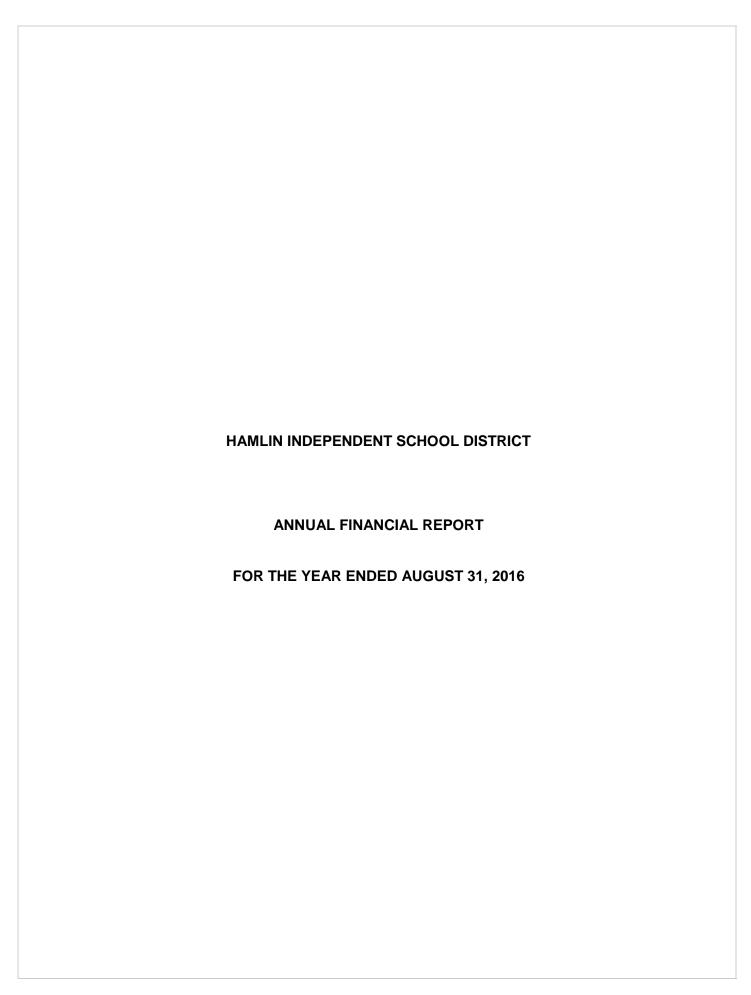
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CERTIFICATE OF BOARD							
Hamlin Independent School District Name of School District	<u>Jones</u> County	127-903 Co Dist. Number					
We, the undersigned, certify that the att were reviewed and (check one) at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of	approved disapprov	red for the year ended August 31, 2016,					
Signature of Board Secretary	Signatu	ure of Board President					
If the Board of Trustees disapproved of (attach list as necessary)	the auditor's report, the rea	ason(s) for disapproving it is (are):					



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Independent Auditor's Report

UNMODIFIED OPINIONS ON THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Board of School Trustees Hamlin Independent School District Hamlin, Texas

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Hamlin Independent School District (the District), as of and for the year ended August 31, 2016, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

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

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Hamlin Independent School District, as of August 31, 2016, and the respective changes in financial position and where applicable, the cash flows, thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis on pages 4-9, budgetary comparison information on page 44, and the pension related information on pages 45-48 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 assurance.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Hamlin Independent School District's basic financial statements. The accompanying combining balance sheets and statements of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balance for all nonmajor governmental funds and required TEA schedules are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

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

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated November 18, 2016, on our consideration of Hamlin Independent School District's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, 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 in the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Balinger, Segars, Silbert & Mars LLP

Certified Public Accountants

Lubbock, Texas

November 18, 2016

HAMLIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

INTRODUCTION

Our discussion and analysis of the Hamlin Independent School District's financial performance provides an overview of the District's financial performance for the year ended August 31, 2016. It should be read in conjunction with the District's Basic Financial Statements and Independent Auditors' Report. This Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) is an element of the financial reporting model adopted by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) in their Statement No. 34, *Basic Financial Statements – and Management's Discussion and Analysis – for State and Local Governments*, issued June, 1999.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- The net position of the District increased by \$181,820 or approximately 5.4%. The District's statement of activities showed total revenues were \$5,135,026, and expenses totaled \$4,953,206.
- The District ended the year, August 31, 2016, with total net position of \$3,574,856, and unrestricted net position of \$1,650,161. The balance of cash and investments at August 31, 2016, was \$2,148,053, which does not include the fiduciary cash and investment accounts since these funds are not for District operations.
- · Total general fund expenditures were \$4,011,419 for the year ended August 31, 2016, and this compares with general fund expenditures of \$3,958,518 for the year ended August 31, 2015.
- The District's total revenues on the fund financial statements decreased from \$5,365,874 in 2014-15 to \$5,044,153 in 2015-16.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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

The government-wide financial statements include the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities. These provide information about the activities of the District as a whole and present a longer-term view of the District's property and debt obligations and other financial matters. They reflect the flow of total economic resources in a manner similar to the financial reports of a business enterprise.

Fund financial statements report the District's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements by providing information about the District's most significant funds. For governmental activities, these statements tell how services were financed in the short-term as well as what resources remain for future spending. They reflect the flow of current financial resources, and supply the basis for tax levies and the appropriations budget. For proprietary activities, fund financial statements tell how the services of the District were sold to departments within the District. The fiduciary statements provide financial information about activities for which the District acts solely as a trustee.

The notes to the financial statements provide narrative explanations and additional data needed for full disclosure in the government-wide statements and the fund financial statements.

The combining statements for nonmajor funds contain information about the District's individual nonmajor funds. The sections labeled Texas Education Agency Required Schedules and Federal Awards Section contain data used by monitoring or regulatory agencies for assurance that the District is using funds supplied in compliance with the terms of grants.

Reporting the District as a Whole

Government-Wide Financial Statements

The analysis of the District's overall financial condition and operations is presented in the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities. Its primary purpose is to show whether the District is better off or worse off as a result of the year's activities. The Statement of Net Position includes all the District's assets and liabilities at the end of the year while the Statement of Activities includes all the revenues and expenses generated by the District's operations during the year. These statements apply the accrual basis of accounting which is the basis used by private sector companies.

All of the current year's revenues and expenses are taken into account regardless of when cash is received or paid. The District's revenues are divided into those provided by outside parties who share the costs of some programs, such as tuition received from students from outside the district and grants provided by the U.S. Department of Education to assist children with disabilities or from disadvantaged backgrounds (program revenues), and revenues provided by the taxpayers or by TEA in equalization funding processes (general revenues). All the District's assets are reported whether they serve the current year or future years. Liabilities are considered regardless of whether they must be paid in the current or future years.

These two statements report the District's net position and changes in them. The District's net position (the difference between assets and liabilities) provide one measure of the District's financial health, or financial position. Over time, increases or decreases in the District's net position are one indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating. To fully assess the overall health of the District, however, you should consider nonfinancial factors as well, such as changes in the District's average daily attendance or its property tax base and the condition of the District's facilities.

In the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities, the District is reporting its governmental activities. The District currently has no business-type activities or component units as defined in the GASB Statement No. 34.

· Governmental activities – All of the District's basic services are reported here, including the instruction, counseling, co-curricular activities, food services, transportation, maintenance, community services, and general administration. Property taxes, tuition, fees, and state and federal grants finance most of these activities.

Reporting the District's Most Significant Funds

Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide detailed information about the most significant funds—not the District as a whole. Laws and contracts require the District to establish some funds, such as grants received from the U.S. Department of Education through TEA. The District's administration establishes many other funds to help it control and manage money for particular purposes. The District's three fund types—governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary—use different accounting approaches.

- · Governmental funds Most of the District's basic services are included in governmental funds. These use modified accrual accounting (a method that measures the receipt and disbursement of cash and all other financial assets that can be readily converted to cash) and report balances that are available for future spending. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the District's general operations and the basic services it provides. We describe the differences between governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) and governmental funds in reconciliation schedules following the fund financial statements.
- · Proprietary funds The District reports the activities for which it charges users (other units of the District) in proprietary funds using the same accounting methods employed in the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities. The internal service funds (the District's only category of proprietary funds) report activities that provide worker's compensation insurance coverage to the District's other programs and activities.

· Fiduciary funds – The District is the trustee, or fiduciary, for money raised by student activities, as well as for a Scholarship Fund in Memory of Lou Ferguson. The District is responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in these funds are used only for their intended purposes, and by those to whom the assets belong. We exclude these activities from the government-wide financial statements because the District cannot use these assets to finance its operations.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Our analysis focuses on the net position (Table I) and changes in net position (Table II) of the District's governmental activities.

Table I
Hamlin Independent School District
Net Position
August 31, 2016 and 2015

		August 31,				
	_	2016		2015		
Cash and Temporary Investments	\$	2,148,053	\$	2,283,993		
Receivables		528,110		437,691		
Other Assets		47,460		47,460		
Capital Assets		5,974,983		6,201,879		
Total Assets	\$_	8,698,606	\$_	8,971,023		
Unamortized Loss on Bond Refunding	\$	262,900	\$	290,183		
Deferred Outflow Related to Pension Liability	_	367,634	_	59,751		
Total Deferred Outflows	\$_	630,534	\$_	349,934		
Current Liabilities	\$	607,311	\$	834,211		
Long-Term Liabilities		4,276,411		4,552,717		
Net Pension Liability	_	810,262	_	414,267		
Total Liabilities	\$_	5,693,984	\$_	5,801,195		
Deferred Inflow Related to Pension Liability	\$_	60,300	\$_	126,726		
Total Deferred Inflows	\$_	60,300	\$_	126,726		
Net Position						
Net Investment in Capital Assets	\$	1,669,626	\$	1,650,936		
Restricted for Debt Service		255,069		225,961		
Unrestricted Net Position	_	1,650,161	_	1,516,139		
Total Net Position	\$_	3,574,856	\$_	3,393,036		

Changes in Net Position

The District's net position increased during the year ended August 31, 2016. The net position increased by \$181,820 (see Table II). This increase is attributable primarily to decreases in payroll, food service, and debt payments. Unrestricted net position – the part of net position that can be used to finance day-to-day operations without constraints established by debt covenants, enabling legislation, or other legal requirements – was \$1,650,161 (Table I) at August 31, 2016. This compares with the District's unrestricted net position at August 31, 2015, of \$1,516,139, an increase of \$134,022.

Table II
Hamlin Independent School District
Changes in Net Position
For the Years Ended August 31, 2016 and 2015

		August 31,			
Revenues:	<u> </u>	2016		2015	
Program Revenues:		_		_	
Charges For Services	\$	50,501	\$	65,340	
Operating Grants and Contributions		719,900		725,677	
General Revenues:					
Maintenance and Operations Taxes		1,766,514		1,961,262	
Debt Service Taxes		344,471		365,508	
State Formula Aid		2,153,396		2,235,189	
Investment Earnings		8,490		6,979	
Miscellaneous	_	91,754	_	76,183	
Total Revenue	\$_	5,135,026	\$_	5,436,138	
Expenses:					
Instruction and Instructional-Related Services	\$	2,355,583	\$	2,412,150	
Instructional and School Leadership		343,799		334,141	
Student Support Services		164,030		149,322	
Student Transportation		71,983		72,890	
Food Services		262,809		285,877	
Extracurricular Activities		344,178		364,774	
General Administration		326,379		339,499	
Plant Maintenance and Data Processing		798,570		724,539	
Debt Service		151,307		247,219	
Payments to Member Districts/Fiscal Agents		134,568	_	140,480	
	\$_	4,953,206	\$_	5,070,891	
Increase (Decrease) in Net Position	\$_	181,820	\$_	365,247	

The District's total revenues decreased from \$5,436,138 in fiscal year 2015 to \$5,135,026, a decrease of \$301,112. This decrease was attributable to decline in property values. The total expenses of the District decreased by \$117,685 from \$5,070,891 to \$4,953,206. This decrease was due to decreases in payroll, food service, and debt payments.

Other factors impacting the District's financial position include the following:

- The District increased the total property tax rate, \$0.010 cents per 100 dollars of valuation. The District is at the State maximum tax rate for maintenance and operations of \$1.17 and the I&S rate increased from \$0.215 to \$0.225. The District's appraised valuation of taxable property decreased from \$168,547,207 to \$149,481,080, a decrease of \$19,066,127 or 11.3%. This decrease is attributable to decreases in property values. The total school property taxes assessed for school year 2016 were \$2,085,261. This is a decrease of \$249,118 from the \$2,334,379 assessed in 2015.
- The District's average daily attendance (ADA) is the basis for most of the State funding received. The ADA went from 389.105 in 2015 to 384.450 in 2016. State revenues declined due to decreases in ADA.

Fund Balances

The District's total Governmental Funds fund balance was \$2,045,967. This fund balance is reported in the various Governmental funds as follows:

General Fund \$1,845,267. This balance is available for current spending; however, it has been the practice of the District to try and maintain a fund balance that is at least several months operating expenses, and the District's Board of Trustees has committed \$900,000 for various construction projects.

Debt Service Fund \$200,700. These funds are restricted by debt service covenants to fund the principal and interest payments of the bond issue.

Budgetary Highlights

Over the course of the year, the Board of Trustees revised the District's budget several times. These budget amendments were necessary to reflect the revised estimates of revenues and expenses. There were no individually significant amendments, while most amendments were to reclassify expenditures in various functions.

CAPITAL ASSET AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

Financial statement footnote No. 6 discloses the capital asset activity of the District for the year ended August 31, 2016.

Debt

Financial statement footnotes No. 8 and 9 disclose the debt activity of the District for the year ended August 31, 2016.

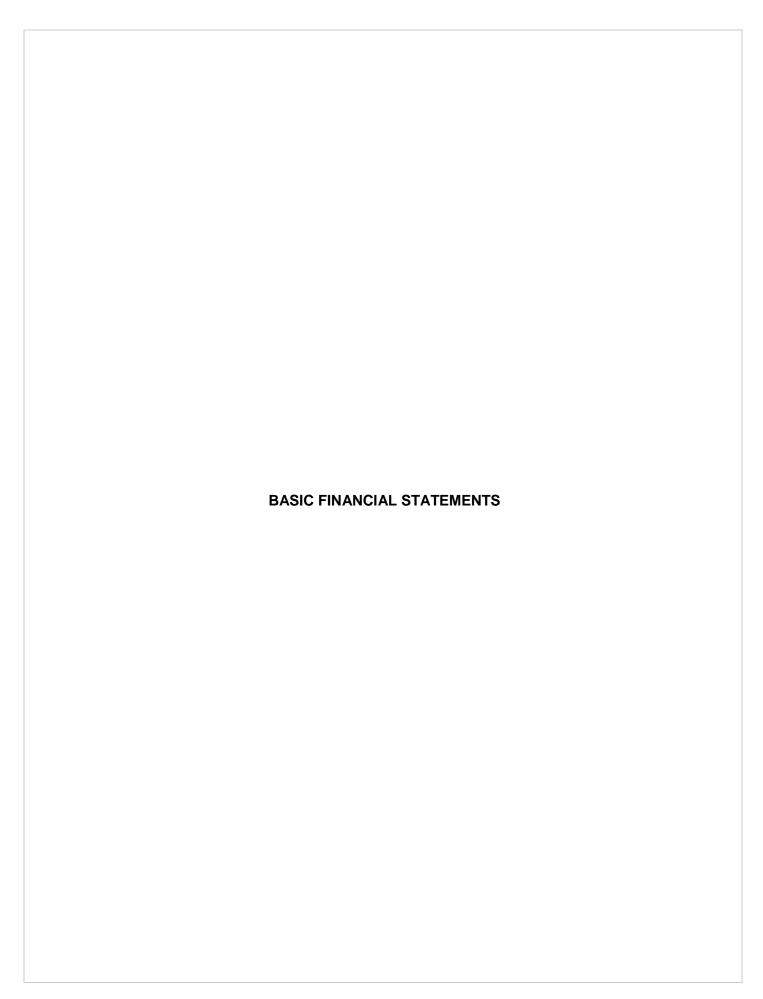
FACTORS BEARING ON THE DISTRICT'S FUTURE

The District has budgeted \$3,825,428 in general fund revenues for fiscal year 2016-2017. This is down \$310,297 from the \$4,135,725 actual general fund revenue for the 2015-2016 fiscal year. The primary factor for this decrease in revenues is due to decreases in property values and in ADA.

The District also budgeted \$3,996,219 in general fund expenditures for 2016-2017. This is down \$15,200 from the actual 2015-2016 general fund expenditures of \$4,011,419 and is comparable to prior year.

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to show the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact the District's business office, at Hamlin Independent School District, 450 SW Avenue F, Hamlin, Texas 79520.



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HAMLIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Exhibit A-1

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AUGUST 31, 2016

	Governmental Activities 2,148,053
Codes	Activities
ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS:	2 148 053
	2 148 053
1110 Cash and Temporary Investments \$	
1220 Property Taxes - Delinquent	379,800
1230 Allowance for Uncollectible Taxes	(37,169)
1240 Due from Other Governments	185,479
1410 Prepayments	47,460
Capital Assets:	
1510 Land	65,293
1520 Buildings and Improvements, Net	5,770,317
1530 Furniture and Equipment, Net	55,368
1540 Vehicles, Net	27,048
1550 Leased Property Under Capital Leases, Net	56,957
1000 Total Assets \$	8,698,606
Ψ	3,000,000
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES:	
1701 Unamortized Loss on Bond Refunding \$	262,900
1705 Deferred Outflow Related to Pension Liability	367,634
1700 Total Deferred Outflows of Resources \$	630,534
1700 Total Deletted Outflows of Nesodices	030,334
LIABILITIES:	
2110 Accounts Payable \$	17,490
2140 Interest Payable	15,584
2160 Accrued Wages Payable	144,157
2200 Accrued Expenses	3,590
2300 Unearned Revenue	150,228
2501 Due Within One Year	276,262
2502 Due in More than One Year	3,911,721
2516 Unamortized Bond Premium	364,690
2540 Net Pension Liability	810,262
2000 Total Liabilities \$	5,693,984
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DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES:	
2605 Deferred Inflow Related to Pension Liability \$	60,300
2600 Total Deferred Inflows of Resources \$	60,300
NET POSITION:	
3200 Net Investment in Capital Assets \$	1,669,626
3850 Restricted for Debt Service	255,069
3900 Unrestricted Net Position	1,650,161
	1,000,101
3000 Total Net Position \$	3,574,856
The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.	

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HAMLIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Exhibit B-1

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016

				Prograr	n Reve	nues		Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Assets
Data Control Codes		Expenses		Charges for Services		Operating Grants and Contributions	(Total Governmental Activities
0011	Instruction	\$ 2,338,162	\$		\$	455,186	\$	(1,882,976)
0012	Instructional Resources and Media Services	9,883				271		(9,612)
0013	Curriculum and Staff Development	7,538				520		(7,018)
0021	Instructional Leadership	63,141				44.407		(63,141)
0023	School Leadership	280,658				11,107		(269,551)
0031 0033	Guidance, Counseling, and Evaluation Services					7,404		(133,717)
0033	Health Services Student Transportation	22,909				1,358 554		(21,551)
0034	Food Services	71,983 262,809		17,302		205,229		(71,429) (40,278)
0035	Extracurricular Activities	344,178		32,149		11,408		(300,621)
0041	General Administration	326,379		32,143		11,494		(314,885)
0051	Plant Maintenance and Operations	651,804		1,050		10,839		(639,915)
0053	Data Processing Services	146,766		.,000		4,530		(142,236)
0072	Interest on Long-Term Debt	149,701				.,000		(149,701)
0073	Bond Issuance Cost and Fees	1,606						(1,606)
0093	Payments to Fiscal Agent/Member Districts	79,511						(79,511)
0099	Other Intergovernmental Charges	55,057			_		_	(55,057)
TP	Total Primary Government	\$ 4,953,206	\$	50,501	\$	719,900	\$	(4,182,805)
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	Data							
	Control	OI D						
	<u>Codes</u> 0	General Revenues:						
	MT I	Property Taxes, Levie	d for G	Seneral Purp	oses		\$	1,766,514
		Property Taxes, Levie						344,471
	SF S	State Aid Formula Gra	ants					2,153,396
		Grants and Contributi	ons no	t Restricted				82,683
	IE I	nvestment Earnings						8,490
	MI I	Miscellaneous Local a	and Inte	ermediate Re	evenue		_	9,071
	TR	Total General Revenu	ies, Sp	ecial Items,	and Tra	ansfers	\$_	4,364,625
	CN (Change in Net Position	n				\$	181,820
	NB I	Net Position - Beginni	ng				_	3,393,036
	NE I	Net Position - Ending					\$_	3,574,856

Exhibit C-1

BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS AUGUST 31, 2016

			10				98
Data					Other		Total
Control			General	G	overnmental	(Governmental
Codes			Fund		Funds		Funds
	ASSETS:	_					
1110	Cash and Temporary Investments	\$	1,913,165	\$	204,991	\$	2,118,156
1220	Property Taxes - Delinquent		322,031		57,769		379,800
1230	Allowance for Uncollectible Taxes		(33,769)		(3,400)		(37,169)
1240	Receivables from Other Governments		113,549		71,930		185,479
1260	Due from Other Funds		51,509				51,509
1410	Prepayments	_	47,460	_		_	47,460
1000	Total Assets	\$_	2,413,945	\$_	331,290	\$_	2,745,235
	LIABILITIES:						
2110	Accounts Payable	\$	3,125	\$	4,028	\$	7,153
2160	Accrued Wages Payable		124,696		19,461		144,157
2170	Due to Other Funds		•		51,509		51,509
2200	Accrued Expenditures		2,367		1,223		3,590
2300	Unearned Revenue		150,228				150,228
2000	Total Liabilities	\$	280,416	\$	76,221	\$	356,637
	DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES:						
2601	Unavailable Revenue - Property Taxes	\$	288,262	\$	54,369	\$	342,631
2600	Total Deferred Inflows	\$	288,262	\$	54,369	\$	342,631
	FUND BALANCES:						
3480	Restricted - Debt Service	\$		\$	200,700	\$	200,700
3510	Committed - Construction		900,000				900,000
3600	Unassigned		945,267				945,267
3000	Total Fund Balances	\$	1,845,267	\$	200,700	\$	2,045,967
4000	Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows, and Fund Balances	\$_	2,413,945	\$_	331,290	\$_	2,745,235

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HAMLIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Exhibit C-2

RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AUGUST 31, 2016

Data
Control
Codes

	Total Fund Balances - Governmental Funds (Exhibit C-1)	\$	2,045,967
1	The District uses internal service funds to charge the costs of certain activities, such as workers compensation, to appropriate functions in other funds. The assets and liabilities of the internal service fund are included in governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position. The net effect of this consolidation is to increase net position.		19,560
2	Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in governmental funds. At the beginning of the year, the cost of these assets was \$12,887,828, and the accumulated depreciation was (\$6,685,949). In addition, bonds payable are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported as liabilities in these funds. The long-term debt was (\$4,550,943). The net effect of including the beginning balances for capital assets (net of depreciation) and long-term debt in the governmental activities is to increase net position.		1,650,936
3	Current year capital outlays and long-term debt principal payments are expenditures in the fund financial statement, but they should be shown as increases in capital assets and reductions in long-term debt in the government-wide financial statements. The net effect of including the 2016 capital outlays \$75,569, debt principal payments \$86,665, recording new lease and additional debt principal (\$69,483), and lease payments \$35,872 is to increase net position.		128,623
4	Bond issuances provide current financial resources to governmental funds but does not affect the Statement of Activities. During the year, the District retired refunding bonds in the amount of \$10,000. The net effect of the bond retirement is to increase net position.		10,000
5	Current year interest accretion on capital appreciation bonds is recognized when paid in the governmental funds, but is accrued as incurred in the Statement of Activities.		(55,348)
6	Amortization of premiums on Capital Appreciation and refunding bonds \$237,515 and change in accrued interest \$365 is to increase net position.		237,880
7	The 2016 depreciation expense increases accumulated depreciation. The net effect of the current year's depreciation and loss on disposal of assets is to decrease net position.		(302,465)
8	Included in the items related to debt is the recognition of the District's proportionate share of the net pension liabilities required by GASB 68 in the amount of (\$810,262), a Deferred Resource Inflow related to TRS in the amount of (\$155,263), and a Deferred Resource Outflow related to TRS in the amount of \$462,597. This amounted to a decrease in net position.		(502,928)
9	Various other reclassifications and eliminations are necessary to convert from the modified accrual basis of accounting to accrual basis of accounting. This includes recognizing deferred property tax revenue of \$342,631 as revenue. The effect of this reclassification is to increase net position.	_	342,631
19	Net Position of Governmental Activities (Exhibit A-1)	\$ _	3,574,856

Exhibit C-3

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016

Data Contro Codes		_	10 General Fund	G.	Other overnmental Funds	G	98 Total Sovernmental Funds
Revenu	ues:						
5700 5800 5900	Local and Intermediate Sources State Program Revenues Federal Program Revenues	\$	1,809,340 2,326,385	\$ 	359,761 75,940 472,727	\$	2,169,101 2,402,325 472,727
5020	Total Revenues	\$_	4,135,725	\$	908,428	\$_	5,044,153
Expend	ditures:						
0011 0012 0013 0021 0023 0031 0033 0034 0035 0041 0051 0053 0071 0072 0073 0093	Instruction Instructional Resources and Media Services Curriculum and Staff Development Instructional Leadership School Leadership Guidance, Counseling, and Evaluation Services Health Services Student Transportation Food Services Extracurricular Activities General Administration Plant Maintenance and Operations Data Processing Services Principal on Long-Term Debt Interest on Long-Term Debt Bond Issuance Cost and Fees Payments to Fiscal Agents/Member Districts	\$	1,795,666 8,966 6,528 59,039 253,145 127,444 20,841 124,645 5,059 311,734 295,819 606,463 134,640 122,537 4,325	\$	348,367 520 254,070 33,308 296,692 1,606	\$	2,144,033 8,966 7,048 59,039 253,145 127,444 20,841 124,645 259,129 311,734 295,819 606,463 134,640 155,845 301,017 1,606 79,511
6030	Other Intergovernmental Charges Total Expenditures	\$	55,057 4,011,419	\$	934,563	- \$	55,057 4,945,982
1100	Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	\$_	124,306	\$	(26,135)	\$_	98,171
Other F	Financing Sources (Uses):						
7913 7915 8911	Capital Leases Transfers In Transfers Out	\$ _	61,575 (36,598)	\$ 	36,598	\$ _	61,575 36,598 (36,598)
7080	Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	\$_	24,977	\$	36,598	\$_	61,575
1200	Net Change in Fund Balance	\$	149,283	\$	10,463	\$	159,746
0100	September 1 - Fund Balance	_	1,695,984		190,237	_	1,886,221
3000	August 31 - Fund Balance	\$_	1,845,267	\$	200,700	\$_	2,045,967

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Exhibit C-4

RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016

Net Change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds (Exhibit C-3)	\$	159,746
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities (Exhibit B-1) are different because:		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which depreciation (\$302,465) exceeded capital outlays \$75,569 in the current period.		(226,896)
Property Tax Revenues in the Statement of Activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds.		10,336
Repayment of bond and other long-term debt principal of \$132,537 and recording of a new lease and additional debt principal (\$69,483) is an expenditure in governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the Statement of Net Position.		63,054
Governmental funds report accretion of interest expense (\$55,348) when the debt is issued/paid but these amounts are deferred/accrued in the Statement of Activities. This is the amount of accretion of interest expense less the amortization of bond premiums \$237,515 and recording the change in accrued interest \$365.		182,532
Current year changes due to GASB 68 required credits to expenses in the amount of \$139,021 and debits to expenses in the amount of (\$160,707) resulting in a decrease in the change in ending net position of (\$21,686).		(21,686)
Internal service funds are used by management to charge the costs of workers compensation to individual funds. The net expense of the internal service fund is reported with governmental activities (See Exhibit D-2).	_	14,734
Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities (Exhibit B-1).	\$_	181,820

Exhibit D-1

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUND AUGUST 31, 2016

	-	Governmental Activities Internal Service Fund
ASSETS:		
Cash and Temporary Investments	\$_	29,897
Total Assets	\$_	29,897
LIABILITIES:		
Accounts Payable	\$_	10,337
Total Liabilities	\$_	10,337
NET POSITION:		
Unrestricted Net Position	\$_	19,560

Exhibit D-2

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016

		overnmental Activities Internal ervice Fund
OPERATING REVENUES: Interest Income Charges to Other Funds Total Revenues	\$ \$	51 19,948 19,999
OPERATING EXPENSES: Fixed Costs and Fees Total Expenses	\$ \$	5,265 5,265
Change in Net Position	\$	14,734
Net Position - September 1 (Beginning)		4,826
Net Position - August 31 (Ending)	\$	19,560

Exhibit D-3

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016

INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	 overnmental Activities Internal ervice Fund
Cash Flows from Operating Activities Cash Receipts from Charges to Other Funds Cash Receipts from Interest Income Cash Payments to Suppliers for Goods and Services	\$ 19,948 51 (12,463)
Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities	\$ 7,536
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 7,536
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Year	 22,361
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Year	\$ 29,897
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME TO NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
Operating Income Change in Payables	\$ 14,734 (7,198)
Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities	\$ 7,536

Exhibit E-1

STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION FIDUCIARY FUND AUGUST 31, 2016

	Private-Purpose Trust			Agency Funds	
ASSETS: Cash and Temporary Investments Cash and Temporary Investments - Restricted	\$	23,251	\$	50,741	
Total Assets	\$	23,251	\$_	50,741	
LIABILITIES: Due to Student Groups	\$	0	\$	50,741	
Total Liabilities	\$	0	\$ _	50,741	
NET POSITION: Restricted Net Position	\$	23,251	\$	0	

Exhibit E-2

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION FIDUCIARY FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016

	_	Private- Purpose Trust
ADDITIONS: Contributions: Gifts and Bequests	\$_	0
Investment Earnings: Interest Income	\$_	124
Total Additions	\$	124
DEDUCTIONS: Scholarships Paid Total Deductions	\$_ \$_	1,000 1,000
Change in Net Position	\$	(876)
Net Position - September 1 (Beginning)		24,127
Net Position - August 31 (Ending)	\$	23,251

HAMLIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Hamlin Independent School District's (the District) basic financial statements have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board and other authoritative sources identified in *Statement on Auditing Standards No. 69* of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; as applied to governmental units in conjunction with the Texas Education Agency's Financial Accountability System Resource Guide (FAR). The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The more significant accounting policies of the District are described below.

A. REPORTING ENTITY

The Board of School Trustees (the Board), a seven member group, has fiscal accountability over all activities related to public elementary and secondary education within the jurisdiction of the District. The Board is elected by the public. The Board has the exclusive power and duty to govern and oversee the management of the District. All powers and duties not specifically delegated by statute to the Texas Education Agency (the Agency) or to the State Board of Education are reserved for the Board, and the Agency may not substitute its judgment for the lawful exercise of those powers and duties by the Board. The District is not included in any other governmental "reporting entity" as defined in governmental accounting and financial reporting standards. There are no component units included within the reporting entity.

The District receives funding from local, state, and federal government sources and must comply with the requirements of these funding entities.

B. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING AND PRESENTATION

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities display information about the government-wide entity as a whole. These statements report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the District. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental Activities, which normally are supported by taxes, state foundation funds, grants, and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support (i.e., internal service funds are considered governmental activities and not business-type activities). The District currently has no business-type activities.

In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities or Statement of Net Position.

These government-wide financial statements were prepared using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned, and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Statement of Activities demonstrates how other people or entities that participate in programs the District operates have shared in the payment of the direct costs. The "charges for services" column includes payments made by parties that purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods or services provided by a given function or segment of the District. Examples include tuition paid by students not residing in the District, school lunch charges, etc. The "operating grants and contributions" column includes amounts paid by organizations outside the District to help meet the operational or capital requirements of a given function. Examples include grants under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. If a revenue is not a program revenue, it is a general revenue used to support all of the District's functions. Taxes are always general revenues.

The District reports all direct expenses by function in the Statement of Activities. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a function. Indirect expenses of other functions are not allocated to those functions but are reported separately in the Statement of Activities. Depreciation expense is specifically identified by function and is included in the direct expense to each function allocated. Interest on general long-term debt is considered an indirect expense and is reported separately on the Statement of Activities.

Interfund activities between governmental funds and proprietary funds appear as due to/due from on the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet and Proprietary Fund Statement of Net Position and as other resources and other uses on the Governmental Fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance and on the Proprietary Fund Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Net Position. All interfund transactions between governmental funds and between governmental funds and internal service funds are eliminated on the government-wide statements. Interfund activities between governmental funds and fiduciary funds remain as due to/due from on the government-wide Statement of Activities.

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds. Since the resources in the fiduciary funds cannot be used for District operations, they are not included in the government-wide statements. Major governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period.

Revenues from local sources consist primarily of property taxes. Amounts have been recorded for property tax revenues collected through August 31, 2016. State revenues are recognized under the susceptible-to-accrual concept. Miscellaneous revenues are recorded as revenue when received in cash because they are generally not measurable until actually received. Investment earnings are recorded as earned, since they are both measurable and available.

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Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures and claims and judgments are recorded only when payment is due.

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond issue costs in the current period. The face amount of the debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Issuance costs, whether or not withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures.

The proprietary fund and the fiduciary fund financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned, and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. The District applies all GASB pronouncements, as well as the Financial Accounting Standards Board pronouncements issued on or before November 30, 1989, unless these pronouncements conflict or contradict GASB pronouncements.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues result from providing goods and services in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations; they usually come from exchange or exchange-like transactions. Interest income earned on the operating cash account is considered operating revenue. All other revenues are non-operating.

GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES

The District reports the following major governmental fund:

General Fund – This fund is established to account for resources used for general operations. All general tax revenues and other receipts that are not allocated by law or contractual agreement to some other fund are accounted for in this fund. This is a budgeted fund, and undesignated fund balances are considered resources available for current operations.

Additionally, the government reports the following fund types:

Special Revenue Funds – These funds are used to account for resources restricted to, or designated for, specific purposes by a grantor. Federal financial assistance generally is accounted for in a special revenue fund. Except for the food service and technology fund, any unused balances are returned to the grantor at the close of specified project periods. The food service fund is the only required budgeted special revenue fund. For all other funds in this fund type, project accounting is employed to maintain integrity for the various sources of funds.

The District's food service fund is considered a special revenue fund since it meets the following criteria: (1) User fees are charged to supplement the National School Lunch Program (NSLP), (2) The general fund subsidizes the food service program for all expenditures in excess of NSLP, and (3) The District does not consider the food service program completely self-supporting. Food service fund balances, if any, are used exclusively for child nutrition program purposes.

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Debt Service Fund – This fund is used to account for payment of principal and interest on long-term general obligation debt and other long-term debts for which tax has been dedicated. This is a budgeted fund and any unused sinking fund balances will be transferred to the general fund after all of the related debt obligations have been met.

PROPRIETARY FUND TYPES

Internal Service Funds – Internal service funds are used to account for revenues and expenses related to services provided to parties inside the District, specifically for the operation of its partially-funded insurance plan for workers' compensation on a cost-reimbursement basis.

FIDUCIARY FUND TYPES

Private Purpose Trust Fund – The District accounts for donations for which the donor has stipulated may be used for purposes that benefit parties outside the District. The District's Private Purpose trust fund is a scholarship fund in memory of Lou Ferguson, with annual scholarships to be awarded to past students of the District in accordance with donor stipulations.

Agency Funds – These custodial funds are used to account for activities of student groups and other organizational activities requiring clearing accounts. Financial resources for the agency funds are recorded as assets and liabilities; therefore, these funds do not include revenues and expenditures and have no fund equity. Student activity organizations exist with the explicit approval of, and are subject to revocation by, the District's Board of Trustees. If any unused resources are declared surplus by the student groups, they are transferred to the general fund with a recommendation to the Board for an appropriate utilization through a budgeted program.

C. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING APPLICABLE TO ALL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Capital assets, which include buildings and improvements, furniture and equipment, vehicles, and work in progress are reported in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an individual cost of more than \$5,000. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the assets or materially extend the assets' useful lives are not capitalized.

Revenues from state and federal grants are considered to be earned to the extent of expenditures made under the provisions of the grant. Funds received but unexpended are reflected as deferred revenues, and funds expended but not yet received are shown as receivables. If balances have not been expended by the end of the project period, grantors generally require the District to refund all or part of the unused amount.

Supplies and materials are debited as expenditures when purchased.

It is the District's policy to permit some employees to accumulate earned but unused vacation and sick pay benefits. There is no liability for unpaid accumulated sick leave since the District does not have a policy to pay any amounts when employees separate from service with the District.

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Since Internal Service Funds support the operations of governmental funds, they are consolidated with the governmental funds in the government-wide financial statements. The expenditures of governmental funds that create the revenues of internal service funds are eliminated to avoid "grossing up" the revenues and expenses of the District as a whole.

When the District incurs an expense for which it may use either restricted or unrestricted assets, it uses the restricted assets first whenever they will have to be returned if they are not used.

In accordance with the FAR, the District has adopted and installed an accounting system which exceeds the minimum requirements prescribed by the State Board of Education and approved by the State Auditor. Specifically, the District's accounting system uses codes and the code structure presented in the Accounting Code Section of the FAR. Mandatory codes are utilized in the form provided in that section.

D. BUDGETARY DATA

The official budget was prepared on the modified accrual basis of accounting, which is consistent with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, for the general fund, debt service fund, and the food service special revenue fund. The remaining special revenue funds adopt project-length budgets which do not correspond to the District's fiscal year. The following procedures are followed in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the basic financial statements:

- a. Prior to August 20 of the preceding fiscal year, the District prepares a budget for the next succeeding fiscal year beginning September 1. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them.
- b. A meeting of the Board is then called for the purpose of adopting the proposed budget. At least 10 days public notice of the meeting must be given.
- c. Prior to September 1, the budget is legally enacted through passage of a resolution by the Board.

The budget is prepared and controlled at the function level within each fund and is amended at this level as needed. Amendments are presented to the Board of Directors (the Board) at its regular meetings. Each amendment must have the Board's approval. Such amendments are made before the fact, and they are reflected in the official minutes of the Board. During the year, several amendments were necessary.

E. ENCUMBRANCE ACCOUNTING

Encumbrances for goods or purchased services are documented by purchase orders or contracts. Under Texas law, appropriations lapse at August 31, and encumbrances outstanding at that time are to be either cancelled or appropriately provided for in the subsequent year's budget. There were no outstanding encumbrances at August 31, 2016.

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F. FUND EQUITY

Fund balances are classified as follows:

Restricted – Amounts that can be spent only for specific purposes because of restrictions by external sources (creditors, laws of other governments, etc.) or by constitutional provision or enabling legislation.

Committed – Amounts that can be used only for specific purposes determined by formal action by the Board of Trustees, the highest level of decision making authority.

Assigned – Amounts that can be used for a specific purpose as expressed by the authorized administrator, the Superintendent.

Unassigned – Amounts not included in other spendable classifications.

When an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available, the District considers restricted funds to have been spent first. When an expenditure for which committed, assigned, or unassigned fund balances are available, the District considers 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.

The Board of Trustees has adopted a minimum fund balance policy for the general fund. The District shall strive to maintain a yearly fund balance in the general operating fund in which the total fund balance is 34% and the unassigned fund balance is 20% of the total operating expenditures.

G. NET POSITION ON THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

Net position on the Statement of Net position includes the following:

Net Investment in Capital Assets – this component of net position represents the difference between capital assets less both the accumulated depreciation and the outstanding balance of debt, excluding any unspent bond proceeds, which are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets.

Restricted for Debt Service – this component of net position represents the difference between assets and liabilities of the debt service fund that consists of assets with constraints placed on their use by creditors.

Unrestricted – the difference between assets and liabilities that is not reported in Net Investment in Capital Assets or Net Position Restricted for Debt Service.

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H. PENSIONS

The fiduciary net position of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) has been determined using the flow of economic resources measurement focus and full accrual basis of accounting. This includes for purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, pension expense, and information about assets, liabilities and additions to/deductions from TRS's fiduciary net position. 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.

I. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - PROPRIETARY FUNDS

For purposes of the statement of cash flows for proprietary fund types, the District considers highly liquid investments to be cash equivalents if they have a maturity of three months or less when purchased.

J. MANAGEMENT'S USE OF ESTIMATES

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenditures during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

2. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

Legal and Contractual Provisions Governing Deposits and Investments

The **Public Funds Investment Act** (Government Code Chapter 2256) (the Act) contains specific provisions in the areas of investment practices, management reports and establishment of appropriate policies. Among other things, it requires the District to adopt, implement, and publicize an investment policy. That policy must address the following areas: (1) safety of principal and liquidity, (2) portfolio diversification, (3) allowable investments, (4) acceptable risk levels, (5) expected rates of return, (6) maximum allowable stated maturity of portfolio investments, (7) maximum average dollar-weighted maturity allowed based on the stated maturity date for the portfolio, (8) investment staff quality and capabilities, and (9) bid solicitation preferences for certificates of deposit.

Statutes authorize the District to invest in (1) obligations of the U.S. Treasury, certain U.S. agencies, and the State of Texas; (2) certificates of deposit; (3) certain municipal securities; (4) money market savings accounts; (5) repurchase agreements; (6) bankers acceptances; (7) mutual funds; (8)investment pools; (9) guaranteed investment contracts; and (10) common trust funds. The Act also requires the District to have independent auditors perform test procedures related to investment practices as provided by the Act. The District is in substantial compliance with the requirements of the Act and with local policies.

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Policies Governing Deposits and Investments

In compliance with the **Public Funds Investment Act**, the District has adopted a deposit and investment policy. That policy does not address the following risks:

- a. Custodial Credit Risk Deposits and Investments: In the case of deposits, this is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits and investments in certificates of deposits may not be returned to it. The District's policy does not contain legal or policy requirements that would limit the exposure to custodial credit risk for deposits and investments, other than the following: The State of Texas requires that a financial institution secure deposits and investments made by state or local governments by pledging securities in excess of the highest cash balance of the government. The District is not exposed to custodial credit risk for its deposits and investments in certificates of deposit are all covered by depository insurance and pledged securities held by a third party in the District's name.
- b. Concentration of Credit Risk The investment policy of the District contains no limitations on the amount that can be invested in any one issuer. Investments in any one issuer (other than U.S. Treasury securities, mutual funds, and external investment pools) that represent five percent or more of the total entity investments represent a concentration risk. At August 31, 2016, all of the District's investments are in certificates of deposit with its depository bank, and are completely covered by pledged securities as described in the preceding paragraph.
- c. Credit Risk Not applicable.
- d. Interest Rate Risk Not applicable.
- e. Foreign Currency Risk Not applicable.

The carrying amount of the District's cash and temporary investments at August 31, 2016, approximates fair value and consisted of the following shown below:

Cash in Bank - Including Money Market Accounts Equity Securities (Carried at Cost) - Trust Fund Certificate of Deposit	\$ 1,716,348 5,697 500,000
Total Cash and Investments	\$ 2,222,045
Cash and Investments - Governmental Funds Cash and Investments - Internal Service Funds	\$ 2,118,156 29,897
Cash and Investments - Statement of Net Position Cash and Investments - Fiduciary Funds	\$ 2,148,053 73,992
Total Cash and Investments	\$ 2,222,045

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3. PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes are levied by October 1 on the assessed value listed as of the prior January 1 for all real and business personal property located in the District in conformity with Subtitle E, Texas Property Tax Code. Taxes are due on receipt of the tax bill and are delinquent if not paid before February 1 of the year following the year in which imposed. On January 1 of each year, a tax lien attaches to property to secure the payment of all taxes, penalties, and interest ultimately imposed.

Delinquent taxes are prorated between maintenance and debt service based on rates adopted for the year of the levy. All property taxes remaining uncollected after ten years are provided for in the allowance for uncollectible taxes. Uncollectible personal property taxes are periodically reviewed and written off, but the District is prohibited from writing off real property taxes without specific statutory authority from the Texas legislature.

4. INTERFUND RECEIVABLES AND PAYABLES

Interfund balances at August 31, 2016, consisted of the following individual fund receivables and payables:

		Due from Other Funds	_	Due to Other Funds
General Fund Special Revenue Funds	\$=	51,509	\$_	0
Special Revenue Funds General Fund	\$_	0	\$_	51,509

5. DUE FROM OTHER GOVERNMENTS

Amounts due from other governments consisted of the following at August 31, 2016:

Due from State	\$ 159,999
Due from Other Governments	25,480
Total Due from Other Governments	\$ 185,479

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6. CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended August 31, 2016, was as follows:

				Additions/			
	_	9/1/2015	_	Transfers	_	Deletions	8/31/2016
Capital Assets:							
Land	\$	65,293	\$		\$		\$ 65,293
Building and Improvements		11,371,241					11,371,241
Furniture and Equipment		941,782		13,994			955,776
Capital Lease Items				61,575			61,575
Vehicles	_	509,512	_		_		509,512
	\$	12,887,828	\$_	75,569	\$_	0	\$ 12,963,397
Accumulated Depreciation:							
Buildings and Improvements	\$	5,334,492	\$	266,432	\$		\$ 5,600,924
Furniture and Equipment		886,175		14,233			900,408
Capital Lease Items				4,618			4,618
Vehicles	_	465,282	_	17,182	_		482,464
	\$	6,685,949	\$	302,465	\$	0	\$ 6,988,414
	\$	6,201,879	\$	(226,896)	\$	0	\$ 5,974,983

Depreciation expense was charged to functions of the primary government as follows:

Instruction	\$	148,979
Instruction Resources and Media Services		623
Curriculum and Instructional Staff Development		490
Instructional Leadership		4,102
School Leadership		17,590
Guidance, Counseling, and Evaluation Services		8,855
Health Services		1,448
Student (Pupil) Transportation		8,661
Food Services		18,006
Cocurricular/Extracurricular Activities		21,661
General Administration		20,555
Plant Maintenance and Operations		42,140
Data Processing Services	_	9,355
	\$	302,465

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Capital assets are being depreciated using the straight line method over the following useful lives:

Buildings and Improvements	15 - 30 years
Furniture and Equipment	5 - 20 years
Vehicles	5 - 10 years

7. UNEARNED REVENUES AND DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOUCES

Governmental funds report unearned revenue and deferred inflows of resources in connection with receivables for revenues that are not considered to be available to liquidate liabilities of the current period. Unearned revenues and deferred inflows of resources consisted of the following at August 31, 2016:

	_	General Fund	<u>s</u>	Debt ervice Fund	Total
Overpayment from State	\$	150,228	\$		\$ 150,228
Unearned Revenues - Exhibit A-1 and C-1	\$	150,228	\$	0	\$ 150,228
Property Taxes - Delinquent Less: Allowance for Uncollectible Taxes	\$	322,031 (33,769)	\$	57,769 (3,400)	\$ 379,800 (37,169)
Total Deferred Inflows - Exhibit C-1	\$	288,262	\$_	54,369	\$ 342,631

8. LONG-TERM DEBT

General Obligation Bonds

A summary of changes in bonds payable for the year ended August 31, 2016, is as follows:

Description	Interest Rate	 Amount Originally Issued	Amount Outstanding 9/1/2015		Issued Current Year	Retired Current Year	Amount Outstanding 8/31/2016
2007 Capital Appreciation Bonds Accumulated Accretion	N/A N/A	\$ 70,000	\$ 41,112 248,034	\$	55,348	\$ 23,308 161,692	\$ 17,804 141,690
2015 Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds	2.0% - 4.0%	3,765,000	 3,765,000	. <u>-</u>		 10,000	 3,755,000
		\$ 3,835,000	\$ 4,054,146	\$_	55,348	\$ 195,000	\$ 3,914,494

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On July 24, 2007, the District issued \$3,830,000 in unlimited tax school building bonds and \$70,000 of capital appreciation bonds. The District utilized these bonds to construct a new gymnasium. The 2007 current interest bonds of \$3,830,000 were advance refunded in 2015. Interest expenditures for the 2007 capital appreciation bonds totaled \$161,692 for the year ended August 31, 2016.

On July 14, 2015, the District issued \$3,765,000 of Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2015 which were used to advance refund the outstanding Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds Series 2007. The bonds have an average interest rate of 3.77% with annual maturities from August 2015 through August 2032. The balance of the refunded bonds of \$3,830,000 will be paid from the escrowed funds on February 15, 2017. Interest expenditures on this bonded debt totaled \$135,000 for the year ended August 31, 2016.

Debt service requirements are as follows:

Fiscal	l Year

Ending August 31,	_	Principal	_	Interest	_	Total
2017	\$	190,000	\$	134,800	\$	324,800
2018		195,000		131,775		326,775
2019		205,000		125,775		330,775
2020		210,000		119,550		329,550
2021		215,000		113,175		328,175
2022-2026		1,175,000		458,875		1,633,875
2027-2032		1,745,000		216,900		1,961,900
Unaccreted CAB Appreciation	_	(20,506)	_	20,506	_	0
	\$_	3,914,494	\$	1,321,356	\$_	5,235,850

Notes Payable

A summary of changes in notes payable for the year ended August 31, 2016, is as follows:

	Interest		Amount Originally	Amount Outstanding		Issued Current		Retired Current		Amount Outstanding
Description	Rate		Issued	9/1/2015		Year		Year		8/31/2016
HVAC Note	5.00%	\$	501,009	\$ 166,543	\$		\$	166,543	\$	0
2009 Tax Maintenance Note	5.50%		340,000	160,000				160,000		0
2016 Refinanced Bank Note	4.00%	_	334,451			334,451	_	86,665	_	247,786
		\$	1,175,460	\$ 326,543	\$_	334,451	\$	413,208	\$	247,786

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During the year ended August 31, 2016, the District refinanced its HVAC and 2009 Tax Maintenance Notes into a consolidated note from Hamlin National Bank. The note has a four year term at an annual rate of 4.00%. Interest expenditures for this note for the year ended August 31, 2016, totaled \$3,335. Note Payable debt service requirements are as follows:

Fiscal Year					
Ending August 31,	 Principal	_	Interest		Total
2017	\$ 80,089	\$	9,911	\$	90,000
2018	83,292		6,708		90,000
2019	 84,405	_	3,376	_	87,781
	\$ 247,786	\$	19,995	\$	267,781

9. OBLIGATIONS UNDER CAPITAL LEASE

A summary of the activity for the District's capital lease obligations is as follows:

			Amount	Issued	Retired	Amount
Date of		Interest	Outstanding	Current	Current	Outstanding
Issue	Description	Rate	9/1/2015	Year	Year	8/31/2016
12/1/2015	2016 Giradin G5 Bus	2.680% \$	0 \$	61,575 \$	35,872 \$	25,703

During the year, the District entered into a lease for a new Girardin bus from Santander Leasing, LLC. This lease is a six year lease originating December 2015. Payments are made annually. Payments totaling \$36,862, which included interest of \$990, were made during the year.

Future Minimum payments for this lease is as follows:

Fiscal Year Ending August 31,	_	
2017	\$	6,862
2018		6,862
2019		6,862
2020		6,862
Total Payments	\$	27,448
Less: Interest		1,745
Total Principal	\$	25,703

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10. OPERATING LEASES

During the year 2015, the District entered into a lease agreement with Santander Bank, N.A. to lease a bus. The lease is for three years with the option to buy at fair market value of \$52,112 at the end of the lease. Payments totaling \$13,802, which included interest of \$796, were made during the year.

Future minimum rental payments for the operating lease are as follows:

Fiscal Year Ending August 31,	_	Principal	_	Interest	-	Total
2017 2018	\$	11,927 12,225	\$	1,875 1,577	\$	13,802 13,802
	\$	24,152	\$	3,452	\$	27,604

11. REVENUES FROM LOCAL AND INTERMEDIATE SOURCES

During the current year, fund financial statement revenues from local and intermediate sources consisted of the following:

	_	General Fund	Ē	Special Revenue Fund	Debt Service Fund		Total
Property Taxes, Penalties, Interest,							
and Other Tax-Related Income	\$	1,759,223	\$		\$ 341,426	\$	2,100,649
Food Sales				17,692			17,692
Interest Income		7,672			643		8,315
Co-curricular Student Activities		31,759					31,759
Rent		1,050					1,050
Other	_	9,636	_			_	9,636
	\$_	1,809,340	\$_	17,692	\$ 342,069	\$_	2,169,101

12. DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN

Plan Description

The District participates in a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension that has a special funding situation. The plan is administered by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS). TRS's defined benefit pension plan is established and administered in accordance with the Texas Constitution, Article XVI, Section 67 and Texas Government Code, Title 8, Subtitle C. The pension trust fund is a qualified pension trust under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Texas Legislature establishes benefits and contribution rates within the guidelines of the Texas Constitution. The pension's Board of Trustees does not have the authority to establish or amend benefit terms.

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All employees of public, state-supported educational institutions in Texas who are employed for one-half or more of the standard work load and who are not exempted from membership under Texas Government Code, Title 8, Section 822.002 are covered by the system.

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the Teacher Retirement System's fiduciary net position is available in a separately-issued Comprehensive Annual Financial Report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained on the Internet at http://www.trs.state.tx.us/about/documents/cafr.pdf#CAFR; by writing to TRS at 1000 Red River Street, Austin, TX, 78701-2698; or by calling (512) 542-6592. The information provided in the Notes to the Financial Statements in the 2015 and 2014 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for TRS provides the following information regarding the Pension Plan fiduciary net position as of August 31, 2015 and 2014.

Net Pension Liability	 2015	2014
Total Pension Liability	\$ 163,887,375,172	\$ 159,496,075,886
Less: Plan Fiduciary Net Position	 (128,538,706,212)	 (132,779,243,085)
Net Pension Liability	\$ 35,348,668,960	\$ 26,716,832,801
Net Position as Percentage of	 70 /20/	92.250/
Total Pension Liability	78.43%	83.25%

Benefits Provided

TRS provides service and disability retirement, as well as death and survivor benefits, to eligible employees (and their beneficiaries) of public and higher education in Texas. The pension formula is calculated using 2.3% (multiplier) times the average of the five highest annual creditable salaries times years of credited service to arrive at the annual standard annuity except for members who are grandfathered, the three highest annual salaries are used. The normal service retirement is at age 65 with five years of credited service or when the sum of the member's age and years of credited service equals 80 or more years. Early retirement is at age 55 with five years of service credit or earlier than 55 with 30 years of service credit. There are additional provisions for early retirement if the sum of the member's age and years of service credit total at least 80, but the member is less than age 60 or 62 depending on date of employment, or if the member was grandfathered in under a previous rule. There are no automatic post-employment benefit changes; including automatic COLAs. Ad hoc post-employment benefit changes, including ad hoc COLAs can be granted by the Texas Legislature as noted in the Plan description above.

Contributions

Contribution requirements are established or amended pursuant to Article 16, section 67 of the Texas Constitution which requires the Texas legislature to establish a member contribution rate of not less than six percent of the member's annual compensation and a state contribution rate of not less than six percent and not more than ten percent of the aggregate annual compensation paid to members of the system during the fiscal year.

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Texas Government Code section 821.006 prohibits benefit improvements, if as a result of the particular action, the time required to amortize TRS'S unfunded actuarial liabilities would be increased to a period that exceeds 31 years, or, if the amortization period already exceeds 31 years, the period would be increased by such action.

Employee contribution rates are set in state statute, Texas Government Code 825.402. Senate Bill 1458 of the 83rd Texas Legislature amended Texas Government Code 825.402 for member contributions and established employee contribution rates for fiscal years 2014 thru 2017. The 83rd Texas Legislature, General Appropriations Act (GAA) established the employer contribution rates for fiscal years 2014 and 2015. The 84th Texas Legislature, GAA established the employer contribution rates for fiscal years 2016 and 2017.

_	Contribution Rates				
	2015	2016			
Member	6.70%	7.20%			
Non-Employer Contributing Entity (State)	6.80%	6.80%			
Employers	6.80%	6.80%			
2015 Employer Contributions	\$	67,874			
2015 Member Contributions		167,616			
2015 NECE On-Behalf Contributions		142,858			

Contributors to the plan include members, employers and the State of Texas as the only non-employer contributing entity. The State is the employer for senior colleges, medical schools and state agencies including TRS. In each respective role, the State contributes to the plan in accordance with state statues and the General Appropriations Act (GAA).

As the non-employer contributing entity for public education, the State of Texas contributes to the retirement system an amount equal to the current employer contribution rate times the aggregate annual compensation of all participating members of the pension trust fund during that fiscal year reduced by the amounts described below which are paid by the employers. Employers including public schools are required to pay the employer contribution rate in the following instances:

- On the portion of the member's salary that exceeds the statutory minimum for members entitled to the statutory minimum under Section 21.402 of the Texas Education Code.
- During a new member's first 90 days of employment.
- When any part or all of an employee's salary is paid by federal funding source or a privately sponsored source.

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In addition to the employer contributions listed above, there are two additional surcharges an employer is subject to:

- When employing a retiree of the Teacher Retirement System, the employer shall pay both the member contribution and the state contribution as an employment after retirement surcharge.
- When a school district or charter school does not contribute to the Federal Old-Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance (OASDI) Program for certain employees, they must contribute 1.5% of the state contribution rate for certain instruction or administrative employees; and 100% of the state contribution rate for all other employees.

Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability in the August 31, 2015 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

Valuation Date	August 31, 2015
Actuarial Cost Method	Individual Entry
	Age Normal
Asset Valuation Method	Market Value
Discount Rate	8.00%
Long-Term Expected Investment	
Rate of Return	8.00%
Inflation	2.50%
Salary Increases Including Inflation	3.50% to 9.50%
Payroll Growth Rate	2.50%
Benefit Changes During the Year	None
Ad Hoc Post-Employment	
Benefit Changes	None

The actuarial methods and assumptions are primarily based on a study of actual experience for the four year period ending August 31, 2014 and adopted on September 24, 2015.

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was eight percent. There was no change in the discount rate since the previous year. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members and those of the contributing employers and the non-employer contributing entity are made at the statutorily required rates. Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability. The long-term rate of return on pension plan investments is eight percent. The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best estimates 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.

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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 geometric real rates of return for each major asset class included in the Systems target asset allocation as of August 31, 2015 are summarized below:

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Real Return Geometric Basis	Long-Term Expected Portfolio Real Rate of Return*
Global Equity			
U.S.	18.00%	4.60%	1.00%
Non-U.S. Developed	13.00%	5.10%	0.80%
Emerging Markets	9.00%	5.90%	0.70%
Directional Hedge Funds	4.00%	3.20%	0.10%
Private Equity	13.00%	7.00%	1.10%
Stable Value			
U.S. Treasuries	11.00%	0.70%	0.10%
Absolute Return	0.00%	1.80%	0.00%
Hedge Funds (Stable Value)	4.00%	3.00%	0.10%
Cash	1.00%	-0.20%	0.00%
Real Return			
Global Inflation-Linked Bonds	3.00%	0.90%	0.00%
Real Assets	16.00%	5.10%	1.10%
Energy and Natural Resources	3.00%	6.60%	0.20%
Commodities	0.00%	1.20%	0.00%
Risk Parity			
Risk Parity	5.00%	6.70%	0.30%
Inflation Expectation			2.20%
Alpha			1.00%
Total	100.00%		8.70%

^{* -} The Expected Contribution to Returns incorporates the volatility drag resulting from the conversion between Arithmetic and Geometric mean returns.

Discount Rate Sensitivity Analysis

The following schedule shows the impact of the Net Pension Liability if the discount rate used was one percent less than and one percent greater than the discount rate that was used (eight percent) in measuring the 2015 Net Pension Liability.

		1% Decrease in				1% Increase in
	_	Discount Rate (7.0%)		Discount Rate (8.0%)		Discount Rate (9.0%)
HISD's Proportionate Share of the	_		•		-	
Net Pension Liability	\$_	1,269,528	\$	810,262	\$	427,722

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

At August 31, 2016, the District reported a liability of \$810,262 for its proportionate share of the TRS's net pension liability. This liability reflects a reduction for State pension support provided to the District. The amount recognized by the District as its proportionate share of the net pension liability, the related State support, and the total portion of the net pension liability that was associated with the District were as follows:

District's Proportionate Share of the Collective Net Pension Liability	\$ 810,262
State's Proportionate Share that is Associated with the District	 1,704,925
Total	\$ 2,515,187

The net pension liability was measured as of August 31, 2015 and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The employer's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the employer's contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all employers to the plan for the period September 1, 2014 through August 31, 2015.

At August 31, 2015 the employer's proportion of the collective net pension liability was .0022922%, which was an increase of 0.0007413% from its proportion measured as of August 31, 2014.

Changes since the Prior Actuarial Valuation – The following are changes to the actuarial assumptions or other inputs that affected measurement of the total pension liability since the prior measurement period:

Economic Assumptions

- The inflation assumption was decreased from 3.00% to 2.50%.
- The ultimate merit assumption for long-service employees was decreased from 1.25% to 1.00%.
- In accordance with the observed experience, there were small adjustments in the service-based promotional/longevity component of the salary scale.
- The payroll growth assumption was lowered from 3.50% to 2.50%.

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Mortality Assumptions

- The post-retirement mortality tables for non-disabled retirees were updated to reflect recent TRS member experience. Mortality rates will be assumed to continue to improve in the future using a fully generational approach and Scale BB.
- The post-retirement mortality tables for disabled retirees were updated to reflect recent TRS
 member experience. Mortality rates will be assumed to continue to improve in the future
 using a fully generational approach and Scale BB.
- The pre-retirement mortality tables for active employees were updated to use 90% of the recently published RP-2014 mortality table for active employees. Mortality rates will be assumed to continue to improve in the future using a fully generational approach and Scale BB.

Other Demographic Assumptions

- Previously, it was assumed 10% of all members who had contributed in the past 5 years to be an active member. This was an implicit rehire assumption because teachers have historically had a high incidence of terminating employment for a time and then returning to the workforce at a later date. This methodology was modified to add a more explicit valuation of the rehire incidence in the termination liabilities, and therefore these 10% are no longer being counted as active members.
- There were adjustments to the termination patterns for members consistent with experience
 and future expectations. The termination patterns were adjusted to reflect the rehire
 assumption. The timing of the termination decrement was also changed from the middle of
 the year to the beginning to match the actual pattern in the data.
- Small adjustments were made to the retirement patterns for members consistent with experience and future expectations.
- Small adjustments to the disability patterns were made for members consistent with experience for future expectations. Two separate patterns were created based on whether the member has 10 years of service or more.
- For members that become disabled in the future, it is assumed 20% of them will choose a 100% joint and survivor annuity option.

Actuarial Methods and Policies

 The method of using celled data in the valuation process was changed to now using individual data records to allow for better reporting of some items, such as actuarial gains and losses by source.

There were no changes of benefit terms that affected measurement of the total pension liability during the measurement period.

For the year ended August 31, 2015, the District recognized pension expense of \$242,924 and revenue of \$242,924 for support provided by the State.

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At August 31, 2016, the District reported its proportionate share of TRS's deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	_	Deferred Outflows of Resources	_	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Differences Between Expected and Actual Economic Experience	\$	5,328	\$	(31,139)
Changes in Actuarial Assumptions Difference Between Projected and Actual Investment Earnings		22,395 104,587		(28,907)
Changes in Proportion and Difference Between the Employer's		104,007		
Contributions and the Proportionate Share of Contributions		169,434		(254)
Contributions Paid to TRS Subsequent to the Measurement Date	_	65,890	_	
Total	\$_	367,634	\$_	(60,300)

The net amounts of the employer's balances of deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

	F	Pension Expense Amount
2017	\$	42,329
2018		42,329
2019		42,329
2020		73,984
2021		23,766
Thereafter		16,706

13. SELF-INSURANCE - WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

The District participates in a public entity risk pool for its Workmen's Compensation Insurance needs that is administered by Creative Risk Funding. The agreement between the District and the pool is renewable annually on September 1. The District's maximum loss under the agreement for 2015 was set at \$9,784 for the Self Insured Retention (SIR) for specific occurrences and \$32,614 for aggregate retention. The pool is protected against unanticipated catastrophic loss by stop loss coverage provided through Safety National Casualty Corporation. The stop loss policy covers individual claims with a SIR per occurrence of \$350,000 and maximum limit to statutory. The District accounts for its costs associated with the pool through an internal service fund.

The claims administrator for the pool has estimated the District's share of unpaid claims as of August 31, 2016, to be \$10,337 including estimated claims incurred but not reported of \$9,509. The District has recorded claims payable at August 31, 2016, related to this liability.

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14. HEALTH CARE COVERAGE

During the year ended August 31, 2016, employees of the District were covered by a health insurance plan through TRS Active Care. The District contributed \$250 of the employee-only premium per month and employees, at their option, authorized payroll withholdings to pay contributions for dependents. Under this plan, the District is not liable for costs incurred beyond the premiums paid.

Additionally, payments made on behalf of the District by the State for Medicare, Part D fringe benefits and salaries amounted to \$8,456 and \$7,200 for the years ended August 31, 2016 and 2015, respectively.

15. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Federal and State Funding

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

16. LITIGATION

There is no litigation pending against the District which would have a material effect on the financial statements.

17. JOINT VENTURE-SHARED SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS

The District participates in cooperative programs for federally funded Special Education with other districts through the Tri-County Education Shared Service Arrangement (TESSA). The Stamford Independent School District is the fiscal agent for the TESSA and all financial data for TESSA is included in those statements. Funding for TESSA is obtained from the Texas Education Agency on an annual basis for the federally funded programs including the IDEA-B, Formula and Preschool Programs. These programs are accounted for under Model #1 as per the requirements established in the *Financial Accountability System Resource Guide* adopted by the Texas Education Agency for all Texas school districts. As such the fiscal agent flowed \$10,301 in IDEA-B, Formula and \$19,040 in IDEA-B, Preschool money to the District which is recorded in these statements as revenues and expenditures in Special Revenue Funds for operation of these programs.

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The District also participates in cooperative programs for state and local funded Special Education with other districts through TESSA. The Stamford Independent School District is the fiscal agent for TESSA and all financial data for TESSA is included in those statements. Funding for TESSA is obtained from the member districts on an annual basis for the state and local funded programs for special education. These programs are accounted for under Model #3 as per the requirements established in the *Financial Accountability System Resource Guide* adopted by the Texas Education Agency for all Texas school districts. As such the fiscal agent received \$79,950 in money from the District which is recorded in these statements as intergovernmental expenditures in function 93 of the General Fund for operation of the program. The District has no equity interest in TESSA, but is a voting member of SSA activities.

The District also participates in a shared services arrangement for Pregnancy Education and Parenting (PEP) through the West Central Texas SSA (WCTSSA). The Sweetwater Independent School District is the fiscal agent for the WCTSSA. Each member district is responsible for a pro rata portion of the expenditures of the PEP SSA which is funded from state and local revenues. These programs are accounted for under Model #3 as per the requirements established in the *Financial Accountability System Resource Guide* adopted by the Texas Education Agency for all Texas school districts. As such the fiscal agent received \$3,561 in money from the District which is recorded in these statements as intergovernmental expenditures in function 93 of the General Fund for operation of the program. The District has no equity interest in the PEP SSA, but is a voting member of all SSA activities.

18. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The District's management has evaluated subsequent events though November 18, 2016, the date which the financial statements were available for issue.

Subsequent to year end, the District entered into a capital lease for two buses. This lease has a seven year term and totals \$203,145.



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Exhibit G-1

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016

Data Control Codes	_	1 Budgete Original	ed Ar	2 mounts Amended	-	3 Actual		Variance With Final Budget Favorable Infavorable)
Revenu	Jes:							
5700 5800	Local and Intermediate Sources State Program Revenues	\$ 1,713,698 1,859,828	\$	1,793,698 2,421,372	\$	1,809,340 2,326,385	\$	15,642 (94,987)
5020	Total Revenues	\$ 3,573,526	\$_	4,215,070	\$_	4,135,725	\$_	(79,345)
Expend	ditures:							
0011 0012 0013 0021 0023 0031 0033 0034 0035 0036 0041 0051 0053 0071 0072 0093	Instruction Instructional Resources and Media Services Curriculum and Instructional Staff Development Instructional Leadership School Leadership Guidance, Counseling, and Evaluation Services Health Services Student Transportation Food Services Extracurricular Activities General Administration Plant Maintenance and Operations Data Processing Services Debt Service - Principal Debt Service - Interest Payments to Fiscal Agents/Member Districts Other Intergovernmental Charges	\$ 1,719,509 12,000 10,400 59,300 255,927 127,680 23,027 123,255 5,106 331,667 302,322 605,314 135,408 91,742 79,551 76,000	\$	1,801,053 12,000 8,400 59,300 257,927 139,680 23,027 135,968 5,106 336,667 299,322 630,314 140,408 122,537 6,067 79,551 61,000	\$	1,795,666 8,966 6,528 59,039 253,145 127,444 20,841 124,645 5,059 311,734 295,819 606,463 134,640 122,537 4,325 79,511 55,057	\$	5,387 3,034 1,872 261 4,782 12,236 2,186 11,323 47 24,933 3,503 23,851 5,768 0 1,742 40 5,943
6030	Total Expenditures	\$ 3,958,208	\$_	4,118,327	\$_	4,011,419	\$	106,908
	Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures Financing Sources (Uses):	\$ (384,682)	\$_	96,743	\$_	124,306	\$_	27,563
7913 8911	Capital Leases Transfers Out (Uses)	\$ (54,242)	\$	61,575 (54,242)	\$	61,575 (36,598)	\$	0 17,644
7080	Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	\$ (54,242)	\$_	7,333	\$_	24,977	\$_	17,644
1200	Net Change in Fund Balance	\$ (438,924)	\$	104,076	\$	149,283	\$	45,207
0100	September 1 - Fund Balance	1,695,984	-	1,695,984	-	1,695,984	_	0
3000	August 31 - Fund Balance	\$ 1,257,060	\$_	1,800,060	\$_	1,845,267	\$_	45,207

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Exhibit G-2

SCHEDULES OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE YEARS ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016 AND 2015

	August 31,			
	_	2016		2015
District's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability		0.002292%		0.001551%
District's Proportionate Share of Net Pension Liability	\$	810,262	\$	414,267
State's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability Associated with the District		1,704,925	_	1,699,625
Total	\$ <u></u>	2,515,187	\$_	2,113,892
District's Covered-Employee Payroll	\$	2,501,734	\$	2,880,535
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability as a Percentage of its Covered-Employee Payroll		32.39%		14.38%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability		78.43%		83.25%

Note: Only two years of data are presented in accordance with GASB 68, paragraph 138. "The information for all periods for the ten year schedules that are required to be presented as required supplementary information may not be available initially. In these cases, during the transition period, that information should be presented for as many years as are available. The schedules should not include information that is not measured in accordance with the requirements of this Statement."

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Exhibit G-3

SCHEDULES OF DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE YEARS ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016 AND 2015

	August 31,				
	_	2016	_	2015	
Contractually Required Contribution	\$	67,874	\$	39,319	
Contribution in Relation to the Contractually Required Contribution		(67,874)		(39,319)	
Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	\$ <u></u>	0	\$	0	
District's Covered-Employee Payroll	\$	2,469,511	\$	2,501,734	
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered-Employee Payroll		2.75%		1.57%	

Note: Only two years of data are presented in accordance with GASB 68, paragraph 138. "The information for all periods for the ten year schedules that are required to be presented as required supplementary information may not be available initially. In these cases, during the transition period, that information should be presented for as many years as are available. The schedules should not include information that is not measured in accordance with the requirements of this Statement."

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NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

CHANGES OF BENEFIT TERMS

There were no changes of benefit terms that affected measurement of the total pension liability during the measurement period.

CHANGES OF ASSUMPTIONS

Changes since the Prior Actuarial Valuation – The following are changes to the actuarial assumptions or other inputs that affected measurement of the total pension liability since the prior measurement period:

Economic Assumptions

- The inflation assumption was decreased from 3.00% to 2.50%.
- The ultimate merit assumption for long-service employees was decreased from 1.25% to 1.00%.
- In accordance with the observed experience, there were small adjustments in the service-based promotional/longevity component of the salary scale.
- The payroll growth assumption was lowered from 3.50% to 2.50%.

Mortality Assumptions

- The post-retirement mortality tables for non-disabled retirees were updated to reflect recent TRS
 member experience. Mortality rates will be assumed to continue to improve in the future using a fully
 generational approach and Scale BB.
- The post-retirement mortality tables for disabled retirees were updated to reflect recent TRS member experience. Mortality rates will be assumed to continue to improve in the future using a fully generational approach and Scale BB.
- The pre-retirement mortality tables for active employees were updated to use 90% of the recently published RP-2014 mortality table for active employees. Mortality rates will be assumed to continue to improve in the future using a fully generational approach and Scale BB.

Other Demographic Assumptions

- Previously, it was assumed 10% of all members who had contributed in the past 5 years to be an active member. This was an implicit rehire assumption because teachers have historically had a high incidence of terminating employment for a time and then returning to the workforce at a later date. This methodology was modified to add a more explicit valuation of the rehire incidence in the termination liabilities, and therefore these 10% are no longer being counted as active members.
- There were adjustments to the termination patterns for members consistent with experience and future expectations. The termination patterns were adjusted to reflect the rehire assumption. The timing of the termination decrement was also changed from the middle of the year to the beginning to match the actual pattern in the data.
- Small adjustments were made to the retirement patterns for members consistent with experience and future expectations.
- Small adjustments to the disability patterns were made for members consistent with experience and future expectations. Two separate patterns were created based on whether the member has 10 years of service or more.
- For members that become disabled in the future, it is assumed 20% of them will choose a 100% joint and survivor annuity option.

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HAMLIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
Actuarial Methods and Policies
 The method of using celled data in the valuation process was changed to now using individual data records to allow for better reporting of some items, such as actuarial gains and losses by source.



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Exhibit H-1	Total Nommajor Governmental August 31, 2016	\$ 204,991 57,769 (3,400) 71,930	\$ 331,290	\$ 4,028 19,461 51,509 1,223 \$ 76,221	\$ 54,369	\$ 200,700	\$ 331,290	
	599 Debt Service Fund	\$ 200,700 57,769 (3,400)	\$ 255,069	9	\$ 54,369 \$ 54,369	\$ 200,700 \$ 200,700	\$ 255,069	
	Total	\$ 4,291 0 0 71,930	\$ 76,221	\$ 4,028 19,461 51,509 1,223 \$ 76,221	0 0	0 0	\$ 76,221	
	429 Other State Special Revenue Funds	350	\$ 1,750	1,750	9 9	0	1,750	
TAL FUNDS	410 State Textbook Fund	639	639	\$ 89 8	0	0	\$ 639	
HAMLIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT BALANCE SHEET - NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS AUGUST 31, 2016	nue Funds 240 National Breakfast & Lunch Program	1,721 \$	9,488 \$	3,389 \$ 5,999 \$ 100 9,488 \$	9 9	9 9	9,488	
HAMLIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT BALANCE SHEET - NONMAJOR GOVERNME AUGUST 31, 2016	Special Revenue Funds 225 240 IDEA - Nationa Part B Breakfast Preschool Lunch	\$ 162	791 \$	722 69 69	9 9	9 9	791 \$	
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COMBINING B.	211 ESEA I, A Improving Basic Education	\$ 37,283	37,283 \$	\$ 5,833 30,900 550 37,283 \$	\$ \$ \$	9 9 9 O	37,283 \$	
	205 Headstart	\$ 25,480	25,480 \$	4,437 20,609 434 25,480	\$ \$	9 9 9 O	25,480 \$	
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		ASSETS: Cash and Temporary Investments Property Taxes - Delinquent Allowance for Uncollectible Taxes Due from Other Governments	Total Assets	LIABILITIES: Accounts Payable Accrued Wages Payable Due to Other Funds Accrued Expenditures Total Liabilities	DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES: Unavailable Revenue - Property Taxes Total Deferred Inflows	FUND BALANCES: Restricted for Retirement of Long- Term Debt Total Fund Balances	Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows, and Fund Balances	

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Exhibit H-2 (Continued)

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016

	242 Summer Feeding Program	1,816	\$ 1,816	1,816	\$ 1,816	9	φ	\$	0		0 \$
	240 National School Breakfast and Lunch Program	17,692 7,886 190,078	215,656	252,254	252,254	(36,598)	36,598	36,598	0		0
		↔	↔	₩	↔	↔	↔	↔	↔	ļ	₩
Funds	225 IDEA - Part B Preschool	19,040	19,040	19,040	19,040	0		0	0		0
enne/		↔	↔	₩	↔	↔	↔	↔	↔		₩
Special Revenue Funds	224 IDEA - Part B Formula	10,301	10,301	10,301	10,301	0		0	0		0
		↔	↔	₩	↔	↔	↔	↔	↔		₩
	211 ESEA Title I, Part A	130,963	130,963	130,443	130,963	0		0	0		0
		↔	↔	↔	↔	↔	↔	↔	↔		↔
	205 Headstart	87,394	87,394	87,394	87,394	0		0	0		0
	+	↔	₩	₩	€	↔	↔	↔	↔		₩
		REVENUES: Local and Intermediate Sources State Program Revenues Federal Program Revenues	Total Revenues	EXPENDITURES: Instruction Curriculum and Instructional Staff Development Food Services Principal on Long-Term Debt Interest on Long-Term Debt Bond Issuance Cost and Fees	Total Expenditures	Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES): Transfers In	Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	Net Change in Fund Balance	Fund Balance - September 1 (Beginning)	Fund Balance - August 31 (Ending)

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COMBII	COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016	ENT OF NCES - THE YE	TEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES BALANCES - NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTA FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016	ES, EXP JOR GO\ ED AUGL	PENDITU VERNME JST 31, 3	IRES, AI ENTAL F 2016	ND CHA	NGES				(Concluded)
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	and Recruitment	- Rui	Rural & Low Income	<u>щ</u>	Fund	Rev	Revenue Funds	l	Total		Fund	Governmental Funds
REVENUES: Local and Intermediate Sources State Program Revenues Federal Program Revenues	\$ 28,105	₩	5,030	& ⊕	66,304	₩	1,750	↔	17,692 75,940 472,727	↔	342,069	\$ 359,761 75,940 472,727
Total Revenues	\$ 28,105	\$	5,030	\$	66,304	\$	1,750	€	566,359	↔	342,069	\$ 908,428
EXPENDITURES: Instruction Curriculum and Instructional Staff Development Food Services Principal on Long-Term Debt Interest on Long-Term Debt Bond Issuance Cost and Fees	\$ 28,105	₩	5,030	φ	66,304	₩	1,750	€	348,367 520 254,070 0 0	↔	33,308 296,692 1,606	\$ 348,367 520 254,070 33,308 296,692 1,606
Total Expenditures	\$ 28,105	↔	5,030	\$	66,304	€	1,750	↔	602,957	€	331,606	\$ 934,563
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	0	↔	0	↔	0	↔	0	↔	(36,598)	↔	10,463	\$ (26,135)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES): Transfers In	φ	₩		↔		↔		↔	36,598	↔		\$ 36,598
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	0 \$	↔	0	₩	0	₩	0	€	36,598	€	0	\$ 36,598
Net Change in Fund Balance	0 \$	↔	0	₩	0	₩	0	€9	0	€	10,463	\$ 10,463
Fund Balance - September 1 (Beginning)									0		190,237	190,237
Fund Balance - August 31 (Ending)	0	₩	0	₩	0	↔	0	₩	0	↔	200,700	\$ 200,700

		50 Ending Balance 8/31/2016	37,169	7,325	4,086	5,067	5,322	9,567	17,382	67,730	(1) 89,793	136,359	\$ 379,800
		40 Entire Year's Adjustments	\$ (4,008)	(7)	(206)	(266)	(222)	(229)	(405)	(495)	(794)	(8,236)	\$ (14,868)
		32 Debt Service Total Collections	\$ 25	49	18	138	1,380	593	971	5,452	9,273	313,011	\$ 330,910
	3LE	31 Maintenance Total Collections	\$ 323	279	93	062	8,074	4,624	5,682	26,579	50,463	1,627,655	\$ 1,724,562
HAMLIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT	EDULE OF DELINQUENT TAXES RECEIVABLE FISCAL YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016	20 Current Year's Total Levy	↔									2,085,261	\$ 2,085,261
PENDENT SCH	EDULE OF DELINQUENT TAXES RECEIV. FISCAL YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016	10 Beginning Balance 9/1/2015	\$ 41,525	7,660	4,403	6,261	14,998	15,013	24,440	100,256	150,323		\$ 364,879
HAMLIN INDE	SCHEDULE OF I FISCAL YE	3 Assessed/ Appraised Value for School Tax Purposes	Various	82,577,309	105,560,810	133,845,015	151,134,924	158,242,950	166,427,809	154,015,149	168,547,207	149,481,080	
		2 Tax Rates Debt Service	Various	0.20500	0.22500	0.20500	0.20000	0.15000	0.20000	0.24000	0.21500	0.22500	
		1 Tax F Maintenance	Various	1.17000	1.17000	1.17000	1.17000	1.17000	1.17000	1.17000	1.17000	1.17000	
		Last Ten Years Ended August 31	2007 and Prior Years	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016 (School Year Under Audit)	1000 TOTALS

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HAMLIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Exhibit J-2

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE CHILD NUTRITION FUND YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016

Data Contro Codes	-	<u>-</u>	1 Budgete Original	d Am	2 ounts Amended	_	3 Actual	\ F	Variance Vith Final Budget Favorable nfavorable)
5700 5800 5900	Local and Intermediate Sources State Program Revenues Federal Program Revenues	\$	17,000 1,000 154,182	\$	17,000 1,000 179,182	\$	17,692 7,886 190,078	\$	692 6,886 10,896
5020	Total Revenues	\$_	172,182	\$_	197,182	\$_	215,656	\$	18,474
Expend	ditures:								
0035	Food Services	\$_	226,424	\$_	246,424	\$_	252,254	\$	(5,830)
6030	Total Expenditures	\$_	226,424	\$_	246,424	\$_	252,254	\$	(5,830)
1100	Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	\$	(54,242)	\$	(49,242)	\$	(36,598)	\$	12,644
Other F	Financing Sources:								
7915	Transfers In	_	54,242	_	49,242	_	36,598		12,644
1200	Net Change in Fund Balance	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0
0100	September 1 - Fund Balance	_	0	_	0	_	0	_	0
3000	August 31 - Fund Balance	\$_	0	\$_	0	\$_	0	\$	0

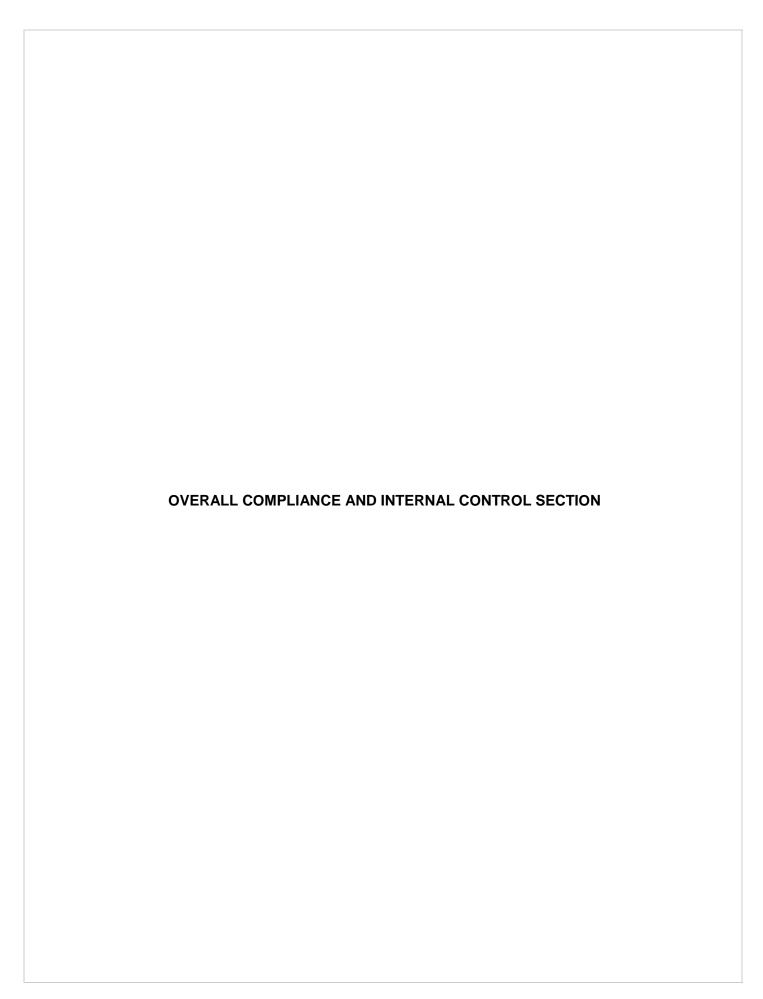
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Exhibit J-3

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE DEBT SERVICE FUND YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016

Data Control Codes	_	1 Budgete Original	2 ounts Amended	_	3 Actual	v F	Variance vith Final Budget avorable nfavorable)
Revenues:							
5700 Local and Intermediate Sources	\$	339,186	\$ 341,186	\$	342,069	\$	883
5020 Total Revenues	\$	339,186	\$ 341,186	\$	342,069	\$	883
Expenditures:							
0071 Principal on Long-Term Debt 0072 Interest on Long-Term Debt 0073 Issuance Cost and Fees	\$ 	33,309 296,692	\$ 33,309 296,692 2,000	\$	33,308 296,692 1,606	\$	1 0 394
6030 Total Expenditures	\$	330,001	\$ 332,001	\$	331,606	\$	395
1100 Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	\$	9,185	\$ 9,185	\$	10,463	\$	1,278
1200 Net Change in Fund Balance	\$	9,185	\$ 9,185	\$	10,463	\$	1,278
0100 September 1 - Fund Balance		190,237	 190,237	_	190,237		0
3000 August 31 - Fund Balance	\$	199,422	\$ 199,422	\$	200,700	\$	1,278



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

Independent Auditor's Report

Board of School Trustees Hamlin Independent School District Hamlin. Texas

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the Unites States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Hamlin Independent School District (the District) as of and for the year ended August 31, 2016, and related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated November 18, 2016.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the District's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting.

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 over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses. However material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

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

Purpose of this Report

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

Bolinger, Segars, Silbert & Mass LLP

Certified Public Accountants

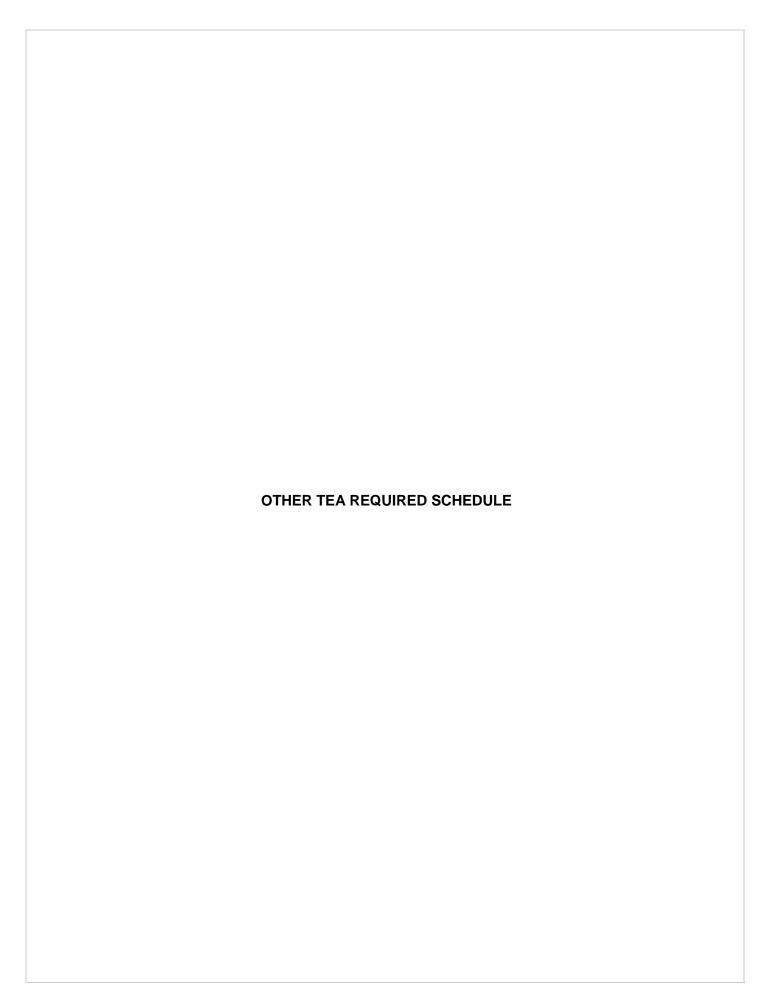
Lubbock, Texas

November 18, 2016

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SCHEDULE OF STATE FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016

Current Year Findir	ngs –		
None			
Prior Year's Finding	gs –		
None			



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HAMLIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Exhibit L-1

SCHOOLS FIRST QUESTIONNAIRE FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2016

SF2	Were there any disclosures in the Annual Financial Report and/or other sources of information concerning nonpayment of any terms of any debt agreements at fiscal year end?	No
SF4	Was there an unmodified opinion in the Annual Financial Report on the financial statements as a whole?	Yes
SF5	Did the Annual Financial Report disclose any instances of material weaknesses in internal controls over financial reporting and compliance for local, state, or federal funds?	No
SF6	Was there any disclosure in the Annual Financial Report of material noncompliance for grants, contracts, and laws related to local, state, of federal funds?	No
SF7	Did the school district make timely payments to the Teachers Retirement System (TRS), Texas Workforce Commission (TWC), Internal Revenue Service (IRS), and other governmental agencies?	Yes
SF8	Did the school district not receive an adjusted repayment schedule for more than one fiscal year for an over allocation of Foundation School Program (FSP) funds as a result of financial hardship?	Yes
SF10	Total accumulated accretion on capital appreciation bonds included in government-wide financial statements at fiscal year end.	\$ 141,690
SF11	Net Pension Assets (1920) at fiscal year end	\$ 0
SF12	Net Pension Liabilities (2540) at fiscal year end	\$ 810,262
SF13	Pension Expense (6147) at fiscal year end	\$ 21,687