

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

**Bayville, New Jersey
County of Ocean**

**ANNUAL COMPREHENSIVE FINANCIAL REPORT
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

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OF THE
CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
BAYVILLE, NEW JERSEY**

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**PREPARED BY DISTRICT FINANCE OFFICER
SCHOOL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR/BOARD SECRETARY
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INTRODUCTORY SECTION

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Superintendent of Schools

KEVIN O'SHEA
Business Administrator/Board Secretary

January 14, 2025

Members of the Board of Education
Central Regional School District
Bayville, New Jersey 08721

Dear Board Member:

The Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR) for the Central Regional School District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024 is hereby submitted. Responsibility for both the accuracy of the data and completeness and fairness of the presentation, including all disclosures, rests with the management of the Board of Education. To the best of our knowledge and belief, the data presented in this report is accurate in all material results of operations of the various funds and account groups of the District. All disclosures necessary to enable the reader to gain an understanding of the district's financial activities have been included.

The ACFR is presented in four sections: introductory, financial, statistical and single audit. The introductory section includes this transmittal letter, the District's organizational chart and a list of principal officials. The financial section includes the basic financial statements and schedules, as well as the auditor's report thereon. The statistical section includes selected financial and demographic information, generally presented on a multi-year basis. The District is required to undergo an annual single audit in conformity with the provisions of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance) and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid. Information related to this single audit, including the auditor's report on the internal control structure and compliance with applicable laws and regulations and findings and recommendation, are included in the single audit section of this report.

1) REPORTING ENTITY AND ITS SERVICES: The Central Regional School District is an independent reporting entity within the criteria adopted by the GASB as established by Statement No. 14 as amended by GASB Statement No. 39. All funds and account groups of the District are included in this report. The Central Regional Board of Education and all its schools constitute the District's reporting entity.

2) ECONOMIC CONDITION AND OUTLOOK:

The Central Regional School District is located in the Central Eastern portion of Ocean County and consists, geographically, of five separate municipalities within its boundaries. These municipalities include Berkeley Township, Island Heights, Ocean Gate, Seaside Heights and Seaside Park. The district encompasses 43.95 square miles.

3) MAJOR INITIATIVES:

The District completed its Window Wall and HVAC upgrades and installed a new Fire Alarm System at the High School during the 2023-24 school year.

4) INTERNAL ACCOUNTING CONTROLS:

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

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

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

5) BUDGETARY CONTROLS:

In addition to internal accounting controls, the District maintains budgetary controls. The objective of these budgetary controls is to ensure compliance with legal provisions, embodied in the annual appropriated budget approved by the voters, or the representatives of each municipality or the State of New Jersey. Annual appropriated budgets are adopted for the general fund, the special revenue fund, and the debt service fund. The final budget amount as amended for the fiscal year is reflected in the financial section.

An encumbrance accounting system is used to record outstanding purchase commitments on a line item basis. Open encumbrances at year-end are either canceled or are included as re-appropriation of fund balance in the subsequent year. Those amounts to be re-appropriated are reported as reservations of fund balance at June 30, 2024.

6) ACCOUNTING SYSTEM AND REPORTS:

The District's accounting records, to the best of our knowledge, reflect the generally accepted accounting principles, as promulgated by the GASB. The accounting system of the District is organized on the basis of funds and account groups. These funds and account groups are explained in "Notes to the Financial Statements", Note 1.

7) DEBT SERVICE

The District has no outstanding debt as of June 30, 2024.

8) CASH MANAGEMENT

The investment policy of the District is guided in large part by state statute as detailed in "Notes to the Financial Statements", Note 1. The District has adopted a cash management plan which requires it to deposit public funds in public depositories protected from loss under the provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act ("GUDPA"). GUDPA was enacted in 1970 to protect Governmental Units from a loss of funds on deposit with a failed banking institution in New Jersey. The law requires governmental units to deposit public funds only in public depositories located in New Jersey, where the funds are secured in accordance with the Act.

9) RISK MANAGEMENT

The Board carries various forms of insurance, including but not limited to general liability, automotive liability and comprehensive/collision, hazard and theft insurance on property and contents, and fidelity bonds.

The District has an active Risk Management Committee that is instrumental in reducing exposure to employee injury and researching means to reduce exposure for the district to other types of risk. The district has a District Safety Committee comprised of three (3) Board Members who actively work to insure the safety of students and staff.

10) OTHER INFORMATION:

Independent Audit – State statutes require an annual audit by independent certified public accountants or registered municipal accountants. The accounting firm of Holman Frenia Allison, P.C., was selected by the Board. In addition to meeting the requirements set forth in state statutes, the audit also was designed to meet the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance)* and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, *Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid*. The auditor's report on the basic financial statements and combining and individual fund statements and schedules is included in the financial section of this report. The auditor's reports related specifically to the single audit are included in the single audit section of this report.

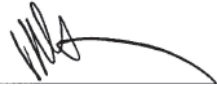
11) ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

We would like to express our appreciation to the members of the Central Regional Board of Education for their concern in providing fiscal accountability to the citizens and taxpayers of the school district and thereby contributing their full support to the development and maintenance of our financial operation. The preparation of this report could not have been accomplished without the efficient and dedicated services of our financial and accounting staff.

Respectfully submitted,

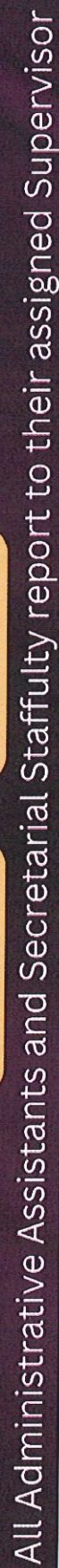


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Superintendent of Schools



Kevin O'Shea, CPA
Business Administrator/Board Secretary

Our Students



**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
ROSTER OF OFFICIALS**

JUNE 30, 2024

| <u>Members of the Board of Education</u> | <u>Municipality</u> | <u>Term</u> |
|--|---------------------|-------------|
| Susan Cowdrick, President | Island Heights | 2024 |
| George Dohn, Vice President | Berkeley | 2025 |
| Merissa Borawski | Berkeley | 2024 |
| Susan Cowdrick | Island Heights | 2024 |
| Michael Graichen | Seaside Heights | 2026 |
| Heather Koenig | Berkeley | 2024 |
| JoAnne Penn | Seaside Park | 2026 |
| John Serpica | Ocean Gate | 2026 |
| Louis Tuminaro | Berkeley | 2025 |
| Denise Pavone-Wilson | Berkeley | 2025 |

Other Officials

| | |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Michelle CarneyRay-Yoder, Ed.D. | Superintendent |
| Douglas Corbett, Ed.D. | Assistant Superintendent |
| Kevin O'Shea, CPA | Business Administrator |
| Carmen Memoli, CPA | Treasurer of School Monies |
| Mark Toscano | Board Attorney |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
BAYVILLE, NEW JERSEY
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JUNE 30, 2024**

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable President and Members
of the Board of Education
Central Regional School District
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Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Central Regional School District, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey, as of and for the fiscal year ended, June 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the School District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Central Regional School District as of June 30, 2024, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and in compliance with audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Central Regional School District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

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

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

Auditor's Responsibility

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

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, *Government Auditing Standards* and audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, we:

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

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

Required Supplementary Information

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

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the School District's basic financial statements. The introductory section, combining statements and related major fund supporting statements and schedules, and statistical section are presented for purposes of additional analysis, as required by the Division of Administration and Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The accompanying schedules of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, *Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid* are also presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

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

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

Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included in the annual report. The other information comprises the introductory and statistical sections but does not include the basic financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinions on the basic financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the basic financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and consider whether a material inconsistency exists between the other information and the basic financial statements, or the other information otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work performed, we conclude that an uncorrected material misstatement of the other information exists, we are required to describe it in our report.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated January 14, 2025 on our consideration of the School District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the School District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Respectfully Submitted,

HOLMAN FRENIA ALLISON, P.C.

Jerry W. Conaty
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Public School Accountant, No. 2470

Lakewood, New Jersey
January 14, 2025

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - PART I

Management's Discussion and Analysis

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CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024
UNAUDITED

This section of the Central Regional School District's (School District) Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR) presents our discussion and analysis of the School District's financial performance during the fiscal year that ended on June 30, 2024. Please read it in conjunction with the transmittal letter at the front of this report and the School District's financial statements, which immediately follow this section.

Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) is an element of Required Supplementary Information specified in the Governmental Accounting Standards Board's (GASB) Statement No. 34 - *Basic Financial Statements-Management's Discussion and Analysis-for State and Local Governments* issued in June 1999 that is also required by the New Jersey State Department of Education. Certain comparative information between the current fiscal year (2023-24) and the prior fiscal year (2022-23) is required to be presented in the MD&A.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Key financial highlights for 2024 are as follows:

- In total, net position of governmental activities increased \$2,568,712, which represents a 16.58% increase from 2023. Total net position of business-type activities decreased (\$25,388), which represents a (9.19%) decrease from 2023.
- General revenues accounted for \$48,676,899 in revenue or 77.01% of all revenues. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services, operating grants and contributions, and capital grants and contributions accounted for \$14,531,860 or 22.99% of total revenue of \$63,208,759.
- Total assets of governmental activities increased by \$2,966,590 as cash and cash equivalents increased by \$2,809, receivables decreased by (\$584,175), restricted cash and cash equivalents increased by \$325,153, and total capital assets and right to use leased assets increased by \$3,545,540.
- Total liabilities of governmental activities decreased by \$183,973 as non-current liabilities due beyond one year decreased by \$2,721,631 and accounts payable increased by \$639,108.
- The School District had \$59,518,191 in governmental activities expenses; \$13,410,004 of these expenses were offset by program specific charges for services, grants, or contributions. General revenues from governmental activities (primarily property taxes) and extraordinary items of \$48,676,899 were adequate to provide for these programs, resulting in an increase in net position for governmental activities of \$2,568,712.
- In the governmental funds, the general fund had \$55,164,982 in revenues, \$57,075,511 in expenditures and \$1,922,622 in other financing sources. The general fund's fund balance increased by \$12,093 over 2023.

USING THIS ACFR

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements and notes to these financial statements. These statements are organized in a way to allow the reader to understand the School District as a financial whole, an entire operating entity. The statements then proceed to provide an increasingly detailed look at specific financial activities.

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the School District's basic financial statements. The School District's basic financial statements are comprised of three components: 1) Government-wide financial statements, 2) Fund financial statements, and 3) Notes to the financial statements. This report also contains required supplementary information and other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

Government-Wide Financial Statements. The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with an overview of the School District's finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The Statement of Net Position (A-1) presents information on the difference between assets plus deferred outflows of resources and liabilities plus deferred inflows of resources reported as net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the School District is improving or deteriorating.

The Statement of Changes in Net Position (A-2) presents information showing how the net position of the School District changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods of the School District.

The government-wide financial statements can be found as Exhibits A-1 and A-2 in this report.

Fund Financial Statements. A fund is a group of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The School District, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds of the School District can be divided into two categories: governmental funds and proprietary funds.

Governmental Funds

Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on the near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating the School District's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the School District's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

The School District maintains four individual governmental funds. Information is presented separately in the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balance for the general fund, special revenue fund, capital projects fund, and debt service fund, all of which are considered to be major funds.

The general and special revenue funds utilize a legally adopted annual budget. A budgetary comparison statement has been provided for the general fund and special revenue fund to demonstrate compliance with this budget.

The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found as Exhibits B-1 through B-3 in this report.

Proprietary Funds

The School District maintains one proprietary fund type, an enterprise fund. The enterprise fund is used to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises, where the intent of the School District is that the costs of providing goods or services be financed through user charges. The food services enterprise fund provides for the operation of food services in all schools within the District. The Community School Program provides for the operation of the community education program within the District. The proprietary funds have been included within business-type activities in the district-wide financial statements.

The Food Service and Community School funds detailed financial statements can be found as Exhibits B-4 through B-6 in this report.

Notes to the Financial Statements. The notes provide additional information that is essential for a full understanding of the data provided in the district-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements can be found after the fund financial statements in this report.

Other Information. The combining and individual fund statements referred to earlier in connection with governmental and enterprise funds are presented immediately following the notes to the financial statements.

Government-Wide Financial Analysis

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

As noted earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of the School District's financial position. The following table provides a summary of net position for June 30, 2024 and 2023, respectively:

Net Position
June 30, 2024 and 2023

| | Governmental Activities | | Business-Type Activities | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| | 2024 | 2023 | 2024 | 2023 |
| Assets | | | | |
| Current and Other | | | | |
| Assets | \$ 6,396,032 | \$ 9,698,943 | \$ 121,331 | \$ 268,241 |
| Capital Assets, Net | 30,955,645 | 24,686,144 | 243,319 | 271,520 |
| Total Assets | <u>37,351,677</u> | <u>34,385,087</u> | <u>364,650</u> | <u>539,761</u> |
| Deferred Outflows of Resources | | | | |
| Deferred Outflows | | | | |
| Relating to Pension | <u>1,974,494</u> | <u>2,873,366</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> |
| Liabilities | | | | |
| Long-Term Liabilities | 16,256,575 | 18,309,173 | - | - |
| Other Liabilities | <u>3,501,713</u> | <u>1,633,088</u> | <u>113,868</u> | <u>263,591</u> |
| Total Liabilities | <u>19,758,288</u> | <u>19,942,261</u> | <u>113,868</u> | <u>279,249</u> |
| Deferred Inflows of Resources | | | | |
| Deferred Inflows | | | | |
| Relating to Pension | <u>1,504,580</u> | <u>1,821,601</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> |
| Net Position | | | | |
| Net Investment in | | | | |
| Capital Assets | 28,825,393 | 24,686,144 | 243,319 | 271,520 |
| Restricted | 2,654,420 | 2,646,325 | - | - |
| Unrestricted | <u>(13,416,510)</u> | <u>(11,837,878)</u> | <u>7,463</u> | <u>4,650</u> |
| Total Net Position | <u>\$ 18,063,303</u> | <u>\$ 15,494,591</u> | <u>\$ 250,782</u> | <u>\$ 276,170</u> |

The School District's largest net position component is the net investment in capital assets as shown above. Restricted balances represent resources that are subject to external restrictions on how they may be used.

Restricted net position increased \$8,095, from the prior year to \$2,654,420 at June 30, 2024.

Unrestricted net position may be used to meet the School District's ongoing operating obligations to vendors, debtors and employees. The unrestricted net position includes the unassigned General Fund balance netted with the amount of long-term obligations that are not invested in capital assets. The (\$13,416,510) is shown as unrestricted net position for Governmental Activities.

The following table provides a summary of revenues and expenses for the School District's governmental and business-type activities and the change in net position for June 30, 2024 and 2023. Significant variances in revenues and expenditures from year to year, and explanations thereof, are detailed in the 'Financial Analysis of the School District's Funds' section later in this

Statement of Activities
For the years ended June 30 , 2024 and 2023

| | Governmental Activities | Business-Type Activities | Total 2024 |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Revenues: | | | |
| Program Revenues: | | | |
| Charges for Services | \$ - | \$ 536,998 | \$ 536,998 |
| Operating Grants and Contributions | 13,410,004 | 584,858 | 13,994,862 |
| General Revenues: | | | |
| Property Taxes | 38,300,000 | - | 38,300,000 |
| Federal and State Aid | 8,015,554 | - | 8,015,554 |
| Miscellaneous | 2,361,345 | - | 2,361,345 |
| Total Revenues | 62,086,903 | 1,121,856 | 63,208,759 |
| Expenses: | | | |
| Instructional Services | 34,736,447 | - | 34,736,447 |
| Support Services | 24,667,038 | 1,147,244 | 25,814,282 |
| Interest and Other Charges | 114,706 | - | 114,706 |
| Total Expenses | 59,518,191 | 1,147,244 | 60,665,435 |
| Change in Net Position | 2,568,712 | (25,388) | 2,543,324 |
| Net Position, Beginning | 15,494,591 | 276,170 | 15,770,761 |
| Net Position, Ending | \$ 18,063,303 | \$ 250,782 | \$ 18,314,085 |

| | Governmental Activities | Business-Type Activities | Total 2023 |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Revenues: | | | |
| Program Revenues: | | | |
| Charges for Services | \$ - | \$ 602,067 | \$ 602,067 |
| Operating Grants and Contributions | 13,875,112 | 602,071 | 14,477,183 |
| General Revenues: | | | |
| Property Taxes | 36,550,272 | - | 36,550,272 |
| Federal and State Aid | 7,063,952 | - | 7,063,952 |
| Miscellaneous | 2,172,547 | - | 2,172,547 |
| Total Revenues | 59,661,883 | 1,204,138 | 60,866,021 |
| Expenses: | | | |
| Instructional Services | 33,378,908 | - | 33,378,908 |
| Support Services | 23,196,164 | 1,202,893 | 24,399,057 |
| Interest and Other Charges | 177,279 | - | 177,279 |
| Total Expenses | 56,752,351 | 1,202,893 | 57,955,244 |
| Change in Net Position | 2,909,532 | 1,245 | 2,910,777 |
| Net Position, Beginning | 12,585,059 | 274,925 | 12,859,984 |
| Net Position, Ending | \$ 15,494,591 | \$ 276,170 | \$ 15,770,761 |

Financial Analysis of the School District's Funds

As noted earlier, the School District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

Governmental Funds. The focus of the School District's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the School District's financing requirements. The unassigned fund balance is divided between designated balances and undesignated balances. The capital projects fund is restricted by state law to be spent for the purpose of the fund and is not available for spending at the School District's discretion.

Financial Information at Fiscal Year-End

The following schedule presents a summary of the general fund, special revenue fund, and debt service fund revenues for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024 and 2023 and the amount and percentage of increases and (decreases) in relation to prior year revenues.

| June 30, 2024 | | | | |
|-----------------------|---------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Amount | Percent Of Total | Increase (Decrease) From 2023 | Percent of Increase (Decrease) |
| Current Expenditures: | | | | |
| Instruction | \$ 19,327,336 | 31.25% | \$ 411,245 | 2.17% |
| Undistributed | 36,730,371 | 59.40% | 2,588,895 | 7.58% |
| Capital Outlay | 5,587,107 | 9.04% | 1,838,507 | 49.05% |
| Debt Service: | | | | |
| Principal | 78,323 | 0.13% | (18,421) | -19.04% |
| Interest | 114,706 | 0.19% | - | 0.00% |
| Total | \$ 61,837,843 | 100.01% | \$ 4,820,226 | 8.45% |

| June 30, 2023 | | | | |
|-----------------------|---------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Amount | Percent Of Total | Increase (Decrease) From 2022 | Percent of Increase (Decrease) |
| Current Expenditures: | | | | |
| Instruction | \$ 18,916,091 | 33.18% | \$ 759,231 | 4.18% |
| Undistributed | 34,141,476 | 59.88% | 1,461,608 | 4.47% |
| Capital Outlay | 3,748,600 | 6.57% | 1,012,569 | 37.01% |
| Debt Service: | | | | |
| Principal | 96,744 | 0.17% | (597,412) | -86.06% |
| Interest | 114,706 | 0.20% | (17,481) | -13.22% |
| Total | \$ 57,017,617 | 100.00% | \$ 2,618,515 | 4.81% |

Undistributed costs increased primarily due to pension and health benefit cost increases. Capital Outlay increased due to increased capital purchases during the fiscal year.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Throughout the year, as necessary, budget transfers were effectuated between budget accounts to re-align the 2023-24 budget. Budget transfers were effectuated based on expected positive and negative budget variances. The budget is continually managed and revised with budget transfers as necessary or practical to do so.

Significant Budget Transfers and Variations:

- Teacher's Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF), which is the State of New Jersey's (State) contribution to the pension fund, is an "on-behalf" revenue and expenditure item to the district and is required to be reflected in the financial statements.
- Reallocations were made among the various salary budget accounts to reflect changes in the personnel budget for the 2023-24 year.
- Transfers were made into purchased services for special education programs to provide funds for required additional services.

Based on the financial results of 2023-24, unassigned fund balance increased \$342,617 from the prior year to \$342,617 at June 30, 2024. (2% required per S-1701, net of allowable adjustments).

Proprietary Funds. The School District's proprietary fund provides the same type of information found in the government-wide financial statements, but in more detail.

During the fiscal year, the net position of business-type activities decreased (\$25,388) or (10.12%). The assets of the business-type activities exceed liabilities by \$250,782.

Capital Assets

At June 30, 2024, the School District had capital assets of \$31,198,964, net of depreciation, which includes construction in progress, buildings and site improvements and equipment.

| | June 30, 2024 | |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | Governmental Activities | Business-Type Activities |
| Construction in Progress | \$ 67,623 | \$ - |
| Buildings and Site Improvements | 23,265,828 | - |
| Equipment | 4,898,233 | 243,319 |
| Right to Use Leased Assets, Net | 2,723,961 | - |
| Total | <u>\$ 30,955,645</u> | <u>\$ 243,319</u> |
| | June 30, 2023 | |
| | Governmental Activities | Business-Type Activities |
| Construction in Progress | \$ 1,532,072 | \$ - |
| Buildings and Site Improvements | 18,704,948 | - |
| Equipment | 4,449,124 | 271,520 |
| Total | <u>\$ 24,686,144</u> | <u>\$ 271,520</u> |

Additional information on the School District's capital assets can be found in Note 5 to the basic financial statements.

Debt Administration and Other Obligations

At June 30, 2024 and 2023, the School District's outstanding obligations included \$2,130,252 and \$2,130,252, respectively, of financed purchases payable, \$3,120,130 and \$2,829,200, respectively, of lease obligations and \$1,004,942 and \$1,389,676, respectively, of compensated absences.

Additional information on the School District's long-term obligations can be found in Note 7 to the basic financial statements.

Economic Factors and Subsequent Year's Budgets

- The School District anticipates that the approved 2024-25 budget will be adequate to satisfy all 2024-25 financial needs, barring any significant unexpected situations or conditions unforeseen at this time.
- It is expected the State of New Jersey will again delay the final state aid payments to school districts for 2024-25.
- The School District's enrollment has been fairly consistent over the past 3 school years. The School District anticipates stable enrollment over the next several years.

Requests for Information

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the School District's finances for all those with an interest in the School District's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to the Business Administrator/Board Secretary's Office, Central Regional School District, Board of Education, 509 Forest Hills Parkway, Bayville, New Jersey 08721.

Governmental Funds

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| BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS |
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A. Government-Wide Financial Statements

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CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
JUNE 30, 2024

| | GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES | BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES | TOTAL |
|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| ASSETS | | | |
| Cash & Cash Equivalents | \$ 2,432,013 | \$ 58,239 | \$ 2,490,252 |
| Receivables, Net (Note 4) | 586,482 | 49,371 | 635,853 |
| Inventory | - | 13,721 | 13,721 |
| Restricted Cash & Cash Equivalents | 3,377,537 | - | 3,377,537 |
| Capital Assets, Net (Note 5): | | | |
| Non-Depreciable | 67,623 | - | 67,623 |
| Depreciable | 28,164,061 | 243,319 | 28,407,380 |
| Right to Use Leased Assets, Net (Note 20) | 2,723,961 | - | 2,723,961 |
| Total Assets | 37,351,677 | 364,650 | 37,716,327 |
| DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES | | | |
| Related to Pensions (Note 8) | 1,974,494 | - | 1,974,494 |
| Total Deferred Outflow of Resources | 1,974,494 | - | 1,974,494 |
| LIABILITIES | | | |
| Accounts Payable | 697,449 | 38,320 | 735,769 |
| Due to Other Governments | 964,497 | - | 964,497 |
| Unearned Revenue | 1,135,574 | - | 1,135,574 |
| Accrued Salaries and Wages | 690,880 | - | 690,880 |
| Payroll Deductions and Withholdings | 84,954 | - | 84,954 |
| Unemployment Trust Liability | 3,907 | - | 3,907 |
| Internal Balances | (75,548) | 75,548 | - |
| Noncurrent Liabilities (Note 7): | | | |
| Due Within One Year | 669,033 | - | 669,033 |
| Due in More Than One Year | 15,587,542 | - | 15,587,542 |
| Total Liabilities | 19,758,288 | 113,868 | 19,872,156 |
| DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES | | | |
| Related to Pensions (Note 8) | 1,504,580 | - | 1,504,580 |
| Total Deferred Inflow of Resources | 1,504,580 | - | 1,504,580 |
| NET POSITION | | | |
| Net Investment in Capital Assets | 28,825,393 | 243,319 | 29,068,712 |
| Restricted for: | | | |
| Capital Projects (Note 3) | 1,243,535 | - | 1,243,535 |
| Emergency Reserve (Note 3) | 50,700 | - | 50,700 |
| Maintenance Reserve (Note 3) | 487,448 | - | 487,448 |
| Unemployment Reserve (Note 3) | 440,347 | - | 440,347 |
| Student Activities | 368,654 | - | 368,654 |
| Scholarship | 43,531 | - | 43,531 |
| Excess Surplus | 20,205 | - | 20,205 |
| Unrestricted (Deficit) (Note 19) | (13,416,510) | 7,463 | (13,409,047) |
| Total Net Position | \$ 18,063,303 | \$ 250,782 | \$ 18,314,085 |

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

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| FUNCTIONS/PROGRAMS | PROGRAM REVENUES | | | NET (EXPENSE) REVENUE AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION | | |
|---|------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------------------|-----------------|
| | EXPENSES | CHARGES FOR SERVICES | OPERATING GRANTS & CONTRIBUTIONS | GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES | BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES | TOTAL |
| Governmental Activities: | | | | | | |
| Instruction: | | | | | | |
| Regular Instruction | \$ 21,771,450 | \$ - | \$ 7,768,457 | \$ (14,002,993) | \$ - | \$ (14,002,993) |
| Special Education Instruction | 9,567,346 | - | 2,907,530 | (6,659,816) | - | (6,659,816) |
| Other Instruction | 3,397,651 | - | 1,032,520 | (2,365,131) | - | (2,365,131) |
| Support Services: | | | | | | |
| Tuition | 1,940,299 | - | 92,241 | (1,848,058) | - | (1,848,058) |
| Student & Instruction Related Services | 8,289,187 | - | 942,102 | (7,347,085) | - | (7,347,085) |
| General Administrative | 1,222,372 | - | 58,034 | (1,164,338) | - | (1,164,338) |
| School Administrative Services | 1,722,043 | - | 81,861 | (1,640,182) | - | (1,640,182) |
| Central Services | 699,288 | - | 33,263 | (666,025) | - | (666,025) |
| Administrative Info. Technology | 507,193 | - | 24,063 | (483,130) | - | (483,130) |
| Plant Operations & Maintenance | 5,832,830 | - | 258,322 | (5,574,508) | - | (5,574,508) |
| Pupil Transportation | 4,453,826 | - | 211,611 | (4,242,215) | - | (4,242,215) |
| Interest & Other Charges | 114,706 | - | - | (114,706) | - | (114,706) |
| Total Governmental Activities | 59,518,191 | - | 13,410,004 | (46,108,187) | - | (46,108,187) |
| Business-Type Activities: | | | | | | |
| Food Service | 1,142,844 | 533,203 | 584,858 | - | (24,783) | (24,783) |
| Community School | 4,400 | 3,795 | - | - | (605) | (605) |
| Total Business-Type Activities | 1,147,244 | 536,998 | 584,858 | - | (25,388) | (25,388) |
| Total Primary Government | \$ 60,665,435 | \$ 536,998 | \$ 13,994,862 | (46,108,187) | (25,388) | (46,133,575) |
| General Revenues: | | | | | | |
| Taxes: | | | | | | |
| Property Taxes, Levied for General Purposes | | | | 38,300,000 | - | 38,300,000 |
| Federal & State Aid Not Restricted | | | | 8,015,554 | - | 8,015,554 |
| Tuition Charges | | | | 278,827 | - | 278,827 |
| Transportation Charges | | | | 488,759 | - | 488,759 |
| Miscellaneous | | | | 1,593,759 | - | 1,593,759 |
| Total General Revenues | | | | 48,676,899 | - | 48,676,899 |
| Change In Net Position | | | | 2,568,712 | (25,388) | 2,543,324 |
| Net Position - Beginning | | | | 15,494,591 | 276,170 | 15,770,761 |
| Net Position - Ending | | | | \$ 18,063,303 | \$ 250,782 | \$ 18,314,085 |

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

B. Fund Financial Statements

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**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
JUNE 30, 2024**

| | MAJOR FUNDS | | TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| | GENERAL FUND | SPECIAL REVENUE FUND | |
| ASSETS | | | |
| Cash & Cash Equivalents | \$ 2,012,844 | \$ 419,169 | \$ 2,432,013 |
| Receivables, Net: | | | |
| Interfund Receivable | 82,532 | - | 82,532 |
| Due from Other Governments: | | | |
| Federal | 8,176 | - | 8,176 |
| State | 438,140 | - | 438,140 |
| Other | 140,166 | - | 140,166 |
| Restricted Cash & Cash Equivalents | 3,377,537 | - | 3,377,537 |
| Total Assets | <u>\$ 6,059,395</u> | <u>\$ 419,169</u> | <u>\$ 6,478,564</u> |
| LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCES | | | |
| Liabilities: | | | |
| Accounts Payable | \$ 697,449 | \$ - | \$ 697,449 |
| Unemployment Trust Liability | 3,907 | - | 3,907 |
| Accrued Salaries and Wages | 690,880 | - | 690,880 |
| Interfund Payable | - | 6,984 | 6,984 |
| Other Payable | 207,630 | - | 207,630 |
| Payroll Deductions and Withholdings | 84,954 | - | 84,954 |
| Unearned Revenue | 1,135,574 | - | 1,135,574 |
| Total Liabilities | <u>2,820,394</u> | <u>6,984</u> | <u>2,827,378</u> |
| Fund Balances: | | | |
| Restricted for: | | | |
| Capital Reserve | 1,243,535 | - | 1,243,535 |
| Maintenance Reserve | 487,448 | - | 487,448 |
| Emergency Reserve | 50,700 | - | 50,700 |
| Unemployment Reserve | 440,347 | - | 440,347 |
| Excess Surplus Designated for Subsequent Year | 20,205 | - | 20,205 |
| Student Activities | - | 368,654 | 368,654 |
| Scholarship | - | 43,531 | 43,531 |
| Assigned for: | | | |
| Designated for Subsequent Year | 229,795 | - | 229,795 |
| Other Purposes | 424,354 | - | 424,354 |
| Unassigned | 342,617 | - | 342,617 |
| Total Fund Balances | <u>3,239,001</u> | <u>412,185</u> | <u>3,651,186</u> |
| Total Liabilities & Fund Balances | <u>\$ 6,059,395</u> | <u>\$ 419,169</u> | |
| Amounts reported for <i>governmental activities</i> in the statement of net position (A-1) are different because: | | | |
| Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds. The cost of the assets is \$72,114,663 and the accumulated depreciation is \$43,882,979. | | | 28,231,684 |
| Right to use leased assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds. The cost of the assets is \$3,901,664 and the accumulated amortization is \$1,177,703. | | | 2,723,961 |
| Deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions and deferred charges or credits on debt refunding are applicable to future reporting periods and therefore are not reported in the funds. | | | |
| Deferred Outflows Related to Pensions | | | 1,974,494 |
| Deferred Inflows Related to Pensions | | | (1,504,580) |
| Other liabilities included in the governmental funds represent leases that were entered into prior to June 30, 2024 and are included as liabilities in the long-term liability note below. | | | 207,630 |
| Accrued pension contributions for the June 30, 2024 plan year are not paid with current economic resources and are therefore not reported as a liability in the funds, but are included in accounts payable in the government-wide statement of net position. | | | (964,497) |
| Long-term liabilities, including net pension liability and bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported as liabilities in the funds. | | | <u>(16,256,575)</u> |
| Net Position of Governmental Activities | | | <u>\$ 18,063,303</u> |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | MAJOR FUNDS | | | TOTAL |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | GENERAL FUND | SPECIAL REVENUE FUND | CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND | GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS |
| Revenues: | | | | |
| Local Sources: | | | | |
| Local Tax Levy | \$ 38,300,000 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 38,300,000 |
| Tuition Charges | 278,827 | - | - | 278,827 |
| Transportation Charges | 488,759 | - | - | 488,759 |
| Miscellaneous | 719,616 | 876,269 | - | 1,595,885 |
| Total Local Sources | 39,787,202 | 876,269 | - | 40,663,471 |
| State Sources | 15,357,327 | 60,935 | - | 15,418,262 |
| Federal Sources | 20,453 | 3,625,617 | - | 3,646,070 |
| Total Revenues | 55,164,982 | 4,562,821 | - | 59,727,803 |
| Expenditures: | | | | |
| Instruction: | | | | |
| Regular Instruction | 10,962,098 | 1,151,159 | - | 12,113,257 |
| Special Education Instruction | 5,323,494 | - | - | 5,323,494 |
| Other Instruction | 1,890,585 | - | - | 1,890,585 |
| Support Services: | | | | |
| Tuition | 1,476,963 | - | - | 1,476,963 |
| Attendance & Social Work Services | 227,599 | - | - | 227,599 |
| Health Services | 344,616 | - | - | 344,616 |
| Student & Instruction Related Services | 4,370,046 | 1,369,157 | - | 5,739,203 |
| General Administrative | 930,861 | - | - | 930,861 |
| School Administrative Services | 1,310,847 | - | - | 1,310,847 |
| Central Services | 532,203 | - | - | 532,203 |
| Administrative Information Technology | 386,323 | - | - | 386,323 |
| Plant Operations & Maintenance | 4,139,159 | - | - | 4,139,159 |
| Pupil Transportation | 3,390,880 | - | - | 3,390,880 |
| Unallocated Benefits | 8,900,340 | - | - | 8,900,340 |
| On Behalf TPAF Pension and Social Security Contributions | 9,351,377 | - | - | 9,351,377 |
| Capital Outlay | 3,345,091 | 1,989,151 | 252,865 | 5,587,107 |
| Debt Service: | | | | |
| Principal | 78,323 | - | - | 78,323 |
| Interest & Other Charges | 114,706 | - | - | 114,706 |
| Total Expenditures | 57,075,511 | 4,509,467 | 252,865 | 61,837,843 |
| Excess/(Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures | (1,910,529) | 53,354 | (252,865) | (2,110,040) |
| Other Financing Sources (Uses): | | | | |
| Lease Obligations (Non-Budgeted) | 1,922,622 | - | - | 1,922,622 |
| Total Other Financing Sources (Uses) | 1,922,622 | - | - | 1,922,622 |
| Net Changes in Fund Balances | 12,093 | 53,354 | (252,865) | (187,418) |
| Fund Balance, July 1 | 3,226,908 | 358,831 | 252,865 | 3,838,604 |
| Fund Balance, June 30 | \$ 3,239,001 | \$ 412,185 | \$ - | \$ 3,651,186 |

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

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | | |
|---|----|-----------|
| Total Net Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds (B-2) | \$ | (187,418) |
|---|----|-----------|

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

Capital outlays are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense.

This is the amount by which depreciation exceeded capital outlays in the period.

| | | | |
|----------------------|----|------------------|-----------|
| Depreciation Expense | \$ | (1,755,605) | |
| Capital Outlays | | <u>5,301,145</u> | |
| | | | 3,545,540 |

Governmental funds report School District pension contributions as expenditures. However in the statement of activities, the cost of pension benefits earned is reported as pension expense. This is the amount by which pension benefits earned exceeded the School District's pension contributions in the current period.

780,285

Repayment of obligation of lease purchase agreements are an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the statement of net position and is not reported in the statement of activities.

290,930

Proceeds from debt issues are a financing source in the governmental funds. They are not revenue in the statement of activities; issuing debt increases long-term liabilities in the statement of net assets.

| | | | |
|----------------------------|--|--|-------------|
| Lease Obligations Proceeds | | | (1,922,622) |
|----------------------------|--|--|-------------|

Governmental funds recognize the right to use leased assets as a revenue when lease is first entered, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities. The net effect of these transactions is as follows:

| | | | |
|--|--|--|-----------|
| Amortization of Right to Use Leased Assets | | | (322,737) |
|--|--|--|-----------|

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

384,734

| | | |
|---|----|-------------------------|
| Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities | \$ | <u><u>2,568,712</u></u> |
|---|----|-------------------------|

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Proprietary Funds

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**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
JUNE 30, 2024**

| | MAJOR FUNDS | | |
|--------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|---------------|
| | BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES - ENTERPRISE FUNDS | | |
| | FOOD SERVICE | OTHER ENTERPRISE | TOTALS |
| ASSETS | | | |
| Current Assets: | | | |
| Cash & Cash Equivalents | \$ 47,725 | \$ 10,514 | \$ 58,239 |
| Accounts Receivable: | | | |
| Federal | 13,339 | - | 13,339 |
| State | 621 | - | 621 |
| Other Receivables | 35,411 | - | 35,411 |
| Inventories | 13,721 | - | 13,721 |
| Total Current Assets | 110,817 | 10,514 | 121,331 |
| Noncurrent Assets: | | | |
| Capital Assets | 625,623 | - | 625,623 |
| Less: Accumulated Depreciation | (382,304) | - | (382,304) |
| Total Capital Assets, Net | 243,319 | - | 243,319 |
| Total Noncurrent Assets | 243,319 | - | 243,319 |
| Total Assets | 354,136 | 10,514 | 364,650 |
| LIABILITIES | | | |
| Current Liabilities: | | | |
| Accounts Payable | 38,320 | - | 38,320 |
| Interfund Payable | 75,548 | - | 75,548 |
| Total Current Liabilities | 113,868 | - | 113,868 |
| NET POSITION | | | |
| Investment in Capital Assets | 243,319 | - | 243,319 |
| Unrestricted | (3,051) | 10,514 | 7,463 |
| Total Net Position | \$ 240,268 | \$ 10,514 | \$ 250,782 |

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

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | MAJOR FUNDS | | |
|--|--|-----------------------------|---------------|
| | BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES - ENTERPRISE FUNDS | | |
| | FOOD SERVICE | OTHER ENTERPRISE | TOTALS |
| Operating Revenues: | | | |
| Charges for Services: | | | |
| Daily Sales - Reimbursable Programs | \$ 395,681 | \$ - | \$ 395,681 |
| Daily Sales - Non-Reimbursable Programs | 114,171 | - | 114,171 |
| Special Functions | 23,351 | - | 23,351 |
| Program Fees | - | 3,795 | 3,795 |
| Total Operating Revenues | 533,203 | 3,795 | 536,998 |
| Operating Expenses: | | | |
| Cost of Sales - Reimbursable Programs | 382,580 | - | 382,580 |
| Cost of Sales - Non-Reimbursable Programs | 103,112 | - | 103,112 |
| Depreciation | 28,201 | - | 28,201 |
| Employee Benefits | 91,650 | - | 91,650 |
| Other | 17,617 | - | 17,617 |
| Other Purchased Services | 7,308 | - | 7,308 |
| Repairs and Maintenance | 20,791 | - | 20,791 |
| Salaries | 473,989 | 3,600 | 477,589 |
| Supplies and Materials | - | 800 | 800 |
| Utilities | 17,596 | - | 17,596 |
| Total Operating Expenses | 1,142,844 | 4,400 | 1,147,244 |
| Operating Loss | (609,641) | (605) | (610,246) |
| Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses): | | | |
| State Sources: | | | |
| State School Lunch Program | 44,427 | - | 44,427 |
| State School Breakfast Program | 2,931 | - | 2,931 |
| Federal Sources: | | | |
| National School Lunch Program | 334,022 | - | 334,022 |
| National School Breakfast Program | 50,601 | - | 50,601 |
| Local Food for Schools Cooperative Program | 3,009 | - | 3,009 |
| Food Distribution Program | 73,243 | - | 73,243 |
| COVID Supply Chain Assistance | 57,409 | - | 57,409 |
| Interest Revenue | 5,738 | - | 5,738 |
| SSB Stimulus Program | 13,478 | - | 13,478 |
| Total Nonoperating Revenues | 584,858 | - | 584,858 |
| Change in Net Position | (24,783) | (605) | (25,388) |
| Net Position, July 1 | 265,051 | 11,119 | 276,170 |
| Net Position, June 30 | \$ 240,268 | \$ 10,514 | \$ 250,782 |

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

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | MAJOR FUNDS | | |
|---|----------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| | BUSINESS-TYPE | | |
| | ACTIVITIES - | | |
| | ENTERPRISE | | |
| | FUNDS | | |
| | FOOD | OTHER | |
| | SERVICE | ENTERPRISE | TOTALS |
| Cash Flows From Operating Activities: | | | |
| Receipts from Customers | \$ 531,942 | \$ 3,795 | \$ 535,737 |
| Payments to Employees | (473,989) | (3,600) | (477,589) |
| Payments for Employee Benefits | (91,650) | - | (91,650) |
| Payments to Suppliers | (625,484) | (800) | (626,284) |
| Net Cash Used for Operating Activities | (659,181) | (605) | (659,786) |
| Cash Flows From Noncapital Financing Activities: | | | |
| State Sources | 47,342 | - | 47,342 |
| Federal Sources | 447,398 | - | 447,398 |
| Local Sources | 13,478 | - | 13,478 |
| Net Cash Provided by Noncapital Financing Activities | 508,218 | - | 508,218 |
| Cash Flows From Investing Activities: | | | |
| Interest on Investments | 5,738 | - | 5,738 |
| Net Cash Provided by Investing Activities | 5,738 | - | 5,738 |
| Net (Decrease)/Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents | (145,225) | (605) | (145,830) |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning of Year | 192,950 | 11,119 | 204,069 |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents - End of Year | \$ 47,725 | \$ 10,514 | \$ 58,239 |
| Reconciliation of Operating Loss to Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities: | | | |
| Operating (Loss)/Income | \$ (609,641) | \$ (605) | \$ (610,246) |
| Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Loss to Net Cash (Used for)/Provided by Operating Activities: | | | |
| Depreciation | 28,201 | - | 28,201 |
| Food Distribution Program | 73,243 | - | 73,243 |
| Increase in Accounts Receivable, Net | (1,261) | - | (1,261) |
| Increase in Accounts Payable | (149,723) | - | (149,723) |
| Total Adjustments | (49,540) | - | (49,540) |
| Net Cash Used by Operating Activities | \$ (659,181) | \$ (605) | \$ (659,786) |

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

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Fiduciary Fund
Not Applicable

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CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2024

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**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Presentation

The financial statements of the Central Regional School District (hereafter referred to as the School District) have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). GASB is responsible for establishing GAAP for state and local governments through its pronouncements (statements and interpretations).

Reporting Entity

The School District is a Type II district located in the County of Ocean, State of New Jersey. As a Type II district, the School District functions independently through a Board of Education. The Board is comprised of nine members appointed to three-year terms. These terms are staggered so that three members' terms expire each year. The School District provides a full range of educational services appropriate to junior and senior high schools for students of the Boroughs of Island Heights, Ocean Gate, Seaside Heights, Seaside Park and the Township of Berkeley, Ocean County, New Jersey. These include regular as well as special education for handicapped youngsters. The School District has an approximate enrollment at June 30, 2024 of 2,213 students.

The primary criterion for including activities within the School District's reporting entity, as set forth in Section 2100 of the GASB *Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards*, is whether:

- ◆ the organization is legally separate (can sue or be sued in their own name);
- ◆ the School District holds the corporate powers of the organization;
- ◆ the School District appoints a voting majority of the organization's board
- ◆ the School District is able to impose its will on the organization;
- ◆ the organization has the potential to impose a financial benefit/burden on the School District
- ◆ there is a fiscal dependency by the organization on the School District.

There were no additional entities required to be included in the reporting entity under the criteria as described above. Furthermore, the School District is not includable in any other reporting entity on the basis of such criteria.

Component Units

GASB Statement No.14, *The Financial Reporting Entity*, provides guidance that all entities associated with a primary government are potential component units and should be evaluated for inclusion in the financial reporting entity. A primary government is financially accountable not only for the organizations that make up its legal entity but also for legally separate organizations that meet the criteria established by GASB Statement No. 14, as amended by GASB Statement No. 39, *Determining Whether Certain Organizations are Component Units*, and GASB Statement No. 61, *The Financial Reporting Entity: Omnis – an Amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 34*, GASB Statement No. 80, *Blending Requirements for certain component Units - an Amendment of GASB Statement No. 14* and GASB Statement No. 97, *Certain Component Unit Criteria and Accounting and Financial Reporting for Internal Revenue Code Section 457 Deferred Compensation Plan- an Amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 84*. The School District had no component units as of for the year ended June 30, 2024.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Basis of Accounting, Measurement Focus and Financial Statement Presentation

The accounts of the School District are organized on the basis of funds, each of which is considered a separate accounting entity. The operations of each fund are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, fund equity, revenues, and expenditures or expenses, as appropriate. Governmental resources are allocated to and accounted for in individual funds based upon the purposes for which they are to be spent and the means by which spending activities are controlled.

A. Government-Wide Financial Statements

The School District's Government-Wide Financial Statements include a Statement of Net Position and a Statement of Activities. These statements present summaries of Governmental and Business-Type Activities for the School District accompanied by a total column.

These statements are presented on an "economic resources" measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Accordingly, all of the School District's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources, including capital assets and long-term liabilities, are included in the Statement of Net Position. The Statement of Activities presents changes in net position. Under the accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized in the period in which they are earned while expenses are recognized in the period in which the liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. The types of transactions reported as program revenues for the School District are reported in three categories: 1) charges for services, 2) operating grants and contributions, and 3) capital grants and contributions. Internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues. Likewise, general revenues include all property taxes.

Certain eliminations have been made to interfund activities, payables, and receivables. All internal balances in the Statement of Net Position have been eliminated except those representing balances between the governmental activities and the business-type activities, which are presented as internal balances and eliminated in the total primary government column. In the Statement of Activities, internal service fund transactions have been eliminated; however, those transactions between governmental and business-type activities have not been eliminated.

B. Governmental Fund Financial Statements

Governmental fund financial statements include a Balance Sheet and a Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances for all major governmental funds and non-major funds aggregated. The School District has presented all major funds that met those qualifications.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

All governmental funds are accounted for on a spending or “current financial resources” measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Accordingly, only current assets and current liabilities are included on the Balance Sheets. (The School District’s deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources are noncurrent.) The Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances present increases (revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (expenditures and other financing uses) in net current assets. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized in the accounting period in which they become both measurable and available to finance expenditures of the current period. Accordingly, revenues are recorded when received in cash, except that revenues subject to accrual (generally 60 days after year-end) are recognized when due. The primary revenue sources, which have been treated as susceptible to accrual by the School District, are property tax and intergovernmental revenues. Expenditures are recorded in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Issuance of long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Interest on invested funds is recognized when earned. Intergovernmental revenues that are reimbursements for specific purposes or projects are recognized in the period in which the expenditures are recorded. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the School District. Transfers between governmental funds are recorded when the related liability is incurred. These transfers do not represent revenues (expenditures) to the School District and are, therefore, reported as other financing sources (uses) in the governmental fund financial statements.

Since the fund level statements are presented using a different measurement focus and basis of accounting than the government-wide statements, a reconciliation is presented on the page following each fund level statement that summarizes the adjustments necessary to convert the fund level statements into the government-wide presentations.

The School District funds outlays for a particular purpose from both restricted and unrestricted resources. In order to calculate the amounts to report as restricted net position and unrestricted net position in the government-wide financial statements, a flow assumption must be made about the order in which the resources are considered to be applied. When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the School District’s policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed. In order to calculate the amounts to report as restricted, committed, assigned and unassigned fund balance in the governmental fund financial statements a flow assumption must be made about the order in which the resources are considered to be applied. It is the School District’s policy to consider restricted fund balance to have been depleted before any of the components of unrestricted fund balance. Further, when the components of unrestricted fund balance can be used for the same purpose, committed fund balance is depleted first, followed by assigned fund balance. Unassigned fund balance is applied last.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

The School District reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund - The general fund is the general operating fund of the School District and is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund. Included are certain expenditures for vehicles and movable instructional or noninstructional equipment which are classified in the capital outlay sub-fund.

As required by the New Jersey Department of Education (DOE) the School District includes budgeted capital outlay in this fund. GAAP as they pertain to governmental entities state that general fund resources may be used to directly finance capital outlays for long-lived improvements as long as the resources in such cases are derived exclusively from unrestricted revenues.

Resources for budgeted capital outlay purposes are normally derived from State of New Jersey Aid, interest earnings and appropriated fund balance. Expenditures are those that result in the acquisition of or additions to capital assets for land, existing buildings, improvements of grounds, construction of buildings, additions to or remodeling of buildings and the purchase of built-in equipment.

Special Revenue Fund - The special revenue fund is used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue from state and federal governments, other than major capital projects, debt service or proprietary funds, and local appropriations that are restricted or committed to expenditures for specified purposes.

Capital Projects Fund - The capital projects fund is used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditures for the acquisition of construction of major capital facilities, other than those financed by proprietary funds. The financial resources are derived from New Jersey School Development Authority grants, temporary notes, capital leases, or serial bonds that are specially authorized by the voters as a separate question on the ballot either during the annual election or at a special election.

C. Proprietary Fund Financial Statements

Proprietary fund financial statements include a Statement of Net Position, a Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Position, and a Statement of Cash Flows for each major proprietary fund and for the non-major funds aggregated.

Proprietary funds are accounted for using the “economic resources” measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Accordingly, all assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities (whether current or noncurrent), and deferred inflows of resources are included on the Statement of Net Position. The Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Position presents increases (revenues) and decreases (expenses) in total net position. Under the accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized in the period in which they are earned while expenses are recognized in the period in which the liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Operating revenues in the proprietary funds are those revenues that are generated from the primary operations of the fund. All other revenues are reported as non-operating revenues. Operating expenses are those expenses that are essential to the primary operations of the fund. All other expenses are reported as non-operating expenses.

The School District reports the following major proprietary funds:

Food Service Fund – The food service fund accounts for the financial transactions related to the food service operations of the School District.

Community School Program – The community school fund accounts for the financial transactions related to the School District’s community education operations to the School District.

D. Fiduciary Fund Financial Statements

Fiduciary fund financial statements include a Statement of Net Position and a Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position. The School District’s fiduciary funds include Custodial Funds which are used to report fiduciary activities where the School District controls assets that are collected on behalf of these entities. These assets are held in a trust and are distributed in accordance with applicable policies. The Custodial Funds are accounted for on a spending or “economic resources” measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with GASBS No. 84, *Fiduciary Activities* .

The School District has no fiduciary funds.

Budgets/Budgetary Control

Annual appropriated budgets are prepared in the spring of each year for the general, special revenue and debt service funds. The budgets are submitted to the county office. In accordance with *P.L.2011 c.202* , which became effective January 17, 2012, the School District eliminated the April annual voter referendum on budgets which met the statutory tax levy cap limitations and the board of education members are elected at the November general election. Budgets are prepared using the modified accrual basis of accounting. The legal level of budgetary control is established at line item accounts within each fund. Line item accounts are defined as the lowest (most specific) level of detail as established pursuant to the minimum chart of accounts referenced in *N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2-2(f)1*. Transfers of appropriations may be made by School Board resolution at any time during the fiscal year in accordance with *N.J.A.C. 6A:23-2-11* .

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Formal budgetary integration into the accounting system is employed as a management control device during the year. For governmental funds there are no substantial differences between the budgetary basis of accounting and generally accepted accounting principles with the exception of the legally mandated revenue recognition of the one or more June state aid payment for budgetary purposes only and the special revenue fund as noted below. Encumbrance accounting is also employed as an extension of formal budgetary integration in the governmental fund types. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at fiscal year-end.

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

The budget, as detailed on Exhibit C-1, Exhibit C-2, and Exhibit I-3, includes all amendments to the adopted budget, if any.

Exhibit C-3 presents a reconciliation of the general fund revenues and special revenue fund revenues and expenditures from the budgetary basis of accounts as presented in the general fund budgetary comparison schedules and the special revenue fund budgetary comparison schedule to the GAAP basis of accounting as presented in the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance – Governmental Funds. Note that the School District does not report encumbrances outstanding at fiscal year-end as expenditures in the general fund since the general fund budget follows modified accrual basis with the exception of the revenue recognition policy for the last state aid payments.

Encumbrances

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

Open encumbrances in the special revenue fund for which the School District has received advances are reflected in the balance sheet as a reduction of the accounts receivables or as unearned revenue at fiscal year-end.

The encumbered appropriation authority carries over into the next fiscal year. An entry will be made at the beginning of the next fiscal year to increase the appropriation reflected in the certified budget by the outstanding encumbrance amount as of the current fiscal year-end.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Cash, Cash Equivalents and Investments

Cash and Cash equivalents include petty cash, change funds, cash in banks and all highly liquid investments with a maturity of three months or less at the time of purchase and are stated at cost plus accrued interest. U.S. Treasury and agency obligations and certificates of deposit with maturities of one year or less when purchased are considered cash equivalents and stated at cost.

Investments are stated at fair value in accordance with GASB. New Jersey school districts are limited as to the types of investments and types of financial institutions they may invest in. *N.J.S.18A:20-37* provides a list of permissible investments that may be purchased by New Jersey school districts.

N.J.S.A.17:9-41 et. Seq. establishes the requirements for the security of deposits of governmental units. The statute requires that no governmental unit shall deposit public funds in a public depository unless such funds are secured in accordance with the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act (GUDPA). GUDPA was enacted in 1970 to protect governmental units from loss of funds on deposit with a failed banking institution in New Jersey. Public depositories include Savings and Loan institutions, banks (both state and national banks) and savings banks the deposits of which are federally insured. All public depositories must pledge collateral, having a market value at least equal to five percent of the average daily balance of collected public funds, to secure the deposits of governmental units. If a public depository fails, the collateral it has pledged, plus the collateral of all other public depositories, is available to pay the full amount of their deposits to the governmental units.

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the School District considers all highly liquid investments (including restricted assets) with a maturity when purchased of twelve months or less and all local government investment pools to be cash equivalents.

Tuition Receivable/Payable

Tuition rates were established by the receiving School District based on estimated costs. The charges are subject to adjustment when the actual costs are determined.

Inventories

Inventories are valued at cost, using the first-in/first-out (FIFO) method. The costs of inventories are recorded as expenditures when consumed rather than when purchased.

Interfund Receivables/Payables

Interfund receivables/payables represent amounts that are owed, other than charges for goods or services rendered to/from a particular fund in the School District and that are due within one year. As previously mentioned, these amounts are eliminated in the governmental and business-type columns of the Statement of Net Position, except for the net residual amounts due between governmental and business-type activities, which are presented as Internal Balances in the Statement of Net Position.

Right to Use Leased Assets

The right to use leased assets are initially measured at an amount equal to the initial measurement of the related lease liability plus any lease payments made prior to the lease term, less lease incentives, and plus ancillary charges necessary to place the lease into service. The right to use leased assets are amortized on a straight-line basis over the life of the related lease.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Capital Assets

Capital assets are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities column in the government-wide financial statements. Purchased or constructed assets are recorded at actual cost or estimated historical cost if actual cost is unavailable. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation. All reported capital assets except land and construction in progress are depreciated. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized. The School District does not possess any infrastructure. The School District has established a threshold of \$2,000 for capitalization of depreciable assets.

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

| Description: | Governmental Activities Estimated Lives | Business-Type Activities Estimated Lives |
|---------------------------|--|---|
| Land Improvements | 10-20 Years | N/A |
| Building and Improvements | 10-50 Years | N/A |
| Furniture and Equipment | 5-20 Years | 5-12 Years |
| Vehicles | 5-10 Years | 4-6 Years |

Compensated Absences

Compensated absences are those absences for which employees will be paid, such as vacation, sick leave and sabbatical leave. A liability for compensated absences that are attributable to services already rendered, and that are not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the School District and its employees, is accrued as the employees earn the rights to the benefits. Compensated absences that relate to future services, or that are contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the School District and its employees, are accounted for in the period in which such services are rendered or in which such events take place.

The entire compensated absences liability is reported on the government-wide financial statements and proprietary fund financial statements. Compensated absences liability is not recorded in the governmental funds. Instead expenditures are recognized in the governmental funds as payments come due each period, for example, as a result of resignations or retirements.

Unearned Revenue

Unearned revenue arises when assets are recognized before revenue recognition criteria have been satisfied and is recorded as a liability until the revenue is both measureable and the School District is eligible to realize the revenue.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Obligations

All payables, accrued liabilities, and long-term obligations are reported in the government-wide financial statements, and all payables, accrued liabilities and long-term obligations payable from proprietary funds are reported on the proprietary fund financial statements. In general, government fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current financial resources, are reported as obligations of the funds. However, claims and judgments, compensated absences, special termination benefits and contractually required pension contributions that will be paid from governmental funds, are reported as a liability in the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are normally expected to be paid with expendable available financial resources.

Accounting Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumption that affect certain reported amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying note disclosures. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Interfund Activity

Transfers between governmental and business-type activities on the government-wide statements are reported in the same manner as general revenues. Exchange transactions between funds are reported as revenues in the seller funds and as expenditures/expenses in the purchaser funds. Flows of cash or goods from one fund to another without a requirement for repayment are reported as interfund transfers. Interfund transfers are reported as other financing sources/uses in governmental funds and after non-operating revenues/expenses in proprietary funds. Reimbursements from funds responsible for particular expenditures/expenses to the funds that initially paid for them are not presented on the financial statements. As a general rule the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements.

Deferred Outflows and Deferred Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the Statement of Net Position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of net position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future periods and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
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YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Pensions

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

Fund Balance

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 54, *Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions*, fund balances in the governmental funds financial statements are classified into the following five categories, as defined below:

Non-spendable – This classification includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either not in spendable form or are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact. Non-spendable items are not expected to be converted to cash or are not expected to be converted to cash within the next year.

Restricted – This classification includes amounts for which constraints have been placed on the use of the resources either externally imposed by creditors (such as through a debt covenant), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments, or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Committed – This classification includes amounts that can be used only for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the Board of Education. These amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the Board of Education removes or changes the specified use by taking the same type of action (resolution) that was employed when the funds were initially committed. This classification also includes contractual obligations to the extent that existing resources have been specifically committed for use in satisfying those contractual requirements.

Assigned – This classification includes amounts that are constrained by the School District's intent to be used for a specific purpose but are neither restricted nor committed. This intent can be expressed by the Board of Education or through the Board of Education delegating this responsibility to the business administrator through the budgetary process.

Unassigned – This classification includes the residual fund balance for the General Fund. The Unassigned classification also includes negative residual fund balance of any other governmental fund that cannot be eliminated by offsetting of Assigned fund balance amounts.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

When an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available, it is the School District's policy to consider restricted funds to have been spent first. When an expenditure is incurred for which committed, assigned, or unassigned fund balances are available, it is the School District's policy to consider amounts to have been spent first out of committed funds, then assigned funds, and finally unassigned funds, as needed, unless the Board has provided otherwise in its commitment or assignment actions.

Net Position

Net position, represents the difference between summation of assets and deferred outflows of resources, and the summation of liabilities and deferred inflows of resources. Net position is classified into the following three components:

Net Investment in Capital Assets – This components represents capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, net of outstanding balances of borrowings used for acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets.

Restricted – This component of net position is reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the School District or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments.

Unrestricted – This component of net position is reported as unrestricted when it does not meet the criteria of the other two components of net position.

Subsequent Events

Management has reviewed and evaluated all events and transactions that occurred between June 30, 2024 and January 14, 2025, the date that the financial statements were available for issuance, for possible disclosure and recognition in the financial statements, and no items have come to the attention of the School District that would require disclosure.

Impact of Recently Issued Accounting Principles

Adopted Accounting Pronouncements

The following GASB Statements became effective for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024:

- Statement No. 100, *Accounting Changes and Error Corrections - an amendment of GASB Statement No. 62*.

Management has determined the implementation of this Statement did not have a significant impact on the District's financial statements.

Accounting Pronouncements Effective in Future Reporting Periods

- Statement No. 101, *Compensated Absences*. The requirements of this Statement are effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2023.
- Statement No. 102, *Certain Risk Disclosures*. The requirements of this Statement are effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2024.
- Statement No. 103, *Financial Reporting Model Improvements*. The requirements of this Statement are effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2025.

Management has not yet determined the potential impact on the District's financial statements.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Note 2. Deposits and Investments

Deposits

Custodial Credit Risk – Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of a bank failure, the Board’s deposits may not be recovered. Although the Board does not have a formal policy regarding custodial credit risk, *NJSA 17:9-41 et seq.* requires that the governmental units shall deposit public funds in public depositories protected from loss under the provisions of GUDPA. Under the Act, the first \$250,000 of governmental deposits in each insured depository is protected by FDIC. Public fund owned by the Board in excess of FDIC insured amounts are protected by GUDPA. However, GUDPA does not protect intermingled trust funds such as salary withholdings, student activity fund or other funds that may pass to the Board relative to the happening of a future condition. Such funds are shown as Uninsured and Uncollateralized in the schedule below. As of June 30, 2024, the School District’s bank balance of \$6,294,098 was exposed to custodial credit risk as follows:

| | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| Insured under FDIC and GUDPA | \$ 4,651,513 |
| Uninsured and Uncollateralized | 1,642,585 |
| Total | <u>\$ 6,294,098</u> |

Investments

The School District had no investments at June 30, 2024.

Note 3. Reserve Accounts

Capital Reserve

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

Funds placed in the capital reserve account are restricted to capital projects in the School District’s approved Long Range Facilities Plan (LRFP). Upon submission of the LRFP to the department, a School District may increase the balance in the capital reserve by appropriating funds in the annual general fund budget certified for taxes or by transfer by board resolution at year-end (June 1 to June 30) of any unanticipated revenue or unexpended line-item appropriation amounts, or both. A School District may also appropriate additional amounts when the express approval of the voters has been obtained either by a separate proposal at budget time or by a special question at one of the four special elections authorized pursuant *N.J.S.A.19:60-2*. Pursuant to *N.J.A.C.6:23A-14.1(g)*, the balance in the account cannot at any time exceed the local support costs of uncompleted capital projects in its approved LRFP.

The activity of the capital reserve for the July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024 fiscal year is as follows:

| | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|
| Beginning Balance, July 1, 2023 | \$ 1,053,282 |
| Increased by: | |
| Interest Earnings | 40,253 |
| Deposits Approved by Board | 150,000 |
| Ending Balance, June 30, 2024 | <u>\$ 1,243,535</u> |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 3. Reserve Accounts (Continued)

Emergency Reserve

The School District established an emergency reserve account in the 2012-2013 school year for the accumulation of funds for use in accordance with *N.J.S.A. 18A: 7F-41c(1)* to finance unanticipated general fund expenditures.

The activity of the emergency reserve for the July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024 fiscal year is as follows:

| | |
|---------------------------------|------------------|
| Beginning Balance, July 1, 2023 | \$ 50,650 |
| Increased by: | |
| Interest Earnings | 50 |
| Ending Balance, June 30, 2024 | <u>\$ 50,700</u> |

Maintenance Reserve

The School District established a maintenance reserve account in June of 2011 for the accumulation of funds for use as required maintenance of a facility in subsequent fiscal years.

Funds placed in the maintenance reserve account are restricted to maintenance projects in the School District's approved Maintenance Plan (M-1). A School District may increase the balance in the maintenance reserve account by appropriating funds in the annual general fund budget certified for taxes or by transfer by Board resolution at year-end of any unanticipated revenue or unexpended line-item appropriation amounts, or both. The balance in the account cannot at any time exceed four percent of the replacement cost of the School District's school facilities for the current year.

The activity of the maintenance reserve for the July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024 fiscal year is as follows:

| | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| Beginning Balance, July 1, 2023 | \$ 487,348 |
| Increased by: | |
| Interest Earnings | 100 |
| Ending Balance, June 30, 2024 | <u>\$ 487,448</u> |

Unemployment Reserve

Unemployment reserve funds are restricted pursuant to *N.J.S.A. 43:21-7.3(g)*, which requires that employer and employee contributions be held in a trust fund maintained by the governmental entity or instrumentally for unemployment benefit cost purposes and any surplus remaining in this trust fund must be retained in reserve for payment of benefit costs in subsequent years.

The activity of the unemployment reserve for the July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024 fiscal year is as follows:

| | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| Beginning Balance, July 1, 2023 | \$ 423,144 |
| Increased by: | |
| Interest Earnings | 17,203 |
| Ending Balance, June 30, 2024 | <u>\$ 440,347</u> |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 4. Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable at June 30, 2024 consisted of accounts and intergovernmental grants. All receivables are considered collectible in full due to the stable condition of state and federal programs, the current fiscal year guarantee of federal funds and the budgetary control of New Jersey governmental entities. Accounts receivable in the School District's governmental and business-type activities as of June 30, 2024, consisted of the following:

| Description: | Governmental Funds | | | |
|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|
| | General Fund | Special Revenue Fund | Capital Projects Fund | Total Governmental Activities |
| Federal Awards | \$ 8,176 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 8,176 |
| State Awards | 438,140 | - | - | 438,140 |
| Other | 140,166 | - | - | 140,166 |
| Total | \$ 586,482 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 586,482 |

| Description: | Proprietary Funds | Total Business-Type Activities |
|----------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| | Food Service Fund | |
| Federal Awards | \$ 13,339 | \$ 13,339 |
| State Awards | 621 | 621 |
| Other | 35,411 | 35,411 |
| Total | \$ 49,371 | \$ 49,371 |

Note 5. Capital Assets

Capital assets activity for the year ended June 30, 2024 was as follows:

| | Governmental Activities | | | |
|---|-------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Balance July 1, 2023 | Additions | Retirements and Transfers | Balance June 30, 2024 |
| Capital Assets not being Depreciated: | | | | |
| Construction in Progress | \$ 1,532,072 | \$ 20,848 | \$ - | \$ (1,485,297) |
| Total Capital assets not being Depreciated | 1,532,072 | 20,848 | - | (1,485,297) |
| Capital Assets being Depreciated: | | | | |
| Buildings and Site Improvements | 52,751,181 | 4,340,527 | - | 1,485,297 |
| Equipment and Vehicles | 12,917,305 | 939,770 | (387,040) | - |
| Total Capital Assets being Depreciated | 65,668,486 | 5,280,297 | (387,040) | 1,485,297 |
| Accumulated Depreciation: | | | | |
| Buildings and Site Improvements | (34,046,233) | (1,264,944) | - | (35,311,177) |
| Equipment and Vehicles | (8,468,181) | (490,661) | 387,040 | - |
| Total Accumulated Depreciation | (42,514,414) | (1,755,605) | 387,040 | - |
| Total Capital Assets being Depreciated, Net | 23,154,072 | 3,524,692 | - | 1,485,297 |
| Total Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net | \$ 24,686,144 | \$ 3,545,540 | \$ - | \$ - |

| | Business-Type Activities | | | |
|--|--------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Balance July 1, 2023 | Additions | Retirements and Transfers | Balance June 30, 2024 |
| Equipment | \$ 625,623 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| Total Capital Assets being Depreciated | 625,623 | - | - | - |
| Accumulated Depreciation: | | | | |
| Equipment | (354,103) | (28,201) | - | - |
| Total Capital Assets being Depreciated, Net | (354,103) | (28,201) | - | - |
| Total Business-Type Activities Capital Assets, Net | \$ 271,520 | \$ (28,201) | \$ - | \$ - |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 5. Capital Assets (Continued)

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

Governmental Activities:

Instruction:

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----|---------|
| Regular Instruction | \$ | 562,497 |
| Special Education Instruction | | 247,189 |
| Other Instruction | | 87,780 |

Support Services:

| | | |
|--|--|---------|
| Tuition | | 68,644 |
| Student & Instruction Related Services | | 293,010 |
| General Administrative | | 43,188 |
| School Administrative Services | | 60,919 |
| Central Services | | 24,754 |
| Administrative Info. Technology | | 17,907 |
| Plant Operations & Maintenance | | 192,239 |
| Pupil Transportation | | 157,478 |

| | | |
|--|----|-----------|
| Total Depreciation Expense - Governmental Activities | \$ | 1,755,605 |
|--|----|-----------|

Note 6. Interfund Receivables, Payables and Transfers

Individual fund receivables/payables balances at June 30, 2024 are as follows:

| Fund: | Interfund Receivables | Interfund Payables |
|----------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| General Fund | \$ 82,532 | \$ - |
| Special Revenue Fund | - | 6,984 |
| Enterprise Fund | - | 75,548 |
| Total | \$ 82,532 | \$ 82,532 |

The interfund receivables and payables above predominately resulted from payment made by certain funds on behalf of other funds. All interfund balances are expected to be repaid within one year.

The School District did not have any interfund transfers for the year ended June 30, 2024.

Note 7. Long-Term Obligations

During the fiscal year-ended June 30, 2024 the following changes occurred in long-term obligations for the governmental and business-type activities:

| | Balance | Additions | Reductions | Balance | Due Within One Year |
|---------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|------------------------|
| Governmental Activities: | | | | | |
| Lease Obligations | \$ 3,120,130 | \$ - | \$ 290,930 | \$ 2,829,200 | \$ 167,948 |
| Financed Purchases Payable | 2,130,252 | - | - | 2,130,252 | 501,085 |
| Compensated Absences | 1,389,676 | - | 384,734 | 1,004,942 | - |
| Net Pension Liability | 11,669,115 | 2,831,598 | 4,208,532 | 10,292,181 | - |
| Total | \$ 18,309,173 | \$ 2,831,598 | \$ 4,884,196 | \$ 16,256,575 | \$ 669,033 |

For governmental activities compensated absences, financed purchases, lease obligations, and the net pension liability are liquidated by the general fund.

Bonds Authorized but not Issued

As of June 30, 2024, the School District had no bonds authorized but not issued.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 7. Long-Term Obligations (Continued)

Lease Obligations

The School District has entered into agreements to lease certain equipment and site improvements. The lease agreements qualify as other than short-term leases under GASB 87, which was implemented as of June 30, 2022 and, therefore, have been recorded at the present value of the future minimum lease payments as of the date of their inception.

The School District executed two agreements on August 22, 2019 and October 26, 2019 to lease office equipment that requires monthly payments of \$216 and \$345, respectively. There are no variable payment components of the leases. The lease liabilities are measured at an implied discount rate of 2.65%. As a result of the leases, the School District has recorded right to use assets with a net book value of \$622 and \$1,652 at June 30, 2024. The right to use assets are discussed in more detail in Note 8.

The School District executed an agreement on August 1, 2019 to lease school buses that requires annual payments of \$126,775. There are no variable payment components of the lease. The lease liability is measured at an explicit discount rate of 2.27%. As a result of the lease, the School District has recorded a fully amortized right to use asset at June 30, 2024. The right to use asset is discussed in more detail in Note 8.

The School District executed an agreement on April 15, 2020 for energy savings improvement program that requires annual payments ranging from \$171,920 to \$234,350. There are no variable payment components of the lease. The lease liability is measured at an explicit discount rate of 1.875%. As a result of the lease, the School District has recorded a right to use asset with a net book value of \$2,624,223 at June 30, 2024. The right to use asset is discussed in more detail in Note 8.

The School District executed an agreement on July 2, 2021 to lease office equipment that requires monthly payments of \$1,900. There are no variable payment components of the lease. The lease liability is measured at an implied discount rate of 2.65%. As a result of the lease, the School District has recorded a right to use asset with a net book value of \$55,898 at June 30, 2024. The right to use asset is discussed in more detail in Note 8.

The School District executed an agreement on June 26, 2023 to lease office equipment that requires monthly payments of \$869. There are no variable payment components of the lease. The lease liability is measured at an implied discount rate of 2.65%. As a result of the lease, the School District has recorded a right to use asset with a net book value of \$41,566 at June 30, 2024. The right to use asset is discussed in more detail in Note 8.

The following is a schedule of the remaining future minimum lease payments under these capital leases and the present value of the net minimum lease payments at June 30, 2024:

| Fiscal Year Ending | | | | |
|---------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|--|
| June 30, | Principal | Interest | Total | |
| 2025 | \$ 167,948 | \$ 53,423 | \$ 221,371 | |
| 2026 | 155,099 | 50,054 | 205,153 | |
| 2027 | 154,395 | 46,934 | 201,329 | |
| 2028 | 145,920 | 44,071 | 189,991 | |
| 2029 | 144,798 | 41,323 | 186,121 | |
| 2030-2034 | 816,079 | 163,981 | 980,060 | |
| 2035-2039 | 1,014,922 | 80,305 | 1,095,227 | |
| 2040 | 230,039 | 4,313 | 234,352 | |
| Total | \$ 2,829,200 | \$ 484,404 | \$ 3,313,604 | |

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NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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Note 8. Right to Use Leased Assets

The School District has recorded right to use leased assets. The assets are right to use assets for leased equipment, vehicles and building improvements. The related leases are discussed in the Note 7. The right to use leased assets are amortized on a straight-line basis over the terms of the related leases.

Right to use leased asset activity for the year ended June 30, 2024 was as follows:

| | Beginning Balance | Increases | Decreases | Ending Balance |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------------|
| Right to Use Leased Assets: | | | | |
| Site Improvements | \$ 3,116,264 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 3,116,264 |
| Equipment and Vehicles | 785,400 | - | - | 785,400 |
| Total Right to Use Leased Assets | <u>3,901,664</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>3,901,664</u> |
| Accumulated Amortization: | | | | |
| Site Improvements | (328,028) | (164,014) | - | (492,042) |
| Equipment and Vehicles | (526,938) | (158,723) | - | (685,661) |
| Total Accumulated Amortization | <u>(854,966)</u> | <u>(322,737)</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>(1,177,703)</u> |
| Right to Use Leased Assets, Net | <u>\$ 3,046,698</u> | <u>\$ (322,737)</u> | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>\$ 2,723,961</u> |

Note 9. Financed Purchases Payable

The School District has a financed purchase agreement for school buses and fire prevention system valued at \$2,130,252. The following is a schedule of the remaining future minimum financed purchase payments, and the present value of the net minimum financed purchase payments at June 30, 2024:

| Fiscal Year Ending June 30, | Principal | Interest | Total |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| 2025 | \$ 501,085 | \$ 98,915 | \$ 600,000 |
| 2026 | 785,159 | 64,841 | 850,000 |
| 2027 | <u>844,008</u> | <u>33,591</u> | <u>877,599</u> |
| Total | <u>\$ 2,130,252</u> | <u>\$ 197,347</u> | <u>\$ 2,327,599</u> |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 10. Pension Plans

A. Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)

Plan Description - The State of New Jersey, Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the State of New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits (the Division). For additional information about PERS, please refer to Division's Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR) which can be found at <http://www.nj.gov/treasury/pensions/financial-reports.shtml>.

The vesting and benefit provisions are set by *N.J.S.A. 43:15A*. PERS provides retirement, death and disability benefits. All benefits vest after ten years of service.

The following represents the membership tiers for PERS:

| <u>Tier</u> | <u>Definition</u> |
|-------------|--|
| 1 | Members who were enrolled prior to July 1, 2007 |
| 2 | Members who were eligible to enroll on or after July 1, 2007 and prior to November 2, 2008 |
| 3 | Members who were eligible to enroll on or after November 2, 2008 and prior to May 22, 2010 |
| 4 | Members who were eligible to enroll on or after May 22, 2010 and prior to June 28, 2011 |
| 5 | Members who were eligible to enroll on or after June 28, 2011 |

Service retirement benefits of 1/55th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tiers 1 and 2 members upon reaching age 60 and to tier 3 members upon reaching age 62. Service retirement benefits of 1/60th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tier 4 members upon reaching age 62 and tier 5 members upon reaching age 65. Early retirement benefits are available to tiers 1 and 2 members before reaching age 60, tiers 3 and 4 with 25 or more years of service credit before age 62 and tier 5 with 30 or more years of service credit before age 65. Benefits are reduced by a fraction of a percent for each month that a member retires prior to the age at which a member can receive full early retirement benefits in accordance with their respective tier. Tier 1 members can receive an unreduced benefit from age 55 to age 60 if they have at least 25 years of service. Deferred retirement is available to members who have at least 10 years of service credit and have not reached the service retirement age for the respective tier.

Contributions - The contribution policy for PERS is set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A and requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. State legislation has modified the amount that is contributed by the State. The State's pension contribution is based on an actuarially determined amount, which includes the employer portion of the normal cost and an amortization of the unfunded accrued liability. Funding for noncontributory group insurance benefits is based on actual claims paid. For the fiscal year 2023, the State's pension contribution was more than the actuarial determined amount.

The local employers' contribution amounts are based on an actuarially determined rate which includes the normal cost and unfunded accrued liability. Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 provided an option for local employers of PERS to contribute 50% of the normal and accrued liability contribution amounts certified for payments due in State fiscal year 2009. Such employers will be credited with the full payment and any such amounts will not be included in their unfunded liability. The actuaries will determine the unfunded liability of those retirement systems, by employer, for the reduced normal and accrued liability contributions provided under this law. This unfunded liability will be paid by the employer in level annual payments over a period of 15 years beginning with the payments due in the fiscal year ended June 30, 2012 and will be adjusted by the rate of return on the actuarial value of assets.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 10. Pension Plans (Continued)

Components of Net Pension Liability - At June 30, 2024, the School District's proportionate share of the net pension liability was \$10,292,181. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2023. The total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined using update procedures to roll forward the total pension liability from an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2022, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2023. The School District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the School District's actual contributions to the plan relative to the total of all participating employers' contributions for the year ended June 30, 2023. The School District's proportion measured as of June 30, 2023, was 0.07105714%, which was a decrease of 0.00626593% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2022.

Pension Expense/(Credit) and Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources - For the year ended June 30, 2024, the School District's proportionate share of the PERS expense/(credit), calculated by the plan as of June 30, 2023 is \$180,805. This expense/(credit) is recognized by the School District in the government-wide financial statements.

At June 30, 2024 the School District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PERS from the following sources:

| | <u>Deferred Outflows of Resources</u> | <u>Deferred Inflows of Resources</u> |
|--|---|--|
| Differences between Expected and Actual Experience | \$ 98,406 | \$ 42,071 |
| Changes of Assumptions | 22,610 | 623,750 |
| Net Difference between Projected and Actual Earnings on Pension Plan Investments | 47,397 | - |
| Changes in Proportion and Differences between School District Contributions and Proportionate Share of Contributions | 841,584 | 838,759 |
| School District contributions subsequent to measurement date | 964,497 | - |
| | <u>\$ 1,974,494</u> | <u>\$ 1,504,580</u> |

\$964,497 reported as deferred outflows of resources resulting from school district contributions subsequent to the measurement date is estimated based on unadjusted 2023-2024 total salaries for PERS employees multiplied by an employer pension contribution rate of 17.11%. The payable is due on April 1, 2025 and will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2025. The other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 10. Pension Plans (Continued)

| Year Ending June 30, | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|
| 2025 | \$ (542,824) |
| 2026 | (302,734) |
| 2027 | 424,405 |
| 2028 | (75,286) |
| 2029 | 1,856 |
| | <u>\$ (494,583)</u> |

Special Funding Situation - Under N.J.S.A. 43:15A-15, local participating employers are responsible for their own contributions based on actuarially determined amounts, except where legislation was passed that legally obligated the State if certain circumstances occurred. The legislation, which legally obligates the State, are Chapter 366, P.L. 2001 and Chapter 133, P.L. 2001. The amounts contributed on behalf of the local participating employers under the legislation is considered to be a special funding situation as defined by GASB Statement No. 68 and the State is treated as a nonemployer contributing entity. Since the local participating employers do not contribute under the legislation directly to the plan (except for employer specific financed amounts), there is no net pension liability or deferred outflows or inflows to report in the financial statements of the local participating employers related to the legislation. However, the notes to the financial statements of the local participating employers must disclose the portion of the nonemployer contributing entities' total proportionate share of the collective net pension liability that is associated with the local participating employer. In addition, each local participating employer must recognize pension expense associated with the employers as well as revenue in an amount equal to the nonemployer contributing entities' total proportionate share of the collective pension expense associated with the local participating employer.

Additionally, the State has no proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability attributable to the District as of June 30, 2024. At June 30, 2024, the State's proportionate share of the PERS expense, associated with the District, calculated by the plan as of the June 30, 2023 measurement date was \$32,097.

Actuarial Assumptions – The collective total pension liability for the June 30, 2023 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2022, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2023. This actuarial valuation used the following assumptions:

Inflation Rate:

| | |
|-------|-------|
| Price | 2.75% |
| Wage | 3.25% |

Salary Increases:

2.75 - 6.55%
Based on Years of Service

Investment Rate of Return 7.00%

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Note 10. Pension Plans (Continued)

Pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Employee Mortality Table with an 82.2% adjustment for males and 101.4% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Healthy Retiree mortality table with a 91.4% adjustment for males and 99.7% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Disability retirement rates used to value disabled retirees were based on the Pub-2010 Non-Safety Disabled Retiree mortality table with a 127.7% adjustment for males and 117.2% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Mortality improvement is based on Scale MP-2021.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2022 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021.

In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7.00% at June 30, 2023) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investments and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. The long-term expected rate of return was determined using a building block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic rates of return for each major asset class included in PERS's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2023 are summarized in the following table:

| <u>Asset Class</u> | <u>Target Allocation</u> | <u>Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return</u> |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|---|
| U.S. Equity | 28.00% | 8.98% |
| Non-U.S. Developed Markets Equity | 12.75% | 9.22% |
| International Small Cap Equity | 1.25% | 9.22% |
| Emerging Markets Equity | 5.50% | 11.13% |
| Private Equity | 13.00% | 12.50% |
| Real Estate | 8.00% | 8.58% |
| Real Assets | 3.00% | 8.40% |
| High Yield | 4.50% | 6.97% |
| Private Credit | 8.00% | 9.20% |
| Investment Grade Credit | 7.00% | 5.19% |
| Cash Equivalents | 2.00% | 3.31% |
| U.S. Treasuries | 4.00% | 3.31% |
| Risk Mitigation Strategies | 3.00% | 6.21% |
| | <u>100.00%</u> | |

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Note 10. Pension Plans (Continued)

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00% as of June 30, 2023. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers and the nonemployer contributing entity will be based on 100% of the actuarially determined contributions for the State employer and 100% of actuarially determined contributions for the local employers. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to all projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the School District's proportionate share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate - The following presents the School District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as of June 30, 2023, calculated using the discount rate as disclosed above as well as what the collective net pension liability would be if it was calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower or 1-percentage point higher than the current rate:

| | At 1% Decrease (6.00%) | At Current Discount Rate (7.00%) | At 1% Increase (8.00%) |
|---|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| School District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability | \$ 13,511,188 | \$ 10,292,181 | \$ 7,713,006 |

Additional Information - The following is a summary of the collective balances of the local group at June 30, 2024 and 2023:

| | 6/30/2024 | 6/30/2023 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Collective Deferred Outflows of Resources | \$ 1,080,204,730 | \$ 1,660,772,008 |
| Collective Deferred Inflows of Resources | 1,780,216,457 | 3,236,303,935 |
| Collective Net Pension Liability | 14,606,489,066 | 15,219,184,920 |
| School District's portion | 0.07105714% | 0.07732307% |

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Note 10. Pension Plans (Continued)

B. Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF)

Plan Description - TPAF is a cost sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan with a special-funding situation, by which the State of New Jersey (the State) is responsible to fund 100% of the employer contributions, excluding any local employer early retirement incentive (ERI) contributions. TPAF is administered by State of New Jersey, Division of Pension and Benefits (the Division). For additional information about TPAF, please refer to the Division's annual financial statements which can be found at www.nj.gov/treasury/pensions/annual.

The vesting and benefit provisions are set by N.J.S.A. 18A:66. TPAF provides retirement, death and disability benefits. All benefits vest after ten years of service, except for medical benefits, which vest after 25 years of service or under the disability provisions of TPAF. Members are always fully vested for their own contributions and, after three years of service credit, become vested for 2% of related interest earned on the contributions. In the case of death before retirement, members' beneficiaries are entitled to full interest credited to the members' accounts.

The following represents the membership tiers for TPAF:

| <u>Tier</u> | <u>Definition</u> |
|-------------|--|
| 1 | Members who were enrolled prior to July 1, 2007 |
| 2 | Members who were eligible to enroll on or after July 1, 2007 and prior to November 2, 2008 |
| 3 | Members who were eligible to enroll on or after November 2, 2008 and prior to May 22, 2010 |
| 4 | Members who were eligible to enroll on or after May 22, 2010 and prior to June 28, 2011 |
| 5 | Members who were eligible to enroll on or after June 28, 2011 |

Service retirement benefits of 1/55th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tiers 1 and 2 members upon reaching age 60 and to tier 3 members upon reaching age 62. Service retirement benefits of 1/60th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tier 4 members upon reaching age 62 and tier 5 members upon reaching age 65. Early retirement benefits are available to tiers 1 and 2 members before reaching age 60, tiers 3 and 4 before age 62 with 25 or more years of service credit, and tier 5 before age 65 with 30 or more years of service credit. Benefits are reduced by a fraction of a percent for each month that a member retires prior to the retirement age for his/her respective tier. Deferred retirement is available to members who have at least 10 years of service credit and have not reached the service retirement age for the respective tier.

Basis of Presentation - The schedule of employer and nonemployer allocations and the schedule of pension amounts by employer and nonemployer (collectively, the Schedules) present amounts that are considered elements of the financial statements of TPAF and the State as an employer/nonemployer entity. Accordingly, they do not purport to be a complete presentation of the financial position or changes in financial position of TPAF or the State. The accompanying Schedules were prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Such preparation requires management of TPAF to make a number of estimates and assumptions relating to the reported amounts. Due to the inherent nature of these estimates, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Contributions - The contribution policy for TPAF is set by N.J.S.A 18A:66 and requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. State legislation has modified the amount that is contributed by the State. The State's pension contribution is based on an actuarially determined amount, which includes the employer portion of the normal cost and an amortization of the unfunded accrued liability. For fiscal year 2023, the State's pension contribution was more than the actuarial determined amount.

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Note 10. Pension Plans (Continued)

As mentioned previously, the employer contributions for local participating employers are legally required to be funded by the State in accordance with N.J.S.A 18:66-33. Therefore, the School District is considered to be in a special funding situation as defined by GASB Statement No. 68 and the State is treated as a nonemployer contributing entity. Since the School District does not contribute directly to the plan (except for employer specific financed amounts), there is no net pension liability or deferred outflows or inflows to report in the financial statements of the local participating employers. However, the notes to the financial statements of the local participating employers must disclose the portion of the nonemployer contributing entities' total proportionate share of the net pension liability that is associated with the local participating employer. In addition, each local participating employer must recognize pension expense associated with the employer as well as revenue in an amount equal to the nonemployer contributing entities' total proportionate share of the collective pension expense associated with the local participating employer.

Components of Net Pension Liability - At June 30, 2024, the State's proportionate share of the TPAF net pension liability, attributable to the School District was \$72,125,352. The School District's proportionate share was \$0.

The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2023, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2022, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2023. The State's proportionate share of the net pension liability associated with the District was based on projection of the State's long-term contributions to the pension plan associated with the District relative to the projected contributions by the State associated with all participating school districts, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2023, the State proportionate share of the TPAF net pension liability attributable to the School District was 0.1413317254%, which was an increase of 0.0017273669% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2022.

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024, the State recognized a pension expense in the amount of \$1,771,910 for the State's proportionate share of the TPAF pension expense attributable to the School District. This pension expense was based on the pension plans June 30, 2023 measurement date.

Actuarial Assumptions –The total pension liability for the June 30, 2023 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2022, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2023. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

Inflation Rate:

| | |
|-------|-------|
| Price | 2.75% |
| Wage | 3.25% |

Salary Increases: 2.75% - 4.25% Based on Years of Service

Investment Rate of Return 7.00%

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
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Note 10. Pension Plans (Continued)

Pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Teachers Above-Median Income Employee mortality table with a 93.9% adjustment for males and 85.3% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the on the Pub-2010 Teachers Above-Median Income Healthy Retiree mortality table with a 114.7% adjustment for males and 99.6% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Disability mortality rates were based on the on the Pub-2010 Non-Safety Disabled Retiree mortality table with a 106.3% adjustment for males and 100.3% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Mortality improvement is based on Scale MP-2021.

The actuarial assumption used in the July 1, 2022 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021.

Long-Term Expected Rate of Return - In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7.00% at June 30, 2023) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investment and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. The long-term expected rate of return was determined using a building block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in TPAF's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2023 are summarized in the following table:

| <u>Asset Class</u> | <u>Target Allocation</u> | <u>Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return</u> |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|---|
| U.S. Equity | 28.00% | 8.98% |
| Non-U.S. Developed Markets Equity | 12.75% | 9.22% |
| International Small Cap Equity | 1.25% | 9.22% |
| Emerging Markets Equity | 5.50% | 11.13% |
| Private Equity | 13.00% | 12.50% |
| Real Estate | 8.00% | 8.58% |
| Real Assets | 3.00% | 8.40% |
| High Yield | 4.50% | 6.97% |
| Private Credit | 8.00% | 9.20% |
| Investment Grade Credit | 7.00% | 5.19% |
| Cash Equivalents | 2.00% | 3.31% |
| U.S. Treasuries | 4.00% | 3.31% |
| Risk Mitigation Strategies | 3.00% | 6.21% |
| | <u>100.00%</u> | |

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00% as of June 30, 2023. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers will be made based on 100% of actuarially determined contributions for the State. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to projected benefit payments in determining the total pension liability.

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Note 10. Pension Plans (Continued)

Sensitivity of the School District's proportionate share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate – As previously mentioned, TPAF has a special funding situation where the State pays 100% of the School District's annual required contribution. The following represents the State's proportionate share of the net pension liability, attributable to the School District calculated using the discount rate of 7.00% as well as what the State's proportionate share of the net pension liability, attributable to the School District's would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower or 1-percentage point higher than the current rate:

| | At 1% Decrease (6.00%) | At Current Discount Rate (7.00%) | At 1% Increase (8.00%) |
|--|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| State's Proportionate Share of Net Pension Liability Associated with the School District | \$ 85,048,878 | \$ 72,125,352 | \$ 61,240,671 |

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

Additional Information - The following is a summary of the collective balances of the local group at June 30, 2024 and 2023:

| | 6/30/2024 | 6/30/2023 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Collective Deferred Outflows of Resources | \$ 2,502,380,838 | \$ 5,004,259,312 |
| Collective Deferred Inflows of Resources | 14,830,205,473 | 19,682,774,794 |
| Collective Net Pension Liability | 51,109,961,824 | 51,676,587,303 |
| School District's portion | 0.14133% | 0.13960% |

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Note 10. Pension Plans (Continued)

C. Defined Contribution Retirement Plan (DCRP)

Plan Description – DCRP was established July 1, 2007, under the provisions of *N.J.S.A. 43:15C-1 et seq.* The DCRP provides eligible members with a tax-sheltered, defined contribution retirement benefit, along with life insurance and disability coverage.

Individuals eligible for membership in the DCRP include:

- State or local officials who are elected or appointed on or after July 1, 2007;
- Employees enrolled in PERS or TPAF on or after July 1, 2007, who earn salary in excess of established “maximum compensation” limits;
- Employees enrolled in the Police and Firemen’s Retirement System (PFRS) or State Police Retirement System (SPRS) after May 21, 2010, who earn salary in excess of established “maximum compensation” limits;
- Employees otherwise eligible to enroll in the PERS or TPAF on or after November 2, 2008, who do not earn the minimum annual salary for PERS or TPAF Tier 3 enrollment but who earn salary of at least \$5,000 annually. The minimum salary in 2018 is \$8,300 and is subject to adjustment in future years.
- Employees otherwise eligible to enroll in the PERS or TPAF after May 21, 2010, who do not work the minimum number of hours per week required for PERS or TPAF Tier 4 or Tier 5 enrollment but who earn salary of at least \$5,000 annually. The minimum number is 35 hours per week for State employees, or 32 hours per week for local government or local education employees.

Contributions – The contribution policy is set by *N.J.S.A. 43:15C-3* and requires active members and contribution employers. When enrolled in the DCRP, members are required to contribute 5.5% of their base salary to a tax-deferred investment account established with Prudential Financial, which jointly administers the DCRP investments with the Division of Pension and Benefits. Member contributions are matched by a 3% contribution from the School District.

For the year ended June 30, 2024, employee contributions totaled \$42,780, and the School District recognized an expense for payments made to the Defined Contribution Retirement program in the amount of \$23,335.

Note 11. Other Post-Retirement Benefits (OPEB)

General Information about the Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) Plan

The State of New Jersey reports a liability as a result of its statutory requirements to pay other postemployment (health) benefits for State Health Benefit Local Education Retired Employees Plan. The State Health Benefit Local Education Retired Employees Plan is a multiple-employer defined benefit OPEB plan that is administered on a pay-as-you-go basis. Accordingly, no assets are accumulated in a qualifying trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for the Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions. The State Health Benefit Local Education Retired Employees Plan provides medical, prescription drug, and Medicare Part B reimbursement to retirees and their covered dependents of local education employers.

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Note 11. Other Post-Retirement Benefits (OPEB) (continued)

General Information about the Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) Plan (continued)

The employer contributions for the participating local education employers are legally required to be funded by the State of New Jersey in accordance with N.J.S.A 52:14-17.32f. According to N.J.S.A 52:14- 17.32f, the State provides employer-paid coverage to employees who retire from a board of education or county college with 25 years or more of service credit in, or retires on a disability pension from, one or more of the following plans: the Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF), the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS), the Police and Firemen Retirement System (PFRS), or the Alternate Benefit Program (ABP). Pursuant to Chapter 78, P.L. 2011, future retirees eligible for postretirement medical coverage who have less than 20 years of creditable service on June 28, 2011 will be required to pay a percentage of the cost of their health care coverage in retirement provided they retire with 25 or more years of pension service credit. The percentage of the premium for which the retiree will be responsible will be determined based on the retiree's annual retirement benefit and level of coverage.

The total nonemployer OPEB liability does not include certain other postemployment benefit obligations that are provided by the local education employers. The reporting of these benefits are the responsibility of the individual local education employers.

Basis of Presentation

The Schedule presents the State of New Jersey's obligation under NJSA 52:14-17.32f. The Schedule does not purport to be a complete presentation of the financial position or changes in financial position of the State Health Benefit Local Education Retired Employees Plan or the State of New Jersey. The accompanying Schedule was prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Such preparation requires management of the State of New Jersey to make a number of estimates and assumptions relating to the reported amounts. Due to the inherent nature of these estimates, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Total Nonemployer OPEB Liability

The total nonemployer OPEB liability of \$52,361,668,239 as of June 30, 2023 was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2022, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2023. The actuarial assumptions vary for each plan member depending on the pension plan the member is enrolled in. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

| | <u>TPAF/ABP</u> | <u>PERS</u> | <u>PFRS</u> |
|-------------------|---|--|--|
| Salary Increases: | 2.75 to 4.25% based on years of service | 2.75% to 6.55% based on years of service | 3.25 to 16.25% based on years of service |

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Note 11. Other Post-Retirement Benefits (OPEB) (continued)

Total Nonemployer OPEB Liability (continued)

Preretirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Healthy "Teachers" (TPAF/ABP), "General" (PERS), and "Safety" (PFRS) classification headcount-weighted mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using the Scale MP-2021. Postretirement mortality rates were based on the PUB-2010 "General" classification headcount-weighted mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using the Scale MP-2021. Disability mortality was based on the PUB-2010 "General" classification headcount-weighted disabled mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using the Scale MP-2021 for current disabled retirees. Future disabled retirees were based on Pub-2010 "Safety" (PFRS), "General" (PERS), and "Teachers" (TPAF/ABP) classification headcount-weighted disabled mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using Scale MP-2021.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2022 valuation were based on the results of the TPAF, PERS and PFRS experience studies prepared for July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021.

OPEB Obligation and OPEB Expense - The State's proportionate share of the total Other Post Employment Benefits Obligations, attributable to the School District as of June 30, 2023 was \$84,784,464. The School District's proportionate share was \$0.

The OPEB Obligation was measured as of June 30, 2023, and the total OPEB Obligation used to calculate the OPEB Obligation was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2022, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2023. The State's proportionate share of the OPEB Obligation associated with the District was based on projection of the State's long-term contributions to the OPEB plan associated with the District relative to the projected contributions by the State associated with all participating school districts, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2023, the State proportionate share of the OPEB Obligation attributable to the School District was 0.161921%, which was an increase of 0.000245% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2022.

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024, the State of New Jersey recognized an OPEB expense in the amount of \$2,359,101 for the State's proportionate share of the OPEB expense attributable to the School District. This OPEB expense was based on the OPEB plans June 30, 2023 measurement date.

Health Care Trend Assumptions

For pre-Medicare medical benefits, the trend rate is initially 6.50% and decreases to a 4.50% long-term trend rate after nine years. For post-65 medical benefits PPO, the trend rate is increasing to 14.8% in fiscal year 2026, and decreases to 4.50% in fiscal year 2033. For HMO, the trend rate is increasing to 17.4% in fiscal year 2026, and decreases to 4.50% in fiscal year 2033. For prescription drug benefits, the initial trend rate is 9.50% and decreases to a 4.50% long-term trend rate after seven years. For the Medicare Part B reimbursement, the trend rate is 5.00%.

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability was 3.65%. This represents the municipal bond return rate as chosen by the Division. The source is the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index, which includes tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher. As the long-term rate of return is less than the municipal bond rate, it is not considered in the calculation of the discount rate, rather the discount rate is set at the municipal bond rate.

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Note 11. Other Post-Retirement Benefits (OPEB) (continued)

Sensitivity of Total Nonemployer OPEB Liability to Changes in Discount Rate:

The following presents the total nonemployer OPEB liability as of June 30, 2023 calculated using the discount rate as disclosed above as well as what the total nonemployer OPEB liability would be if it was calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower or 1-percentage point higher than the current rate:

| | June 30, 2023 | | |
|--|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | At 1% Decrease (2.65%) | At Discount Rate (3.65%) | At 1% Increase (4.65%) |
| State's Proportionate Share of Total OPEB Obligations Associated with the School District | \$ 99,395,228 | \$ 84,784,464 | \$ 73,053,716 |
| State's Total Nonemployer OPEB Liability | \$ 61,385,066,712 | \$ 52,361,668,239 | \$ 45,116,926,835 |

Sensitivity of Total Nonemployer OPEB Liability to Changes in the Healthcare Trend Rate:

The following presents the total nonemployer OPEB liability as of June 30, 2023, respectively, calculated using the healthcare trend rate as disclosed above as well as what the total nonemployer OPEB liability would be if it was calculated using a healthcare trend rate that is 1-percentage point lower or 1-percentage point higher than the current rate:

| | June 30, 2023 | | |
|--|----------------------|---|--------------------|
| | 1% Decrease | Healthcare Cost Trend Rate * | 1% Increase |
| State's Proportionate Share of Obligations Associated with the School District | \$ 70,384,177 | \$ 84,784,464 | \$ 103,627,277 |
| State's Total Nonemployer OPEB Liability | \$ 43,468,257,358 | \$ 52,361,668,239 | \$ 63,998,719,320 |

Additional Information

Collective balances of the Local Group at June 30, 2023 are as follows:

| | Deferred Outflows of Resources | Deferred Inflows of Resources |
|---|---|--|
| Change in Assumptions | \$ 7,639,717,639 | \$ 13,791,541,217 |
| Contributions Made in Fiscal Year Year Ending June 30, 2024 After Measurement Date ** | 7,445,895,322 | 14,449,948,556 |
| | TBD | N/A |
| | <u>\$ 15,085,612,961</u> | <u>\$ 28,241,489,773</u> |

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Note 11. Other Post-Retirement Benefits (OPEB) (continued)

Additional Information (continued):

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

| Fiscal Year Ending June 30, | |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| 2024 | \$ (2,611,225,301) |
| 2025 | (2,611,225,301) |
| 2026 | (2,269,523,460) |
| 2027 | (1,338,024,839) |
| 2028 | (273,877,609) |
| Thereafter | <u>(4,052,000,302)</u> |
| | <u><u>\$ (13,155,876,812)</u></u> |

** Employer Contributions made after June 30, 2023 are reported as a deferred outflow of resources, but are not amortized in expense.

Plan Membership

At June 30, 2022, the Program membership consisted of the following:

| | |
|--|-----------------------|
| Active Plan Members | 217,212 |
| Inactive Plan Members or Beneficiaries | |
| Currently Receiving Benefits | <u>152,383</u> |
| | <u><u>369,595</u></u> |

Changes in the Total OPEB Liability

The change in the State's Total OPEB liability for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024 (measurement date June 30, 2023) is as follows:

| | |
|--|---------------------------------|
| Total OPEB Liability | |
| Service Cost | \$ 2,136,235,476 |
| Interest Cost | 1,844,113,951 |
| Difference Between Expected and Actual Experiences | (980,424,863) |
| Changes of Assumptions | 105,539,463 |
| Contributions: Member | 47,258,104 |
| Gross Benefit Payments | <u>(1,437,516,858)</u> |
| Net Change in Total OPEB Liability | 1,715,205,273 |
| Total OPEB Liability (Beginning) | <u>50,646,462,966</u> |
| Total OPEB Liability (Ending) | <u><u>\$ 52,361,668,239</u></u> |
| Total Covered Employee Payroll | \$ 15,314,749,297 |
| Net OPEB Liability as a Percentage of Payroll | 342% |

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Note 12. On-Behalf Payments for Fringe Benefits and Salaries

As previously mentioned, the School District receives on-behalf payments from the State for normal costs and post-retirement medical costs related to the TPAF pension plan. The School District is not legally responsible for these contributions. The on-behalf payments are recorded as revenues and expenditures in the government-wide and general fund financial statements. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024, the on-behalf payments for pension, social security, post-retirement medical costs, and long-term disability were \$6,284,746, \$1,354,013, \$1,710,478, and \$2,140, respectively.

Note 13. Risk Management

The School District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters.

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

| Fiscal Year Ended June 30, | Ending Balance | | | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| | Contributions | Interest Earned | Amount Reimbursed | Restricted for: | |
| | | | | Unemployment Reserve | Unemployment Liability |
| 2023 | \$ - | \$ 17,203 | \$ 39,839 | \$ 440,347 | \$ 3,907 |
| 2022 | 63,033 | 5,818 | 50,481 | 423,144 | 43,746 |
| 2021 | 18,574 | 472 | - | 417,326 | 31,194 |

Property and Liability Insurance – The School District maintains commercial insurance coverage for property, liability, student accident and surety bonds. A complete schedule of insurance coverage can be found in the Statistical Section of this Annual Comprehensive Financial Report.

Note 14. Contingencies

State and Federal Grantor Agencies - The School District participates in numerous state and federal grant programs, which are governed by various rules and regulations of the grantor agencies; therefore, to the extent that the School District has not complied with the rules and regulations governing the grants, refunds of any money received may be required and the collectability of any related receivable at June 30, 2024 may be impaired. In the opinion of the School District, there are no significant contingent liabilities relating to compliance with the rules and regulations governing the respective grants; therefore, no provisions have been recorded in the accompanying combined financial statements for such contingencies.

Litigation – The School District is a defendant in various lawsuits. Although the outcome of these lawsuits is not presently determinable, it is the opinion of the School Districts’ attorney that resolution of these matters will not have a material adverse effect on the financial condition of the School District.

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Note 14. Contingencies (Continued)

Economic Dependency – The School District receives a substantial amount of its support from federal and state governments. A significant reduction in the level of support, if this were to occur, could have an effect on the School District’s programs and activities.

Note 15. Deferred Compensation

The School District offers its employees a choice of the following deferred compensation plans created in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 403(b) and 457. The plans, which are administered by the entities listed below, permits participants to defer a portion of their salary until future years. Amounts deferred under the plans are not available to employees until termination, retirement, death or unforeseeable emergency. The plan administrators are as follows:

Ameriprise Financial
MET Life Insurance

AXA Equitable
Oppenheimer Fund
Union Central Life Insurance

Lincoln Investment Planning, Inc.
Paul Revere Life Insurance

Note 16. Compensated Absences

The School District accounts for compensated absences (e.g., unused vacation, sick leave) as directed by GASB Statement No. 16, *Accounting for Compensated Absences*. A liability for compensated absences attributable to services already rendered and not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the employer and employee is accrued as employees earn the rights to the benefits.

School District employees are granted varying amount of vacation and sick leave in accordance with the School District's personnel policies. Upon termination, employees are paid for accrued vacation. The School District policy permits employees to accumulate unused sick leave and carry forward the full amount to subsequent years. Upon retirement employees shall be paid by the School District for the unused sick leave in accordance with School Districts’ agreements with the various employee unions.

The liability for vested compensated absences of the governmental fund types is recorded in the Statement of Net Position. At June 30, 2024, the liability for compensated absences reported was \$1,004,942.

Note 17. Tax Abatements

As defined by the GASB Statement No. 77, *Tax Abatement*, tax abatement is an agreement between a government and an individual or entity in which the government promises to forgo tax revenues and the individual or entity promises to subsequently take a specific action that contributes to economic development or otherwise benefits the government or its citizens. School districts are not authorized by New Jersey statute to enter into tax abatement agreements. However, the county or municipality in which the school district is situated may have entered into tax abatement agreements, and that potential must be disclosed in these financial statements. If the county or municipality entered into tax abatement agreements, those agreements will not directly affect the school district’s local tax revenue because *N.J.S.A. 54:4-75* and *N.J.S.A. 54:4-76* require that amounts so forgiven must effectively be recouped from other taxpayers and remitted to the School District.

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YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)**

Note 17. Tax Abatements (Continued)

For a local school district board of education or board of school estimate that has elected to raise their minimum tax levy using the required local share provisions at *N.J.S.A. 18A:7F-5(b)*, the loss of revenue resulting from the municipality or county having entered into a tax abatement agreement is indeterminate due to the complex nature of the calculation of required local share performed by the DOE based upon district property value and wealth.

Note 18. Fund Balances

General Fund – Of the \$3,239,001 General Fund fund balance at June 30, 2024, \$1,243,535 has been restricted for the Capital Reserve Account; \$487,448 has been restricted for the Maintenance Reserve Account; \$50,700 has been restricted for the Emergency Reserve Account; \$440,347 has been restricted for the Unemployment Reserve Account; \$229,795 has been assigned for subsequent year's expenditures; \$424,354 has been assigned to other purposes; \$20,205 is restricted for prior year excess surplus - designated for subsequent year's expenditures and \$342,617 has been unassigned.

Special Revenue Fund – Of the \$412,185 Special Revenue Fund fund balance at June 30, 2024, \$368,654 is restricted for Student Activities and \$43,531 is restricted for Scholarships.

Note 19. Deficit in Net Position

Governmental Activities

Unrestricted Net Position – The School District governmental activities had a deficit in unrestricted net position in the amount of (\$13,416,510) at June 30, 2024. The primary causes of this deficit is the School District not recognizing the receivable for the last two state aid payments and the recording of the net pension liability for the PERS as of June 30, 2024. This deficit in unrestricted net position for governmental activities does not indicate that the School District is facing financial difficulties.

Note 20. Commitments

The District has contractual commitments at June 30, 2024 to various vendors, which are recorded in the General Fund as Fund Balance Assigned to Other Purposes in the amount of \$424,354.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - PART II

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C. Budgetary Comparison Schedules

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**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | ACCOUNT NUMBERS | JUNE 30, 2024 | | | VARIANCE FINAL TO ACTUAL |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | | ORIGINAL BUDGET | BUDGET TRANSFERS | FINAL BUDGET | |
| Revenues: | | | | | |
| Local Sources: | | | | | |
| Local Tax Levy | 10-1210 | \$ 38,300,000 | \$ - | \$ 38,300,000 | \$ - |
| Tuition From Other LEAs Within State | 10-1320 | 125,000 | - | 125,000 | 278,827 |
| Transportation Fees From Other LEAs | 10-1420 | 350,000 | - | 350,000 | 488,759 |
| Rents and Royalties | 10-1910 | 45,000 | - | 45,000 | 54,357 |
| Unrestricted Miscellaneous Revenues | 10-1990 | 306,798 | - | 306,798 | 665,009 |
| Interest Earned on Emergency Reserve | 10-1993 | 50 | - | 50 | - |
| Interest Earned on Maintenance Reserve | 10-1994 | 100 | - | 100 | - |
| Interest Earned on Capital Reserve Funds | 10-1995 | 100 | - | 100 | - |
| Total Local Sources | | 39,127,048 | - | 39,127,048 | 660,154 |
| State Sources: | | | | | |
| School Choice Aid | 10-3116 | 1,444,823 | - | 1,444,823 | - |
| Categorical Transportation Aid | 10-3121 | 1,325,310 | - | 1,325,310 | - |
| Extraordinary Aid | 10-3131 | 300,000 | - | 300,000 | 36,699 |
| Categorical Special Education Aid | 10-3132 | 2,460,306 | - | 2,460,306 | - |
| Categorical Security Aid | 10-3177 | 375,387 | - | 375,387 | - |
| Adjustment Aid | 10-3178 | 55,587 | - | 55,587 | - |
| Other State Aids | 10-3190 | - | - | 34,650 | 34,650 |
| TPAF Pension (on-behalf) | | - | - | 6,284,746 | 6,284,746 |
| TPAF Social Security (reimbursed) | | - | - | 1,354,013 | 1,354,013 |
| TPAF Post Retirement Medical Benefits (on-behalf) | | - | - | 1,710,478 | 1,710,478 |
| TPAF Long-Term Disability Insurance (on-behalf) | | - | - | 2,140 | 2,140 |
| Total State Sources | | 5,961,413 | - | 5,961,413 | 9,422,726 |
| Federal Sources: | | | | | |
| Medicaid Reimbursement | 10-4200 | 46,207 | - | 46,207 | (25,754) |
| Total Federal Sources | | 46,207 | - | 46,207 | (25,754) |
| Total Revenues | | 45,134,668 | - | 45,134,668 | 10,057,126 |

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BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | ACCOUNT NUMBERS | JUNE 30, 2024 | | | VARIANCE FINAL TO ACTUAL |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | | ORIGINAL BUDGET | BUDGET TRANSFERS | FINAL BUDGET | |
| Current Expense: | | | | | |
| Regular Programs - Instruction: | | | | | |
| Grades 6-8 - Salaries of Teachers | 11-130-100-101 | 4,087,630 | (511,624) | 3,576,006 | 401 |
| Grades 9-12 - Salaries of Teachers | 11-140-100-101 | 6,159,687 | 657,326 | 6,817,013 | 2,235 |
| Regular Programs - Home Instruction: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Teachers | 11-150-100-101 | 90,000 | (39,087) | 50,913 | - |
| Purchased Professional - Educational Services | 11-150-100-320 | 25,000 | 6,000 | 31,000 | 1,523 |
| Other Purchased Services (400-500 Series) | 11-150-100-500 | 3,000 | 1,000 | 4,000 | 814 |
| Regular Programs - Undistributed Instruction: | | | | | |
| Purchased Technical Services | 11-190-100-340 | 30,900 | 58,000 | 88,900 | 350 |
| Other Purchased Services | 11-190-100-500 | 30,945 | 4,000 | 34,945 | 182 |
| General Supplies | 11-190-100-610 | 390,700 | (12,992) | 377,708 | 51,931 |
| Textbooks | 11-190-100-640 | 151,600 | (97,004) | 54,596 | 33,311 |
| Other Objects | 11-190-100-800 | 5,000 | 12,765 | 17,765 | 1 |
| Total Regular Programs - Instruction | | 10,974,462 | 78,384 | 11,052,846 | 90,748 |
| Special Education - Instruction: | | | | | |
| Learning and/or Language Disabilities: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Teachers | 11-204-100-101 | 954,097 | (161,000) | 793,097 | 32 |
| Other Salaries for Instruction | 11-204-100-106 | 137,064 | 15,000 | 152,064 | 124 |
| General Supplies | 11-204-100-610 | 5,200 | - | 5,200 | 251 |
| Textbooks | 11-204-100-640 | 2,000 | - | 2,000 | 41 |
| Total Learning and/or Language Disabilities | | 1,098,361 | (146,000) | 952,361 | 448 |
| Special Education - Instruction: | | | | | |
| Behavioral Disabilities: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Teachers | 11-209-100-101 | 193,476 | 72,000 | 265,476 | 592 |
| Other Salaries for Instruction | 11-209-100-106 | 97,403 | (41,000) | 56,403 | 711 |
| General Supplies | 11-209-100-610 | 3,300 | 1,700 | 5,000 | 368 |
| Total Behavioral Disabilities | | 294,179 | 32,700 | 326,879 | 1,671 |
| Special Education - Instruction: | | | | | |
| Multiple Disabilities: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Teachers | 11-212-100-101 | 232,564 | (27,153) | 205,411 | 1,256 |
| Other Salaries for Instruction | 11-212-100-106 | 64,626 | 62,000 | 126,626 | 89 |
| General Supplies | 11-212-100-610 | 3,000 | 1,200 | 4,200 | 1,173 |
| Other Objects | 11-212-100-800 | 2,400 | - | 2,400 | 59 |
| Total Multiple Disabilities | | 302,590 | 36,047 | 338,637 | 2,577 |

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YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | ACCOUNT NUMBERS | JUNE 30, 2024 | | | VARIANCE FINAL TO ACTUAL |
|--|--|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| | | ORIGINAL BUDGET | BUDGET TRANSFERS | FINAL BUDGET | |
| Special Education - Instruction: Resource Room/Resource Center: Salaries of Teachers Other Salaries General Supplies | 11-213-100-101 11-213-100-106 11-213-100-610 | 2,022,504 843,002 11,800 | 144,603 167,700 15,000 | 2,167,107 1,010,702 26,800 | 1 24 4,231 |
| Total Resource Room/Resource Center | | 2,877,306 | 327,303 | 3,204,609 | 4,256 |
| Special Education - Instruction: Autism: Salaries of Teachers Other Salaries for Instruction Other Purchased Services General Supplies | 11-214-100-101 11-214-100-106 11-214-100-500 11-214-100-610 | 171,001 90,288 2,000 5,100 | 12,200 (18,747) (253) - | 183,201 71,541 1,747 5,100 | 68 1 46 1,346 |
| Total Autism | | 268,389 | (6,800) | 261,589 | 1,461 |
| Special Education - Instruction: Home Instruction: Salaries of Teachers Purchased Professional - Educational Services Other Purchased Services | 11-219-100-101 11-219-100-320 11-219-100-500 | 140,000 25,000 2,000 | 80,650 (1,000) 6,000 | 220,650 24,000 8,000 | - 1,895 923 |
| Total Home Instruction | | 167,000 | 85,650 | 252,650 | 2,818 |
| Total Special Education - Instruction | | 5,007,825 | 328,900 | 5,336,725 | 13,231 |
| Basic Skills/Remedial - Instruction: Salaries of Teachers | 11-230-100-101 | 76,563 | - | 76,563 | - |
| Total Basic Skills/Remedial - Instruction | | 76,563 | - | 76,563 | - |
| Bilingual Education - Instruction: Salaries of Teachers | 11-240-100-101 | 70,663 | (5,998) | 64,665 | 2 |
| Total Bilingual Education - Instruction | | 70,663 | (5,998) | 64,665 | 2 |
| Vocational Education - Instruction: Salaries of Teachers General Supplies | 11-301-100-101 11-301-100-610 | 234,660 5,000 | - 1,000 | 234,660 6,000 | 1 652 |
| Total Vocational Education - Instruction | | 239,660 | 1,000 | 240,660 | 653 |

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BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | ACCOUNT NUMBERS | JUNE 30, 2024 | | | VARIANCE FINAL TO ACTUAL |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | | ORIGINAL BUDGET | BUDGET TRANSFERS | FINAL BUDGET | |
| | | | | ACTUAL | |
| School-Sponsored Cocurricular/Extra | | | | | |
| Curricular Activities - Instruction: | | | | | |
| Salaries | 11-401-100-100 | 215,000 | 1,298 | 216,298 | 215,945 |
| Purchased Services | 11-401-100-500 | 3,000 | - | 3,000 | 930 |
| Supplies and Materials | 11-401-100-600 | 32,000 | (11,870) | 20,130 | 18,618 |
| Other Objects | 11-401-100-800 | 14,000 | (5,000) | 9,000 | 5,386 |
| Transfers to Cover Deficit (Agency Funds) | 11-401-100-930 | 10,000 | - | 10,000 | 5,155 |
| | | | | | 4,845 |
| Total School-Sponsored Cocurricular/Extra | | 274,000 | (15,572) | 258,428 | 247,174 |
| Curricular Activities - Instruction | | | | | 11,254 |
| School-Sponsored Athletics - Instruction: | | | | | |
| Salaries | 11-402-100-100 | 815,683 | 40,070 | 855,753 | 841,825 |
| Other Purchased Services (300 - 500 Series) | 11-402-100-500 | 177,379 | 20,000 | 197,379 | 179,458 |
| Supplies and Materials | 11-402-100-600 | 129,547 | (4,130) | 125,417 | 117,354 |
| Other Objects | 11-402-100-800 | 10,000 | - | 10,000 | 8,541 |
| Transfers to Cover Deficit | 11-402-100-930 | 105,000 | 10,000 | 115,000 | 115,000 |
| | | | | | - |
| Total School-Sponsored Athletics - Instruction | | 1,237,609 | 65,940 | 1,303,549 | 1,262,178 |
| | | | | | 41,371 |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Instruction (Tuition): | | | | | |
| Tuition to Other LEAs Within State - Regular | 11-000-100-561 | 78,021 | (43,700) | 34,321 | 32,364 |
| Tuition to Other LEAs Within State - Special | 11-000-100-562 | 97,000 | (2,400) | 94,600 | 72,248 |
| Tuition to County Vocational School - Regular | 11-000-100-563 | 110,160 | - | 110,160 | 97,128 |
| Tuition to County Vocational School - Special | 11-000-100-564 | 89,760 | - | 89,760 | 89,654 |
| Tuition to County Special Services & Regular Day Schools | 11-000-100-565 | 140,000 | 125,000 | 265,000 | 215,034 |
| Tuition to Private School Disabled - Within State | 11-000-100-566 | 1,009,068 | (220,400) | 788,668 | 746,813 |
| Tuition to Private School Disabled & Other LEAs - Outside State | 11-000-100-567 | - | 204,600 | 204,600 | 204,576 |
| Tuition - Other | 11-000-100-569 | 150,000 | (130,800) | 19,200 | 19,146 |
| | | | | | 54 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - Instruction (Tuition) | | 1,674,009 | (67,700) | 1,606,309 | 1,476,963 |
| | | | | | 129,346 |
| Undistributed Expenditures Attendance and Social Work: | | | | | |
| Salaries | 11-000-211-100 | 212,146 | 2,013 | 214,159 | 214,159 |
| Purchased Professional and Technical Services | 11-000-211-300 | 3,500 | 10,000 | 13,500 | 13,395 |
| Supplies and Materials | 11-000-211-600 | 1,200 | (700) | 500 | 105 |
| Other Objects | 11-000-211-800 | 1,300 | (1,000) | 300 | 45 |
| | | | | | - |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures Attendance and Social Work | | 218,146 | 10,313 | 228,459 | 227,599 |
| | | | | | 860 |

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YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | ACCOUNT NUMBERS | JUNE 30, 2024 | | | VARIANCE FINAL TO ACTUAL |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | | ORIGINAL BUDGET | BUDGET TRANSFERS | FINAL BUDGET | |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Health Services: | | | | | |
| Salaries | 11-000-213-100 | 295,784 | 18,776 | 314,560 | 314,559 |
| Purchased Professional & Technical Services | 11-000-213-300 | 20,000 | 730 | 20,730 | 18,413 |
| Supplies and Materials | 11-000-213-600 | 13,000 | 14 | 13,014 | 11,644 |
| | | | | | 1,370 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - Health Services | | 328,784 | 19,520 | 348,304 | 344,616 |
| | | | | | 3,688 |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Speech, OT, PT and Related Services: | | | | | |
| Salaries | 11-000-216-100 | 215,314 | 1,238 | 216,552 | 216,552 |
| Purchased Professional - Educational Services | 11-000-216-320 | 200,000 | 22,736 | 222,736 | 222,009 |
| Supplies and Materials | 11-000-216-600 | 600 | - | 600 | 424 |
| | | | | | 176 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - Speech, OT, PT and Related Services | | 415,914 | 23,974 | 439,888 | 438,985 |
| | | | | | 903 |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Other Support Services - Extra Services: | | | | | |
| Salaries | 11-000-217-100 | 540,642 | (153,500) | 387,142 | 387,106 |
| | | | | | 36 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - Other Support Services - Extra Services | | 540,642 | (153,500) | 387,142 | 387,106 |
| | | | | | 36 |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Guidance: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Other Professional Staff | 11-000-218-104 | 716,191 | 167,000 | 883,191 | 882,578 |
| Salaries of Secretaries & Clerical Assistants | 11-000-218-105 | 179,880 | - | 179,880 | 179,352 |
| Other Purchased Professional and Technical Services | 11-000-218-390 | 52,000 | 10,800 | 62,800 | 62,692 |
| Other Purchased Services | 11-000-218-500 | 750 | (127) | 623 | 17 |
| Supplies and Materials | 11-000-218-600 | 17,000 | (2,083) | 14,917 | 14,483 |
| Other Objects | 11-000-218-800 | 7,000 | (3,700) | 3,300 | 2,400 |
| | | | | | 900 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - Guidance | | 972,821 | 171,890 | 1,144,711 | 1,141,522 |
| | | | | | 3,189 |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Child Study Teams: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Other Professional Staff | 11-000-219-104 | 658,616 | 18,000 | 676,616 | 675,596 |
| Salaries of Secretaries & Clerical Assistants | 11-000-219-105 | 152,685 | (4,000) | 148,685 | 144,715 |
| Miscellaneous Purchased Services | 11-000-219-592 | 1,200 | - | 1,200 | 1,149 |
| Supplies and Materials | 11-000-219-600 | 22,000 | 1,648 | 23,648 | 20,826 |
| Other Objects | 11-000-219-800 | 7,000 | - | 7,000 | 5,584 |
| | | | | | 1,416 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - Child Study Teams | | 841,501 | 15,648 | 857,149 | 847,870 |
| | | | | | 9,279 |

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YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | ACCOUNT NUMBERS | JUNE 30, 2024 | | | VARIANCE FINAL TO ACTUAL |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | | ORIGINAL BUDGET | BUDGET TRANSFERS | FINAL BUDGET | |
| | | | | ACTUAL | |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Improvement of Instruction Services: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Supervisors of Instruction | 11-000-221-102 | 894,566 | 165,000 | 1,059,566 | 193 |
| Salaries of Sec. and Clerical Assist. | 11-000-221-105 | 207,505 | (5,000) | 202,505 | 290 |
| Other Salaries | 11-000-221-110 | - | 2,000 | 2,000 | 525 |
| Supplies and Materials | 11-000-221-600 | 3,000 | 135 | 3,135 | 1,080 |
| Other Objects | 11-000-221-800 | 4,000 | (1,245) | 2,755 | 1,485 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - Improvement of Instruction Services | | 1,109,071 | 160,890 | 1,269,961 | 3,573 |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Educational Media Services/Library: | | | | | |
| Salaries | 11-000-222-100 | 161,651 | (68,000) | 93,651 | 53 |
| Salaries of Technology Coordinators | 11-000-222-177 | 49,684 | 39,245 | 88,929 | 1 |
| Purchased Professional and Technical Services | 11-000-222-300 | 15,000 | 12,500 | 27,500 | 315 |
| Other Purchased Services | 11-000-222-500 | 1,000 | (1,000) | - | - |
| Supplies and Materials | 11-000-222-600 | 64,400 | (10,542) | 53,858 | 21,090 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - Educational Media Services/Library | | 291,735 | (27,797) | 263,938 | 21,459 |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Instructional Staff Training Services: | | | | | |
| Other Purchased Prof. and Tech. Services | 11-000-223-390 | 5,000 | 29,842 | 34,842 | - |
| Other Purchased Services | 11-000-223-500 | 5,000 | 6,500 | 11,500 | 3,847 |
| Supplies and Materials | 11-000-223-600 | 200 | 1,700 | 1,900 | 114 |
| Other Objects | 11-000-223-800 | 2,500 | (700) | 1,800 | 385 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - Instructional Staff Training Services | | 12,700 | 37,342 | 50,042 | 4,346 |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | ACCOUNT NUMBERS | JUNE 30, 2024 | | | VARIANCE FINAL TO ACTUAL |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|
| | | ORIGINAL BUDGET | BUDGET TRANSFERS | FINAL BUDGET | |
| Undistributed Expenditures - | | | | | |
| Support Services - General Administration: | | | | | |
| Salaries | 11-000-230-100 | 378,133 | - | 378,133 | 376,932 1,201 |
| Salaries - Governance Staff | 11-000-230-109 | 3,000 | - | 3,000 | 3,000 - |
| Legal Services | 11-000-230-331 | 125,000 | 56,500 | 181,500 | 178,525 2,975 |
| Audit Fees | 11-000-230-332 | 37,000 | 1,400 | 38,400 | 38,400 - |
| Architectural/Engineering Services | 11-000-230-334 | 5,000 | (4,400) | 600 | - 600 |
| Purchased Technical Services | 11-000-230-340 | 7,500 | 35,340 | 42,840 | 42,806 34 |
| Communications/Telephone | 11-000-230-530 | 97,000 | 17,000 | 114,000 | 112,859 1,141 |
| BOE Other Purchased Professional Services | 11-000-230-585 | 5,000 | 500 | 5,500 | 5,196 304 |
| Other Purchased Services | 11-000-230-590 | 140,925 | (13,000) | 127,925 | 126,365 1,560 |
| General Supplies | 11-000-230-610 | 17,500 | 5,000 | 22,500 | 21,574 926 |
| Judgements Against School District | 11-000-230-820 | 50,000 | (50,000) | - | - - |
| Miscellaneous Expenditures | 11-000-230-890 | 5,000 | 2,000 | 7,000 | 6,336 664 |
| BOE Membership Dues and Fees | 11-000-230-895 | 17,500 | 1,500 | 19,000 | 18,868 132 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - | | 888,558 | 51,840 | 940,398 | 930,861 9,537 |
| Support Services - General Administration | | | | | |
| Undistributed Expenditures - | | | | | |
| Support Services - School Administration: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Principals/Assistant Principals | 11-000-240-103 | 940,453 | (48,097) | 892,356 | 892,355 1 |
| Salaries of Secretaries & Clerical Assistants | 11-000-240-105 | 253,045 | 29,397 | 282,442 | 282,442 - |
| Other Salaries | 11-000-240-110 | 14,000 | (1,200) | 12,800 | 12,558 242 |
| Other Purchased Services | 11-000-240-500 | 250 | (150) | 100 | - 100 |
| Supplies and Materials | 11-000-240-600 | 93,300 | 16,409 | 109,709 | 109,207 502 |
| Other Objects | 11-000-240-800 | 16,050 | (500) | 15,550 | 14,285 1,265 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - | | 1,317,098 | (4,141) | 1,312,957 | 1,310,847 2,110 |
| Support Services - School Administration | | | | | |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Central Services: | | | | | |
| Salaries | 11-000-251-100 | 439,697 | (10,400) | 429,297 | 429,282 15 |
| Purchased Professional Services | 11-000-251-330 | 65,000 | 23,500 | 88,500 | 85,361 3,139 |
| Miscellaneous Purchased Services | 11-000-251-592 | 1,000 | 500 | 1,500 | 1,175 325 |
| Supplies and Materials | 11-000-251-600 | 18,000 | (2,119) | 15,881 | 14,860 1,021 |
| Miscellaneous Expenditures | 11-000-251-890 | 2,000 | - | 2,000 | 1,525 475 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - Central Services | | 525,697 | 11,481 | 537,178 | 532,203 4,975 |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | ACCOUNT NUMBERS | JUNE 30, 2024 | | | VARIANCE FINAL TO ACTUAL |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | | ORIGINAL BUDGET | BUDGET TRANSFERS | FINAL BUDGET | |
| | | | | ACTUAL | |
| Undistributed Expenditures - | | | | | |
| Administrative Information Technology: | | | | | |
| Salaries | 11-000-252-100 | 212,601 | (15,700) | 196,901 | - |
| Purchased Technical Services | 11-000-252-340 | 66,000 | 48,000 | 114,000 | 4,192 |
| Other Purchased Services | 11-000-252-500 | 7,850 | 14,923 | 22,773 | 3,689 |
| Supplies and Materials | 11-000-252-600 | 38,000 | 22,531 | 60,531 | 1 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - | | 324,451 | 69,754 | 394,205 | 7,882 |
| Administrative Information Technology | | | | 386,323 | |
| Undistributed Expenditures - | | | | | |
| Required Maintenance for School Facilities: | | | | | |
| Salaries | 11-000-261-100 | 396,486 | (15,800) | 380,686 | 47 |
| Cleaning, Repair & Maintenance Services | 11-000-261-420 | 397,190 | 169,989 | 567,179 | 51,852 |
| Lead Testing of Drinking Water | 11-000-261-421 | 2,000 | (1,670) | 330 | - |
| General Supplies | 11-000-261-610 | 98,000 | 26,355 | 124,355 | 2,408 |
| Other Objects | 11-000-261-800 | 2,000 | 3,900 | 5,900 | 64 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - | | 895,676 | 182,774 | 1,078,450 | 54,371 |
| Required Maintenance for School Facilities | | | | 1,024,079 | |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Custodial Services: | | | | | |
| Salaries | 11-000-262-100 | 1,045,427 | 61,411 | 1,106,838 | 1 |
| Purchased Professional and Technical Services | 11-000-262-300 | 4,000 | 500 | 4,500 | 258 |
| Cleaning, Repair & Maintenance Services | 11-000-262-420 | 50,000 | 10,500 | 60,500 | 8,000 |
| Lease Purchase Pymts- Energy Savings Impr Prog | 11-000-262-444 | 186,031 | - | 186,031 | - |
| Other Purchased Property Services | 11-000-262-490 | 39,000 | - | 39,000 | 2,524 |
| Insurance | 11-000-262-520 | 165,000 | 30,000 | 195,000 | 686 |
| General Supplies | 11-000-262-610 | 65,000 | 29,000 | 94,000 | 1,428 |
| Energy (Natural Gas) | 11-000-262-621 | 200,000 | (19,000) | 181,000 | 2,528 |
| Energy (Electricity) | 11-000-262-622 | 410,000 | 68,000 | 478,000 | 2,307 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - Custodial Services | | 2,164,458 | 180,411 | 2,344,869 | 17,732 |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Care and Upkeep of Grounds: | | | | 2,327,137 | |
| Salaries | 11-000-263-100 | 280,947 | 25,430 | 306,377 | 1 |
| Purchased Professional and Technical Services | 11-000-263-300 | 60,736 | 13,000 | 73,736 | 642 |
| Cleaning, Repair & Maintenance Services | 11-000-263-420 | 45,395 | - | 45,395 | 402 |
| General Supplies | 11-000-263-610 | 65,000 | 17,200 | 82,200 | 24 |
| Other Objects | 11-000-263-800 | 2,500 | (200) | 2,300 | 235 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - Care and Upkeep of Grounds | | 454,578 | 55,430 | 510,008 | 1,304 |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Care and Upkeep of Grounds | | | | 508,704 | |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | ACCOUNT NUMBERS | JUNE 30, 2024 | | | VARIANCE FINAL TO ACTUAL |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | | ORIGINAL BUDGET | BUDGET TRANSFERS | FINAL BUDGET | |
| Security: | | | | | |
| Salaries | 11-000-266-100 | 157,000 | (22,360) | 134,640 | 2 |
| Purchased Professional and Technical Services | 11-000-266-300 | 45,000 | 98,000 | 143,000 | 788 |
| General Supplies | 11-000-266-610 | - | 3,000 | 3,000 | 611 |
| Total Security | | 202,000 | 78,640 | 280,640 | 1,401 |
| Undistributed Expenditures - | | | | | |
| Student Transportation Services: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Non-Instructional Aides | 11-000-270-107 | 100,000 | (24,000) | 76,000 | 321 |
| Salaries of Pupil Transportation (Between Home & School) - Regular | 11-000-270-160 | 975,305 | 40,000 | 1,015,305 | 2,494 |
| Sal for Pupil Trans (Bet Home & Sch)- Sp Ed | 11-000-270-161 | 175,000 | (18,371) | 156,629 | 1,991 |
| Sal for Pupil Trans (Other than Bet. Home & Sch) | 11-000-270-162 | 200,000 | 78,231 | 278,231 | - |
| Sal for Pupil Trans (Bet. H&S) - NonPublic Sch | 11-000-270-163 | 30,000 | 75 | 30,075 | - |
| Other Purchased Prof. and Technical Serv. | 11-000-270-390 | 10,000 | (10,000) | - | - |
| Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services | 11-000-270-420 | 350,000 | 14,859 | 364,859 | 203 |
| Lease Purchase Payments - School Buses | 11-000-270-443 | 126,775 | - | 126,775 | - |
| Contract Services - Aid in Lieu Payments - Non Public Schools | 11-000-270-503 | 20,000 | (12,800) | 7,200 | 1,375 |
| Contract Services (Between Home & School) - Vendors | 11-000-270-511 | 260,000 | (259,550) | 450 | 450 |
| Contract Services (Special Education) - Joint Agreement | 11-000-270-513 | 10,000 | (4,100) | 5,900 | 74 |
| Contract Services (Special Education) - Vendors | 11-000-270-514 | - | 5,000 | 5,000 | 140 |
| Contract Serv.(Sp Ed Stds)-Joint Agrmnts | 11-000-270-515 | 26,000 | (21,500) | 4,500 | 355 |
| Contract Services (Special Education) - ESCs & CTSA's | 11-000-270-518 | 640,000 | 191,400 | 831,400 | 88 |
| Miscellaneous Purchased Services - Transportation | 11-000-270-593 | 70,000 | 7,000 | 77,000 | 535 |
| General Supplies | 11-000-270-610 | 100,000 | 18,581 | 118,581 | 12,916 |
| Transportation Supplies | 11-000-270-615 | 406,000 | (113,544) | 292,456 | 8,574 |
| Miscellaneous Expenditures | 11-000-270-800 | 30,000 | 141 | 30,141 | 106 |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures - | | 3,529,080 | (108,578) | 3,420,502 | 29,622 |
| Student Transportation Services | | | | 3,390,880 | |
| Unallocated Benefits: | | | | | |
| Group Insurance | 11-000-291-210 | 3,000 | - | 3,000 | 3,000 |
| Social Security Contributions | 11-000-291-220 | 700,000 | 556,120 | 1,256,120 | 121,880 |
| Other Retirement Contributions - PERS | 11-000-291-241 | 1,120,000 | (150,000) | 970,000 | 8,911 |
| Other Retirement Contributions - ERIP | 11-000-291-242 | - | 25,000 | 25,000 | 2,069 |
| Pension Contributions | 11-000-291-249 | 10,000 | (10,000) | - | - |
| Workmen's Compensation | 11-000-291-260 | 403,500 | 78,500 | 482,000 | 15,263 |
| Health Benefits | 11-000-291-270 | 6,522,560 | (925,160) | 5,597,400 | 4,783 |
| Tuition Reimbursement | 11-000-291-280 | 25,000 | - | 25,000 | 2,287 |
| Other Employee Benefits | 11-000-291-290 | 587,000 | 60,000 | 647,000 | 32,196 |
| Unused Sick Payment to Staff | 11-100-100-299 | 80,000 | 10,000 | 90,000 | 4,791 |
| Total Unallocated Benefits | | 9,451,060 | (355,540) | 9,095,520 | 195,180 |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | ACCOUNT NUMBERS | JUNE 30, 2024 | | | VARIANCE FINAL TO ACTUAL |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | | ORIGINAL BUDGET | BUDGET TRANSFERS | FINAL BUDGET | |
| Nonbudgeted: | | | | | |
| TPAF Pension (on-behalf) | | - | - | - | 6,284,746 |
| TPAF Social Security (reimbursed) | | - | - | - | 1,354,013 |
| TPAF Post Retirement Medical Benefits (on-behalf) | | - | - | - | 1,710,478 |
| TPAF Long-Term Disability Insurance (on-behalf) | | - | - | - | 2,140 |
| | | | | | (2,140) |
| Total Undistributed Expenditures | | 26,157,979 | 352,651 | 26,510,630 | 35,361,214 |
| | | | | | (8,850,584) |
| Total Expenditures - Current Expense | | 44,038,761 | 805,305 | 44,844,066 | 53,537,391 |
| | | | | | (8,693,325) |
| Capital Outlay: | | | | | |
| Equipment: | | | | | |
| Behavioral Disabilities | 12-209-100-730 | - | 62,400 | 62,400 | 61,640 |
| Multiple Disabilities | 12-212-100-730 | - | 39,740 | 39,740 | 38,842 |
| Undistributed Expenditures: | | | | | |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Instruction | 12-000-100-730 | 66,500 | (35,000) | 31,500 | 28,627 |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Admin Info Tech. | 12-000-252-730 | 350,000 | (350,000) | - | - |
| Undistributed Expenditures - Tech Non Instructional Equipment | 12-000-252-732 | - | 512,200 | 512,142 | 11,058 |
| Undist. Expend. - Required Maint for School Fac. | 12-000-261-730 | 70,000 | 585,000 | 655,000 | 654,546 |
| Undist. Expend. - Custodial Services | 12-000-262-730 | - | 3,000 | 3,000 | 2,038 |
| Undist. Expend. - Care and Upkeep of Grounds | 12-000-263-730 | 2,520,000 | (1,678,821) | 841,179 | 98,170 |
| Undist. Expend. - Security | 12-000-266-730 | - | 80,500 | 80,500 | 80,366 |
| School Buses - Regular | 12-000-270-733 | 333,252 | - | 333,252 | 166,626 |
| School Buses - Special | 12-000-270-734 | - | 18,000 | 18,000 | 17,681 |
| | | | | | 319 |
| Total Equipment | | 3,339,752 | (762,981) | 2,576,771 | 1,649,678 |
| | | | | | 927,093 |
| Facilities Acquisition & Construction Services: | | | | | |
| Architectural/Engineering Services | 12-000-400-334 | 252,301 | (17,000) | 235,301 | 69,080 |
| Construction Services | 12-000-400-450 | 1,610,050 | 17,000 | 1,627,050 | 1,626,333 |
| Lease Purchase Agreements - Principal | 12-000-400-721 | 78,324 | - | 78,324 | 78,323 |
| Assessment for Debt Service on SDA Funding | 12-000-400-896 | 114,706 | - | 114,706 | 114,706 |
| | | | | | - |
| Total Facilities Acquisition & Construction Services | | 2,055,381 | - | 2,055,381 | 1,888,442 |
| | | | | | 166,939 |
| Total Capital Outlay | | 5,395,133 | (762,981) | 4,632,152 | 3,538,120 |
| | | | | | 1,094,032 |
| Total Expenditures | | 49,433,894 | 42,324 | 49,476,218 | 57,075,511 |
| | | | | | (7,599,293) |
| Excess/(Deficiency) of Revenues Over/(Under) Expenditures Before Other Financing Sources(Uses) | | (4,299,226) | (42,324) | (4,341,550) | (1,883,717) |
| | | | | | (2,457,833) |

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

| ACCOUNT NUMBERS | JUNE 30, 2024 | | | VARIANCE FINAL TO ACTUAL |
|--|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | ORIGINAL BUDGET | BUDGET TRANSFERS | FINAL BUDGET | |
| Other Financing Sources/(Uses): | | | | |
| Capital Leases (Non-Budgeted) | 3,500,000 | - | 3,500,000 | 1,922,622 (1,577,378) |
| Total Other Financing Sources/(Uses) | 3,500,000 | - | 3,500,000 | 1,922,622 (1,577,378) |
| Excess/(Deficiency) of Revenues Over/ (Under) Expenditures | | | | |
| After Other Financing Sources/(Uses) | (799,226) | (42,324) | (841,550) | 38,905 (880,455) |
| Fund Balances, July 1 | 3,747,675 | - | 3,747,675 | 3,747,675 - |
| Fund Balances, June 30 | \$ 2,948,449 | \$ (42,324) | \$ 2,906,125 | \$ 3,786,580 \$ 880,455 |

RECAPITULATION OF FUND BALANCE

| | | |
|--|--------------|--|
| Restricted Fund Balance: | | |
| Capital Reserve | \$ 1,243,535 | |
| Maintenance Reserve | 487,448 | |
| Emergency Reserve | 50,700 | |
| Unemployment Reserve | 440,347 | |
| Excess Surplus Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures | 20,205 | |
| Assigned Fund Balance: | | |
| Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures | 229,795 | |
| Year-End Encumbrances | 424,354 | |
| Unassigned Fund Balance | 890,196 | |
| Subtotal | 3,786,580 | |
| Reconciliation to Governmental Funds Statements (GAAP): | | |
| Last State Aid Payments Not Recognized on GAAP Basis | (547,579) | |
| Fund Balance per Governmental Funds (GAAP) | \$ 3,239,001 | |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | JUNE 30, 2024 | | | | VARIANCE FINAL TO ACTUAL (OVER)/ UNDER |
|---|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|------------|--|
| | ORIGINAL BUDGET | BUDGET TRANSFERS | FINAL BUDGET | ACTUAL | |
| Revenues: | | | | | |
| Local Sources | \$ 525,000 | \$ 297,915 | \$ 822,915 | \$ 876,269 | \$ (53,354) |
| State Sources | - | 60,935 | 60,935 | 60,935 | - |
| Federal Sources | 1,675,845 | (37,253) | 1,638,592 | 1,638,592 | - |
| Total Revenues | 2,200,845 | 321,597 | 2,522,442 | 2,575,796 | (53,354) |
| Expenditures: | | | | | |
| Instruction: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Teachers | 444,639 | (15,233) | 429,406 | 429,406 | - |
| Purchased Educational Services | - | 23,187 | 23,187 | 23,187 | - |
| Tuition | 519,375 | 172,709 | 692,084 | 692,084 | - |
| Other Objects | - | 6,482 | 6,482 | 6,482 | - |
| Total Instruction | 964,014 | 187,145 | 1,151,159 | 1,151,159 | - |
| Support Services: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Other Professional Staff | 288,551 | (250,183) | 38,368 | 38,368 | - |
| Personal Services - Employee Benefits | 423,280 | (105,003) | 318,277 | 318,277 | - |
| Purchased Educational Services | - | 19,528 | 19,528 | 19,528 | - |
| Other Purchased Services (400-500 Series) | - | 60,935 | 60,935 | 60,935 | - |
| Transportation | - | 102,660 | 102,660 | 102,660 | - |
| Supplies and Materials | - | 8,600 | 8,600 | 8,600 | - |
| Student Activities | 525,000 | 257,839 | 782,839 | 782,839 | - |
| Scholarships Awarded | - | 37,950 | 37,950 | 37,950 | - |
| Total Support Services | 1,236,831 | 132,326 | 1,369,157 | 1,369,157 | - |
| Facilities Acquisition & Construction Services: | | | | | |
| Instructional Equipment | - | 2,126 | 2,126 | 2,126 | - |
| Total Facilities Acquisition & Construction Services | - | 2,126 | 2,126 | 2,126 | - |
| Total Expenditures | 2,200,845 | 321,597 | 2,522,442 | 2,522,442 | - |
| Total Outflows | 2,200,845 | 321,597 | 2,522,442 | 2,522,442 | - |
| Excess/(Deficiency) of Revenues Over/(Under) Expenditures | - | - | - | 53,354 | (53,354) |
| Fund Balance, July 1 | - | - | - | 358,831 | 53,354 |
| Fund Balance, June 30 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 412,185 | \$ - |

RECAPITULATION OF FUND BALANCE

| | |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| Restricted: | |
| Scholarship | \$ 43,531 |
| Student Activities | 368,654 |
| Total Fund Balance | <u>\$ 412,185</u> |

NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - PART II

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**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTE TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
BUDGET TO GAAP RECONCILIATION
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

**Note A - Explanation of Differences between Budgetary Inflows and Outflows and
GAAP Revenues and Expenditures**

| | GENERAL FUND | SPECIAL REVENUE FUND |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Sources/Inflows of Resources: | | |
| Actual Amounts (Budgetary Basis) "Revenue" | | |
| From the Budgetary Comparison Schedule (C-Series) | \$ 55,191,794 | \$ 2,575,796 |
| Difference - Budget to GAAP: | | |
| Grant accounting budgetary basis differs from GAAP in that encumbrances are recognized as expenditures, and the related revenue is recognized. | | |
| Current Year | - | - |
| Prior Year | - | 1,987,025 |
| The last state aid payments are recognized as revenue for budgetary purposes and differs from GAAP which does not recognize this revenue until the subsequent year when the state recognizes the related expense (GASB 33). | | |
| Current Year | (547,579) | - |
| Prior Year | 520,767 | - |
| Total Revenues as Reported on the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds. (B-2) | <u>\$ 55,164,982</u> | <u>\$ 4,562,821</u> |
| Uses/outflows of resources: | | |
| Actual amounts (budgetary basis) "total outflows" from the budgetary comparison schedule. (C-1, C-2) | <u>\$ 57,075,511</u> | <u>\$ 2,522,442</u> |
| Total Expenditures as Reported on the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds (B-2) | <u>\$ 57,075,511</u> | <u>\$ 4,509,467</u> |

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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - PART III

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SCHEDULES RELATED TO ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING FOR PENSIONS (GASB 68)

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CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY
PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM (PERS)
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS *

| | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|---|---------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| School District's proportion of the net pension liability | 0.07106% | 0.07732% | 0.07400% | 0.06958% | 0.06861% | 0.06741% | 0.06460% | 0.06237% | 0.06150% | 0.05994% |
| School District's proportionate share of the net pension liability | \$ 10,292,181 | \$ 11,669,115 | \$ 8,766,794 | \$ 11,346,826 | \$ 12,361,718 | \$ 13,273,392 | \$ 15,037,470 | \$ 18,474,100 | \$ 13,808,205 | \$ 11,222,596 |
| School District's covered payroll | \$ 5,445,352 | \$ 5,389,257 | \$ 5,592,922 | \$ 5,242,341 | \$ 5,016,266 | \$ 4,848,946 | \$ 4,682,407 | \$ 4,330,517 | \$ 4,203,016 | \$ 4,162,600 |
| School District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll | 189.01% | 216.53% | 156.75% | 216.45% | 246.43% | 273.74% | 321.15% | 426.60% | 328.53% | 269.61% |
| Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability | 65.23% | 62.91% | 70.33% | 58.32% | 56.27% | 53.60% | 48.10% | 40.14% | 47.93% | 52.08% |

*The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the previous fiscal year end (the measurement date).

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF SCHOOL DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS
PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM (PERS)
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS *

| | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| School District's contractually required contribution | \$ 949,698 | \$ 975,081 | \$ 866,664 | \$ 761,180 | \$ 667,332 | \$ 670,547 | \$ 598,435 | \$ 554,143 | \$ 528,838 | \$ 494,145 |
| Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution | (949,698) | (975,081) | (866,664) | (761,180) | (667,332) | (670,547) | (598,435) | (554,143) | (528,838) | (494,145) |
| Contribution deficiency (excess) | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| School District's covered payroll | \$ 5,528,800 | \$ 5,445,352 | \$ 5,389,257 | \$ 5,592,922 | \$ 5,242,341 | \$ 5,016,266 | \$ 4,848,946 | \$ 4,682,407 | \$ 4,330,517 | \$ 4,203,016 |
| Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll | 17.18% | 17.91% | 16.08% | 13.61% | 12.73% | 13.37% | 12.34% | 11.83% | 12.21% | 11.76% |

*The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the previous fiscal year end (the measurement date).

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY
TEACHERS' PENSION AND ANNUITY FUND (TPAF)
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS *

| | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|---|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| School District's proportion of the net pension liability | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% |
| School District's proportionate share of the net pension liability | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| State's proportionate share of the net pension liability associated with the School District | \$ 72,125,352 | \$ 72,028,053 | \$ 66,753,832 | \$ 90,714,763 | \$ 82,558,048 | \$ 83,846,218 | \$ 89,265,911 | \$ 104,081,346 | \$ 82,189,449 | \$ 69,618,006 |
| School District's covered payroll | \$ 72,125,352 | \$ 72,028,053 | \$ 66,753,832 | \$ 90,714,763 | \$ 82,558,048 | \$ 83,846,218 | \$ 89,265,911 | \$ 104,081,346 | \$ 82,189,449 | \$ 69,618,006 |
| School District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll | \$ 18,349,449 | \$ 17,732,430 | \$ 16,723,084 | \$ 16,152,079 | \$ 15,263,603 | \$ 14,799,731 | \$ 14,799,731 | \$ 14,217,711 | \$ 13,252,685 | \$ 13,451,654 |
| Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% | 0.0000% |
| | 34.68% | 35.52% | 35.52% | 24.60% | 26.95% | 26.49% | 25.41% | 22.33% | 28.71% | 33.64% |

*The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the previous fiscal year end (the measurement date).

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SCHEDULES RELATED TO ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING FOR OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (GASB 75)

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CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE NET OPEB LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS
STATE HEALTH BENEFIT LOCAL EDUCATION RETIRED EMPLOYEES PLAN (OPEB)
 LAST SEVEN FISCAL YEARS * / **

| | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 |
|--|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| District's Total OPEB Liability | | | | | | | |
| Service Cost | \$ 3,655,712 | \$ 4,605,861 | \$ 4,922,587 | \$ 2,687,945 | \$ 2,746,285 | \$ 2,985,681 | \$ 3,602,242 |
| Interest Cost | 2,986,005 | 2,169,996 | 2,476,029 | 2,373,483 | 2,954,024 | 3,197,273 | 2,765,384 |
| Changes in Benefit Terms | - | - | (101,593) | - | - | - | - |
| Differences Between Expected and Actual Experiences | (1,660,265) | 3,705,519 | (16,448,619) | 17,676,991 | (13,260,986) | (8,420,748) | - |
| Changes of Assumptions | 170,890 | (21,965,914) | 94,167 | 19,434,311 | 984,306 | (8,556,013) | (11,538,468) |
| Contributions: Member | 76,521 | 68,955 | 63,300 | 56,140 | 60,071 | 68,905 | 74,438 |
| Gross Benefit Payments | (2,327,640) | (2,149,445) | (1,950,417) | (1,852,211) | (2,026,499) | (1,993,680) | (2,021,533) |
| Net Change in District's Total OPEB Liability | 2,901,223 | (13,565,028) | (10,944,546) | 40,376,659 | (8,542,799) | (12,718,582) | (7,117,937) |
| District's Total OPEB Liability (Beginning) | 81,883,241 | 95,448,269 | 106,392,815 | 66,016,156 | 74,558,955 | 87,277,537 | 94,395,474 |
| District's Total OPEB Liability (Ending) | \$ 84,784,464 | \$ 81,883,241 | \$ 95,448,269 | \$ 106,392,815 | \$ 66,016,156 | \$ 74,558,955 | \$ 87,277,537 |
| District's Covered Employee Payroll | | | | | | | |
| District's Net OPEB Liability as a Percentage of Payroll | \$ 23,878,249 | \$ 23,177,782 | \$ 22,112,341 | \$ 21,745,001 | \$ 20,505,944 | \$ 20,487,316 | \$ 19,482,138 |
| | 355% | 353% | 432% | 489% | 322% | 364% | 448% |

* The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the previous fiscal year end (the measurement date).

** This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, governments should present information for those years for which information is available.

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NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - PART III

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**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - PART III
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

Teachers Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF)

Changes in Benefit Terms

None.

Changes in Assumptions

The discount rate used as of June 30, measurement date is as follows:

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> | <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> | <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| 2023 | 7.00% | 2019 | 5.60% | 2015 | 4.13% |
| 2022 | 7.00% | 2018 | 4.86% | 2014 | 4.68% |
| 2021 | 7.00% | 2017 | 4.25% | | |
| 2020 | 5.40% | 2016 | 3.22% | | |

The long-term expected rate of return used as of June 30, measurement data is as follows:

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> | <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> | <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| 2023 | 7.00% | 2019 | 7.00% | 2015 | 7.90% |
| 2022 | 7.00% | 2018 | 7.00% | 2014 | 7.90% |
| 2021 | 7.00% | 2017 | 7.00% | | |
| 2020 | 7.00% | 2016 | 7.65% | | |

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)

Changes in Benefit Terms

None.

Changes in Assumptions

The discount rate used as of June 30, measurement date is as follows:

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> | <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> | <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| 2023 | 7.00% | 2019 | 6.28% | 2015 | 4.90% |
| 2022 | 7.00% | 2018 | 5.66% | 2014 | 5.39% |
| 2021 | 7.00% | 2017 | 5.00% | | |
| 2020 | 7.00% | 2016 | 3.98% | | |

The long-term expected rate of return used as of June 30, measurement data is as follows:

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> | <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> | <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| 2023 | 7.00% | 2019 | 7.00% | 2015 | 7.65% |
| 2022 | 7.00% | 2018 | 7.00% | 2014 | 7.90% |
| 2021 | 7.00% | 2017 | 7.00% | | |
| 2020 | 7.00% | 2016 | 7.65% | | |

State Health Benefit Local Education Retired Employees Plan (OPEB)

Changes in Benefit Terms

None.

Changes in Assumptions

The discount rate used as of June 30, measurement date is as follows:

| <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> | <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> | <u>Year</u> | <u>Rate</u> |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| 2023 | 3.65% | 2020 | 2.21% | 2017 | 3.58% |
| 2022 | 3.54% | 2019 | 3.50% | 2016 | 2.85% |
| 2021 | 2.16% | 2018 | 3.87% | | |

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OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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D. School Based Budget Schedules

Not Applicable

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E. Special Revenue Fund

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**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
COMBINING SCHEDULE OF PROGRAM REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGETARY BASIS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | Title I | Title IIA | I.D.E.A. - Basic | ESSER III | American Rescue Plan (ARP) - Accelerated Learning Coach |
|---|----------------|------------------|-------------------------|------------------|--|
| Revenues: | | | | | |
| Local Sources | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| State Sources | - | - | - | - | - |
| Federal Sources | 496,751 | 71,296 | 635,346 | 342,700 | 8,150 |
| Total Revenues | 496,751 | 71,296 | 635,346 | 342,700 | 8,150 |
| Expenditures: | | | | | |
| Instruction: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Teachers | 215,943 | 30,000 | - | 169,310 | - |
| Purchased Professional - Educational Services | - | - | - | - | - |
| Tuition | - | - | 635,346 | 56,738 | - |
| Other Objects | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total Instruction | 215,943 | 30,000 | 635,346 | 226,048 | - |
| Support Services: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Other Professional Staff | 3,000 | 15,000.00 | - | - | - |
| Personal Services - Employee Benefits | 176,057 | 20,093 | - | 116,652 | - |
| Purchased Educational Services | - | 6,203.00 | - | - | 8,150 |
| Other Purchased Services (400-500 Series) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Transportation | 101,751 | - | - | - | - |
| Supplies and Materials | - | - | - | - | - |
| Student Activities | - | - | - | - | - |
| Scholarships Awarded | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total Support Services | 280,808 | 41,296 | - | 116,652 | 8,150 |
| Facilities Acquisition & Construction Services: | | | | | |
| Instructional Equipment | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total Facilities Acquisition & Construction Services | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total Expenditures | 496,751 | 71,296 | 635,346 | 342,700 | 8,150 |
| Excess/(Deficiency) of Revenues Over/(Under) Expenditures | - | - | - | - | - |
| Fund Balance, July 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Fund Balance, June 30 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
COMBINING SCHEDULE OF PROGRAM REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGETARY BASIS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | American Rescue Plan (ARP) - Evidence-based Summer Learning | American Rescue Plan (ARP) - Evidence-based Comprehensive Beyond the School Day | American Rescue Plan (ARP) - NJ Tiered System of Supports | American Rescue Plan (ARP) - Homeless Children & Youth I | SDA Emergent Capital Needs and Maintenance |
|---|---|--|---|--|---|
| Revenues: | | | | | |
| Local Sources | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| State Sources | - | - | - | - | 60,935 |
| Federal Sources | 17,149 | 37,009 | 29,282 | 909 | - |
| Total Revenues | 17,149 | 37,009 | 29,282 | 909 | 60,935 |
| Expenditures: | | | | | |
| Instruction: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Teachers | 3,153 | 11,000 | - | - | - |
| Purchased Professional - Educational Services | - | 23,187 | - | - | - |
| Tuition | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other Objects | 6,482 | - | - | - | - |
| Total Instruction | 9,635 | 34,187 | - | - | - |
| Support Services: | | | | | |
| Salaries of Other Professional Staff | - | - | 20,368 | - | - |
| Personal Services - Employee Benefits | 241 | 765 | 4,469 | - | - |
| Purchased Educational Services | 730 | - | 4,445 | - | - |
| Other Purchased Services (400-500 Series) | - | - | - | - | 60,935 |
| Transportation | - | - | - | 909 | - |
| Supplies and Materials | 6,543 | 2,057 | - | - | - |
| Student Activities | - | - | - | - | - |
| Scholarships Awarded | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total Support Services | 7,514 | 2,822 | 29,282 | 909 | 60,935 |
| Facilities Acquisition & Construction Services: | | | | | |
| Instructional Equipment | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total Facilities Acquisition & Construction Services | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total Expenditures | 17,149 | 37,009 | 29,282 | 909 | 60,935 |
| Excess/(Deficiency) of Revenues Over/(Under) Expenditures | - | - | - | - | - |
| Fund Balance, July 1 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Fund Balance, June 30 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
COMBINING SCHEDULE OF PROGRAM REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGETARY BASIS (CONTINUED)
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | NJSIG Grant | Student Activities | Scholarship Fund | Totals |
|---|-------------|--------------------|------------------|------------|
| Revenues: | | | | |
| Local Sources | \$ 2,126 | \$ 821,825 | \$ 52,318 | \$ 876,269 |
| State Sources | - | - | - | 60,935 |
| Federal Sources | - | - | - | 1,638,592 |
| Total Revenues | 2,126 | 821,825 | 52,318 | 2,575,796 |
| Expenditures: | | | | |
| Instruction: | | | | |
| Salaries of Teachers | - | - | - | 429,406 |
| Purchased Professional - Educational Services | - | - | - | 23,187 |
| Tuition | - | - | - | 692,084 |
| Other Objects | - | - | - | 6,482 |
| Total Instruction | - | - | - | 1,151,159 |
| Support Services: | | | | |
| Salaries of Other Professional Staff | - | - | - | 38,368 |
| Personal Services - Employee Benefits | - | - | - | 318,277 |
| Purchased Educational Services | - | - | - | 19,528 |
| Other Purchased Services (400-500 Series) | - | - | - | 60,935 |
| Transportation | - | - | - | 102,660 |
| Supplies and Materials | - | - | - | 8,600 |
| Student Activities | - | 782,839 | - | 782,839 |
| Scholarships Awarded | - | - | 37,950 | 37,950 |
| Total Support Services | - | 782,839 | 37,950 | 1,369,157 |
| Facilities Acquisition & Construction Services: | | | | |
| Instructional Equipment | 2,126 | - | - | 2,126 |
| Total Facilities Acquisition & Construction Services | 2,126 | - | - | 2,126 |
| Total Expenditures | 2,126 | 782,839 | 37,950 | 2,522,442 |
| Excess/(Deficiency) of Revenues Over/(Under) Expenditures | - | 38,986 | 14,368 | 53,354 |
| Fund Balance, July 1 | - | 329,668 | 29,163 | 358,831 |
| Fund Balance, June 30 | \$ - | \$ 368,654 | \$ 43,531 | \$ 412,185 |

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F. Capital Projects Fund

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CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PROJECT EXPENDITURES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

| Project Title / Issue | Original Date | Original Appropriations | Expenditures to Date | | Unexpended Balance June 30, 2024 |
|------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|--|
| | | | Prior Years | Current Year | |
| Energy Savings Improvement Program | 4/15/2020 | \$ 3,318,886 | \$ 3,066,021 | \$ 252,865 | \$ - |
| Total | | \$ 3,318,886 | \$ 3,066,021 | \$ 252,865 | \$ - |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES
IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGETARY BASIS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| | |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses: | |
| Construction Services | <u>\$ 252,865</u> |
| Total Expenditures and Other Financing Uses | <u>252,865</u> |
| Fund Balance, July 1 | <u>252,865</u> |
| Fund Balance, June 30, 2024 | <u><u>\$ -</u></u> |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES
IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGETARY BASIS**

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

| | Prior Years | Current Year | Totals | Revised Authorized Cost |
|---|--------------------|---------------------|---------------|--|
| Revenues and Other Financing Sources: | | | | |
| Local Sources - Lease Proceeds | \$ 3,250,000 | \$ - | \$ 3,250,000 | \$ 3,250,000 |
| Interest | 768 | - | 768 | 768 |
| Transfer from Capital Reserve | 68,886 | - | 68,886 | 68,886 |
| Total Revenues and Other Financing Sources | 3,319,654 | - | 3,319,654 | 3,319,654 |
| Expenditures and Other Financing Uses: | | | | |
| Other Purchased Professional and Technical Services | 51,772 | - | 51,772 | 51,772 |
| Construction Services | 3,014,249 | 252,865 | 3,267,114 | 3,267,114 |
| Transfer to General Fund | 768 | - | 768 | 768 |
| Total Expenditures and Other Financing Uses | 3,066,789 | 252,865 | 3,319,654 | 3,319,654 |
| Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures and Other Financing Uses | \$ 252,865 | \$ (252,865) | \$ - | \$ - |

ADDITIONAL PROJECT INFORMATION

| | |
|---------------------------------|------------------|
| Project Number | 0770-030-20-1002 |
| Grant Date | 4/15/2020 |
| Bond Authorization Date | N/A |
| Bonds Authorized | N/A |
| Bonds Issued | N/A |
| Original Authorized Cost | \$ 3,250,000 |
| Revised Authorized Cost | \$ 3,250,000 |
| Original Target Completion Date | N/A |
| Percentage Completion | 100.00% |

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H. Fiduciary Fund

Not Applicable

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I. Long-Term Debt

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**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LONG-TERM DEBT
SCHEDULE OF LEASE OBLIGATIONS AND FINANCED PURCHASES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| PURPOSE | ORIGINAL PRINCIPAL | INTEREST RATE | AMOUNT | | AMOUNT OUTSTANDING JUNE 30, 2024 |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|------------|---|
| | | | OUTSTANDING JUNE 30, 2023 | RETIRED | |
| Copiers - FY 20 | \$ 17,699 | Variable | \$ 5,747 | \$ 4,034 | \$ 1,713 |
| Copiers - FY 20 | 11,082 | Variable | 3,182 | 2,537 | 645 |
| Copiers - FY 22 | 103,947 | Variable | 79,576 | 20,948 | 58,628 |
| Copiers - FY 23 | 48,901 | Variable | 48,901 | 7,021 | 41,880 |
| 5 Bus Lease FY20 | 479,614 | 2.27% | 123,961 | 123,961 | - |
| ESIP Lease | 3,250,000 | 1.875% | 2,858,763 | 132,429 | 2,726,334 |
| | | Total | \$ 3,120,130 | \$ 290,930 | \$ 2,829,200 |
| Buses and Fire Prevention System | \$ 2,130,252 | 3.98% | \$ 2,130,252 | - | \$ 2,130,252 |
| | | Total | \$ 2,130,252 | - | \$ 2,130,252 |

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STATISTICAL SECTION (Unaudited)

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| Financial Trends Information |
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Financial trends information is intended to assist the user in understanding and assessing how the School District's financial position has changed over time. Please refer to the following exhibits for a historical view of the School District's financial performance. The Exhibits are presented for the last ten fiscal years.

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CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NET POSITION BY COMPONENT
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
UNAUDITED
(Accrual Basis of Accounting)

| | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 ** | 2021 * | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Governmental Activities: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Net Investment in Capital Assets | \$ 28,825,393 | \$ 24,686,144 | \$ 22,507,149 | \$ 21,741,181 | \$ 24,507,431 | \$ 3,742,240 | \$ 2,298,997 | \$ 2,247,055 | \$ 2,062,334 | \$ 1,913,622 |
| Restricted | 2,654,420 | 2,646,325 | 2,981,780 | 2,796,537 | 2,830,522 | 3,522,483 | 2,522,942 | 3,340,079 | 3,228,649 | 1,544,579 |
| Unrestricted (Deficit) | (13,416,510) | (11,837,878) | (12,903,870) | (14,157,579) | (15,484,164) | (4,616,844) | (233,433) | (1,083,121) | (1,151,474) | (80,303) |
| Total Governmental Activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| Net Position | \$ 18,063,303 | \$ 15,494,591 | \$ 12,585,059 | \$ 10,380,139 | \$ 11,853,789 | \$ 2,647,879 | \$ 4,588,506 | \$ 4,504,013 | \$ 4,139,509 | \$ 3,377,898 |
| Business-Type Activities: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Net Investment in Capital Assets | \$ 243,319 | \$ 271,520 | \$ 187,001 | \$ 126,089 | \$ 392,502 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 382 |
| Unrestricted (Deficit) | 7,463 | 4,650 | 87,924 | (140,000) | (46,344) | 51,061 | 4,114 | 6,311 | 9,041 | 15,606 |
| Total Business-Type Activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| Net Position | \$ 250,782 | \$ 276,170 | \$ 274,925 | \$ (13,911) | \$ 346,158 | \$ 51,061 | \$ 4,114 | \$ 6,311 | \$ 9,041 | \$ 15,988 |
| District-Wide: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Net Investment in Capital Assets | \$ 29,068,712 | \$ 24,957,664 | \$ 22,694,150 | \$ 21,867,270 | \$ 24,899,933 | \$ 3,742,240 | \$ 2,298,997 | \$ 2,247,055 | \$ 2,062,334 | \$ 1,914,004 |
| Restricted | 2,654,420 | 2,646,325 | 2,981,780 | 2,796,537 | 2,830,522 | 3,522,483 | 2,522,942 | 3,340,079 | 3,228,649 | 1,544,579 |
| Unrestricted (Deficit) | (13,409,047) | (11,833,228) | (12,815,946) | (14,297,579) | (15,530,508) | (4,565,783) | (229,319) | (1,076,810) | (1,142,433) | (64,697) |
| Total District Net Position | \$ 18,314,085 | \$ 15,770,761 | \$ 12,859,984 | \$ 10,366,228 | \$ 12,199,947 | \$ 2,698,940 | \$ 4,592,620 | \$ 4,510,324 | \$ 4,148,550 | \$ 3,393,886 |

Source: ACFR Schedule A-1

*For the year ended June 30, 2021 net position was reclassified due to GASB 84.

**For the year ended June 30, 2022 net position was reclassified due to GASB 87

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
CHANGES IN NET POSITION - (ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING)
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
UNAUDITED

| | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|--|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Expenses: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Governmental Activities | | | | | | | | | | |
| Instruction: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Regular | \$ 21,771,450 | \$ 21,180,420 | \$ 20,736,092 | \$ 22,148,782 | \$ 17,649,513 | \$ 5,804,105 | \$ 6,066,077 | \$ 6,195,152 | \$ 8,363,364 | \$ 8,342,598 |
| Special Education | 9,567,346 | 8,957,092 | 8,634,779 | 8,373,776 | 7,723,350 | 1,879,435 | 1,714,360 | 1,563,496 | 2,230,522 | 2,154,675 |
| Other Special Education | - | - | - | - | - | 585,390 | 654,988 | 899,985 | 949,114 | 949,114 |
| Other Instruction | 3,397,651 | 3,241,396 | 3,629,195 | 3,363,973 | 3,119,227 | 106,045 | 112,221 | 95,262 | 672,904 | 622,738 |
| Support Services: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tuition | 1,940,299 | 1,612,743 | 1,623,420 | 1,767,319 | 2,202,671 | 445,815 | 636,574 | 722,222 | 569,661 | 311,829 |
| Student & Instruction Related Services | 8,289,187 | 8,091,037 | 7,626,993 | 5,975,402 | 5,413,187 | 2,525,549 | 2,439,848 | 2,217,382 | 2,082,315 | 1,916,663 |
| Other Administrative Services | 1,222,372 | 1,112,282 | 1,166,036 | 1,018,390 | 1,082,829 | 419,603 | 354,893 | 370,118 | 404,282 | 528,063 |
| Central Services | 699,288 | 671,229 | 719,459 | 637,592 | 617,536 | 258,416 | 217,268 | 243,784 | 282,238 | 295,499 |
| Administration Information Technology Services | 507,193 | 449,260 | 387,672 | 426,824 | 377,614 | 13,393 | 3,872 | 6,250 | 128,689 | 119,922 |
| School Administrative Services | 1,722,043 | 1,629,457 | 1,795,401 | 1,626,246 | 1,594,962 | 630,219 | 629,442 | 667,932 | 892,575 | 922,626 |
| Plant Operations & Maintenance | 5,832,830 | 5,011,540 | 5,505,188 | 3,674,921 | 4,096,453 | 1,722,143 | 1,805,738 | 1,663,393 | 1,609,605 | 1,850,542 |
| Pupil Transportation | 4,453,826 | 4,618,616 | 4,700,248 | 3,381,754 | 3,789,594 | 788,365 | 761,055 | 751,359 | 832,910 | 863,076 |
| Unallocated Benefits | - | - | - | - | - | 7,969,907 | 4,338,164 | 4,641,968 | - | - |
| Interest & Other Charges | 114,706 | 177,279 | 195,233 | 125,737 | 172,136 | 931,910 | 1,123,855 | 1,163,043 | 1,199,980 | 1,235,324 |
| Unallocated Depreciation | - | - | - | - | - | 1,062,405 | 1,019,096 | 973,149 | 752,631 | 744,958 |
| Total Governmental Activities | 59,518,191 | 56,752,351 | 56,719,716 | 52,520,716 | 47,839,072 | 25,142,700 | 21,877,451 | 21,903,452 | 20,921,661 | 20,857,627 |
| Expenses | | | | | | | | | | |
| Business-Type Activities: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food Service | 1,142,844 | 1,199,780 | 1,107,765 | 605,609 | 952,677 | 375,783 | 429,091 | 392,163 | 394,241 | 363,909 |
| Community School | 4,400 | 3,113 | 16,375 | - | 4,792 | 375,783 | 429,091 | 392,163 | 394,241 | 363,909 |
| Total Business-Type Activities | 1,147,244 | 1,202,893 | 1,124,140 | 605,609 | 957,469 | 751,566 | 858,182 | 784,326 | 788,482 | 727,818 |
| Expense | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total District Expenses | \$ 60,665,435 | \$ 57,955,244 | \$ 57,843,856 | \$ 53,126,325 | \$ 48,796,541 | \$ 25,894,266 | \$ 22,735,633 | \$ 22,687,778 | \$ 21,710,143 | \$ 21,585,445 |
| Program Revenues: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Charges for Services | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 54,141 | \$ 12,945 | \$ 75,416 | \$ 70,803 | \$ - |
| Operating Grants & Contributions | 13,410,004 | 13,875,112 | 15,418,034 | 13,015,047 | 7,746,067 | 6,986,151 | 1,950,152 | 1,871,807 | 271,669 | 271,261 |
| Total Governmental Activities | 13,410,004 | 13,875,112 | 15,418,034 | 13,015,047 | 7,746,067 | 7,040,292 | 1,963,097 | 1,947,223 | 342,472 | 271,261 |
| Program Revenues | | | | | | | | | | |
| Business-Type Activities: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Charges for Services: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food Service | 533,203 | 595,962 | 303,531 | 97,238 | 552,414 | 123,848 | 155,212 | 122,658 | 128,946 | 145,642 |
| Community School | 3,795 | 6,105 | 11,550 | - | 8,550 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Operating Grants & Contributions | 584,858 | 602,071 | 1,097,895 | 422,771 | 385,014 | 295,645 | 271,681 | 266,775 | 258,348 | 219,644 |
| Total Business Type Activities | 1,121,856 | 1,204,138 | 1,412,976 | 520,009 | 945,978 | 419,493 | 426,893 | 389,433 | 387,294 | 365,286 |
| Program Revenues | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total District Program Revenues | \$ 14,531,860 | \$ 15,079,250 | \$ 16,831,010 | \$ 13,535,056 | \$ 8,692,045 | \$ 7,459,785 | \$ 2,389,990 | \$ 2,336,656 | \$ 729,766 | \$ 636,547 |

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
CHANGES IN NET POSITION - (ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING)
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
UNAUDITED

| | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Net (Expense)/Revenue: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Governmental Activities | \$ (46,108,187) | \$ (42,877,239) | \$ (41,301,682) | \$ (39,505,669) | \$ (40,093,005) | \$ (18,102,408) | \$ (19,914,354) | \$ (19,956,229) | \$ (20,579,189) | \$ (20,586,366) |
| Business-Type Activities | (25,388) | 1,245 | 288,836 | (85,600) | (11,491) | (332,073) | (431,289) | (394,893) | (401,188) | (362,532) |
| Total District-Wide Net Expense | \$ (46,133,575) | \$ (42,875,994) | \$ (41,012,846) | \$ (39,591,269) | \$ (40,104,496) | \$ (18,434,481) | \$ (20,345,643) | \$ (20,351,122) | \$ (20,980,377) | \$ (20,948,898) |
| General Revenues & Other Changes in Net Position: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Governmental Activities: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Property Taxes Levied for General | | | | | | | | | | |
| Purposes, Net | \$ 38,300,000 | \$ 36,550,272 | \$ 35,833,600 | \$ 35,200,000 | \$ 33,975,000 | \$ 13,748,136 | \$ 13,364,766 | \$ 13,206,960 | \$ 13,076,199 | \$ 13,076,199 |
| Taxes Levied for Debt Service | - | - | 482,327 | 640,855 | 726,305 | 1,329,458 | 1,346,882 | 1,339,127 | 1,329,887 | 1,310,197 |
| Grants & Contributions | 8,015,554 | 7,063,952 | 5,278,087 | 4,848,895 | 4,715,285 | 3,682,077 | 5,275,845 | 5,586,643 | 6,888,589 | 6,357,519 |
| Tuition Received | 278,827 | 343,788 | 198,525 | 66,198 | 229,144 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Transportation | 488,759 | 435,055 | 292,632 | 284,248 | 349,796 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Miscellaneous Income | 1,593,759 | 1,393,704 | 1,053,637 | 508,983 | 287,637 | 8,029 | 11,354 | 9,663 | 46,122 | 91,461 |
| Extraordinary Items | - | - | 407,506 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total Governmental Activities | \$ 48,676,899 | \$ 45,786,771 | \$ 43,546,314 | \$ 41,549,179 | \$ 40,283,167 | \$ 18,767,700 | \$ 19,998,847 | \$ 20,142,393 | \$ 21,340,797 | \$ 20,835,376 |
| Total District-Wide | \$ 48,676,899 | \$ 45,786,771 | \$ 43,546,314 | \$ 41,549,179 | \$ 40,283,167 | \$ 18,767,700 | \$ 19,998,847 | \$ 20,142,393 | \$ 21,340,797 | \$ 20,835,376 |
| Change in Net Position: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Governmental Activities | \$ 2,568,712 | \$ 2,909,532 | \$ 2,244,632 | \$ 2,043,510 | \$ 190,162 | \$ 665,292 | \$ 84,493 | \$ 186,164 | \$ 761,608 | \$ 249,010 |
| Business-Type Activities | (25,388) | 1,245 | 288,836 | (85,600) | (11,491) | (332,073) | (431,289) | (394,893) | (401,188) | (362,532) |
| Total District | \$ 2,543,324 | \$ 2,910,777 | \$ 2,533,468 | \$ 1,957,910 | \$ 178,671 | \$ 333,219 | \$ (346,796) | \$ (208,729) | \$ 360,420 | \$ (113,522) |

Source: ACFR Schedule A-2

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
UNAUDITED
(Modified Accrual Basis of Accounting)

| | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| General Fund: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Restricted | \$ 2,242,235 | \$ 2,034,629 | \$ 2,444,387 | \$ 1,916,365 | \$ 1,294,323 | \$ 3,620,233 | \$ 2,967,645 | \$ 2,981,372 | \$ 3,099,131 | \$ 2,340,278 |
| Assigned | 654,149 | 799,476 | 482,579 | 512,196 | 386,653 | 725,484 | 816,304 | 415,315 | 240,949 | 831,399 |
| Unassigned | 342,617 | 392,803 | 315,557 | 1,171,655 | 509,554 | - | - | - | 103,549 | 180,146 |
| Total General Fund | \$ 3,239,001 | \$ 3,226,908 | \$ 3,242,523 | \$ 3,600,216 | \$ 2,190,530 | \$ 4,345,717 | \$ 3,783,949 | \$ 3,396,687 | \$ 3,443,629 | \$ 3,351,823 |
| All Other Governmental Funds: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Restricted | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 74,088 | \$ 74,088 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - |
| Debt Service Fund | - | 252,865 | 252,865 | 621,724 | 1,536,199 | - | - | - | - | 56,972 |
| Capital Projects Fund | 368,654 | 329,668 | 256,508 | 229,788 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Student Activities | 43,531 | 39,163 | 28,020 | 28,660 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Scholarship | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Reserved | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,429,213 | 1,429,213 | - |
| Total All Other Governmental Funds | \$ 412,185 | \$ 621,696 | \$ 537,393 | \$ 1,536,199 | \$ 74,088 | \$ 74,088 | \$ 1,429,213 | \$ 1,429,213 | \$ 56,972 | \$ 66,561 |

Source: ACFR Schedule B-1

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
UNAUDITED
(Modified Accrual Basis of Accounting)

| | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Revenues: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tax Levy | \$ 38,300,000 | \$ 36,550,272 | \$ 36,315,927 | \$ 35,840,855 | \$ 34,701,305 | \$ 15,077,594 | \$ 14,851,566 | \$ 14,711,648 | \$ 14,546,087 | \$ 14,406,086 |
| Tuition Charges | 278,827 | 343,788 | 198,525 | 66,198 | 229,144 | 54,141 | 59,273 | 12,945 | 58,004 | 46,754 |
| Transportation Charges | 488,759 | 435,055 | 292,632 | 284,248 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Miscellaneous | 1,595,885 | 1,397,996 | 1,053,637 | 508,219 | 650,622 | 14,447 | 15,833 | 28,540 | 27,400 | 70,171 |
| State Sources | 15,418,262 | 14,416,598 | 13,640,553 | 11,304,797 | 10,020,590 | 6,938,113 | 6,675,923 | 6,401,394 | 6,622,367 | 6,195,807 |
| Federal Sources | 3,646,070 | 3,883,695 | 2,092,548 | 1,850,091 | 1,138,967 | 934,455 | 765,610 | 807,417 | 835,759 | 964,451 |
| Total Revenues | 59,727,803 | 57,027,404 | 53,593,822 | 49,854,408 | 46,740,628 | 23,018,750 | 22,368,205 | 21,961,944 | 22,089,617 | 21,683,269 |
| Expenditures: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Instruction: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Regular Instruction | 12,113,257 | 12,002,939 | 11,409,006 | 11,505,443 | 10,203,396 | 5,804,105 | - | - | - | - |
| Special Education Instruction | 5,323,494 | 5,076,132 | 4,750,926 | 4,349,881 | 4,465,245 | 1,879,435 | 6,017,072 | 6,066,077 | 6,195,152 | 5,956,143 |
| Other Special Instruction | - | - | - | - | - | 585,390 | 1,792,773 | 1,714,360 | 1,563,496 | 1,612,490 |
| Other Instruction | 1,890,585 | 1,837,020 | 1,996,928 | 1,747,026 | 1,803,086 | 106,045 | 472,935 | 654,988 | 628,942 | 628,480 |
| Support Services: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tuition | 1,476,963 | 1,236,142 | 1,199,575 | 1,376,679 | 1,659,582 | 445,815 | 124,724 | 112,221 | 95,262 | 70,593 |
| Attendance & Social Work Services | 227,599 | 205,607 | 249,651 | 234,511 | 239,035 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Health Services | 344,616 | 374,296 | 306,416 | 245,042 | 247,501 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Student & Instruction Related Services | 5,739,203 | 5,623,658 | 5,077,612 | 4,174,811 | 3,591,220 | 2,525,549 | 352,293 | 636,574 | 722,222 | 569,661 |
| Other Administrative Services | 930,861 | 853,020 | 861,865 | 793,338 | 815,338 | 419,603 | 2,355,500 | 2,439,848 | 2,217,382 | 2,102,334 |
| Central Services | 532,203 | 514,777 | 531,222 | 496,706 | 465,552 | 258,416 | 641,940 | 629,442 | 667,932 | 690,674 |
| Administration Information | | | | | | | | | | |
| Technology Services | 386,323 | 344,214 | 286,697 | 332,595 | 284,397 | 13,393 | 280,419 | 217,268 | 243,784 | 232,273 |
| School Administrative Services | 1,310,847 | 1,249,503 | 1,326,678 | 1,266,711 | 1,201,831 | 630,219 | 384,182 | 354,893 | 370,118 | 361,061 |
| Plant Operations & Maintenance | 4,139,159 | 3,873,397 | 3,790,213 | 3,086,051 | 3,104,891 | 1,771,719 | 10,075 | 3,872 | 6,250 | 77,082 |
| Pupil Transportation | 3,390,880 | 3,541,335 | 3,472,345 | 2,634,324 | 2,854,387 | 788,365 | 1,912,522 | 1,805,738 | 1,663,393 | 1,592,234 |
| Unallocated Benefits | 18,251,717 | 16,325,527 | 15,577,594 | 14,421,143 | 12,996,324 | 5,090,072 | 4,638,563 | 4,400,782 | 4,770,980 | 4,256,891 |
| Business and Other Support Services: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Other | - | - | - | - | - | - | 774,392 | 761,055 | 751,359 | 734,598 |
| Capital Outlay | 5,587,107 | 3,748,600 | 2,736,031 | 2,119,555 | 3,240,100 | 109,857 | 173,322 | 171,038 | 129,532 | 171,478 |
| Debt Service: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Principal | 78,323 | 96,744 | 694,156 | 894,705 | 967,507 | 1,000,000 | 950,000 | 900,000 | 850,000 | 800,000 |
| Interest & Other Charges | 114,706 | 114,706 | 132,187 | 143,614 | 161,188 | 1,029,000 | 1,331,440 | 1,140,730 | 1,178,980 | 1,214,980 |
| Total Expenditures | 61,837,843 | 57,017,617 | 54,399,102 | 49,822,135 | 48,300,580 | 22,456,983 | 22,212,152 | 22,008,886 | 22,054,784 | 21,070,972 |
| Other Financing Sources/(Uses): | | | | | | | | | | |
| Capital Leases (Non-budgeted) | 1,922,622 | 48,901 | 104,809 | - | 508,395 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Leases Proceeds - EISP Lease | - | - | - | - | 3,250,000 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Proceeds of Refunding Bonds | - | - | - | - | - | - | 23,712,043 | - | - | - |
| Deposit to Refunding Escrow | - | - | - | - | - | - | (23,406,745) | - | - | - |
| Transfers In | - | - | 68,890 | - | - | - | - | - | 56,972 | 11,564 |
| Transfers Out | - | - | (68,890) | - | - | - | - | - | (56,972) | (11,564) |
| Total Other Financing Sources/(Uses) | 1,922,622 | 48,901 | 104,809 | - | 3,758,395 | - | 305,298 | - | - | - |
| Net Change in Fund Balances | \$ (187,418) | \$ 58,688 | \$ (700,471) | \$ 32,273 | \$ 2,198,443 | \$ 561,767 | \$ 461,351 | \$ (46,942) | \$ 34,833 | \$ 612,297 |
| Debt Service as a Percentage of Noncapital Expenditures | 0.31% | 0.37% | 1.54% | 2.13% | 2.39% | 9.93% | 11.45% | 10.22% | 10.13% | 10.57% |

Source: ACFR Schedule B-2

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND - OTHER LOCAL REVENUE BY SOURCE
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
UNAUDITED
(Modified Accrual Basis of Accounting)**

| FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, | INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS | TUITION | | TUITION OTHER | TRANSPORTATION | | MISCELLANEOUS | TOTAL |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|----|------------------|----------------|-----------|---------------|--------------|
| | | FROM OTHER LEA's | | | FEES | | | |
| 2024 | \$ 250 | \$ 278,827 | \$ | - | \$ | 488,759 | \$ 719,366 | \$ 1,487,202 |
| 2023 | 13,170 | 343,788 | | - | | 435,055 | 661,474 | 1,453,487 |
| 2022 | 250 | 198,525 | | - | | 292,632 | 319,556 | 810,963 |
| 2021 | - | 66,198 | | - | | 284,248 | 254,468 | 604,914 |
| 2020 | 200 | 229,144 | | - | | 349,796 | 286,917 | 866,057 |
| 2019 | 6,087 | 54,141 | | - | | - | 1,942 | 62,170 |
| 2018 | 3,939 | 12,945 | | - | | - | 7,415 | 24,299 |
| 2017 | 3,974 | 58,004 | | - | | 17,412 | 5,689 | 85,079 |
| 2016 | 3,552 | 44,704 | | 2,050 | | 24,049 | 11,511 | 85,866 |
| 2015 | 7,390 | 1,067 | | - | | - | 29,505 | 37,962 |
| Total | \$ 38,812 | \$ 1,287,343 | \$ | 2,050 | \$ | 1,891,951 | \$ 2,297,843 | \$ 5,517,999 |

Source: District Records

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| Revenue Capacity Information |
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Revenue capacity information is intended to assist users in understanding and assessing the factors affecting the School District's ability to generate revenues. Please refer to the following exhibits for a historical view of these factors and how they relate to the School District's ability to generate revenues.

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CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
ASSESSED VALUE AND ACTUAL VALUE OF TAXABLE PROPERTY,
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
Unaudited

| FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30 | VACANT LAND | RESIDENTIAL | COMMERCIAL | INDUSTRIAL | APARTMENT | TOTAL ASSESSED VALUE | LESS TAX EXEMPT PROPERTY | PUBLIC UTILITIES | NET VALUATION TAXABLE | TOTAL DIRECT SCHOOL TAX RATE | ACTUAL (COUNTY EQUALIZED) VALUE |
|------------------------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| BERKELEY | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | \$ 143,719,200 | \$ 4,580,869,960 | \$ 290,027,400 | \$ 24,462,500 | \$ 57,997,000 | \$ 5,102,034,098 | \$ 1,278,099,500 | - | \$ 6,380,133,598 | - | \$ 5,093,712,990 |
| 2016 | 139,576,200 | 4,610,354,810 | 285,904,700 | 23,692,500 | 55,205,700 | 5,119,435,600 | 1,281,759,500 | - | 6,401,195,100 | 1.022 | 5,286,358,469 |
| 2017 | 134,323,200 | 4,616,600,166 | 280,585,300 | 16,424,100 | 55,205,700 | 5,107,714,648 | 1,293,195,830 | - | 6,400,910,478 | - | 5,419,664,792 |
| 2018 | 135,728,900 | 4,637,597,300 | 280,660,700 | 16,853,300 | 60,521,100 | 5,136,193,690 | 1,306,073,600 | - | 6,442,267,290 | 1.067 | 5,585,512,630 |
| 2019 | 126,574,300 | 4,684,455,500 | 279,661,000 | 16,853,300 | 63,128,800 | 5,175,652,820 | 1,310,862,800 | - | 6,486,515,620 | 1.066 | 5,827,301,988 |
| 2020 | 119,659,200 | 4,734,246,000 | 281,332,300 | 16,968,500 | 65,549,800 | 5,223,443,562 | 1,317,137,300 | - | 6,540,580,862 | 1.066 | 6,540,580,862 |
| 2021 | 112,784,400 | 4,784,475,400 | 277,366,830 | 18,772,700 | 65,549,800 | 5,193,399,330 | 1,324,801,100 | 6,590,839.00 | 6,518,200,430 | 1.067 | 5,887,501,508 |
| 2022 | 115,570,100 | 4,817,670,600 | 268,776,400 | 18,567,100 | 65,549,800 | 5,220,584,200 | 1,329,414,800 | - | 6,549,999,000 | 1.095 | 6,510,030,419 |
| 2023 | 104,959,100 | 4,877,889,600 | 276,368,700 | 18,567,100 | 65,549,800 | 5,277,784,500 | 1,333,767,200 | - | 6,611,551,700 | 1.095 | 7,660,709,677 |
| 2024 | 107,158,500 | 4,920,162,100 | 275,145,900 | 26,416,900 | 65,549,800 | 5,328,883,400 | 1,340,749,800 | - | 6,669,633,200 | 1.095 | 8,611,821,201 |
| ISLAND HEIGHTS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | \$ 16,158,700 | \$ 307,697,700 | \$ 20,588,200 | \$ - | \$ 489,300 | \$ 345,132,255 | \$ 22,736,500 | - | \$ 367,868,755 | \$ - | \$ 342,264,239 |
| 2016 | 16,740,400 | 307,677,800 | 20,523,400 | - | 489,300 | 345,631,813 | 22,736,500 | - | 368,368,313 | 0.912 | 328,307,771 |
| 2017 | 14,671,000 | 310,496,700 | 20,576,200 | - | 489,300 | 346,430,885 | 23,018,800 | - | 369,449,685 | - | 345,395,292 |
| 2018 | 13,014,400 | 313,614,800 | 20,576,200 | - | 489,300 | 347,893,775 | 23,018,800 | - | 370,912,575 | 0.939 | 355,243,188 |
| 2019 | 11,224,600 | 333,025,700 | 24,591,600 | - | 499,400 | 369,544,341 | 32,555,600 | - | 402,099,941 | N/A | - |
| 2020 | 11,267,300 | 334,113,000 | 23,761,300 | - | 499,400 | 369,843,430 | 32,925,300 | - | 402,768,730 | 0.952 | 373,865,682 |
| 2021 | 9,974,000 | 336,769,800 | 23,479,600 | - | 499,400 | 370,722,800 | 34,849,200 | 201,090.00 | 405,572,000 | 1.056 | 378,158,463 |
| 2022 | 9,569,700 | 338,102,400 | 23,795,100 | - | 499,400 | 371,966,600 | 35,403,000 | - | 407,369,600 | 1.064 | 406,476,451 |
| 2023 | 9,043,600 | 342,160,300 | 24,650,300 | - | 499,400 | 376,353,600 | 34,533,600 | - | 410,887,200 | 1.064 | 486,182,147 |
| 2024 | 7,647,900 | 348,211,800 | 25,325,500 | - | 499,400 | 381,684,600 | 36,437,200 | - | 418,121,800 | 1.064 | 522,640,833 |
| OCEAN GATE | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | \$ 2,933,500 | \$ 246,659,800 | \$ 4,527,500 | \$ - | \$ 1,242,100 | \$ 255,456,077 | \$ 12,185,800 | - | \$ 267,641,877 | \$ - | \$ 231,853,005 |
| 2016 | 3,180,800 | 206,460,400 | 4,509,000 | - | 1,106,900 | 215,347,392 | 13,757,100 | - | 229,104,492 | 1.272 | 226,295,735 |
| 2017 | 3,197,800 | 207,340,300 | 4,509,000 | - | 1,106,900 | 216,236,835 | 13,784,700 | - | 230,021,535 | - | 227,135,356 |
| 2018 | 2,467,300 | 211,070,200 | 4,509,000 | - | 1,106,900 | 219,236,646 | 13,784,700 | - | 233,021,346 | 1.267 | 244,292,517 |
| 2019 | 2,558,000 | 211,911,100 | 4,509,000 | - | 1,106,900 | 220,163,874 | 13,970,300 | - | 234,134,174 | N/A | - |
| 2020 | 2,300,500 | 214,428,700 | 4,509,000 | - | 1,106,900 | 222,422,076 | 15,751,900 | - | 238,173,976 | 1.324 | 253,963,564 |
| 2021 | 2,312,200 | 216,245,500 | 4,509,000 | - | 1,106,900 | 223,066,700 | 224,249,620 | 76,020.00 | 447,316,320 | - | 258,527,633 |
| 2022 | 2,195,900 | 218,934,400 | 4,509,000 | - | 1,106,900 | 225,639,300 | 15,924,000 | - | 241,563,300 | 1.342 | 294,093,645 |
| 2023 | 2,253,400 | 221,089,400 | 4,605,200 | - | 1,106,900 | 227,948,000 | 15,756,600 | - | 243,704,600 | 1.342 | 340,399,614 |
| 2024 | 4,254,600 | 436,688,300 | 9,773,400 | - | 4,311,500 | 450,716,300 | 30,955,800 | - | 481,672,100 | 1.342 | 424,268,345 |

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
 ASSESSED VALUE AND ACTUAL VALUE OF TAXABLE PROPERTY,
 LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
 Unaudited

| FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30 | VACANT LAND | RESIDENTIAL | COMMERCIAL | INDUSTRIAL | APARTMENT | TOTAL ASSESSED VALUE | LESS TAX EXEMPT PROPERTY | PUBLIC UTILITIES | NET VALUATION TAXABLE | TOTAL DIRECT SCHOOL TAX RATE | ACTUAL (COUNTY EQUALIZED) VALUE |
|------------------------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|------------|---------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| SEASIDE HEIGHTS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | \$ 28,267,900 | \$ 396,077,000 | \$ 188,074,300 | \$ - | \$ 28,414,000 | \$ 640,833,200 | \$ 62,720,400 | \$ - | \$ 703,553,600 | \$ - | \$ 659,157,786 |
| 2016 | 25,230,100 | 393,639,500 | 186,208,200 | - | 28,345,200 | 633,423,000 | 69,658,800 | - | 703,081,800 | 0.884 | 637,374,723 |
| 2017 | 23,517,700 | 395,764,200 | 184,782,100 | - | 28,206,900 | 632,270,900 | 83,155,500 | - | 715,426,400 | - | 647,752,177 |
| 2018 | 24,205,000 | 397,426,800 | 189,130,300 | - | 26,644,900 | 637,407,000 | 84,865,300 | - | 722,272,300 | 0.879 | 665,907,856 |
| 2019 | 24,022,500 | 402,655,000 | 185,718,300 | - | 29,332,200 | 641,728,000 | 84,335,200 | - | 726,063,200 | 0.900 | 682,783,835 |
| 2020 | 19,582,800 | 410,297,000 | 187,545,000 | - | 28,830,100 | 646,254,900 | 97,329,000 | - | 743,583,900 | 0.900 | 678,767,882 |
| 2021 | 19,095,500 | 425,464,500 | 187,187,500 | - | 29,606,300 | 631,747,500 | 88,147,700 | - | 719,895,200 | 0.944 | 794,021,367 |
| 2022 | 21,456,000 | 439,464,500 | 181,344,100 | - | 30,350,900 | 642,264,600 | 87,415,800 | - | 729,680,400 | 0.964 | 947,777,593 |
| 2023 | 22,702,300 | 457,464,900 | 173,528,600 | - | 30,694,400 | 653,695,800 | 82,048,900 | - | 735,744,700 | 0.096 | 1,137,855,158 |
| 2024 | 25,019,300 | 473,558,700 | 167,789,800 | - | 29,658,200 | 666,367,800 | 82,749,000 | - | 749,116,800 | 0.096 | |
| SEASIDE PARK | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | \$ 26,288,600 | \$ 1,043,320,800 | \$ 38,067,600 | \$ - | \$ 8,303,500 | \$ 1,115,980,500 | \$ 178,158,000 | \$ - | \$ 1,294,138,500 | \$ - | \$ 1,184,315,505 |
| 2016 | 26,448,900 | 1,047,592,100 | 34,462,900 | - | 8,303,500 | 1,116,807,400 | 178,345,300 | - | 1,295,152,700 | 0.405 | 1,182,432,398 |
| 2017 | 26,484,100 | 1,050,983,900 | 34,345,900 | - | 8,303,500 | 1,120,117,400 | 178,345,300 | - | 1,298,462,700 | - | 1,185,685,826 |
| 2018 | 29,031,300 | 1,052,081,300 | 35,125,100 | - | 7,881,800 | 1,124,119,500 | 179,016,300 | - | 1,303,135,800 | 0.430 | 1,161,160,521 |
| 2019 | 21,823,400 | 1,069,596,400 | 35,110,200 | - | 7,881,800 | 1,134,411,800 | 178,736,300 | - | 1,313,148,100 | 0.546 | 1,182,657,486 |
| 2020 | 23,404,400 | 1,083,413,800 | 35,991,700 | - | 8,034,100 | 1,150,844,000 | 181,120,200 | - | 1,331,964,200 | 0.546 | 1,183,387,147 |
| 2021 | 22,313,100 | 1,088,745,900 | 36,380,700 | - | 8,038,100 | 1,147,439,700 | 180,941,900 | - | 1,328,381,600 | 0.559 | 1,281,145,224 |
| 2022 | 20,675,100 | 1,095,810,300 | 35,492,100 | - | 8,099,500 | 1,151,977,500 | 180,941,900 | - | 1,332,919,400 | 0.561 | 1,502,291,050 |
| 2023 | 19,165,000 | 1,103,772,400 | 35,492,100 | - | 8,099,500 | 1,158,429,500 | 180,178,200 | - | 1,338,607,700 | 0.561 | 1,690,531,624 |
| 2024 | 18,751,500 | 1,114,826,500 | 32,688,400 | - | 7,131,600 | 1,166,266,400 | 182,193,500 | - | 1,348,459,900 | 0.561 | |

Abstract of Ratables - Ocean County

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING PROPERTY TAX RATES
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Rate per \$100 of Assessed Value)
Unaudited

| | SCHOOL DISTRICT DIRECT RATE | | | OVERLAPPING RATES | | | TOTAL DIRECT & OVERLAPPING TAX RATE |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|---|-----------------------|--------------------|--|
| | CURRENT TAX RATE | DEBT SERVICE TAX RATE | TOTAL REGIONAL TAX RATE | LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TAX RATE | MUNICIPAL TAX RATE | COUNTY TAX RATE | |
| Berkeley | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | N/A | N/A | 0.425 | 0.561 | 0.610 | 0.416 | 2.069 |
| 2016 | 0.422 | 0.014 | 0.436 | 0.586 | 0.628 | 0.419 | 2.069 |
| 2017 | 0.425 | 0.011 | 0.436 | 0.587 | 0.628 | 0.429 | 2.080 |
| 2018 | 0.456 | 0.010 | 0.466 | 0.601 | 0.656 | 0.437 | 2.160 |
| 2019 | 0.456 | 0.010 | 0.466 | 0.600 | 0.656 | 0.445 | 2.167 |
| 2020 | 0.465 | 0.010 | 0.475 | 0.606 | 0.696 | 0.452 | 2.229 |
| 2021 | 0.468 | 0.010 | 0.478 | - | - | - | - |
| 2022 | 0.477 | - | 0.477 | 0.618 | 0.715 | 0.467 | 2.277 |
| 2023 | 0.477 | - | 0.477 | 0.618 | 0.715 | 0.467 | 2.320 |
| 2024 | 0.542 | - | 0.542 | 0.603 | 0.750 | 0.542 | 2.411 |
| Island Heights | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | 0.342 | 0.020 | 0.332 | 0.556 | 0.502 | 0.414 | 1.804 |
| 2016 | 0.337 | 0.010 | 0.347 | 0.565 | 0.524 | 0.422 | 1.858 |
| 2017 | 0.301 | 0.008 | 0.309 | 0.595 | 0.546 | 0.395 | 1.845 |
| 2018 | 0.347 | 0.007 | 0.354 | 0.585 | 0.556 | 0.411 | 1.906 |
| 2019 | 0.332 | 0.005 | 0.337 | 0.615 | 0.537 | 0.402 | 1.891 |
| 2020 | 0.397 | 0.005 | 0.402 | 0.650 | 0.545 | 0.409 | 2.006 |
| 2021 | 0.380 | 0.004 | 0.384 | 0.672 | 0.550 | 0.405 | 2.011 |
| 2022 | 0.391 | 0.000 | 0.391 | 0.673 | 0.548 | 0.414 | 2.026 |
| 2023 | 0.391 | 0.000 | 0.391 | 0.673 | 0.548 | 0.414 | 2.070 |
| 2024 | 0.465 | 0.000 | 0.465 | 0.712 | 0.565 | 0.465 | 2.129 |
| Ocean Gate | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | 0.346 | 0.015 | 0.361 | 0.646 | 0.653 | 0.378 | 2.038 |
| 2016 | 0.456 | 0.014 | 0.470 | 0.802 | 0.787 | 0.429 | 2.488 |
| 2017 | 0.430 | 0.011 | 0.441 | 0.813 | 0.817 | 0.437 | 2.508 |
| 2018 | 0.426 | 0.009 | 0.435 | 0.832 | 0.827 | 0.433 | 2.527 |
| 2019 | 0.430 | 0.007 | 0.437 | 0.887 | 0.837 | 0.457 | 2.618 |
| 2020 | 0.485 | 0.007 | 0.492 | 0.882 | 0.847 | 0.462 | 2.683 |
| 2021 | 0.464 | 0.005 | 0.469 | - | - | - | - |
| 2022 | 0.466 | - | 0.466 | 0.876 | 0.947 | 0.492 | 2.781 |
| 2023 | 0.466 | - | 0.466 | 0.876 | 0.947 | 0.492 | 3.019 |
| 2024 | 0.267 | - | 0.267 | 0.504 | 0.556 | 0.317 | 1.644 |

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING PROPERTY TAX RATES
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Rate per \$100 of Assessed Value)
Unaudited

| | SCHOOL DISTRICT DIRECT RATE | | | OVERLAPPING RATES | | | TOTAL DIRECT & OVERLAPPING TAX RATE |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|---|-----------------------|--------------------|--|
| | CURRENT TAX RATE | DEBT SERVICE TAX RATE | TOTAL REGIONAL TAX RATE | LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TAX RATE | MUNICIPAL TAX RATE | COUNTY TAX RATE | |
| Seaside Heights | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | 0.365 | 0.015 | 0.380 | 0.427 | 0.901 | 0.427 | 2.135 |
| 2016 | 0.436 | 0.014 | 0.450 | 0.434 | 0.930 | 0.398 | 2.212 |
| 2017 | 0.420 | 0.011 | 0.431 | 0.435 | 0.967 | 0.417 | 2.250 |
| 2018 | 0.404 | 0.013 | 0.417 | 0.462 | 0.412 | 1.002 | 2.293 |
| 2019 | 0.415 | 0.014 | 0.429 | 0.471 | 1.021 | 0.434 | 2.355 |
| 2020 | 0.429 | 0.014 | 0.443 | 0.521 | 1.025 | 0.439 | 2.428 |
| 2021 | 0.391 | 0.012 | 0.403 | 0.541 | - | - | - |
| 2022 | 0.407 | - | 0.407 | 0.557 | 1.089 | 0.448 | 2.501 |
| 2023 | 0.407 | - | 0.407 | 0.557 | 1.089 | 0.448 | 2.630 |
| 2024 | 0.528 | - | 0.528 | 0.620 | 1.130 | 0.556 | 2.834 |
| Seaside Park | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | 0.342 | 0.011 | 0.353 | 0.052 | 0.480 | 0.427 | 1.312 |
| 2016 | 0.342 | 0.011 | 0.353 | 0.052 | 0.480 | 0.427 | 1.312 |
| 2017 | 0.407 | 0.010 | 0.417 | 0.052 | 0.508 | 0.434 | 1.411 |
| 2018 | 0.350 | 0.024 | 0.374 | 0.056 | 0.522 | 0.438 | 1.390 |
| 2019 | 0.485 | 0.008 | 0.493 | 0.053 | 0.517 | 0.424 | 1.487 |
| 2020 | 0.473 | 0.010 | 0.483 | 0.051 | 0.553 | 0.416 | 1.503 |
| 2021 | 0.515 | 0.005 | 0.520 | 0.039 | 0.553 | 0.407 | 1.519 |
| 2022 | 0.525 | - | 0.525 | 0.036 | 0.572 | 0.419 | 1.552 |
| 2023 | 0.525 | - | 0.525 | 0.036 | 0.572 | 0.419 | 1.609 |
| 2024 | 0.489 | - | 0.489 | 0.049 | 0.633 | 0.489 | 1.636 |

Source: Municipal Tax Collector

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
PRINCIPAL PROPERTY TAX PAYERS,
CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEARS AGO
Unaudited**

| | 2024 | | | 2015 | | |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------|--|------|------------------------------|--|--|
| | Taxable Assessed Value | % of Total District Net Assessed Value | Rank | Taxable Assessed Value | % of Total District Net Assessed Value | |
| Berkeley Township | | | | | | |
| Plainfield Properties LLC | \$ 28,289,800 | 0.54% | 1 | \$ 39,686,700 | 0.77% | |
| Quaker Malls LP | 17,721,200 | 0.34% | 2 | 28,289,800 | 0.55% | |
| Ocean County Equities LLC | 15,557,000 | 0.30% | 3 | - | - | |
| Bayville Commons | 13,000,000 | 0.25% | 4 | 23,404,000 | 0.34% | |
| Berkeley Healthcare Assoc LLC | 11,500,000 | 0.22% | 5 | 16,631,000 | 0.32% | |
| River Bay Gardens, LLC | 10,321,200 | 0.20% | 6 | 13,500,000 | 0.26% | |
| Holiday Propco LLC | 10,000,000 | 0.19% | 7 | 13,500,000 | 0.26% | |
| Millers Camp Inc | 8,449,000 | 0.16% | 8 | 11,451,900 | 0.22% | |
| Bay Housing Assoc | 8,160,000 | 0.15% | 9 | 9,489,500 | 0.20% | |
| Crystal Care Realty LLC | 8,000,000 | 0.15% | 10 | - | - | |
| Total | \$ 130,998,200 | 2.49% | | \$ 155,952,900 | 2.92% | |
| Island Heights | | | | | | |
| Jersey Yachting Center LLC | \$ 4,972,300.0 | 1.34% | 1 | \$ 4,850,000 | 2.39% | |
| Nelson Properties Partnership | 2,147,300 | 0.58% | 2 | 2,307,800 | 0.66% | |
| Peter M & Elisa A Rapaport | 1,900,700 | 0.51% | 3 | 1,888,400 | 0.54% | |
| George & Harriet Prepis | 1,847,300 | 0.50% | 4 | 1,821,800 | 0.54% | |
| Cozy Cove Marina Company Inc | 1,821,400 | 0.49% | 5 | 1,821,800 | 0.54% | |
| Andrea & Thomas Damiano | 1,768,200 | 0.48% | 6 | 1,761,400 | 0.50% | |
| Ocean Bend | 1,749,900 | 0.47% | 7 | 1,716,500 | 0.49% | |
| Steven Brick | 1,706,400 | 0.46% | 8 | 1,687,000 | 0.48% | |
| Robert & Janet Davino | 1,620,700 | 0.44% | 9 | - | - | |
| Philip & Margarita Reynolds | 1,596,700 | 0.43% | 10 | - | - | |
| Total | \$ 21,130,900 | 5.70% | | \$ 17,854,700 | 6.14% | |
| Ocean Gate | | | | | | |
| Smith Investment Properties LLC | \$ 1,924,300 | 0.86% | 1 | \$ 1,201,700 | 0.46% | |
| Mapletree Equities LLC | 1,714,800 | 0.76% | 2 | 855,700 | 0.33% | |
| Blackburn, Kenneth & Louise | 1,420,800 | 0.63% | 3 | - | - | |
| Cauvin, Leslie & Debra | 1,385,900 | 0.62% | 4 | - | - | |
| Ocean Gate Yacht Club | 1,375,100 | 0.61% | 5 | 701,200 | 0.28% | |
| Golda, Frank | 1,340,000 | 0.60% | 6 | - | 0.27% | |
| Thomas & Steve Patchett | 1,279,300 | 0.57% | 7 | 675,000 | 0.26% | |
| Pulaski, Gordon | 1,273,000 | 0.57% | 8 | - | - | |
| UBE Holdings LLC | 1,259,600 | 0.56% | 9 | 715,000 | 0.27% | |
| Norman & Patricia Filipeczak | 1,250,500 | 0.56% | 10 | 666,300 | 0.26% | |
| Total | \$ 14,223,300 | 6.34% | | \$ 4,814,900 | 2.13% | |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
PRINCIPAL PROPERTY TAX PAYERS,
CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEARS AGO
Unaudited**

| | 2024 | | | 2015 | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------|--|------|------------------------------|--|--|
| | Taxable Assessed Value | % of Total District Net Assessed Value | Rank | Taxable Assessed Value | % of Total District Net Assessed Value | |
| Seaside Heights | | | | | | |
| AFMV LLC | \$ 29,242,700 | 4.42% | 1 | \$ 30,737,700 | 4.66% | |
| McGrath Partnership | 6,322,000 | 0.96% | 2 | 7,897,000 | 1.28% | |
| Seaside Ocean Terrace LLC | 6,000,000 | 0.91% | 3 | 23,056,000 | 2.95% | |
| Shree Atlantic Hospitality LLC | 5,228,800 | 0.79% | 4 | 7,744,000 | 0.52% | |
| Seaside Heights Imp & Dev Co Inc | 4,554,200 | 0.69% | 5 | 7,644,200 | 0.45% | |
| Samuel Tilles Inc. | 4,295,300 | 0.65% | 6 | 6,633,000 | 0.40% | |
| M&R Ocean Properties LLC | 3,498,900 | 0.53% | 7 | - | - | |
| Beachfront Enterprises LLC | 3,274,600 | 0.50% | 8 | 4,700,000 | 0.26% | |
| Nini Feldman & Jill Finlay | 3,000,000 | 0.45% | 9 | 6,552,800 | 0.31% | |
| Shree Ambika Balaji | 2,834,300 | 0.43% | 10 | 5,978,100 | 0.28% | |
| | | | | | | |
| Total | \$ 68,250,800 | 10.32% | | \$ 100,942,800 | 11.11% | |
| Seaside Park | | | | | | |
| Leonard & Diane Light | \$ 6,180,972 | 0.53% | 1 | \$ 1,704,300 | 0.13% | |
| Joy-Jam inc C/O Windjammer | 5,724,364 | 0.50% | 2 | 4,169,600 | 0.40% | |
| Friedland Family Trust | 4,993,399 | 0.43% | 3 | 5,955,800 | 3.19% | |
| Bonnie Holmes | 4,796,588 | 0.42% | 4 | 2,693,400 | 0.32% | |
| 410 Central Ave SSP LLC | 4,673,888 | 0.40% | 5 | - | - | |
| Ryan & Erica Masiello | 4,395,932 | 0.38% | 6 | - | - | |
| Seaside Park Yacht Club | 4,045,010 | 0.35% | 7 | 2,525,300 | 0.22% | |
| John & Penny Welch | 3,886,349 | 0.34% | 8 | 2,525,300 | 0.22% | |
| Cheryly Raley & Roy Borton | 3,779,324 | 0.33% | 9 | 1,704,300 | 0.13% | |
| Jennifer & Michael Lombardi | 3,761,818 | 0.33% | 10 | 1,563,800 | 0.12% | |
| | | | | | | |
| Total | \$ 46,237,644 | 4.00% | | \$ 22,841,800 | 4.73% | |

Source: Municipal Tax Assessor

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
PROPERTY TAX LEVIES & COLLECTIONS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
Unaudited**

| FISCAL YEAR ENDED | TAXES LEVIED FOR THE FISCAL YEAR | | COLLECTED WITHIN THE FISCAL YEAR OF THE LEVY | | SUBSEQUENT YEARS | | |
|-------------------------|---|-------------|---|-----------------------|---------------------|----|-----------|
| | | | AMOUNT | PERCENTAGE OF LEVY | | | |
| Berkeley Township | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | \$ | 103,129,564 | \$ | 100,540,548 | 97.49% | \$ | 3,735,176 |
| 2016 | | 105,897,564 | | 100,540,548 | 94.94% | | 3,017,182 |
| 2017 | | 106,342,753 | | 103,711,548 | 97.53% | | 3,035,222 |
| 2018 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2019 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2020 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2021 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2022 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2023 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2024 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| Island Heights | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | \$ | 6,250,504 | \$ | 6,078,827 | 97.25% | \$ | 171,677 |
| 2016 | | 6,459,026 | | 6,260,024 | 96.92% | | 45,907 |
| 2017 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2018 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2019 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2020 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2021 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2022 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2023 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2024 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| Ocean Gate | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2016 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2017 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2018 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2019 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2020 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2021 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2022 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2023 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |
| 2024 | | N/A | | N/A | N/A | | N/A |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
PROPERTY TAX LEVIES & COLLECTIONS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
Unaudited**

| FISCAL YEAR ENDED | TAXES LEVIED FOR THE FISCAL YEAR | COLLECTED WITHIN THE FISCAL YEAR OF THE LEVY | | SUBSEQUENT YEARS |
|-------------------------|---|---|-----------------------|---------------------|
| | | AMOUNT | PERCENTAGE OF LEVY | |
| Seaside Heights | | | | |
| 2015 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2016 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2017 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2018 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2019 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2020 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2021 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2022 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2023 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2024 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Seaside Park | | | | |
| 2015 | \$ 15,161,730 | \$ 15,161,730 | 99.16% | N/A |
| 2016 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2017 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2018 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2019 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2020 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2021 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2022 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2023 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2024 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |

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| Debt Capacity Information |
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Debt capacity information is intended to assist users in understanding and assessing the School District's debt burden and its ability to issue additional debt. Please refer to the following exhibits for historical view of the School District's outstanding debt and its debt capacity.

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CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
RATIOS OF OUTSTANDING DEBT BY TYPE
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
Unaudited

| FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30 | GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES | | TOTAL DISTRICT | PERCENTAGE OF | PER CAPITA |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|------------|
| | GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS | ANTICIPATION NOTES (BANs) | | PER CAPITA INCOME | |
| BERKELEY | | | | | |
| 2024 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2023 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2022 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2021 | \$ 176,454 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2020 | 452,594 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2019 | 816,134 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2018 | 1,349,040 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2017 | 1,896,540 | 13,670,927 | 43,064,927 | N/A | N/A |
| 2016 | N/A | 13,670,927 | 43,064,927 | N/A | N/A |
| 2015 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| ISLAND HEIGHTS | | | | | |
| 2024 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2023 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2022 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2021 | \$ 9,971 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2020 | 27,282 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2019 | 42,308 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2018 | 55,440 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2017 | 77,940 | N/A | 1,080,000 | N/A | N/A |
| 2016 | 1,080,000 | N/A | 1,080,000 | N/A | N/A |
| 2015 | 1,188,000 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| OCEAN GATE | | | | | |
| 2024 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2023 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2022 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2021 | \$ 7,378 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2020 | 20,054 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2019 | 32,668 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2018 | 55,440 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2017 | 77,940 | N/A | 736,000 | N/A | N/A |
| 2016 | 736,000 | N/A | 736,000 | N/A | N/A |
| 2015 | 866,000 | N/A | 866,000 | N/A | N/A |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
RATIOS OF OUTSTANDING DEBT BY TYPE
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
Unaudited**

| FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30 | GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES | | TOTAL DISTRICT | PERCENTAGE OF PER CAPITA INCOME | PER CAPITA |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|--|------------|
| | GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS | ANTICIPATION NOTES (BANs) | | | |
| SEASIDE HEIGHTS | | | | | |
| 2024 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2023 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2022 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2021 | \$ 17,267 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2020 | 52,514 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2019 | 91,940 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2018 | 129,360 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2017 | 181,860 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2016 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2015 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| SEASIDE PARK | | | | | |
| 2024 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2023 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2022 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2021 | \$ 41,930 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2020 | 100,497 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2019 | 189,950 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2018 | 258,720 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2017 | 363,720 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2016 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2015 | 7,762,583 | 7,762,583 | N/A | N/A | N/A |

Note: Details regarding the District's outstanding debt can be found in the notes to the financial statements.

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
RATIOS OF NET GENERAL BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
Unaudited

| GENERAL BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|------------|---|--|------------|
| FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30 | GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS | | DEDUCTIONS | NET GENERAL BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING | PERCENTAGE OF ACTUAL TAXABLE VALUE OF PROPERTY | PER CAPITA |
| BERKELEY TOWNSHIP | | | | | | |
| 2024 | \$ | - | \$ | - | 0.000% | N/A |
| 2023 | | - | | - | 0.000% | N/A |
| 2022 | | - | | - | 0.000% | N/A |
| 2021 | | 176,454 | N/A | 176,454 | 0.003% | N/A |
| 2020 | | 452,594 | N/A | 452,594 | 0.009% | N/A |
| 2019 | | 816,134 | N/A | 816,134 | 0.016% | N/A |
| 2018 | | 1,349,040 | N/A | 1,349,040 | N/A | N/A |
| 2017 | | 1,896,540 | N/A | 1,896,540 | N/A | N/A |
| 2016 | | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2015 | | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| ISLAND HEIGHTS | | | | | | |
| 2024 | \$ | - | \$ | - | 0.000% | N/A |
| 2023 | | - | | - | 0.000% | N/A |
| 2022 | | - | | - | 0.000% | N/A |
| 2021 | | 9,971 | N/A | 9,971 | 0.003% | N/A |
| 2020 | | 27,282 | N/A | 27,282 | 0.007% | N/A |
| 2019 | | 42,308 | N/A | 42,308 | 0.011% | N/A |
| 2018 | | 55,440 | N/A | 55,440 | N/A | N/A |
| 2017 | | 77,940 | N/A | 77,940 | N/A | N/A |
| 2016 | | 1,080,000 | N/A | 1,080,000 | N/A | N/A |
| 2015 | | 1,188,000 | N/A | 1,188,000 | N/A | N/A |
| OCEAN GATE | | | | | | |
| 2024 | \$ | - | \$ | - | 0.000% | N/A |
| 2023 | | - | | - | 0.000% | N/A |
| 2022 | | - | | - | 0.000% | N/A |
| 2021 | | 7,378 | N/A | 7,378 | 0.003% | N/A |
| 2020 | | 20,054 | N/A | 20,054 | 0.009% | N/A |
| 2019 | | 32,668 | N/A | 32,668 | 0.015% | N/A |
| 2018 | | 55,440 | N/A | 55,440 | N/A | N/A |
| 2017 | | 77,940 | N/A | 77,940 | N/A | N/A |
| 2016 | | 736,000 | N/A | 736,000 | N/A | N/A |
| 2015 | | 866,000 | N/A | 866,000 | N/A | N/A |

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
RATIOS OF NET GENERAL BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
Unaudited

| FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30 | GENERAL BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING | | | PERCENTAGE OF ACTUAL TAXABLE VALUE OF PROPERTY | PER CAPITA |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------|---|--|------------|
| | GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS | DEDUCTIONS | NET GENERAL BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING | | |
| SEASIDE HEIGHTS | | | | | |
| 2024 | \$ | - | \$ | - | N/A |
| 2023 | | - | | - | N/A |
| 2022 | | - | | - | N/A |
| 2021 | | 17,267 | N/A | 17,267 | N/A |
| 2020 | | 52,514 | N/A | 52,514 | N/A |
| 2019 | | 91,940 | N/A | 91,940 | N/A |
| 2018 | | 129,360 | N/A | 129,360 | N/A |
| 2017 | | 181,860 | N/A | 181,860 | N/A |
| 2016 | | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2015 | | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| SEASIDE PARK | | | | | |
| 2024 | \$ | - | \$ | - | N/A |
| 2023 | | - | | - | N/A |
| 2022 | | - | | - | N/A |
| 2021 | | 41,930 | N/A | 41,930 | N/A |
| 2020 | | 100,497 | N/A | 100,497 | N/A |
| 2019 | | 189,950 | N/A | 189,950 | N/A |
| 2018 | | 258,720 | N/A | 258,720 | N/A |
| 2017 | | 363,720 | N/A | 363,720 | N/A |
| 2016 | | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2015 | | 7,762,583 | N/A | 7,762,583 | N/A |

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
RATIOS OF OVERLAPPING GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES DEBT
AS OF JUNE 30, 2024
Unaudited

| GOVERNMENTAL UNIT | DEBT OUTSTANDING | PERCENTAGE APPLICABLE | OVERLAPPING DEBT |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| Berkeley | | | |
| Debt Repaid With Property Taxes: | | | |
| Berkeley Township | \$ 56,124,923 | 69.630% | \$ 39,079,784 |
| Berkeley Twp. Sewerage Authority | 6,530,204 | 69.630% | 4,546,981 |
| Berkeley Township MUA | 6,239,773 | 69.630% | 4,344,754 |
| Ocean County General Obligation Debt | 450,942,968 | 5.480% | 24,711,675 |
| Local School Debt | - | 69.630% | - |
| Subtotal, Overlapping Debt | | | 72,683,194 |
| Regional School Debt | 253,000 | 69.630% | 176,164 |
| Total Direct & Overlapping Debt | | | <u>\$ 72,859,357</u> |
| Island Heights | | | |
| Debt Repaid With Property Taxes: | | | |
| Island Heights | \$ 1,805,816 | 3.670% | \$ 66,273 |
| Ocean County General Obligation Debt | 450,942,968 | 0.350% | 1,578,300 |
| Local School Debt | 2,305,000 | 3.670% | 84,594 |
| Subtotal, Overlapping Debt | | | 1,729,167 |
| Regional School Debt | 253,000 | 3.67% | 9,285 |
| Total Direct & Overlapping Debt | | | <u>\$ 1,738,452</u> |
| Ocean Gate | | | |
| Debt Repaid With Property Taxes: | | | |
| Ocean Gate | \$ 3,269,317 | 3.190% | \$ 104,291 |
| Ocean County General Obligation Debt | 450,942,968 | 0.230% | 1,037,169 |
| Local School Debt | - | 3.19% | - |
| Subtotal, Overlapping Debt | | | 1,141,460 |
| Regional School Debt | 253,000 | 3.19% | 8,071 |
| Total Direct & Overlapping Debt | | | <u>\$ 1,149,531</u> |

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
RATIOS OF OVERLAPPING GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES DEBT
AS OF JUNE 30, 2024
Unaudited

| GOVERNMENTAL UNIT | DEBT OUTSTANDING | PERCENTAGE APPLICABLE | OVERLAPPING DEBT |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Seaside Heights | | | |
| Debt Repaid With Property Taxes: | | | |
| Seaside Heights | \$ 15,098,483 | 8.020% | \$ 1,210,898 |
| Ocean County General Obligation Debt | 450,942,968 | 0.660% | 2,976,224 |
| Local School Debt | - | 8.02% | - |
| Subtotal, Overlapping Debt | | | 4,187,121.93 |
| Regional School Debt | 253,000 | 8.02% | 20,291 |
| Total Direct & Overlapping Debt | | | <u>\$ 4,207,413</u> |
| Seaside Park | | | |
| Debt Repaid With Property Taxes: | | | |
| Seaside Park | \$ 4,246,262 | 15.490% | \$ 657,746 |
| Ocean County General Obligation Debt | 450,942,968 | 1.190% | 5,366,221 |
| Local School Debt | - | 15.490% | - |
| Subtotal, Overlapping Debt | | | 6,023,967 |
| Regional School Debt | 253,000 | 15.49% | 39,190 |
| Total Direct & Overlapping Debt | | | <u>\$ 6,063,157</u> |
| TOTAL ALL DEBT DIRECT & OVERLAPPING | 544,510,746 | | <u>\$ 86,017,910</u> |

Sources: Assessed value data used to estimate applicable percentages provided by the Ocean County Board of Taxation.

Debt outstanding data provided by each governmental unit.

NOTE - Overlapping governments are those that coincide, at least in part, with the geographic boundaries of the District.

This schedule estimates the portion of the outstanding debt of those overlapping governments that is borne by the residents and businesses of the above Townships. This process recognizes that, when considering the District's ability to issue and repay Long-Term debt, the entire debt burden borne by the residents and businesses should be taken into account. However, this does not imply that every taxpayer is a resident, and therefore responsible for repaying the debt, of each overlapping payment.

a. For debt repaid with property taxes, the percentage of overlapping debt applicable is estimated using taxable assessed property values. Applicable percentages were estimated by determining the portion of another government unit's taxable value that is within the District's boundaries and dividing it by each unit's total taxable value.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
LEGAL DEBT MARGIN INFORMATION
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(Dollars in Thousands)
Unaudited**

| | FISCAL YEAR | | | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
| Debt Limit | \$ 234,081,607 | \$ 331,922,271 | \$ 301,830,085 | \$ 287,550,439 | \$ 281,008,832 | \$ 274,149,391 | \$ 268,081,788 | \$ 268,081,788 | \$ 267,342,416 | \$ 280,926,611 |
| Total Net Debt Applicable to Limit | - | - | 253,000 | 653,000 | 1,173,000 | 1,848,000 | 2,598,000 | 3,448,000 | 4,728,000 | 5,973,000 |
| Legal Debt Margin | \$ 234,081,607 | \$ 331,922,271 | \$ 301,577,085 | \$ 286,897,439 | \$ 280,355,832 | \$ 272,976,391 | \$ 266,233,788 | \$ 265,483,788 | \$ 263,894,416 | \$ 276,198,611 |
| Total Net Debt Applicable to the Limit as a Percentage of Debt Limit | 0.00% | 0.08% | 0.22% | 0.41% | 0.66% | 0.69% | 0.97% | 1.29% | 2.97% | 2.97% |

Legal Debt Margin Calculation for Fiscal Year 2024

| | Berkley | Island Heights | Equalized Valuation Basis | | | Total |
|---|------------------|----------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| | | | Ocean Gate | Seaside Hgts | Seaside Park | |
| 2024 | \$ 8,535,652,953 | \$ 515,341,093 | \$ 389,416,695 | \$ 1,118,833,088 | \$ 1,680,635,355 | \$ 12,239,879,184 |
| 2023 | 7,584,861,592 | 480,699,582 | 337,036,758 | 931,471,403 | 1,493,981,970 | 10,828,051,305 |
| 2022 | 6,483,142,107 | 405,318,345 | 290,832,959 | 780,726,951 | 1,276,066,041 | 9,236,086,403 |
| Average Equalized Valuation of Taxable Pr Personal Services - | | | | | | \$ 20,064,137,708 |
| Debt Limit (3.5 % of Average Equalization Value) | | | | | | \$ 6,688,045,903 |
| Legal Debt Margin | | | | | | \$ 234,081,607 |

Source: Equalized valuation bases were obtained from the Annual Report of the State of New Jersey,
Department of Treasury, Division of Taxation

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| Demographic and Economic Information |
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Demographic and economic information is intended (1) to assist users in understanding the socioeconomic environment within the School District operates and (2) to provide information that facilitates comparisons of financial statement information over time and among school districts. Please refer to the following exhibits for a historical view of the demographic and economic statistics and factors prevalent in the location in which the School District operates.

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**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
DEMOGRAPHIC AND ECONOMIC STATISTICS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
Unaudited**

| YEAR | POPULATION (a) | | PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME (c) | UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (d) |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|----|---|----------------------------------|
| Berkeley | | | | |
| 2024 | 44856 | \$ | 43,553 | 5.8% |
| 2023 | 44748 | | 45,197 | 2.9% |
| 2022 | 44348 | | 47,267 | 5.3% |
| 2021 | 42362 | | 48,826 | 4.7% |
| 2020 | 42059 | | 50,356 | 12.20% |
| 2019 | 41922 | | 51,725 | 5.60% |
| 2018 | 41739 | | 53,517 | 6.30% |
| 2017 | 41720 | | 57,344 | 6.70% |
| 2016 | 41725 | | 60,823 | 7.60% |
| 2015 | 41643 | | 59,332 | 9.00% |
| Island Heights | | | | |
| 2024 | 1,699 | \$ | 43,553 | 3.4% |
| 2023 | 1,695 | | 45,197 | 2.0% |
| 2022 | 1,678 | | 47,267 | 4.1% |
| 2021 | 1,692 | | 48,826 | 5.9% |
| 2020 | 1,677 | | 50,356 | 9.20% |
| 2019 | 1,671 | | 51,725 | 3.70% |
| 2018 | 1,656 | | 53,517 | 4.40% |
| 2017 | 1,641 | | 57,344 | 4.60% |
| 2016 | 1,636 | | 60,823 | 5.40% |
| 2015 | 1,642 | | 59,332 | N/A |
| Ocean Gate | | | | |
| 2024 | 1,991 | \$ | 43,553 | 4.70% |
| 2023 | 1,983 | | 45,197 | 5.10% |
| 2022 | 1,968 | | 47,267 | 6.0% |
| 2021 | 2,055 | | 48,826 | 6.0% |
| 2020 | 2,037 | | 50,356 | 10.20% |
| 2019 | 2,022 | | 51,725 | 5.20% |
| 2018 | 2,009 | | 53,517 | 6.40% |
| 2017 | 2,000 | | 57,344 | 6.70% |
| 2016 | 1,989 | | 60,823 | 6.60% |
| 2015 | 1,991 | | 59,332 | 7.80% |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
DEMOGRAPHIC AND ECONOMIC STATISTICS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
Unaudited**

| YEAR | POPULATION (a) | PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME (c) | UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (d) |
|------------------------|-----------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| Seaside Heights | | | |
| 2024 | 2,486 | \$ 43,553 | 6.5% |
| 2023 | 2,493 | 45,197 | 4.7% |
| 2022 | 2,470 | 47,267 | 5.5% |
| 2021 | 3,024 | 48,826 | 8.1% |
| 2020 | 2,912 | 50,356 | 14.60% |
| 2019 | 2,901 | 51,725 | 6.60% |
| 2018 | 2,887 | 53,517 | 8.00% |
| 2017 | 2,886 | 57,344 | 7.80% |
| 2016 | 2,881 | 60,823 | 7.80% |
| 2015 | 2,883 | 59,332 | 9.40% |
| Seaside Park | | | |
| 2024 | 1,471 | \$ 43,553 | 4.7% |
| 2023 | 1,473 | 45,197 | 4.7% |
| 2022 | 1,463 | 47,267 | 4.4% |
| 2021 | 1,561 | 48,826 | 5.8% |
| 2020 | 1,546 | 50,356 | 9.10% |
| 2019 | 1,542 | 51,725 | 5.30% |
| 2018 | 1,540 | 53,517 | 5.60% |
| 2017 | 1,546 | 57,344 | 5.90% |
| 2016 | 1,547 | 60,823 | 7.40% |
| 2015 | 1,561 | 59,332 | 7.50% |

^c Per Capita

^d Unemployment data provided by the NJ Dept of Labor and Workforce Development

* 2010 Census

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
PRINCIPAL EMPLOYERS
CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEARS AGO
UNAUDITED**

| 2024 | | | 2015 | | |
|-----------|------|--------------------------------------|-----------|------|--------------------------------------|
| EMPLOYEES | RANK | PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYMENT | EMPLOYEES | RANK | PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYMENT |

DATA NOT AVAILABLE

DATA NOT AVAILABLE

| | | | |
|----------|--------------|----------|--------------|
| <u>0</u> | <u>0.00%</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>0.00%</u> |
| <u>0</u> | | <u>0</u> | |

Source: Municipal Tax Collector

N/A - Information was not available at reporting time

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT DISTRICT EMPLOYEES BY FUNCTION/PROGRAM
LAST TEN FISCAL YEAR
AS OF JUNE 30, 2024

Unaudited

| Function/Program | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|---------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|
| Instruction: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Regular | 131 | 177 | 126 | 130 | 122 | 118 | 111 | 111 | 108 | 109 |
| Special Education | 88 | 103 | 85 | 79 | 82 | 77 | 72 | 67 | 78 | 62 |
| Vocational and Other Instructional | 4 | 7 | 4 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Support Services: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Student & Instruction Related | | | | | | | | | | |
| Services | 61 | 63 | 63 | 60 | 59 | 58 | 59 | 60 | 42 | 35 |
| General Administration | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3.1 | 5 |
| School Administration Services | 12 | 20 | 12 | 16 | 16 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 11 |
| Central Service | 7 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| Administrative Information Technology | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Plant Operations & Maintenance | 38 | 38 | 35 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 34.4 | 32 |
| Pupil Transportation | 33 | 29 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 27 | 28 | 28 | 27 | 32 |
| Other Support Services | | | 0 | | | | | 3 | 6 | 3 |
| Total | 381 | 450 | 368 | 368 | 361 | 344 | 334 | 327 | 319.5 | 299 |

Source: District Personnel Records

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| Operating Information |
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Operating information is intended to provide contextual information about the School District's operations and resources to assist readers in using financial statement information to understand and assess the School District's economic condition. Please refer to the following exhibits for a historical view of the factors and statistics pertinent to the School District's operations.

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CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
OPERATING STATISTICS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
Unaudited

| FISCAL YEAR | ENROLLMENT | OPERATING EXPENDITURES (a) | COST PER PUPIL | PERCENTAGE CHANGE | TEACHING STAFF (b) | PUPIL/TEACHER RATIO | | AVERAGE DAILY ENROLLMENT (ADE) | AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE (ADA) | % CHANGE IN AVERAGE DAILY ENROLLMENT | STUDENT ATTENDANCE PERCENTAGE |
|----------------|------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|----------------|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | | | MIDDLE SCHOOL | HIGH SCHOOL | | | | |
| 2024 | 2213 | \$ 61,837,843 | \$ 27,943 | 24.90% | 208 | 15.4 | 11 | 2,160 | 1,972 | -8.73% | 91.30% |
| 2023 | 2280 | 51,010,513 | 22,373 | 19.93% | 222 | 14.94 | 11.22 | 2,020 | 1,848 | -11.56% | 91.47% |
| 2022 | 2321 | 43,297,578 | 18,655 | 8.86% | 187 | 15.4 | 9.7 | 2,260 | 2,036 | 2.86% | 90.08% |
| 2021 | 2380 | 40,786,212 | 17,137 | -9.62% | 196 | 15.4 | 9.7 | 2,367 | 2,174 | 11.93% | 91.85% |
| 2020 | 2317 | 43,933,601 | 18,961 | -0.72% | 206 | 15.4 | 9.7 | 2,284 | 2,189 | 12.46% | 95.82% |
| 2019 | 2220 | 42,399,652 | 19,099 | 0.95% | 197 | 15.5 | 9.8 | 2,197 | 2,057 | 8.18% | 93.61% |
| 2018 | 2134 | 40,362,701 | 18,919 | 1.58% | 186 | 15.6 | 13.6 | 2,114 | 1,974 | 9.94% | 93.39% |
| 2017 | 2059 | 38,348,324 | 18,625 | 0.64% | 175 | 16.5 | 12.9 | 2,031 | 1,901 | 5.61% | 93.60% |
| 2016 | 1989 | 36,807,779 | 18,506 | 1.66% | 167 | 14.4 | 10.7 | 1,923 | 1,824 | 0.00% | 94.85% |
| 2015 | 1966 | 35,451,044 | 18,204 | -0.93% | 161 | 14.4 | 10.7 | 1,923 | 1,824 | 1.47% | 94.85% |

Sources: District records

Note: Enrollment based on annual October district count.

a Operating expenditures equal total expenditures less debt service and capital outlay.

b Teaching staff includes only full-time equivalents of certificated staff.

c Average daily enrollment and average daily attendance are obtained from the School Register Summary (SRS).

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOOL BUILDING INFORMATION
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
AS OF JUNE 30, 2024**

Unaudited

| DISTRICT BUILDINGS | 2024 | 2023 | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | 2015 |
|-------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Middle School: (1981) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Middle School: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Square Feet | 141,478 | 141,478 | 141,478 | 141,478 | 141,478 | 141,478 | 141,478 | 141,478 | 141,478 | 141,478 |
| Capacity (Students) | 812 | 812 | 812 | 812 | 812 | 812 | 812 | 812 | 812 | 812 |
| Enrollment | 719 | 719 | 721 | 776 | 776 | 776 | 667 | 667 | 667 | 667 |
| High School: (1956) | | | | | | | | | | |
| High School: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Square Feet | 272,420 | 272,420 | 272,420 | 272,420 | 272,420 | 272,420 | 272,420 | 272,420 | 272,420 | 272,420 |
| Capacity (Students) | 1,465 | 1,465 | 1,465 | 1,465 | 1,465 | 1,465 | 1,465 | 1,465 | 1,465 | 1,465 |
| Enrollment | 1,561 | 1,561 | 1,593 | 1,444 | 1,444 | 1,444 | 1,256 | 1,256 | 1,256 | 1,256 |
| Other: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Superintendent Office: (1972) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Square Feet | 1,122 | 1,122 | 1,122 | 1,122 | 1,122 | 1,122 | 1,122 | 1,122 | 1,122 | 1,122 |
| Board Office: (1972) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Square Feet | 1,699 | 1,699 | 1,699 | 1,699 | 1,699 | 1,699 | 1,699 | 1,699 | 1,699 | 1,699 |

Number of Schools at June 30, 2024:

Middle School = 1

Senior High School = 1

Other = 0

Source: District Business Office

Note: Year of original construction is shown in parentheses. Increases in square footage and capacity are the result of and additions. Enrollment is based on the annual October district count.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF REQUIRED MAINTENANCE
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
Unaudited**

| | * SCHOOL FACILITIES PROJECT #(s) | CENTRAL REGIONAL | | TOTAL |
|------|--|------------------|------------------|------------|
| | | HIGH SCHOOL | MIDDLE SCHOOL | |
| 2015 | | \$ 517,192 | \$ 176,392 | \$ 693,584 |
| 2016 | | 581,760 | 210,118 | 791,878 |
| 2017 | | 607,497 | 215,598 | 823,095 |
| 2018 | | 584,902 | 224,739 | 809,641 |
| 2019 | | 597,973 | 262,932 | 860,905 |
| 2020 | | 701,614 | 254,665 | 956,279 |
| 2021 | | 535,955 | 228,857 | 764,812 |
| 2022 | | 759,096 | 344,770 | 1,103,866 |
| 2023 | | 648,234 | 238,584 | 886,818 |
| 2024 | | 793,412 | 217,842 | 1,011,254 |

School facilities as defined under EFCFA.
(N.J.A.C. 6A:26-1.2 and N.J.A.C. 6A:26A-1.3)

Source: District records

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
INSURANCE SCHEDULE
JUNE 30, 2024
Unaudited

| | Coverage | Deductible |
|--|--------------|---------------|
| School Package Policy (1) | | |
| General Liability | \$ 5,000,000 | \$ 2,500 |
| Property & Physical Damage | 83,466,245 | 2,500 |
| General Automobile Liability | 5,000,000 | 10,000 |
| Workers' Compensation | 5,000,000 | Per State Law |
| Student Accident Insurance (2) | | |
| Surety Bonds (3) | | |
| Treasurer | 255,000 | Per State Law |
| Board Secretary/Business Administrator | 50,000 | Per State Law |

(1) School Alliance Insurance Fund - Commercial Package Policy

(2) Bob McClosky Insurance

(3) Liberty Mutual

Source: District records

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EXHIBIT K-1

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

Honorable President and Members
of the Board of Education
Central Regional School District
County of Ocean
Bayville, New Jersey 08721

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Central Regional School District (School District) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the School District's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated January 14, 2025.

Report On Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

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

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

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

Purpose of This Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the School District's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, and federal and state awarding agencies and pass-through entities, in considering the School District's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Respectfully Submitted,

HOLMAN FRENIA ALLISON, P.C.

Jerry W. Conaty

Certified Public Accountant

Public School Accountant, No. 2470

Lakewood, New Jersey

January 14, 2025

EXHIBIT K-2

**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR
PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY
THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE AND NEW JERSEY OMB CIRCULAR 15-08**

Honorable President and Members
of the Board of Education
Central Regional School District
County of Ocean
Bayville, New Jersey 08721

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal and State Program

Opinion on Each Major Federal and State Program

We have audited Central Regional School District's compliance with types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB Compliance Supplement and the New Jersey State Aid/Grant Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on each of the School District's major federal and state programs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024. The Central Regional School District's major federal and state programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, the Central Regional School District complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal and state programs for the year ended June 30, 2024.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal and State Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance)*; New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, *Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid*; and the audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey. Our responsibilities under those standards, the Uniform Guidance and New Jersey's OMB Circular 15-08 are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

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

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on Central Regional School District's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, *Government Auditing Standards*, the Uniform Guidance, New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08 and audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with compliance requirements referred to above is considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the School District's compliance with the requirements of each major federal and state program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, *Government Auditing Standards*, the Uniform Guidance, New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08 and audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the School District's compliance with compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of the School District's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the School District's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

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

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

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

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

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

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

Respectfully Submitted,

HOLMAN FRENIA ALLISON, P.C.

Jerry W. Conaty

Certified Public Accountant

Public School Accountant, No. 2470

Lakewood, New Jersey
January 14, 2025

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CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

| FEDERAL GRANTOR PASS THROUGH GRANTOR PROGRAM TITLE | FEDERAL ASSISTANCE LISTING NUMBER | FEDERAL FAIN NUMBER | PASS THROUGH ENTITY IDENTIFYING NUMBER | PROGRAM OR AWARD AMOUNT | GRANT PERIOD | BALANCE JUNE 30, 2023 | CASH RECEIVED | BUDGETARY EXPENDITURES | PASSED THROUGH TO SUBRECIPIENTS | BALANCE, JUNE 30, 2024 | |
|---|---|---------------------------|--|-------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | (A) CASH RECEIVED | (B) TO GRANTOR |
| U.S. Department of Agriculture | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Passed Through New Jersey Department of Agriculture | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Child Nutrition Cluster: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Food Distribution Program - Commodity: | 10.555 | 21INJ304N1099 | Unavailable | \$ | 73,243 | 7/1/22-6/30/23 | \$ | 73,243 | \$ | - | \$ |
| National Performance Based Lunch | 10.555 | 21INJ304N1099 | 100-010-3350-026 | | 10,447 | 7/1/22-6/30/23 | | 423 | | - | - |
| National Performance Based Lunch | 10.555 | 20INJ304N1099 | 100-010-3350-026 | | 11,100 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | | 10,608 | | - | (492) |
| National School Lunch Program | 10.555 | 20INJ304N1099 | 100-010-3350-026 | | 315,909 | 7/1/22-6/30/23 | | 12,755 | | - | - |
| National School Lunch Program | 10.555 | 20INJ304N1099 | 100-010-3350-026 | | 322,922 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | | 312,255 | | - | (10,667) |
| COVID Supply Chain Assistance - 4th Round | 10.555 | 23INJ344N8903 | 100-010-3350-118 | | 57,409 | 10/1/23-9/30/24 | | 57,409 | | - | - |
| Subtotal | | | | | | (13,178) | 409,284 | 464,674 | | - | (11,159) |
| School Breakfast Program | 10.553 | 21INJ304N1099 | 100-010-3350-028 | | 40,369 | 7/1/22-6/30/23 | | 1,865 | | - | - |
| School Breakfast Program | 10.553 | 22INJ304N1099 | 100-010-3350-028 | | 50,601 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | | 48,420 | | - | (2,181) |
| Subtotal | | | | | | (1,865) | 50,285 | (50,601) | | - | - |
| Total Child Nutrition Cluster | | | | | | (15,043) | 459,569 | (515,275) | | - | (13,340) |
| EBT Administrative Cost | 10.649 | 202121S900941 | 100-115-6130-000 | | 653 | 7/1/22-6/30/23 | | 653 | | - | - |
| Subtotal | | | | | | (653) | | | | - | - |
| Local Food for School (LFS) Cooperative Program | 10.185 | 202222S900941 | 100-010-3350-100-123 | | 3,009 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | | 3,009 | | - | - |
| Subtotal | | | | | | - | 3,009 | (3,009) | | - | - |
| Total U.S. Department of Agriculture | | | | | | (15,696) | 463,231 | (518,284) | | - | (13,340) |
| Total Food Service Fund | | | | | | (15,696) | 463,231 | (518,284) | | - | (13,340) |
| U.S. Department of Health and Human Services | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Passed Through New Jersey Department of Human Services | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Medicaid Cluster: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Medicaid Assistance Program (SEMI) | 93.778 | 220SNJ5MAP | 100-064-7540-211 | | 20,453 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | | 20,453 | | (20,453) | - |
| Total Medicaid Cluster | | | | | | - | 20,453 | (20,453) | | - | - |
| Total U.S. Department of Health and Human Services | | | | | | - | 20,453 | (20,453) | | - | - |
| Total General Fund | | | | | | - | 20,453 | (20,453) | | - | - |
| U.S. Department of Education | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Passed Through New Jersey Department of Education | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No Child Left Behind (N.C.L.B.) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Title I - Part A | 84.010 | S010A220030 | 100-034-5064-194 | | 496,751 | 7/1/23-9/30/24 | | 496,751 | | - | - |
| Title I - SIA | 84.010 | S010A220030 | 100-034-5064-194 | | 20,000 | 7/1/22-9/30/23 | | (8,292) | | - | - |
| Subtotal | | | | | | (8,292) | 505,043 | (496,751) | | - | - |
| Title II - Part A: Supporting Effective Instruction | 84.367A | S367A220029 | 100-034-5063-290 | | 71,296 | 7/1/23-9/30/24 | | 71,296 | | (71,296) | - |
| Subtotal | | | | | | - | 71,296 | (71,296) | | - | - |
| Special Education Cluster: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LDE A: Part B - Basic | 84.027A | H027A220100 | 100-034-5065-016 | | 611,029 | 7/1/22-9/30/23 | | 106,350 | | - | - |
| LDE A: Part B - Basic | 84.027A | H027A220100 | 100-034-5065-016 | | 635,346 | 7/1/23-9/30/24 | | 635,346 | | - | - |
| Subtotal | | | | | | (106,350) | 106,350 | (635,346) | | - | - |
| Education Stabilization Fund: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER I/II) Fund | 84.425D | S42SD210027 | 100-034-5120-518 | | 1,416,601 | 3/13/20-9/30/23 | | 74,633 | | - | - |
| Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations (CRRSA) - Learning Acceleration | 84.425D | S42SD210027 | 100-034-5120-518 | | 90,910 | 3/13/20-9/30/23 | | 12 | | - | - |
| Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations (CRRSA) - Mental Health | 84.425D | S42SD210027 | 100-034-5120-518 | | 45,000 | 3/13/20-9/30/23 | | 3,865 | | - | - |
| Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER III) Fund | 84.425U | S42SU210027 | 100-034-5120-523 | | 3,183,719 | 3/13/20-9/30/24 | | 2,376,202 | | - | - |
| American Rescue Plan (ARP) - Accelerated Learning Fund | 84.425U | S42SU210027 | 100-034-5120-523 | | 216,443 | 3/13/20-9/30/24 | | 16,560 | | - | - |
| American Rescue Plan (ARP) - Evidence-based Summer Learning | 84.425U | S42SU210027 | 100-034-5120-523 | | 40,000 | 3/13/20-9/30/24 | | 20,463 | | - | - |
| American Rescue Plan (ARP) - Evidence-based Comprehensive Beyond the School Day | 84.425U | S42SU210027 | 100-034-5120-523 | | 40,000 | 3/13/20-9/30/24 | | 39,000 | | - | - |
| American Rescue Plan (ARP) - NJ Tiered System of Supports | 84.425U | S42SU210027 | 100-034-5120-523 | | 445,613 | 3/13/20-9/30/24 | | 29,282 | | - | - |
| American Rescue Plan (ARP) - Homeless Children & Youth I | 84.425W | S42SW210031 | 100-034-5064-233 | | 909 | 4/23/21-9/30/23 | | 909 | | - | - |
| Subtotal | | | | | | (2,125,727) | 2,560,926 | (435,199) | | - | - |
| Total U.S. Department of Education | | | | | | (2,240,349) | 3,243,615 | (1,638,592) | | - | - |
| U.S. Department of the Treasury | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Passed Through New Jersey Department of Education | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Corona Virus Relief Fund: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional or Compensatory Special Education and Related Services (ACERS) | 21.027 | Unavailable | 100-034-5065-096 | | 325,732 | 7/1/22-6/30/23 | | 166,358 | | - | - |
| Subtotal | | | | | | (166,358) | 166,358 | - | | - | - |
| Total U.S. Department of the Treasury | | | | | | (166,358) | 166,358 | - | | - | - |
| Total Special Revenue Fund | | | | | | (2,406,727) | 3,409,973 | (1,638,592) | | - | - |
| Total Expenditures of Federal Awards | | | | | | \$ | 3,893,657 | \$ | (2,177,329) | \$ | (13,340) |

The accompanying Notes to Schedules of Expenditures of Awards and Financial Assistance are an integral part of this schedule

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

| STATE GRANT/PROGRAM TITLE OR CLUSTER | GRANT OR STATE PROJECT NUMBER | AWARD AMOUNT | GRANT PERIOD | BALANCE AT JUNE 30, 2023 | CASH RECEIVED | BUDGETARY EXPENDITURES | (ACCOUNTS) AT JUNE 30, 2024 | MEMO | |
|---|-------------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------------|---------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| | | | | | | | | BUDGETARY RECEIVABLE | CUMULATIVE TOTAL EXPENDITURES |
| New Jersey Department of Education | | | | | | | | | |
| General Fund: | | | | | | | | | |
| State Aid - Public: | | | | | | | | | |
| Categorical Special Education Aic | 495-034-5120-089 | \$ 2,460,306 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | \$ - | \$ 2,460,306 | \$ (2,460,306) | \$ - | \$ 237,964 | \$ 2,460,306 |
| Adjustment Aic | 495-034-5120-085 | 55,587 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | - | 55,587 | (55,587) | - | 5,376 | 55,587 |
| Categorical Security Aic | 495-034-5120-084 | 375,387 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | - | 375,387 | (375,387) | - | 36,308 | 375,387 |
| School Choice Aic | 495-034-5120-068 | 1,444,823 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | - | 1,444,823 | (1,444,823) | - | 139,745 | 1,444,823 |
| Total State Aid - Public | | | | - | 4,336,103 | (4,336,103) | - | 419,393 | 4,336,103 |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Transportation Aid | 495-034-5120-014 | 1,325,310 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | - | 1,325,310 | (1,325,310) | - | 128,186 | 1,325,310 |
| Additional Nonpublic School Transportation Aic | 495-034-5120-014 | 13,259 | 7/1/22-6/30/23 | (13,259) | | | - | - | |
| Additional Nonpublic School Transportation Aic | 495-034-5120-014 | 34,650 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | | | (34,650) | (34,650) | - | 34,650 |
| Extraordinary Aid | 495-034-5120-044 | 277,752 | 7/1/22-6/30/23 | (277,752) | 277,752 | - | - | - | - |
| Extraordinary Aid | 495-034-5120-044 | 336,699 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | | | (336,699) | - | - | 336,699 |
| Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contributions | 495-034-5094-003 | 1,310,207 | 7/1/22-6/30/23 | (63,986) | 63,986 | - | - | - | - |
| Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contributions | 495-034-5094-003 | 1,354,013 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | | 1,287,222 | (1,354,013) | (66,791) | - | 1,354,013 |
| TPAF - Post Retirement | | | | | | | | | |
| Medical (Noncash Assistance) | 495-034-5094-001 | 1,710,478 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | - | 1,710,478 | (1,710,478) | - | - | 1,710,478 |
| TPAF - Pension | | | | | | | | | |
| Contributions (Noncash Assistance) | 495-034-5094-002 | 6,284,746 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | - | 6,284,746 | (6,284,746) | - | - | 6,284,746 |
| TPAF - Long-Term Disability | | | | | | | | | |
| Insurance (Noncash Assistance) | 495-034-5094-004 | 2,140 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | - | 2,140 | (2,140) | - | - | 2,140 |
| Total General Fund | | | | (354,997) | 15,300,996 | (15,384,139) | (438,140) | 547,579 | 15,384,139 |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Special Revenue Fund | | 60,935 | 7/1/22-6/30/23 | - | 60,935 | (60,935) | - | - | 60,935 |
| Emergent and Capital Maintenance Need | Unavailable | | | | | | | | |
| Total Special Revenue Fund | | | | - | 60,935 | (60,935) | - | - | 60,935 |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Total New Jersey Department of Education | | | | (354,997) | 15,361,931 | (15,445,074) | (438,140) | 547,579 | 15,445,074 |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| State Department of Agriculture | | | | | | | | | |
| Enterprise Fund: | | | | | | | | | |
| National School Lunch Program | 100-010-3360-067 | 14,056 | 7/1/22-6/30/23 | (570) | 570 | - | - | - | - |
| National School Lunch Program | 100-010-3360-067 | 44,427 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | - | 43,844 | (44,427) | (583) | - | 44,427 |
| School Breakfast Program | 100-010-3360-067 | 752 | 7/1/22-6/30/23 | (35) | 35 | - | - | - | - |
| School Breakfast Program | 100-010-3360-067 | 2,931 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | - | 2,893 | (2,931) | (38) | - | 2,931 |
| Total State Department of Agriculture | | | | (605) | 47,342 | (47,358) | (621) | - | 47,358 |
| Total State Financial Assistance | | | | (355,602) | 15,409,273 | (15,492,432) | (438,761) | 547,579 | 15,492,432 |
| State Financial Assistance Programs not subject to Calculation for Major Program Determinator | | | | | | | | | |
| TPAF - Pension | | | | | | | | | |
| Contributions (Noncash Assistance) | 495-034-5094-002 | 6,284,746 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | | \$ | 6,284,746 | | | |
| TPAF - Long-Term Disability | | | | | | | | | |
| Insurance (Noncash Assistance) | 495-034-5094-004 | 2,140 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | | | 2,140 | | | |
| TPAF - Post Retirement | | | | | | | | | |
| Medical (Noncash Assistance) | 495-034-5094-001 | 1,710,478 | 7/1/23-6/30/24 | | | 1,710,478 | | | |
| Total State Financial Assistance subject to Calculation for Major Program Determinati | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | (7,495,068) |
| | | | | | | | | | \$ |

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

Note 1. Basis of Presentation

The accompanying schedules of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance present the activity of all federal awards and state financial assistance programs of the Central Regional School District (School District). The School District is defined in Note 1 of the basic financial statements. The information in these schedules is presented in accordance with the requirements of *Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance)* and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, *Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid*. All federal and state awards received directly from federal and state agencies, as well as federal awards and state financial assistance passed through other government agencies is included on the schedule of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance.

Note 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accompanying schedules of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance are presented using the budgetary basis of accounting with the following exception: programs recorded in the enterprise fund are presented using the accrual basis of accounting and programs recorded in the capital projects fund are presented using the modified accrual basis of accounting. These bases of accounting are described in Note 1 to the School District's basic financial statements. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of *Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, *Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid*. Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the basic financial statements.

The School District did not elect the 10-percent de minimis indirect cost rate as discussed in 2 CFR 200.414.

Revenues and expenditures reported under the Food Distribution Program represent current year value received and current year distributions respectively. The amount reported as Teacher's Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) Pension Contributions represents the amount paid by the state on behalf of the School District for the year ended June 30, 2024. TPAF Social Security Contributions represents the amount reimbursed by the state for the employer's share of social security contributions for TPAF members for the year ended June 30, 2024.

CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 (Continued)

Note 3. Relationship to Basic Financial Statements

The basic financial statements present the general fund and special revenue fund in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted (GAAP) in the United States of America. Budgetary comparison statements or schedules (RSI) are presented for the general fund and special revenue fund to demonstrate finance-related legal compliance in which certain revenue is permitted by law or grant agreement to be recognized in the audit year, whereas for GAAP reporting, revenue is not recognized until the subsequent year or when expenditures have been made.

The general fund is presented in the accompanying schedules on the modified accrual basis with the exception of the revenue recognition of the one or more deferred June state aid payments in the current budget year, which is mandated pursuant to *N.J.S.A. 18A:22-44.2*. For GAAP purposes payments are not recognized until the subsequent budget year due to the state deferral and recording of the one or more June state aid payments in the subsequent year. The special revenue fund is presented in the accompanying schedules on the grant accounting budgetary basis, which recognizes encumbrances as expenditures and also recognizes the related revenues, whereas the GAAP basis does not. The special revenue fund also recognizes the one or more state aid June payments in the current budget year, consistent with *N.J.S.A. 18A:22-4.2*.

The net adjustment to reconcile from the budgetary basis to the GAAP basis is \$26,812 and \$1,987,025 for the General Fund and Special Revenue Fund, respectively. See Exhibit C-3 Note A of the basic financial statements, for a reconciliation of the budgetary basis to the modified accrual basis of accounting for the general and special revenue funds. Awards and financial assistance expenditures reported in the School District's basic financial statements on a GAAP basis are presented as follows:

| <u>Fund</u> | <u>Federal</u> | <u>State</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| General Fund | \$ 20,453 | \$ 15,357,327 | \$ 15,377,780 |
| Special Revenue Fund | 3,625,617 | 60,935 | 3,686,552 |
| Food Service Fund | 518,284 | 47,358 | 565,642 |
| Total Awards & Financial Assistance | <u>\$ 4,164,354</u> | <u>\$ 15,465,620</u> | <u>\$ 19,629,974</u> |

Note 4. Relationship to Federal and State Financial Reports

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedules agree with the amounts reported in the related federal and state financial reports.

Note 5. Federal and State Loans Outstanding

At June 30, 2024, the School District is not the guarantor of any loans outstanding.

Financial Statements

Federal Awards

Identification of major programs:

| | | |
|--|----|---------|
| Dollar threshold used to determine Type A programs | \$ | 750,000 |
|--|----|---------|

195

State Financial Assistance

| | | | |
|--|---|-----|----|
| Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? | X | Yes | No |
|--|---|-----|----|

| | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-----|---|----|
| 1) Material weakness(es) identified? | Yes | X | No |
|--------------------------------------|-----|---|----|

| | | | |
|--|-----|---|----|
| 2) Significant deficiency(ies) identified? | Yes | X | No |
|--|-----|---|----|

| | | | |
|--|-----|---|----|
| Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with | | | |
| New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08? | Yes | X | No |

State Grant/Project Number(s)

495-034-5120-085

495-034-5120-084

495-034-5120-068

Name of State Program

State Aid - Public:

Categorical Special Education Aid

Adjustment Aid

Categorical Security Aid

School Choice Aid

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS & QUESTIONED COSTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

Section II - Financial Statement Findings

This section identifies the significant deficiencies, material weaknesses and instances of noncompliance related to the basic financial statements that are required to be reported in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and with audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Administration and Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey.

None.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS & QUESTIONED COSTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

Section III - Federal Awards & State Financial Assistance Findings & Questioned Costs

This section identifies the significant deficiencies, material weaknesses and instances of noncompliance, including questioned costs, related to the audit of major federal and state programs, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance)* and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08.

FEDERAL AWARDS

None.

STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

None.

**CENTRAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR YEAR AUDIT FINDINGS
AND QUESTIONED COSTS AS PREPARED BY MANAGEMENT
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

This section identifies the status of prior year findings related to the financial statements, federal awards and state financial assistance that are required to be reported in accordance with Government Auditing Standards, *Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance)*, and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08.

Financial Statement Findings

No Prior Year Findings.

Federal Awards

No Prior Year Findings.

State Financial Assistance

No Prior Year Findings.