ 9,249,755	\$ 8,757,925
Capital assets, net	<u>9,635,713</u>	<u>9,210,219</u>
Total assets	<u>18,885,468</u>	<u>17,968,144</u>
<u>Liabilities</u>		
Current liabilities	390,314	497,564
Long-term liabilities	<u>235,579</u>	<u>222,084</u>
Total liabilities	<u>625,893</u>	<u>719,648</u>
<u>Deferred Inflows of Resources</u>		
Property taxes levied for the next fiscal year	<u>1,710,933</u>	<u>1,709,158</u>
Total deferred inflows of resources	<u>1,710,933</u>	<u>1,709,158</u>
<u>Net Position</u>		
Net investment in capital assets	9,635,713	9,210,219
Restricted	3,638,470	3,070,071
Unrestricted	<u>3,274,459</u>	<u>3,259,048</u>
Total net position	<u>\$ 16,548,642</u>	<u>\$ 15,539,338</u>

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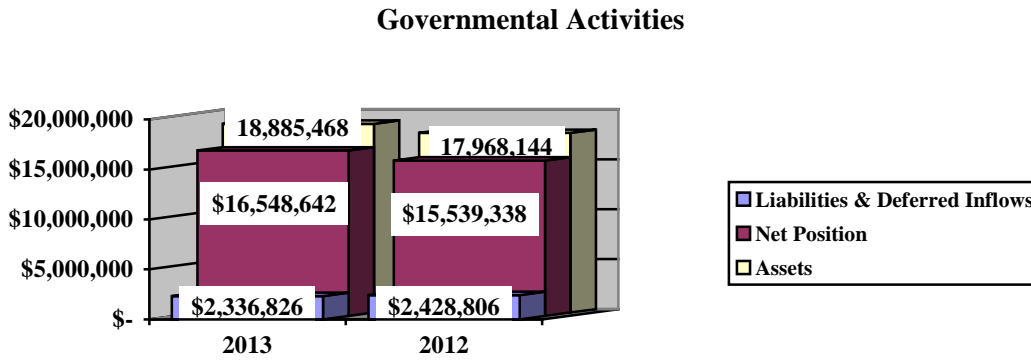
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Over time, net position can serve as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. At June 30, 2013, the Center's assets exceeded liabilities and deferred inflows of resources by \$16,548,642. Of this total, \$3,274,459 is unrestricted in use.

At year-end, capital assets represented 51.02% of total assets. Capital assets include land, land improvements, buildings and improvements, furniture and equipment and vehicles. The Center had \$9,635,713 invested in capital assets at June 30, 2013. These capital assets are used to provide services to the students and are not available for future spending.

A portion of the Center's net position, \$3,638,470, represents resources that are subject to external restriction on how they may be used. The remaining balance of unrestricted net position of \$3,274,459 may be used to meet the Center's ongoing obligations to the students and creditors.

The graph below illustrates the governmental activities assets, liabilities and deferred inflows and net position at June 30, 2013 and June 30, 2012:



The table below shows the change in net position for fiscal years 2013 and 2012.

Change in Net Position

	Governmental Activities <u>2013</u>	Governmental Activities <u>2012</u>
<u>Revenues</u>		
Program revenues:		
Charges for services and sales	\$ 1,284,057	\$ 1,243,998
Operating grants and contributions	1,125,332	993,447
Capital grants and contributions	-	13,000
General revenues:		
Property taxes	1,921,467	1,942,682
Grants and entitlements	3,807,812	3,833,575
Investment earnings	24,236	36,812
Other	<u>39,867</u>	<u>42,456</u>
Total revenues	<u>8,202,771</u>	<u>8,105,970</u>

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Change in Net Position

	Governmental Activities <u>2013</u>	Governmental Activities <u>2012</u>
<u>Expenses</u>		
Program expenses:		
Instruction:		
Vocational	\$ 2,985,757	\$ 2,826,348
Adult/Continuing	1,033,292	883,246
Support services:		
Pupil	669,434	415,681
Instructional staff	694,836	502,726
Board of education	28,934	27,543
Administration	381,097	919,093
Fiscal	336,468	343,691
Operations and maintenance	854,823	738,221
Central	3,465	22,548
Operations of non-instructional services:		
Food service operations	161,723	226,044
Extracurricular activities	<u>43,638</u>	<u>31,566</u>
Total expenses	<u>7,193,467</u>	<u>6,936,707</u>
Change in net position	1,009,304	1,169,263
Net position at beginning of year	<u>15,539,338</u>	<u>14,370,075</u>
Net position at end of year	<u>\$ 16,548,642</u>	<u>\$ 15,539,338</u>

Governmental Activities

Net position of the Center's governmental activities increased \$1,009,304. Total governmental expenses of \$7,193,467, were offset by program revenues of \$2,409,389 and general revenues of \$5,793,382. Program revenues supported 33.49% of the total governmental expenses.

The primary sources of revenue for governmental activities are derived from property taxes, and grants and entitlements. These revenue sources represent 69.85% of total governmental revenue.

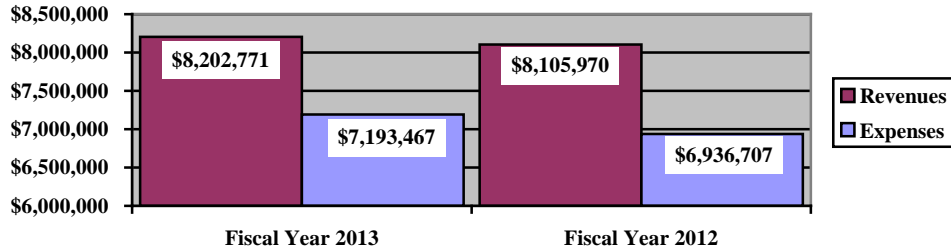
The largest expense of the Center is for instructional programs. Instruction expenses totaled \$4,019,049 or 55.87% of total governmental expenses for fiscal year 2013.

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The graph below presents the Center's governmental activities revenue and expenses for fiscal years 2013 and 2012.

Governmental Activities - Revenues and Expenses



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

Governmental Activities

	Total Cost of Services <u>2013</u>	Net Cost of Services <u>2013</u>	Reclassified Total Cost of Services <u>2012</u>	Reclassified Net Cost of Services <u>2012</u>
Program expenses				
Instruction:				
Vocational	\$ 2,985,757	\$ 2,713,821	\$ 2,826,348	\$ 1,582,233
Adult/Continuing	1,033,292	(51,823)	883,246	743,614
Support services:				
Pupil	669,434	424,309	415,681	224,865
Instructional staff	694,836	361,041	502,726	302,009
Board of education	28,934	28,934	27,543	27,543
Administration	381,097	222,842	919,093	745,898
Fiscal	336,468	276,591	343,691	281,193
Operations and maintenance	854,823	800,252	738,221	676,268
Central	3,465	3,465	22,548	20,748
Operations of non-instructional services:				
Food service operations	161,723	(38,992)	226,044	50,325
Extracurricular activities	<u>43,638</u>	<u>43,638</u>	<u>31,566</u>	<u>31,566</u>
Total expenses	<u>\$ 7,193,467</u>	<u>\$ 4,784,078</u>	<u>\$ 6,936,707</u>	<u>\$ 4,686,262</u>

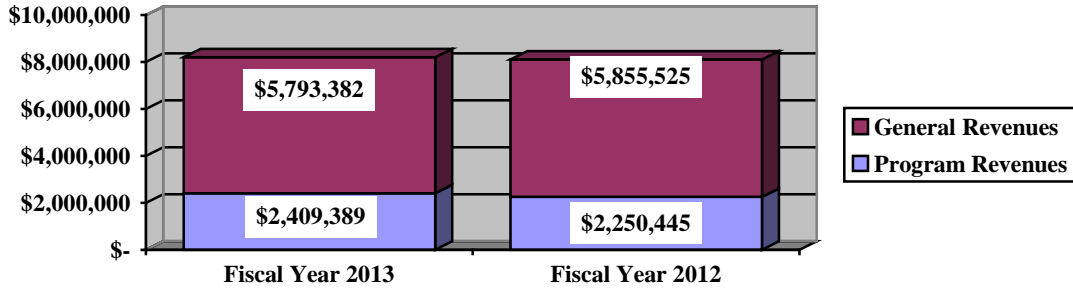
The dependence upon tax and other general revenues for governmental activities is apparent; 66.23% of instruction activities are supported through taxes and other general revenues. For all governmental activities, general revenue support is 66.51%. The Center's taxpayers and unrestricted grants and entitlements from the State are by far the primary support for the Career Center's students. Effective for fiscal year 2013, the Center is reporting expenditures previously recognized as regular and special expenditures as vocational expenditures. The 2012 amounts have been reclassified to conform to 2013 presentation.

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The graph below presents the Center's governmental activities revenue for fiscal years 2013 and 2012.

Governmental Activities - General and Program Revenues



The Career Center's Funds

The Center's governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$6,965,574, which is more than last year's total of \$6,360,697. The schedule below indicates the fund balance and the total change in fund balance as of June 30, 2013 and June 30, 2012.

	<u>Fund Balance</u> <u>June 30, 2013</u>	<u>Fund Balance</u> <u>June 30, 2012</u>	<u>Increase</u>	<u>Percentage</u> <u>Change</u>
General	\$ 3,297,175	\$ 3,281,664	\$ 15,511	0.47 %
Adult Education	764,741	647,833	116,908	18.05 %
Permanent Improvement	2,852,052	2,395,294	456,758	19.07 %
Other Governmental	<u>51,606</u>	<u>35,906</u>	<u>15,700</u>	43.73 %
Total	<u>\$ 6,965,574</u>	<u>\$ 6,360,697</u>	<u>\$ 604,877</u>	9.51 %

General Fund

The Center's general fund balance increased \$15,511.

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

	<u>2013</u> <u>Amount</u>	<u>2012</u> <u>Amount</u>	<u>Increase/</u> <u>(Decrease)</u>	<u>Percentage</u> <u>Change</u>
<u>Revenues</u>				
Taxes	\$ 1,929,039	\$ 1,935,322	\$ (6,283)	(0.32) %
Tuition	192,393	154,811	37,582	24.28 %
Intergovernmental	3,807,812	3,833,575	(25,763)	(0.67) %
Classroom materials and fees	46,832	47,097	(265)	(0.56) %
Other revenues	<u>46,414</u>	<u>76,310</u>	<u>(29,896)</u>	(39.18) %
Total	<u>\$ 6,022,490</u>	<u>\$ 6,047,115</u>	<u>\$ (24,625)</u>	(0.41) %
<u>Expenditures</u>				
Instruction	\$ 2,868,020	\$ 2,521,491	\$ 346,529	13.74 %
Support services	1,976,478	2,229,011	(252,533)	(11.33) %
Extracurricular activities	43,638	31,566	12,072	38.24 %
Facilities acquisition and construction	<u>114,912</u>	<u>143,242</u>	<u>(28,330)</u>	(19.78) %
Total	<u>\$ 5,003,048</u>	<u>\$ 4,925,310</u>	<u>\$ 77,738</u>	1.58 %

Overall revenues of the general fund decreased \$24,625 or 0.41%. The most significant decrease of \$29,896 was in other revenues, due to a decrease in rental income and contract services. Intergovernmental revenue decreased \$25,763 due to the result of a decrease in State foundation revenues recorded in the general fund.

The largest decrease in support services of \$252,533 or 11.33% was due to a decrease in administration costs. Instructional expenditures increased \$346,529 due to an increase in vocational expenditures. All other expenditures remained comparable to fiscal year 2012.

Adult Education Fund

The adult education fund had \$1,471,763 in revenues and other financing sources and \$1,354,855 in expenditures. During fiscal year 2013, the adult education fund's fund balance increased \$116,908 from \$647,833 to \$764,741.

Permanent Improvement Fund

The permanent improvement fund had \$1,021,869 in revenues and other financing sources and \$565,111 in expenditures. During fiscal year 2013, the permanent improvement fund's fund balance increased \$456,758 from \$2,395,294 to \$2,852,052.

General Fund Budgeting Highlights

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

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During the course of fiscal year 2013, the Center amended its general fund budget several times. For the general fund, original budgeted revenues and other financing sources were \$6,000,574 and final budgeted revenues and other financing sources were \$6,054,020. Actual revenues and other financing sources for fiscal year 2013 were \$6,207,957. This represents a \$153,937 increase from final budgeted revenues and other financing sources.

General fund original and final appropriations and other financing uses were \$6,334,304. The actual budget basis expenditures and other financing uses for fiscal year 2013 totaled \$6,171,940, which was \$162,364 less than the final budget appropriations and other financing uses.

Capital Assets and Debt Administration

Capital Assets

At the end of fiscal year 2013, the Center had \$9,635,713 invested in land, land improvements, buildings and improvements, furniture and equipment and vehicles. This entire amount is reported in governmental activities. The following table shows June 30, 2013 balances compared to June 30, 2012:

**Capital Assets at June 30
(Net of Depreciation)**

	Governmental Activities	
	2013	2012
Land	\$ 152,290	\$ 152,290
Construction in progress	-	857,499
Land improvements	62,622	30,454
Building and improvements	8,069,134	7,028,143
Furniture and equipment	1,320,915	1,105,359
Vehicles	30,752	36,474
Total	\$ 9,635,713	\$ 9,210,219

The overall increase in capital assets of \$425,494 is due to capital outlays of \$979,405 exceeding depreciation expense of \$530,820 and disposals (net of accumulated depreciation) of \$23,091 in fiscal year 2013.

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

Debt Administration

At June 30, 2013, the Center had no debt outstanding.

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Current Financial Related Activities

The Center is engaged in a comprehensive plan to upgrade and improve the facility. Transfers from the General fund to the Permanent Improvement fund will primarily fund each phase of the plan. Grants and the Adult Education fund will help purchase upgraded lab equipment.

The first phase was completed in fiscal year 2012 at a cost of \$1,574,175. This phase included relocating and expanding the Health Academy to better serve the Center's high school and adult students. Also, a new boiler, chiller plant, and energy efficient lighting fixtures were installed.

The second phase commenced in fiscal year 2012 and was completed in fiscal year 2013. This phase included an expansion and complete upgrade of the welding and metal fabrication lab. The expanded facility allows for the addition of auto cad, a full inspection lab, and a pilot "Materials Joining" program with The Ohio State University. Lab equipment will also be updated to industry standards. The lab was completed in September 2012 at a cost of \$1,776,032.

Contacting the Center's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the Center's finances and to show the Center's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information contact Ms. Katherine Bosco, Treasurer, Columbiana County Career and Technical Center, 9364 State Route 45, Lisbon, Ohio 44432.

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STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
JUNE 30, 2013

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>
Assets:	
Equity in pooled cash and investments	\$ 7,266,619
Receivables:	
Taxes.	1,955,434
Accounts.	26,372
Materials and supplies inventory.	1,330
Capital assets:	
Land and construction in progress	152,290
Depreciable capital assets, net.	9,483,423
Capital assets, net	<u>9,635,713</u>
 Total assets.	 <u>18,885,468</u>
Liabilities:	
Accounts payable.	4,257
Accrued wages and benefits.	327,746
Pension obligation payable.	38,384
Intergovernmental payable	17,815
Unearned revenue	2,112
Long-term liabilities:	
Due within one year.	56,221
Due in more than one year.	179,358
 Total liabilities	 <u>625,893</u>
Deferred Inflows of Resources:	
Property taxes levied for the next fiscal year	<u>1,710,933</u>
 Total deferred inflows of resources	 <u>1,710,933</u>
Net Position:	
Net investment in capital assets	9,635,713
Restricted for:	
Capital projects	2,852,052
State funded programs.	1,974
Other purposes	784,444
Unrestricted	<u>3,274,459</u>
 Total net position.	 <u>\$ 16,548,642</u>

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**COLUMBIANA COUNTY CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY CENTER
COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO**

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

	Expenses	Program Revenues		Net (Expense)
		Charges for Services and Sales	Operating Grants and Contributions	Revenue and Changes in Net Position
				Governmental Activities
Governmental activities:				
Instruction:				
Vocational	\$ 2,985,757	\$ 47,756	\$ 224,180	\$ (2,713,821)
Adult/Continuing.	1,033,292	776,294	308,821	51,823
Support services:				
Pupil.	669,434	91,202	153,923	(424,309)
Instructional staff	694,836	104,287	229,508	(361,041)
Board of education	28,934	-	-	(28,934)
Administration.	381,097	112,580	45,675	(222,842)
Fiscal.	336,468	47,585	12,292	(276,591)
Operations and maintenance	854,823	34,076	20,495	(800,252)
Central	3,465	-	-	(3,465)
Operation of non-instructional services:				
Food service operations	161,723	70,277	130,438	38,992
Extracurricular activities.	43,638	-	-	(43,638)
Total governmental activities	\$ 7,193,467	\$ 1,284,057	\$ 1,125,332	(4,784,078)

General Revenues:

Property taxes levied for:	
General purposes	1,921,467
Grants and entitlements not restricted to specific programs.	3,807,812
Investment earnings	24,236
Miscellaneous	39,867
Total general revenues	5,793,382
Change in net position	1,009,304
Net position at beginning of year.	15,539,338
Net position at end of year	\$ 16,548,642

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**COLUMBIANA COUNTY CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY CENTER
COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO**

BALANCE SHEET
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2013

	General	Adult Education	Permanent Improvement	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Assets:					
Equity in pooled cash and investments.	\$ 3,594,400	\$ 768,032	\$ 2,852,052	\$ 52,135	\$ 7,266,619
Receivables:					
Taxes.	1,955,434	-	-	-	1,955,434
Accounts	14,199	12,080	-	93	26,372
Materials and supplies inventory.	-	-	-	1,330	1,330
Total assets	<u>\$ 5,564,033</u>	<u>\$ 780,112</u>	<u>\$ 2,852,052</u>	<u>\$ 53,558</u>	<u>\$ 9,249,755</u>
Liabilities:					
Accounts payable	\$ 3,866	\$ 391	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,257
Accrued wages and benefits.	317,956	8,834	-	956	327,746
Intergovernmental payable	14,021	2,798	-	996	17,815
Unearned revenue.	-	2,112	-	-	2,112
Pension obligation payable	37,148	1,236	-	-	38,384
Total liabilities.	<u>372,991</u>	<u>15,371</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,952</u>	<u>390,314</u>
Deferred Inflows of Resources:					
Property taxes levied for the next fiscal year. . .	1,710,933	-	-	-	1,710,933
Delinquent property tax revenue not available . .	182,934	-	-	-	182,934
Total deferred inflows of resources.	<u>1,893,867</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,893,867</u>
Fund Balances:					
Nonspendable:					
Materials and supplies inventory.	-	-	-	1,330	1,330
Restricted:					
Capital improvements	-	-	2,852,052	-	2,852,052
Adult education	-	764,741	-	-	764,741
Food service operations	-	-	-	49,203	49,203
Other purposes.	-	-	-	1,974	1,974
Assigned:					
Student instruction	16,318	-	-	-	16,318
Student and staff support.	32,406	-	-	-	32,406
Extracurricular activities	1,230	-	-	-	1,230
Facilities acquisition and construction	24,267	-	-	-	24,267
Subsequent year appropriation	471,072	-	-	-	471,072
Other purposes.	40,561	-	-	-	40,561
Unassigned (deficit)	2,711,321	-	-	(901)	2,710,420
Total fund balances	<u>3,297,175</u>	<u>764,741</u>	<u>2,852,052</u>	<u>51,606</u>	<u>6,965,574</u>
Total liabilities, deferred inflows and fund balances	<u>\$ 5,564,033</u>	<u>\$ 780,112</u>	<u>\$ 2,852,052</u>	<u>\$ 53,558</u>	<u>\$ 9,249,755</u>

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**COLUMBIANA COUNTY CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY CENTER
COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO**

RECONCILIATION OF TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCES TO
NET POSITION OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES
JUNE 30, 2013

Total governmental fund balances	\$ 6,965,574
<i>Amounts reported for governmental activities on the statement of net position are different because:</i>	
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds.	9,635,713
Other long-term assets, such as taxes receivable are not available to pay for current-period expenditures and therefore are deferred in the funds.	182,934
Long-term liabilities, such as compensated absences, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds.	<u>(235,579)</u>
Net position of governmental activities	<u>\$ 16,548,642</u>

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**COLUMBIANA COUNTY CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY CENTER
COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO**

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

	General	Adult Education	Permanent Improvement	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Revenues:					
From local sources:					
Taxes	\$ 1,929,039	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,929,039
Tuition	192,393	1,023,425	-	-	1,215,818
Charges for services	-	-	-	66,723	66,723
Earnings on investments	2,367	-	21,869	164	24,400
Extracurricular	924	-	-	-	924
Classroom materials and fees	46,832	142,733	-	-	189,565
Rentals	3,256	-	-	-	3,256
Other local revenues	39,867	3,839	-	1,173	44,879
Intergovernmental - intermediate	-	97,626	-	-	97,626
Intergovernmental - state	3,778,493	199,784	-	32,959	4,011,236
Intergovernmental - federal	29,319	-	-	597,558	626,877
Total revenues	<u>6,022,490</u>	<u>1,467,407</u>	<u>21,869</u>	<u>698,577</u>	<u>8,210,343</u>
Expenditures:					
Current:					
Instruction:					
Vocational	2,868,020	-	-	31,285	2,899,305
Adult/Continuing	-	901,907	-	106,504	1,008,411
Support services:					
Pupil	418,601	105,959	-	126,733	651,293
Instructional staff	353,963	121,162	-	198,611	673,736
Board of education	28,934	-	-	-	28,934
Administration	237,348	130,797	-	16,079	384,224
Fiscal	279,529	55,285	-	-	334,814
Operations and maintenance	658,103	35,807	-	12,327	706,237
Operation of non-instructional services:					
Food service operations	-	3,938	-	191,345	195,283
Extracurricular activities	43,638	-	-	-	43,638
Facilities acquisition and construction	114,912	-	565,111	-	680,023
Total expenditures	<u>5,003,048</u>	<u>1,354,855</u>	<u>565,111</u>	<u>682,884</u>	<u>7,605,898</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	<u>1,019,442</u>	<u>112,552</u>	<u>(543,242)</u>	<u>15,693</u>	<u>604,445</u>
Other financing sources (uses):					
Sale of assets	432	-	-	-	432
Transfers in	-	4,356	1,000,000	7	1,004,363
Transfers (out)	(1,004,363)	-	-	-	(1,004,363)
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>(1,003,931)</u>	<u>4,356</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>432</u>
Net change in fund balances	15,511	116,908	456,758	15,700	604,877
Fund balances at beginning of year	<u>3,281,664</u>	<u>647,833</u>	<u>2,395,294</u>	<u>35,906</u>	<u>6,360,697</u>
Fund balances at end of year	<u>\$ 3,297,175</u>	<u>\$ 764,741</u>	<u>\$ 2,852,052</u>	<u>\$ 51,606</u>	<u>\$ 6,965,574</u>

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**COLUMBIANA COUNTY CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY CENTER
COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO**

**RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013**

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds \$ 604,877

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

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures.
However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those
assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as
depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital
outlay exceeds depreciation expense in the current period.

Capital asset additions	\$	979,405	
Current year depreciation		<u>(530,820)</u>	
 Total			 448,585

The net effect of various miscellaneous transactions involving
capital assets (i.e., sales, disposals, trade-ins, and donations) is to
decrease net position. (23,091)

Revenues in the statement of activities, such as delinquent taxes
that do not provide current financial resources are not
reported as revenues in the funds. (7,572)

Some expenses reported in the statement of activities, such as compensated
absences, do not require the use of financial resources and therefore are not
reported as expenditures in governmental funds. (13,495)

Change in net position of governmental activities \$ 1,009,304

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**COLUMBIANA COUNTY CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY CENTER
COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO**

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN
FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS)
GENERAL FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

	<u>Budgeted Amounts</u>			Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)
	<u>Original</u>	<u>Final</u>	<u>Actual</u>	
Revenues:				
From local sources:				
Taxes	\$ 1,907,009	\$ 1,923,993	\$ 1,923,994	\$ 1
Tuition.	190,640	192,338	192,393	55
Rental income	7,771	7,840	8,100	260
Other local revenues	37,479	37,813	37,867	54
Intergovernmental - state	3,739,722	3,773,032	3,778,493	5,461
Intergovernmental - federal	33,432	33,730	29,319	(4,411)
Total revenues	<u>5,916,053</u>	<u>5,968,746</u>	<u>5,970,166</u>	<u>1,420</u>
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Instruction:				
Vocational.	2,801,092	2,801,092	2,800,574	518
Support services:				
Pupil.	428,253	428,253	428,253	-
Instructional staff	358,012	358,012	358,012	-
Board of education	29,358	29,358	29,358	-
Administration.	258,051	258,051	248,010	10,041
Fiscal	282,322	282,322	282,322	-
Operations and maintenance.	687,199	687,199	684,841	2,358
Extracurricular activities.	43,506	43,506	43,506	-
Facilities acquisition and construction	446,130	446,130	144,166	301,964
Total expenditures	<u>5,333,923</u>	<u>5,333,923</u>	<u>5,019,042</u>	<u>314,881</u>
Excess of revenues over expenditures.	<u>582,130</u>	<u>634,823</u>	<u>951,124</u>	<u>316,301</u>
Other financing sources (uses):				
Refund of prior year's expenditures	7,634	7,702	7,702	-
Refund of prior year's receipts.	(381)	(381)	(381)	-
Transfers in	36,578	36,904	36,904	-
Transfers (out).	(1,000,000)	(1,000,000)	(1,000,000)	-
Advances in.	39,881	40,236	192,753	152,517
Advances (out)	-	-	(152,517)	(152,517)
Sale of capital assets	428	432	432	-
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>(915,860)</u>	<u>(915,107)</u>	<u>(915,107)</u>	<u>-</u>
Net change in fund balance	(333,730)	(280,284)	36,017	316,301
Fund balance at beginning of year	3,305,455	3,305,455	3,305,455	-
Prior year encumbrances appropriated . . .	134,304	134,304	134,304	-
Fund balance at end of year	<u><u>\$ 3,106,029</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 3,159,475</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 3,475,776</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 316,301</u></u>

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**COLUMBIANA COUNTY CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY CENTER
COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO**

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN
FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS)
ADULT EDUCATION
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

	<u>Budgeted Amounts</u>		<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)</u>
	<u>Original</u>	<u>Final</u>		
Revenues:				
From local sources:				
Tuition	\$ 1,131,539	\$ 1,009,322	\$ 1,022,864	\$ 13,542
Classroom materials and fees	158,064	140,991	142,883	1,892
Other local revenues	4,274	3,812	3,863	51
Intergovernmental - intermediate	103,131	91,992	93,226	1,234
Intergovernmental - state	212,778	189,796	192,343	2,547
Total revenue	<u>1,609,786</u>	<u>1,435,913</u>	<u>1,455,179</u>	<u>19,266</u>
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Instruction:				
Adult/continuing	1,386,774	941,038	913,479	27,559
Support Services:				
Pupil	166,419	112,929	109,622	3,307
Instructional staff	188,927	128,202	124,447	3,755
Administration	209,126	141,909	137,753	4,156
Fiscal	86,139	58,452	56,740	1,712
Operations and maintenance	54,359	36,887	35,807	1,080
Total expenditures	<u>2,091,744</u>	<u>1,419,417</u>	<u>1,377,848</u>	<u>41,569</u>
Excess of revenues over (under) expenditures	<u>(481,958)</u>	<u>16,496</u>	<u>77,331</u>	<u>60,835</u>
Other financing sources (uses):				
Refund of prior year's receipts	(228)	(155)	(150)	5
Transfers in	4,818	4,298	4,356	58
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>4,590</u>	<u>4,143</u>	<u>4,206</u>	<u>63</u>
Net change in fund balance	(477,368)	20,639	81,537	60,898
Fund balance at beginning of year	486,259	486,259	486,259	-
Prior year encumbrances appropriated	191,972	191,972	191,972	-
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 200,863</u>	<u>\$ 698,870</u>	<u>\$ 759,768</u>	<u>\$ 60,898</u>

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**COLUMBIANA COUNTY CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY CENTER
COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO**

STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2013

	Private-Purpose Trust	
	Scholarship	Agency
Assets:		
Equity in pooled cash and investments. . . .	\$ 3,450	\$ 17,474
Receivables:		
Accounts	-	6,025
 Total assets.	3,450	\$ 23,499
Liabilities:		
Due to students.	-	\$ 23,499
 Total liabilities	-	\$ 23,499
Net position:		
Held in trust for scholarships	3,450	
 Total net position.	\$ 3,450	

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**COLUMBIANA COUNTY CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY CENTER
COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO**

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

	Private-Purpose Trust
	Scholarship
Additions:	
Gifts and contributions	\$ 4,100
Total additions	4,100
Deductions:	
Scholarships awarded	650
Change in net position	3,450
Net position at beginning of year	-
Net position at end of year	\$ 3,450

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**COLUMBIANA COUNTY CAREER AND TECHNICAL CENTER
COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO**

**NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013**

NOTE 1 - DESCRIPTION OF THE CENTER

The Columbiana County Career and Technical Center (the "Center") is organized under section 3311.88 of the Ohio Revised Code. The Center provides vocational education for 9 school districts serving all eligible students throughout 501 square miles of eastern Ohio, including Columbiana and portions of Mahoning and Jefferson counties. The Center fosters cooperative relationships with business and industry, professional organizations, participating school districts and other interested, concerned groups and organizations to consider, plan, and implement educational programs designed to meet the common needs and interests of students. The Center is staffed by 44 certified employees and 18 non-certified employees to provide service to approximately 636 students.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The basic financial statements of the Center have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The Center's significant accounting policies are described below.

A. Reporting Entity

The reporting entity has been defined in accordance with GASB Statement No. 14, "The Financial Reporting Entity" as amended by GASB Statement No. 39, "Determining Whether Certain Organizations Are Component Units" and GASB Statement No. 61, "The Financial Reporting Entity: Omnibus an Amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 34". The reporting entity is composed of the primary government and component units. The primary government consists of all funds, departments, boards and agencies that are not legally separate from the Center. For the Center, this includes general operations, food service, and student related activities of the Center.

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the Center is financially accountable. The Center is financially accountable for an organization if the Center appoints a voting majority of the organization's Governing Board and (1) the Center is able to significantly influence the programs or services performed or provided by the organization; or (2) the Center is legally entitled to or can otherwise access the organization's resources; or (3) the Center is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the responsibility to finance the deficits of, or provide financial support to, the organization; or (4) the Center is obligated for the debt of the organization. Component units may also include organizations that are fiscally dependent on the Center in that the Center approves the budget, the issuance of debt or the levying of taxes. Certain organizations are also included as component units if the nature and significance of the relationship between the primary government and the organization is such that exclusion by the primary government would render the primary government's financial statements incomplete or misleading. Based upon the application of these criteria, the Center has no component units. The basic financial statements of the reporting entity include only those of the Center (the primary government).

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NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

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

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

JOINTLY GOVERNED ORGANIZATIONS

Area Cooperative Computerized Educational Service System (ACCESS)

ACCESS is a jointly governed organization among 26 school districts, two career and technical centers, two educational service centers, 20 non-public schools and two Special Education Regional Resource Centers. ACCESS was formed for the purpose of applying modern technology with the aid of computers and other electronic equipment to the administrative and instructional functions among member districts. Each of the governments of these schools supports ACCESS based upon a per pupil charge dependent upon the software package utilized. ACCESS is governed by a Board of Directors consisting of superintendents of the members school districts. The degree of control exercised by any school district is limited to its representation on the Board. In accordance with GASB Statement No. 14, the Center does not have any equity interest in ACCESS. Financial information can be obtained from the treasurer, at 100 DeBartolo Place, Suite 222, Youngstown, Ohio 44512-7019.

INSURANCE PURCHASING POOLS

Stark County Schools Council of Governments

The Stark County Schools Council of Governments Health Benefit Plan is a shared risk pool created pursuant to State statute for the purpose of administering health care benefits. The consortium is governed by an assembly, which consists of one representative from each participating school district (usually the superintendent or designee). The assembly elects officers for one year terms to serve on the Board of Directors. The assembly exercises control over the operation of the Consortium. All Consortium revenues are generated from charges for services.

Worker's Compensation Group Rating Program

The Center participates in a group rating plan (GRP) for workers' compensation as established under Section 4123.29 of the Ohio Revised Code. Participation in the GRP is limited to school districts that can meet the GRP's selection criteria. The firm of Sheakley Uniservice Inc. provides administrative, cost control and actuarial services to the GRP. Each year, the Center pays an enrollment fee to the GRP to cover the costs of administering the program.

B. Fund Accounting

The Center uses funds to maintain its financial records during the year. A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self balancing set of accounts. There are three categories of funds: governmental, proprietary and fiduciary.

GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

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

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NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

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

The following are the Center's major governmental funds:

General fund - The general fund is used to account for and report all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund. The general fund balance is available for any purpose provided it is expended or transferred according to the general laws of Ohio.

Adult education fund - The adult education fund is used to account for transactions made in connection with adult education classes. Receipts include, but are not limited to, tuition from patrons and students and reimbursement from the State Department of Education. Expenditures include supplies, salaries and textbooks.

Permanent improvement fund - The permanent improvement fund is used to account for all transactions related to acquiring, construction or improving projects that are approved by Section 5705, Ohio Revised Code.

Other governmental funds of the Center are used to account for specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to an expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects.

PROPRIETARY FUND

Proprietary funds are used to account for the Center's ongoing activities which are similar to those often found in the private sector. The Center has no proprietary funds.

FIDUCIARY FUNDS

Fiduciary fund reporting focuses on net position and changes in net position. The fiduciary fund category is split into four classifications: pension trust funds, investment trust funds, private-purpose trust funds and agency funds. Trust funds are used to account for assets held by the Center under a trust agreement for individuals, private organizations, or other governments and are therefore not available to support the Center's own programs. The Center has one trust fund, which accounts for the endowment fund. Agency funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of results of operations. The Center's agency funds account for student activities and Center agency services.

C. Basis of Presentation and Measurement Focus

Government-wide Financial Statements - The statement of net position and the statement of activities display information about the Center as a whole. These statements include the financial activities of the primary government, except for fiduciary funds.

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

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

Fund Financial Statements - Fund financial statements report detailed information about the Center. The focus of governmental fund financial statements is on major funds rather than reporting funds by type. Each major fund is presented in a separate column, and all nonmajor funds are aggregated into one column. Fiduciary funds are reported by fund type.

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

Agency funds do not report a measurement focus as they do not report operations.

D. Basis of Accounting

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

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

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

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

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

Deferred Inflows of Resources and Deferred Outflows of Resources - A deferred inflow of resources is an acquisition of net position by the Center that is applicable to a future reporting period. A deferred outflow of resources is a consumption of net position by the Center that is applicable to a future reporting period.

Property taxes for which there is an enforceable legal claim as of June 30, 2013, but which were levied to finance fiscal year 2014 operations, and other revenues received in advance of the fiscal year for which they were intended to finance, have been recorded as deferred inflows. Grants not received within the available period, grants and entitlements received before the eligibility requirements are met, and delinquent property taxes due at June 30, 2013, are recorded as deferred inflows on the governmental fund financial statements.

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

Unearned Revenue – On the governmental fund financial statements and the statement of net position, unearned revenue is recorded as a liability for amounts resulting from exchange transactions received for services to be provided by the Center in a future reporting period.

Expenses/Expenditures - On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred. The entitlement value of donated commodities received during the year is reported in the financial statements as an expenditure with a like amount reported as intergovernmental revenue.

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

E. Budgets

The Center is required by State statute to adopt an annual appropriated cash basis budget for all funds (except agency funds). The specific timetable for fiscal year 2013 is as follows:

1. Prior to January 15, the Superintendent and Treasurer submit to the Board of Education a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing the following July 1. The budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing for all funds. Public hearings are publicized and conducted to obtain taxpayers' comments. The purpose of this budget document is to reflect the need for existing (or increased) tax rates.
2. By no later than January 20, the Board-adopted budget is filed with the Columbiana County Budget Commission for tax rate determination.

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3. Prior to April 1, the Board of Education accepts, by formal resolution, the tax rates as determined by the Budget Commission and receives the Commission's certificate of estimated resources which states the projected revenue of each fund. Prior to July 1, the Center must revise its budget so that total contemplated expenditures from any fund during the ensuing year will not exceed the amount stated in the certificate of estimated resources. The revised budget then serves as a basis for the appropriation measure. On or about July 1, the certificate of estimated resources is amended to include any unencumbered balances from the preceding year as reported by the Center Treasurer. The certificate of estimated resources may be further amended during the year if projected increases or decreases in revenue are identified by the Center Treasurer. The amounts reported as the original and final budgeted amounts in the budgetary statements reflect the amounts in the certificate of estimated resources when the original and final appropriations were adopted.
4. By July 1, the annual appropriation resolution is legally enacted by the Board of Education at the fund level of expenditures, which is the legal level of budgetary control. State statute permits a temporary appropriation to be effective until no later than October 1 of each year. Resolution appropriations by fund must be within the estimated resources as certified by the County Budget Commission and the total of expenditures and encumbrances may not exceed the appropriation totals.
5. Any revisions that alter the total of any fund appropriation must be approved by the Board of Education.
6. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year for all funds consistent with the general obligation bond indenture and other statutory provisions. All funds completed the year within the amount of their legally authorized cash basis appropriation.
7. Appropriations amounts are as originally adopted, or as amended by the Board of Education through the year by supplemental appropriations, which either reallocated or increased the original appropriated amounts. All supplemental appropriations were legally enacted by the Board prior to June 30, 2013; however, none of these amendments were significant. The budget figures, as shown in the accompanying budgetary statement, reflect the original and final appropriation amounts including all amendments and modifications.

Although the legal level of budgetary control was established at the fund level of expenditures, the budgetary statements present comparisons at the fund and function level of expenditures as elected by the Center Treasurer.

8. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at year end. Encumbered appropriations are carried forward to the succeeding fiscal year and need not be reappropriated. Expenditures plus encumbrances may not legally exceed budgeted appropriations at the fund level.

F. Cash and Investments

To improve cash management, cash received by the Center is pooled in a central bank account. Monies for all funds are maintained in this pool. Individual fund integrity is maintained through the Center's records. Each fund's interest in the pool is presented as "equity in pooled cash and investments" on the basic financial statements.

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During fiscal year 2013, investments were limited to investments in the State Treasury Asset Reserve of Ohio (STAR Ohio), non-negotiable certificates of deposit and a repurchase agreement. Except for nonparticipating investment contracts, investments are reported at fair value, which is based on quoted market prices. Nonparticipating investment contracts such as repurchase agreements and non negotiable certificates of deposit are reported at cost.

The Center has invested funds in STAR Ohio during fiscal year 2013. STAR Ohio is an investment pool managed by the State Treasurer's Office, which allows governments within the State to pool their funds for investment purposes. STAR Ohio is not registered with the SEC as an investment company, but does operate in a manner consistent with Rule 2a7 of the Investment Company Act of 1940. Investments in STAR Ohio are valued at STAR Ohio's shares price which is the price the investment could be sold for on June 30, 2013.

Under existing Ohio statutes all investment earnings are assigned to the general fund unless statutorily required to be credited to a specific fund. By policy of the Board of Education, investment earnings are assigned to the permanent improvement capital projects fund. Interest revenue credited to the general fund during fiscal year 2013 amounted to \$2,367, and interest revenue credited to the permanent improvement capital projects fund during fiscal year 2013 amounted to \$21,869.

For presentation on the basic financial statements, investments of the cash management pool and investments with original maturities of three months or less at the time they are purchased by the Center are considered to be cash equivalents. Investments with an initial maturity of more than three months are reported as investments.

An analysis of the Center's investment account at fiscal year end is provided in Note 4.

G. Inventory

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

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

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

H. Capital Assets

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

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

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

<u>Description</u>	Governmental Activities <u>Estimated Lives</u>
Land improvements	5 - 20 years
Buildings and improvements	20 - 50 years
Furniture and equipment	5 - 20 years
Vehicles	6 - 10 years

I. Interfund Balances

On fund financial statements, receivables and payables resulting from short-term interfund loans are classified as “interfund receivables/payables”. These amounts are eliminated in the governmental activities column on the statement of net position. There were no interfund balances at June 30, 2013.

J. Compensated Absences

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

In accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement No. 16, “Accounting for Compensated Absences”, a liability for vacation leave is accrued if a) the employees’ rights to payment are attributable to services already rendered; and b) it is probable that the employer will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or other means, such as cash payment at termination or retirement. An accrual for earned sick leave is made to the extent that it is probable that the benefits will result in termination (severance) payments. A liability for sick leave is accrued using the vesting method; i.e., the liability is based on the sick leave accumulated at June 30, 2013, by those employees who are currently eligible to receive termination (severance) payments, as well as those employees expected to become eligible in the future.

The Center records a liability for accumulated unused sick leave for employees after 20 years of current service with the Center, or after 15 years of service and at least 45 years of age or after 10 years of service and at least 50 years old.

The total liability for vacation and sick leave payments has been calculated using pay rates in effect at June 30, 2013 and reduced to the maximum payment allowed by labor contract and/or statute, plus any applicable additional salary related payments.

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

For governmental fund financial statements, the current portion of unpaid compensated absences is the amount expected to be paid using expendable available resources. These amounts are recorded in the account “compensated absences payable” in the fund from which the employees who have accumulated unpaid leave are paid. The noncurrent portion of the liability is not reported.

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K. Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Obligations

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

In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current financial resources are reported as obligations of the funds. However, compensated absences that will be paid from governmental funds are reported as a liability in the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are due for payment during the current year.

L. Fund Balance

Fund balance is divided into five classifications based primarily on the extent to which the Center is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources in the governmental funds. The classifications are as follows:

Nonspendable - The nonspendable fund balance classification includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are not in spendable form or legally required to be maintained intact. The “not in spendable form” criterion includes items that are not expected to be converted to cash. It also includes the long-term amount of loans receivable.

Restricted - Fund balance is reported as restricted when constraints are placed on the use of resources that 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.

Committed - The committed fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes imposed by a formal action (resolution) of the Center Board of Education (the highest level of decision making authority). Those committed amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the Center Board of Education removes or changes the specified use by taking the same type of action (resolution) it employed to previously commit those amounts. Committed fund balance also incorporates contractual obligations to the extent that existing resources in the fund have been specifically committed for use in satisfying those contractual requirements.

Assigned - Amounts in the assigned fund balance classification are intended to be used by the Center for specific purposes, but do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted nor committed. In governmental funds other than the general fund, assigned fund balance represents the remaining amount that is not restricted or committed. In the general fund, assigned amounts represent intended uses established by policies of the Center Board of Education, which includes giving the Treasurer the authority to constrain monies for intended purposes.

Unassigned - Unassigned fund balance is the residual classification for the general fund and includes all spendable amounts not contained in the other classifications. In other governmental funds, the unassigned classification is only used to report a deficit fund balance resulting from overspending for specific purposes for which amounts had been restricted, committed, or assigned.

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The Center applies restricted resources first when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which restricted and unrestricted (committed, assigned, and unassigned) fund balance is available. Similarly, within unrestricted fund balance, committed amounts are reduced first followed by assigned, and then unassigned amounts when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used.

M. Net Position

Net position represents the difference between assets and deferred outflows and liabilities and deferred inflows. The net position component "net investment in capital assets," consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowing used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources that are attributable to the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets or related debt also should be included in this component of net position. Net position is reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on its use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the Center or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments.

The Center applies restricted resources first when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position is available.

N. Estimates

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

O. Interfund Activity

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

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Q. Extraordinary and Special Items

Extraordinary items are transactions or events that are both unusual in nature and infrequent in occurrence. Special items are transactions or events that are within the control of the Board of Education and that are either unusual in nature or infrequent in occurrence. Neither type of transaction occurred during fiscal year 2013.

NOTE 3 - ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE

A. Change in Accounting Principles

For fiscal year 2013, the Center has implemented GASB Statement No. 60, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Service Concession Arrangements", GASB Statement No. 61, "The Financial Reporting Entity: Omnibus an Amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 34", GASB Statement No. 62, "Codification of Accounting and Financial Reporting Guidance Contained in Pre-November 30, 1989 FASB and AICPA pronouncements", 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 as Assets and Liabilities", and GASB Statement No. 66, "Technical Corrections-2012".

GASB Statement No. 60 addresses issues related to service concession arrangements (SCAs), which are a type of public-private or public-public partnership. An SCA is an arrangement between a transferor (a government) and an operator (governmental or nongovernmental entity) in which (1) the transferor conveys to an operator the right and related obligation to provide services through the use of infrastructure or another public asset (a "facility") in exchange for significant consideration and (2) the operator collects and is compensated by fees from third parties. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 60 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the Center.

GASB Statement No. 61 modifies certain requirements for inclusion of component units in the financial reporting entity. The Statement amends the criteria for reporting component units as if they were part of the primary government in certain circumstances. Finally, the Statement also clarifies the reporting of equity interests in legally separate organizations. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 61 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the Center.

GASB Statement No. 62 codifies accounting and financial reporting guidance contained in pre-November 30, 1989 FASB and AICPA pronouncements in an effort to codify all sources of GAAP for State and local governments so that they derive from a single source. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 62 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the Center.

GASB Statement No. 63 provides financial and reporting guidance for *deferred outflows of resources* and *deferred inflows of resources* which are financial statement elements that are distinct from assets and liabilities. GASB Statement No. 63 standardizes the presentation of deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources and their effects on a government's *net position*. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 63 has changed the presentation of the Center's financial statements to incorporate the concepts of net position, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources.

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NOTE 3 - ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE - (Continued)

GASB Statement No. 65 establishes accounting and financial reporting standards that reclassify, as *deferred outflows of resources* or *deferred inflows of resources*, certain items that were previously reported as assets and liabilities and recognizes, as outflows of resources or inflows of resources, certain items that were previously reported as assets and liabilities. GASB Statement No. 65 also provides other financial reporting guidance related to the impact of the financial statement elements *deferred outflows of resources* and *deferred inflows of resources*, such as changes in the determination of the major fund calculations and limiting the use of the term *deferred* in financial statement presentations. GASB Statement No. 65 has changed the presentation of the financial statements.

GASB Statement No. 66 enhances the usefulness of financial reports by resolving conflicting accounting and financial reporting guidance that could diminish the consistency of financial reporting. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 66 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the Center.

B. Deficit Fund Balances

Fund balances at June 30, 2013 included the following individual fund deficits:

<u>Nonmajor funds</u>	<u>Deficit</u>
Adult basic education	\$ 323
Vocational education	578

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

NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

State statutes classify monies held by the Center into three categories.

Active deposits are public deposits necessary to meet current demands on the treasury. Such monies must be maintained either as cash in the Center treasury, in commercial accounts payable or withdrawable on demand, including negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) accounts, or in money market deposit accounts.

Inactive deposits are public deposits that the Board of Education has identified as not required for use within the current five year period of designation of depositories. Inactive deposits must either be evidenced by certificates of deposit maturing not later than the end of the current period of designation of depositories, or by savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to, passbook accounts.

Interim deposits are deposits of interim monies. Interim monies are those monies which are not needed for immediate use, but which will be needed before the end of the current period of designation of depositories.

Interim deposits must be evidenced by time certificates of deposit maturing not more than one year from the date of deposit or by savings or deposit accounts including passbook accounts.

Interim monies may be deposited or invested in the following securities:

1. United States Treasury Notes, Bills, Bonds, or any other obligation or security issued by the United States Treasury or any other obligation guaranteed as to principal and interest by the United States;

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2. Bonds, notes, debentures, or any other obligations or securities issued by any federal government agency or instrumentality, including, but not limited to, the Federal National Mortgage Association, Federal Home Loan Bank, Federal Farm Credit Bank, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, Government National Mortgage Association, and Student Loan Marketing Association. All federal agency securities shall be direct issuances of federal government agencies or instrumentalities;
3. Written repurchase agreements in the securities listed above provided that the market value of the securities subject to the repurchase agreement must exceed the principal value of the agreement by at least two percent and be marked to market daily, and that the term of the agreement must not exceed thirty days;
4. Bonds and other obligations of the State of Ohio;
5. No-load money market mutual funds consisting exclusively of obligations described in items (1) and (2) above and repurchase agreements secured by such obligations, provided that investments in securities described in this division are made only through eligible institutions;
6. The State Treasurer's investment pool (STAR Ohio);
7. Certain banker's acceptance and commercial paper notes for a period not to exceed one hundred eighty days from the purchase date in an amount not to exceed twenty-five percent of the interim monies available for investment at any one time; and,
8. Under limited circumstances, corporate debt interests rated in either of the two highest classifications by at least two nationally recognized rating agencies.

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

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

A. Cash on Hand

At fiscal year end, the Center had \$900 in undeposited cash on hand which is included on the financial statements of the Center as part of "equity in pooled cash and investments".

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NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - (Continued)

B. Deposits with Financial Institutions

At June 30, 2013, the carrying amount of all Center deposits was \$6,923,975, exclusive of the \$346,334 repurchase agreement included in investments below. Based on the criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, “Deposits and Investment Risk Disclosures”, as of June 30, 2013, \$3,797,000 of the Center’s bank balance of \$7,148,166 was exposed to custodial risk as discussed below, while \$3,351,166 was covered by the FDIC.

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of bank failure, the Center’s deposits may not be returned. All deposits are collateralized with eligible securities in amounts equal to at least 105% of the carrying value of the deposits. Such collateral, as permitted by the Ohio Revised Code, is held in single financial institution collateral pools at Federal Reserve Banks, or at member banks of the federal reserve system, in the name of the respective depository bank and pledged as a pool of collateral against all of the public deposits it holds or as specific collateral held at the Federal Reserve Bank in the name of the Center. The Center has no deposit policy for custodial credit risk beyond the requirements of State statute. Although the securities were held by the pledging institutions’ trust department and all statutory requirements for the deposit of money had been followed, noncompliance with federal requirements could potentially subject the Center to a successful claim by the FDIC.

C. Investments

As of June 30, 2013, the Center had the following investments and maturities:

<u>Investment Type:</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>	<u>Investment Maturities</u> 6 months or less
Repurchase agreement	\$ 346,334	\$ 346,334
STAR Ohio	<u>16,334</u>	<u>16,334</u>
Total	<u>\$ 362,668</u>	<u>\$ 362,668</u>

Interest Rate Risk: As a means of limiting its exposure to fair value losses arising from rising interest rates and according to State law, the Center’s investment policy limits investment portfolio maturities to five years or less.

Custodial Credit Risk: For an investment, custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the Center will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. Of the Center’s \$346,334 investment in repurchase agreements, the entire balance is collateralized by underlying securities that are held by the investment’s counterparty, not in the name of the Center. Ohio law requires the market value of the securities subject to repurchase agreements must exceed the principal value of securities subject to a repurchase agreement by 2%. The Center has no investment policy dealing with investment custodial risk beyond the requirement in State statute that prohibits payment for investments prior to the delivery of the securities representing such investments to the Treasurer or qualified trustee.

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NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - (Continued)

Credit Risk: The federal agency securities that underlie the Center's repurchase agreement were rated AA+ and Aaa by Standard & Poor's and Moody's Investor Services, respectively. Standard & Poor's has assigned STAR Ohio an AAAM money market rating. Ohio law requires that STAR Ohio maintain the highest rating provided by at least one nationally recognized standard rating service. The Center's investment policy does not specifically address credit risk beyond requiring the Center to only invest in securities authorized by State statute.

Concentration of Credit Risk: The Center places no limit on the amount that may be invested in any one issuer. The following table includes the percentage of each investment type held by the Center at June 30, 2013:

<u>Investment Type:</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Repurchase agreement	\$ 346,334	95.50
STAR Ohio	<u>16,334</u>	<u>4.50</u>
Total	<u>\$ 362,668</u>	<u>100.00</u>

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

The following is a reconciliation of cash and investments as reported in the note above to cash and investments as reported on the statement of net position as of June 30, 2013:

<u>Cash and investments per note</u>	
Carry amount of deposits	\$ 6,923,975
Investments	362,668
Cash on hand	<u>900</u>
Total	<u>\$ 7,287,543</u>
<u>Cash and investments per note</u>	
Governmental activities	\$ 7,266,619
Private-purpose trust fund	3,450
Agency funds	<u>17,474</u>
Total	<u>\$ 7,287,543</u>

NOTE 5 - INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS

Interfund transfers for the year ended June 30, 2013, consisted of the following, as reported on the fund financial statements:

<u>Transfers from general fund to:</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Permanent improvement fund	\$ 1,000,000
Adult education fund	4,356
Nonmajor governmental funds	<u>7</u>
Total	<u>\$ 1,004,363</u>

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NOTE 5 - INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS – (CONTINUED)

Transfers are used to move revenues from the fund that statute or budget requires to collect them to the fund that statute or budget requires to expend them, and to use unrestricted revenues collected in the general fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations.

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

All transfers were made in compliance with Ohio Revised Code Sections 5705.14, 5705.15 and 5705.16

NOTE 6 - PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes are levied and assessed on a calendar year basis while the Center fiscal year runs from July through June. First half tax collections are received by the Center in the second half of the fiscal year. Second half tax distributions occur in the first half of the following fiscal year.

Property taxes include amounts levied against all real property and public utility property. Real property tax revenues received in calendar year 2013 represent the collection of calendar year 2012 taxes. Real property taxes received in calendar year 2013 were levied after April 1, 2012, on the assessed values as of January 1, 2012, the lien date. Assessed values for real property taxes are established by State statute at 35 percent of appraised market value. Real property taxes are payable annually or semiannually. If paid annually, payment is due December 31; if paid semiannually, the first payment is due December 31, with the remainder payable by June 20. Under certain circumstances, State statute permits alternate payment dates to be established. Public utility property tax revenues received in calendar year 2013 represent the collection of calendar year 2012 taxes. Public utility real and personal property taxes received in calendar year 2013 became a lien on December 31, 2011, were levied after April 1, 2012, and are collected with real property taxes. Public utility real property is assessed at 35 percent of true value; public utility tangible personal property is currently assessed at varying percentages of true value.

The Center receives property taxes from Columbiana, Jefferson and Mahoning Counties. The County Auditors periodically advance to the Center its portion of the taxes collected. Second-half real property tax payments collected by the County by June 30, 2013, are available to finance fiscal year 2013 operations. The amount available as an advance at June 30, 2013 was \$61,567 in the general fund. This amount is recorded as revenue. The amount available for advance at June 30, 2012 was \$57,078 in the general fund. The amount of second-half real property taxes available for advance at fiscal year-end can vary based on the date the tax bills are sent.

Accrued property taxes receivable includes real property, public utility property and delinquent tangible personal property taxes which are measurable as of June 30, 2013 and for which there is an enforceable legal claim. Although total property tax collections for the next fiscal year are measurable, only the amount of real property taxes available as an advance at June 30 was levied to finance current fiscal year operations and is reported as revenue at fiscal year end. The portion of the receivable not levied to finance current fiscal year operations is offset by a credit to deferred inflows.

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

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NOTE 6 - PROPERTY TAXES – (CONTINUED)

The assessed values upon which the fiscal year 2013 taxes were collected are:

	2012 Second Half Collections		2013 First Half Collections	
	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Agricultural/residential and other real estate	\$ 950,905,620	94.34	\$ 951,711,130	93.95
Public utility personal	<u>57,088,760</u>	<u>5.66</u>	<u>61,288,010</u>	<u>6.05</u>
Total	<u>\$ 1,007,994,380</u>	<u>100.00</u>	<u>\$ 1,012,999,140</u>	<u>100.00</u>
Tax rate per \$1,000 of assessed valuation	\$2.80		\$2.80	

NOTE 7 - RECEIVABLES

Receivables at June 30, 2013 consisted of taxes and accounts (billings for user charged services and student fees). All receivables are considered collectible in full due to the ability to foreclose for the nonpayment of taxes, the stable condition of State programs and the current year guarantee of federal funds. A summary of the principal items of receivables reported on the statement of net position follows:

Governmental activities:

Taxes	\$ 1,955,434
Accounts	<u>26,372</u>
Total	<u>\$ 1,981,806</u>

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

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NOTE 8 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013, was as follows:

	Balance			Balance
	<u>06/30/12</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deductions</u>	<u>06/30/13</u>
Governmental activities:				
<i>Capital assets, not being depreciated:</i>				
Land	\$ 152,290	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 152,290
Construction in progress	<u>857,499</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(857,499)</u>	<u>-</u>
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	<u>1,009,789</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(857,499)</u>	<u>152,290</u>
<i>Capital assets, being depreciated:</i>				
Land improvements	283,592	36,000	-	319,592
Buildings and improvements	9,694,630	1,355,282	-	11,049,912
Furniture and equipment	2,727,412	445,622	(350,298)	2,822,736
Vehicles	<u>155,137</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>155,137</u>
Total capital assets, being depreciated	<u>12,860,771</u>	<u>1,836,904</u>	<u>(350,298)</u>	<u>14,347,377</u>
<i>Less: accumulated depreciation:</i>				
Land improvements	(253,138)	(3,832)	-	(256,970)
Buildings and improvements	(2,666,487)	(314,291)	-	(2,980,778)
Furniture and equipment	(1,622,053)	(206,975)	327,207	(1,501,821)
Vehicles	<u>(118,663)</u>	<u>(5,722)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(124,385)</u>
Total accumulated depreciation	<u>(4,660,341)</u>	<u>(530,820)</u>	<u>327,207</u>	<u>(4,863,954)</u>
Governmental activities capital assets, net	<u>\$ 9,210,219</u>	<u>\$ 1,306,084</u>	<u>\$ (880,590)</u>	<u>\$ 9,635,713</u>

Depreciation expense was charged to governmental functions as follows:

<u>Instruction:</u>	
Vocational	\$ 368,542
Adult/continuing	21,451
<u>Support services:</u>	
Pupil	5,821
Instructional staff	26,158
Administration	18,152
Fiscal	4,483
Operations and maintenance	21,113
Central	2,522
Food service operations	<u>62,578</u>
Total depreciation expense	<u>\$ 530,820</u>

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NOTE 9 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

- A. During the fiscal year 2013, the following activity occurred in governmental activities long-term obligations:

	Balance Outstanding			Balance Outstanding	Amounts Due in
	<u>06/30/12</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Reductions</u>	<u>06/30/13</u>	<u>One Year</u>
Governmental activities:					
Compensated absences	\$ 222,084	\$ 56,221	\$ (42,726)	\$ 235,579	\$ 56,221
Total long-term obligations, governmental activities	<u>\$ 222,084</u>	<u>\$ 56,221</u>	<u>\$ (42,726)</u>	<u>\$ 235,579</u>	<u>\$ 56,221</u>

Compensated absences will be paid from the fund which the employee is paid, which for the Center are primarily the general fund, adult education fund and the food service fund (a nonmajor governmental fund).

B. Legal Debt Margin

The Ohio Revised Code provides that voted net general obligation debt of the Center shall never exceed 9% of the total assessed valuation of the Center. The code further provides that unvoted indebtedness shall not exceed 1/10 of 1% of the property valuation of the Center. The code additionally states that unvoted indebtedness related to energy conservation debt shall not exceed 9/10 of 1% of the property valuation of the Center. The assessed valuation used in determining the Center's legal debt margin has been modified by House Bill 530 which became effective March 30, 2006. In accordance with House Bill 530, the assessed valuation used in the Center's legal debt margin calculation excluded tangible personal property used in business, telephone or telegraph property, interexchange telecommunications company property, and personal property owned or leased by a railroad company and used in railroad operations. The effects of these debt limitations at June 30, 2013, are a voted debt margin of \$91,169,923 and an unvoted debt margin of \$1,012,999.

NOTE 10 - EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

A. Compensated Absences

The criteria for determining vacation and sick leave components are derived from negotiated agreements and State laws. Classified employees earn 10 to 20 days of vacation per fiscal year, depending upon length of service. Accumulated, unused vacation time is paid to classified employees and administrators upon termination of employment. Teachers do not earn vacation time.

Teachers, administrators, and classified employees earn sick leave at the rate of one and one-fourth days per month. Sick leave may be accumulated up to a maximum of 312 days for administrators, 188 days for classified and 274 for certified personnel. Upon retirement, payment is made for one-fourth of accrued but unused sick leave to a maximum of 78 days for administrators, 47 days for classified employees and 68 days for certified employees.

B. Life Insurance

The Center provides life insurance and accidental death and dismemberment insurance to most employees through Consumers Life Insurance Company.

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NOTE 11 - RISK MANAGEMENT

A. Comprehensive

The Center is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft or damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. During fiscal year 2013, the Center's insurance coverage was as follows:

<u>Type of Coverage</u>	<u>Deductible</u>	<u>Liability Limit</u>
Building and Contents - replacement cost	\$ 1,000	\$29,342,742
Boiler	1,000	29,342,742
EDP Coverage	500	394,200
Garagekeepers	500	120,000
Automobile Liability	500	1,000,000
General Liability:		
Per occurrence	n/a	1,000,000
Aggregate	n/a	2,000,000
Umbrella Liability:		
Per occurrence	10,000	2,000,000
Aggregate	10,000	2,000,000

Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the past three years. There have been no significant reductions in coverage from prior year.

B. Health Insurance

The Center contracts with Stark County Schools Council of Governments, an insurance purchasing pool (See Note 2.A.), to provide employee medical/surgical benefits. Rates are set through an annual calculation process. The Center pays a monthly contribution that is placed in a common fund from which claim payments are made for all participating districts. The Center's Board of Education pays a portion of the monthly premium.

C. Workers' Compensation

For fiscal year 2013, the Center participated in the Sheakley Workers' Compensation Group Rating Program (GRP), an insurance purchasing pool. The intent of the GRP is to achieve the benefit of a reduced premium for the Center by virtue of its grouping and representation with other participants in the GRP. The workers' compensation experience of the participating school districts is tiered into groups based upon past workers' compensation experience. Within each tiered group, a common premium rate is applied to all school districts within that group. Each participant pays its workers' compensation premium to the state based on the rate for the GRP rather than its individual rate. Total savings are then calculated and each participant's individual performance is compared to the overall savings percentage of their tiered group. Participation in the GRP is limited to school districts that can meet the GRP's selection criteria. The firm of Sheakley provides administrative, cost control and actuarial services to the GRP.

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NOTE 12 - PENSION PLANS

A. School Employees Retirement System

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

Funding Policy - Plan members are required to contribute 10 percent of their annual covered salary and the Center is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The current Center rate is 14 percent of annual covered payroll. A portion of the Center's contribution is used to fund pension obligations with the remainder being used to fund health care benefits. For fiscal year 2013, 13.05 percent and 0.05 percent of annual covered salary was the portion used to fund pension obligations and death benefits, respectively. The contribution requirements of plan members and employers are established and may be amended by the SERS' Retirement Board up to a statutory maximum amount of 10 percent for plan members and 14 percent for employers. Chapter 3309 of the Ohio Revised Code provides statutory authority for member and employer contributions. The Center's required contributions for pension obligations and death benefits to SERS for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2013, 2012 and 2011 were \$93,041, \$90,414 and \$85,520, respectively; 100 percent has been contributed for fiscal years 2013, 2012 and 2011.

B. State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio

Plan Description - The Center participates in the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS Ohio), a cost-sharing, multiple-employer public employee retirement plan. STRS Ohio provides retirement and disability benefits to members and death and survivor benefits to beneficiaries. STRS Ohio issues a stand-alone financial report that may be obtained by writing to STRS Ohio, 275 E. Broad St., Columbus, OH 43215-3771, by calling (888) 227-7877, or by visiting the STRS Ohio website at www.strsoh.org, under "*Publications*".

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

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NOTE 12 - PENSION PLANS – (CONTINUED)

A DB or Combined Plan member with five or more years credited service who becomes disabled may qualify for a disability benefit. Eligible spouses and dependents of these active members who die before retirement may qualify for survivor benefits. Members in the DC Plan who become disabled are entitled only to their account balance. If a member of the DC Plan dies before retirement benefits begin, the member's designated beneficiary is entitled to receive the member's account balance.

Funding Policy - For fiscal year 2013, plan members were required to contribute 10 percent of their annual covered salaries. The Center was required to contribute 14 percent; 13 percent was the portion used to fund pension obligations. Contribution rates are established by the State Teachers Retirement Board, upon recommendations of its consulting actuary, not to exceed statutory maximum rates of 10 percent for members and 14 percent for employers. Chapter 3307 of the Ohio Revised Code provides statutory authority for member and employer contributions.

The Center's required contributions for pension obligations to STRS Ohio for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2013, 2012 and 2011 were \$376,151, \$341,209 and \$334,056, respectively; 100 percent has been contributed for fiscal years 2013, 2012 and 2011. Contributions to the DC and Combined Plans for fiscal year 2013 were \$15,224 made by the Center and \$10,875 made by the plan members.

C. Social Security System

Effective July 1, 1991, all employees not otherwise covered by the SERS/STRS Ohio have an option to choose Social Security or the SERS/STRS Ohio. As of June 30, 2013, certain members of the Board of Education have elected Social Security. The Center's liability is 6.2 percent of wages paid.

NOTE 13 - POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

A. School Employees Retirement System

Plan Description - The Center participates in two cost-sharing, multiple employer postemployment benefit plans administered by the School Employees Retirement System (SERS) for non-certificated retirees and their beneficiaries, a Health Care Plan and a Medicare Part B Plan. The Health Care Plan includes hospitalization and physicians' fees through several types of plans including HMO's, PPO's, Medicare Advantage, and traditional indemnity plans. A prescription drug program is also available to those who elect health coverage. SERS employs two third-party administrators and a pharmacy benefit manager to manage the self-insurance and prescription drug plans, respectively. The Medicare Part B Plan reimburses Medicare Part B premiums paid by eligible retirees and beneficiaries as set forth in Section 3309.69 of the Ohio Revised Code. Qualified benefit recipients who pay Medicare Part B premiums may apply for and receive a monthly reimbursement from SERS. The reimbursement amount is limited by statute to the lesser of the January 1, 1999 Medicare Part B premium or the current premium. The Medicare Part B monthly premium for calendar year 2013 was \$104.90 for most participants, but could be as high as \$335.70 per month depending on their income and the SERS' reimbursement to retirees was \$45.50. Benefit provisions and the obligations to contribute are established by the System based on authority granted by State statute. The financial reports of both Plans are included in the SERS Comprehensive Annual Financial Report which is available by contacting SERS at 300 East Broad St., Suite 100, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3746. It is also posted on the SERS' Ohio website, www.ohsers.org, under "Employers/Audit Resources".

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NOTE 13 - POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS - (Continued)

Funding Policy - State statute permits SERS to fund the health care benefits through employer contributions. Each year, after the allocation for statutorily required benefits, the Retirement Board allocates the remainder of the employer contribution of 14 percent of covered payroll to the Health Care Fund. The Health Care Fund was established and is administered in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 105(e). For 2013, 0.16 percent of covered payroll was allocated to health care. An additional health care surcharge on employers is collected for employees earning less than an actuarially determined minimum compensation amount, pro-rated according to service credit earned. Statutes provide that no employer shall pay a health care surcharge greater than 2.0 percent of that employer's SERS-covered payroll; nor may SERS collect in aggregate more than 1.5 percent of the statewide SERS-covered payroll for the health care surcharge. For fiscal year 2013, the actuarially determined amount was \$20,525.

Active members do not contribute to the postemployment benefit plans. The Retirement Board establishes the rules for the premiums paid by the retirees for health care coverage for themselves and their dependents or for their surviving beneficiaries. Premiums vary depending on the plan selected, qualified years of service, Medicare eligibility and retirement status.

The Center's contributions for health care (including surcharge) for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2013, 2012 and 2011 were \$11,664, \$15,120 and \$34,871, respectively; 100 percent has been contributed for fiscal years 2013, 2012 and 2011.

The Retirement Board, acting with advice of the actuary, allocates a portion of the employer contribution to the Medicare B Fund. For fiscal year 2013, this actuarially required allocation was 0.74 percent of covered payroll. The Center's contributions for Medicare Part B for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2013, 2012, and 2011 were \$5,256, \$5,339 and \$5,503, respectively; 100 percent has been contributed for fiscal years 2013, 2012 and 2011.

B. State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio

Plan Description - The Center contributes to the cost sharing, multiple employer defined benefit Health Plan (the "Plan") administered by the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS Ohio) for eligible retirees who participated in the defined benefit or combined pension plans offered by STRS Ohio. Benefits include hospitalization, physicians' fees, prescription drugs and reimbursement of monthly Medicare Part B premiums. The Plan is included in the report of STRS Ohio which may be obtained by visiting www.strsoh.org, under "Publications" or by calling (888) 227-7877.

Funding Policy - Ohio law authorizes STRS Ohio to offer the Plan and gives the Retirement Board authority over how much, if any, of the health care costs will be absorbed by STRS Ohio. Active employee members do not contribute to the Plan. All benefit recipients pay a monthly premium. Under Ohio law, funding for post-employment health care may be deducted from employer contributions. For 2013, STRS Ohio allocated employer contributions equal to 1 percent of covered payroll to the Health Care Stabilization Fund. The Center's contributions for health care for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2013, 2012 and 2011 were \$28,935, \$26,247 and \$25,697, respectively; 100 percent has been contributed for fiscal years 2013, 2012 and 2011.

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NOTE 14 - BUDGETARY BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

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

The statement of revenue, expenditures and changes in fund balance - budget and actual (non-GAAP budgetary basis) presented for the general fund is presented on the budgetary basis to provide a meaningful comparison of actual results with the budget. The major differences between the budget basis and the GAAP basis are that:

- (a) Revenues and other financing sources are recorded when received in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when susceptible to accrual (GAAP basis);
- (b) Expenditures and other financing uses are recorded when paid in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when the liability is incurred (GAAP basis);
- (c) In order to determine compliance with Ohio law, and to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation, total outstanding encumbrances (budget basis) are recorded as the equivalent of an expenditure, as opposed to assigned or committed fund balance for that portion of outstanding encumbrances not already recognized as an account payable (GAAP basis);
- (d) Advances-in and advances-out are operating transactions (budget basis) as opposed to balance sheet transactions (GAAP basis); and,
- (e) Some funds are included in the general fund (GAAP basis), but have separate legally adopted budgets (budget basis).

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

Net Change in Fund Balance

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Adult Education</u>
Budget basis	\$ 36,017	\$ 81,537
Net adjustment for revenue accruals	(355)	12,228
Net adjustment for expenditure accruals	(48,728)	14,729
Net adjustment for other sources/uses	(47,557)	150
Funds budgeted elsewhere	1,655	-
Adjustment for encumbrances	74,479	8,264
GAAP basis	\$ 15,511	\$ 116,908

Certain funds that are legally budgeted in separate special revenue funds are considered part of the general fund on a GAAP basis. This includes the special rotary fund, the public school support fund and the self-insurance fund.

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NOTE 15 - CONTINGENCIES

A. Grants

The Center receives significant financial assistance from numerous federal, State and local agencies in the form of grants. The disbursement of funds received under these programs generally requires compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements and are subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of the Center. However, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims will not have a material effect on the financial position of the Center.

B. Litigation

The Center is involved in no material litigation as either plaintiff or defendant.

NOTE 16 - SET-ASIDES

The Center is required by State law to annually set-aside certain general fund revenue amounts, as defined by statutory formula, for the acquisition and construction of capital improvements. Amounts not spent by the end of the fiscal year or offset by similarly restricted resources received during the year must be held in cash at fiscal year-end. This amount must be carried forward to be used for the same purpose in future years. Expenditures exceeding the set-aside requirement may not be carried forward to the next fiscal year.

The following cash-basis information describes the change in the fiscal year-end set-aside amount for capital improvements. Disclosure of this information is required by State statute.

	<u>Capital Improvements</u>
Set-aside balance June 30, 2012	\$ -
Current year set-aside requirement	54,087
Contributions in excess of the current fiscal year set-aside requirement	-
Current year qualifying expenditures	(348,058)
Excess qualified expenditures from prior years	-
Current year offsets	-
Waiver granted by ODE	-
Prior year offset from bond proceeds	-
Total	<u>\$ (293,971)</u>
Balance carried forward to fiscal year 2014	<u>\$ -</u>
Set-aside balance June 30, 2013	<u>\$ -</u>

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NOTE 17 - OTHER COMMITMENTS

The Center utilizes encumbrance accounting as part of its budgetary controls. Encumbrances outstanding at year-end are reservations of fund balance for subsequent-year expenditures and may be reported as part of restricted, committed, or assigned classifications of fund balance. At year end, the Center's commitments for encumbrances in the governmental funds were as follows:

<u>Fund Type</u>	<u>Year-End Encumbrances</u>
General fund	\$ 70,744
Adult education	7,340
Permanent improvement	1,275,885
Nonmajor governmental funds	<u>3,508</u>
 Total	 \$ <u>1,357,477</u>

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**SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL AWARDS RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
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FEDERAL GRANTOR/ Pass Through Grantor Program Title	Federal CFDA Number	Grant Year	Receipts	Non-Cash Receipts	Expenditures	Non-Cash Expenditures
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE						
<i>Passed Through Ohio Department of Education:</i>						
<i>Nutrition Cluster:</i>						
<i>Non-Cash Assistance (Food Distribution):</i>						
National School Lunch Program	10.555	FY 2013		\$2,566		\$2,566
<i>Cash Assistance:</i>						
School Breakfast Program	10.553	FY 2013	\$38,142		\$38,142	
National School Lunch Program	10.555	FY 2013	<u>85,523</u>		<u>85,523</u>	
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture - Nutrition Cluster			<u>123,665</u>	<u>2,566</u>	<u>123,665</u>	<u>2,566</u>
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION						
<i>Direct Programs:</i>						
<i>Student Financial Aid Cluster:</i>						
Federal Pell Grant Program	84.063	FY 2013	735,013		735,013	
		FY 2012	<u>(336)</u>		<u>(336)</u>	
<i>Subtotal - Student Financial Aid Cluster</i>			734,677		734,677	
<i>Passed Through Ohio Department of Education:</i>						
Adult Education - Basic Grants to States	84.002	FY 2013	96,620		136,856	
		FY 2012	<u>40,236</u>		<u>0</u>	
<i>Subtotal - Adult Education - Basic Grants to States</i>			136,856		136,856	
Career and Technical Education - Basic Grants to States	84.048	FY 2013	290,981		290,981	
Improving Teacher Quality State Grants (Title II-A)	84.367	FY 2013	<u>3,517</u>		<u>3,517</u>	
Total U.S. Department of Education			<u>1,166,031</u>		<u>1,166,031</u>	
Totals			<u>\$1,289,696</u>	<u>\$2,566</u>	<u>\$1,289,696</u>	<u>\$2,566</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this schedule.

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COLUMBIANA COUNTY**

**NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL AWARDS RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013**

NOTE A - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accompanying Schedule of Federal Awards Receipts and Expenditures (the "Schedule") reports the Columbiana County Career and Technical Center's (the "Center's") federal award programs' receipts and disbursements. The Schedule has been prepared on the cash basis of accounting.

NOTE B - CHILD NUTRITION CLUSTER

The Center commingles cash receipts from the U.S. Department of Agriculture with similar State grants. When reporting expenditures on this Schedule, the Center assumes it expends federal monies first.

NOTE C – FOOD DONATION PROGRAM

The Center reports commodities consumed on the Schedule at their entitlement value. The Center allocated donated food commodities to the respective program that benefitted from the use of those donated food commodities.



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS REQUIRED BY *GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS*

Columbiana County Career and Technical Center
Columbiana County
9365 State Route 45
Lisbon, Ohio 44432

To the Board of Education:

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States and the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*, the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Columbiana County Career and Technical Center, Columbiana County, (the "Center") as of and for the year ended June 30, 2013, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Center's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated March 18, 2014 wherein we noted the Center adopted new accounting guidance in Governmental Accounting Standards Board No. 63, *Financial Reporting of Deferred Outflows of Resources, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Net Position* and No. 65, *Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities*.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

As part of our financial statement audit, we considered the Center's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures appropriate in the circumstances to the extent necessary to support our opinions on the financial statements, but not to the extent necessary to opine on the effectiveness of the Center's internal control. Accordingly, we have not opined on it.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, when performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and timely correct misstatements. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or combination of internal control deficiencies resulting in a reasonable possibility that internal control will not prevent or detect and timely correct a material misstatement of the Center's financial statements. 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 internal control deficiencies that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider material weaknesses. However, unidentified material weaknesses may exist.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of reasonably assuring whether the Center's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we tested its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could directly and materially affect the determination of financial statement amounts. However, opining on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and accordingly, we do not express an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters we must report under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of this Report

This report only describes the scope of our internal control and compliance testing and our testing results, and does not opine on the effectiveness of the Center's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed under *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Center's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Dave Yost
Auditor of State
Columbus, Ohio

March 18, 2014



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO THE MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY OMB CIRCULAR A-133

Columbiana County Career and Technical Center
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To the Board of Education:

Report on Compliance for the Major Federal Program

We have audited the Columbiana County Career and Technical Center's (the "Center") compliance with the applicable requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) *Circular A-133, Compliance Supplement* that could directly and materially affect the Center's major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2013. The *Summary of Audit Results* in the accompanying schedule of findings identifies the Center's major federal program.

Management's Responsibility

The Center's Management is responsible for complying with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to its federal program.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to opine on the Center's compliance for the Center's major federal program based on our audit of the applicable compliance requirements referred to above. Our compliance audit followed auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards for financial audits included in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. These standards and OMB Circular A-133 require us to plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure whether noncompliance with the applicable compliance requirements referred to above that could directly and materially affect a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Center's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe our audit provides a reasonable basis for our compliance opinion on the Center's major program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Center's compliance.

Opinion on the Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the Columbiana County Career and Technical Center complied, in all material respects with the compliance requirements referred to above that could directly and materially affect its major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2013.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

The Center's management is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the applicable compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our compliance audit, we considered the Center's internal control over compliance with the applicable requirements that could directly and materially affect a major federal program, to determine our auditing procedures appropriate for opining on each major federal program's compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, but not to the extent needed to opine on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we have not opined on the effectiveness of the Center'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, when performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or to timely detect and correct, noncompliance with a federal program's applicable compliance requirement. 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 federal program compliance requirement will not be prevented, or timely detected and corrected. A *significant deficiency in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with federal program's applicable compliance requirement 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 would not necessarily 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.

This report only describes the scope of our internal control compliance tests and the results of this testing based on OMB Circular A-133 requirements. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Dave Yost
Auditor of State
Columbus, Ohio

March 18, 2014

**COLUMBIANA COUNTY CAREER AND TECHNICAL CENTER
COLUMBIANA COUNTY**

**SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS
OMB CIRCULAR A -133 § .505
JUNE 30, 2013**

1. SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

<i>(d)(1)(i)</i>	Type of Financial Statement Opinion	Unmodified
<i>(d)(1)(ii)</i>	Were there any material control weaknesses reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
<i>(d)(1)(ii)</i>	Were there any significant deficiencies in internal control reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
<i>(d)(1)(iii)</i>	Was there any reported material noncompliance at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
<i>(d)(1)(iv)</i>	Were there any material internal control weaknesses reported for major federal programs?	No
<i>(d)(1)(iv)</i>	Were there any significant deficiencies in internal control reported for major federal programs?	No
<i>(d)(1)(v)</i>	Type of Major Programs' Compliance Opinion	Unmodified
<i>(d)(1)(vi)</i>	Are there any reportable findings under § .510(a)?	No
<i>(d)(1)(vii)</i>	Major Program (list):	Federal Pell Grant Program (CFDA #84.063)
<i>(d)(1)(viii)</i>	Dollar Threshold: Type A/B Programs	Type A: > \$ 300,000 Type B: all others
<i>(d)(1)(ix)</i>	Low Risk Auditee?	No

**2. FINDINGS RELATED TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS**

None.

3. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS

None

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**SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS
OMB CIRCULAR A -133 § .315 (b)
JUNE 30, 2013**

Finding Number	Finding Summary	Fully Corrected?	Not Corrected, Partially Corrected; Significantly Different Corrective Action Taken; or Finding No Longer Valid; <i>Explain</i>
2012-001	The Center's Adult Education Department failed to establish internal control over student receivables and account balances.	Yes	
2012-002	One of 26 free and reduced lunch applications tested was improperly awarded reduced rather than being free. Also, the Center's review process failed to catch incomplete applications but continued to qualify the students as free or reduced.	Yes	

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Independent Accountants' Report on Applying Agreed-Upon Procedure

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To the Board of Education:

Ohio Revised Code Section 117.53 states "the Auditor of State shall identify whether the school district or community school has adopted an anti-harassment policy in accordance with Section 3313.666 of the Revised Code. This determination shall be recorded in the audit report. The Auditor of State shall not prescribe the content or operation of any anti-harassment policy adopted by a school district or community school."

Accordingly, we have performed the procedure enumerated below, which was agreed to by the Board, solely to assist the Board in evaluating whether Columbiana County Career and Technical Center (the "Center") has updated its anti-harassment policy in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 3313.666. Management is responsible for complying with this requirement. This agreed-upon procedure engagement was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of this procedure is solely the responsibility of the Board. Consequently; we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedure described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose.

1. We noted the Board amended its anti-harassment policy at its meeting on June 19, 2012 to include prohibiting harassment, intimidation, or bullying of any student "on a school bus" or by an "electronic act";

We were not engaged to and did not conduct an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on compliance with the anti-harassment policy. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Dave Yost
Auditor of State

March 18, 2014