

GREGORY-PORTLAND
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015



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GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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AUGUST 31, 2015

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Introductory Section

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CERTIFICATE OF BOARD

Gregory-Portland Independent School District
Name of School District

San Patricio
County

205902
Co.-Dist. Number

We, the undersigned, certify that the attached annual financial reports of the above named school district were reviewed and (check one) approved disapproved for the period ended August 31, 2015, at a meeting of the board of trustees of such school district on the 19th day of January, 2016.

Carrie Gregory
Board Secretary

Randy Eulenfeld
Board President

If the board of trustees disapproved of the auditor's report, the reason(s) for disapproving it is (are):
(attach list as necessary)

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Financial Section

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Trustees
Gregory-Portland Independent School District
608 College Street
Portland, Texas 78374

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Gregory-Portland Independent School District ("the District") as of and for the year ended August 31, 2015, 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 District'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 District's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Gregory-Portland Independent School District as of August 31, 2015, and the respective changes in financial position, and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Emphasis of Matter

Change in Accounting Principle

As described in Note A to the financial statements, in 2015, Gregory-Portland Independent School District adopted new accounting guidance, Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 68, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions*, and GASB Statement No. 71, *Pension Transition for contributions made Subsequent to the Measurement Date -- an amendment of GASB Statement No. 68*. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

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

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Gregory-Portland Independent School District's basic financial statements. The introductory section is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. The schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by U. S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments and Non-Profit Organizations*, and is also not a required part of the basic financial statements. The accompanying other supplementary information is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is also not a required part of the basic financial statements.

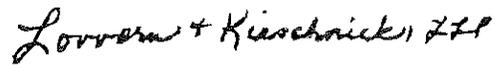
The other supplementary information and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the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

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

Other Reporting Required by *Government Auditing Standards*

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 15, 2015 on our consideration of Gregory-Portland Independent School District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering Gregory-Portland Independent School District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Respectfully submitted,



Lovvorn & Kieschnick, LLP

Corpus Christi, TX
December 15, 2015

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Management's Discussion and Analysis

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**GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
MANAGEMENT’S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015
UNAUDITED**

This section of Gregory-Portland Independent School District’s annual financial report presents our discussion and analysis of the District’s financial performance during the fiscal year ended August 31, 2015. Please read it in conjunction with the District’s financial statements, which follow this section.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

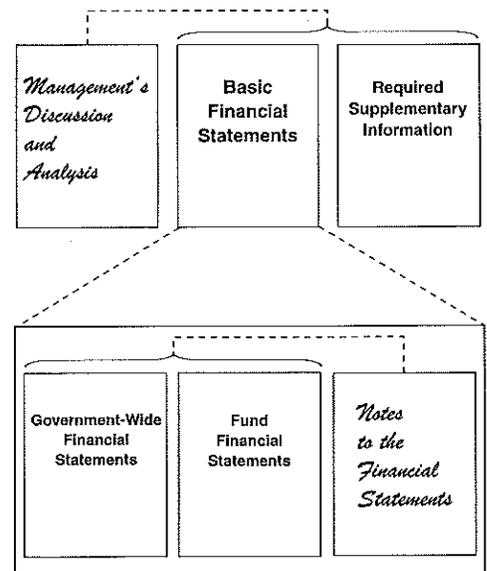
- The District’s total combined net position was \$64,513,198 at August 31, 2015.
- During the year, the District’s expenses were \$3,851,946 less than the \$42,129,992 generated in taxes and other revenues for governmental activities.
- The general fund reported a fund balance this year of \$26,202,528.
- For the year ended August 31, 2015, the District adopted Governmental Accounting Standards Board (“GASB”) Statement No. 68, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions – An Amendment of GASB Statement No. 27* and GASB Statement No. 71, *Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date – an Amendment of GASB Statement No. 68*. The implementation of these standards resulted in a prior period adjustment to net position of \$3,192,018 to recognize the net pension liability at the beginning of the measurement period ending August 31, 2014, and the deferred outflows of resources related to the District’s contributions after the beginning of the measurement period through August 31, 2014.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This annual report consists of three parts—*management’s discussion and analysis* (this section), the *basic financial statements*, and *required supplementary information*. The basic financial statements include two kinds of statements that present different views of the District:

- The first two statements are *government-wide financial statements* that provide both *long-term* and *short-term* information about the District’s overall financial status.
- The remaining statements are *fund financial statements* that focus on *individual parts* of the government, reporting the District’s operations in more detail than the government-wide statements.
- *The governmental funds statements* tell how *general government services* were financed in the *short term* as well as what remains for future spending.

Figure A-1, Required Components of the District’s Annual Financial Report



- *Proprietary fund* statements offer *short- and long-term* financial information about the activities the government operates *like businesses*, such as food service.
- *Fiduciary fund* statements provide information about the financial relationships in which the District acts solely as a *trustee or agent* for the benefit of others, to whom the resources in question belong.

The financial statements also include notes that explain some of the information in the financial statements and provide more detailed data. The statements are followed by a section of *required supplementary information* that further explains and supports the information in the financial statements. Figure A-1 shows how the required parts of this annual report are arranged and related to one another.

Figure A-2 summarizes the major features of the District's financial statements, including the portion of the District government they cover and the types of information they contain. The remainder of this overview section of management's discussion and analysis explains the structure and contents of each of the statements.

Government-wide Statements

The government-wide statements report information about the District as a whole using accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The statement of net position includes all of the government's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the statement of activities regardless of when cash is received or paid.

The two government-wide statements report the District's net position and how it has changed. Net position—the difference between the District's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources—is one way to measure the District's financial health or *position*.

- Over time, increases or decreases in the District's net position is an indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating, respectively.
- To assess the overall health of the District, one needs to consider additional nonfinancial factors such as changes in the District's tax base.

Figure A-2. Major Features of the District's Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

Type of Statements	Fund Statements			
	Government-wide	Governmental Funds	Proprietary Funds	Fiduciary Funds
Scope	Entire Agency's government (except fiduciary funds) and the Agency's component units	The activities of the district that are not proprietary or fiduciary	Activities the district operates similar to private businesses: self insurance	Instances in which the district is the trustee or agent for someone else's resources
Required financial statements	• Statement of net assets	• Balance sheet	• Statement of net assets	• Statement of fiduciary net assets
	• Statement of activities	• Statement of revenues, expenditures & changes in fund balances	• Statement of revenues, expenses and changes in fund net assets	• Statement of changes in fiduciary net assets
Accounting basis and measurement focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Modified accrual accounting and current financial resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus
Type of asset/liability information	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, short-term and long-term	Only assets expected to be used up and liabilities that come due during the year or soon thereafter; no capital assets included	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, and short-term and long-term	All assets and liabilities, both short-term and long-term; the Agency's funds do not currently contain capital assets, although they can
Type of inflow/outflow information	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	Revenues for which cash is received during or soon after the end of the year; expenditures when goods or services have been received and payment is due during the year or soon thereafter	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid

The government-wide financial statements of the District include the *Governmental activities*. Most of the District's basic services are included here, such as instruction, extracurricular activities, curriculum and staff development, health services and general administration. Property taxes, state formula revenue, and grants finance most of these activities.

Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the District's most significant *funds*—not the District as a whole. Funds are accounting devices that the District uses to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending for particular purposes.

- Some funds are required by State law and by bond covenants.
- The Board of Trustees establishes other funds to control and manage money for particular purposes or to show that it is properly using certain taxes and grants.

The District has the following kinds of funds:

- *Governmental funds*—Most of the District's basic services are included in governmental funds, which focus on (1) how *cash and other financial assets* that can readily be converted to cash flow in and out and (2) the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. Consequently, the governmental fund statements provide a detailed *short-term* view that helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the District's programs. Because this information does not encompass the additional long-term focus of the government-wide statements, we provide additional information at the bottom of the governmental funds statement, or on the subsequent page, that explains the relationship (or differences) between them.
- *Proprietary funds*—Services for which the District charges customers a fee are generally reported in proprietary funds. Proprietary funds, like the government-wide statements, provide both long-term and short-term financial information.
- We use *internal service funds* to report activities that provide supplies and services for the District's other programs and activities.
- *Fiduciary funds*—The District is the trustee, or *fiduciary*, for certain funds. It is also responsible for other assets that—because of a trust arrangement—can be used only for the trust beneficiaries. The District is responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in these funds are used for their intended purposes. All of the District's fiduciary activities are reported in a separate statement of fiduciary net position and a statement of changes in fiduciary net position. We exclude these activities from the District's government-wide financial statements because the District cannot use these assets to finance its operations.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT AS A WHOLE

Net position. The District's combined net position was \$64,513,198 at August 31, 2015. (See Table A-1.)

Table A-1
Gregory-Portland Independent School District's Net Position
(in millions of dollars)

	Governmental Activities		Business-type Activities		Total		Total Percentage Change 2015-2014
	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	
Current Assets:							
Cash and Investments	56.2	58.2	0.9	0.8	57.1	59.0	-3.2%
Property Taxes (Net)	0.4	0.3	-	-	0.4	0.3	33.3%
Due from Other Governments	1.2	0.6	-	-	1.2	0.6	100.0%
Unrealized Expense	0.1	0.1	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0%
Total Current Assets:	57.9	59.2	0.9	0.8	58.8	60.0	-2.0%
Noncurrent Assets:							
Land	1.8	1.8	-	-	1.8	1.8	0.0%
Construction in Progress	21.2	5.9	-	-	21.2	5.9	0.0%
Buildings and Equipment, Net	45.3	46.0	0.2	0.3	45.5	46.3	-1.7%
Total Noncurrent Assets	68.3	53.7	0.2	0.3	68.5	54.0	26.9%
Total Assets	126.2	112.9	1.1	1.1	127.3	114.0	11.7%
Deferred Outflows of Resources:							
Deferred Charge for Refunding	0.9	1.1	-	-	0.9	1.1	-18.2%
Deferred Outflow Related to Pensions	0.8	-	-	-	0.8	-	0.0%
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	1.7	1.1	-	-	0.9	1.1	-18.2%
Current Liabilities:							
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	3.1	3.8	-	-	3.1	3.8	-18.4%
Interest Payable	0.1	0.1	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0%
Unearned Revenue	0.1	0.1	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0%
Total Current Liabilities	3.3	4.0	-	-	3.3	4.0	-17.5%
Non-current Liabilities:							
Due Within One Year	2.7	2.5	-	-	2.7	2.5	8.0%
Due in More Than One Year	54.8	44.7	-	-	54.8	44.7	22.6%
Net Pension Liability	2.8	-	-	-	2.8	-	0.0%
Total Liabilities	63.6	51.2	-	-	63.6	51.2	24.2%
Deferred Inflows of Resources:							
Deferred Inflow Related to Pensions	0.9	-	-	-	0.9	-	0.0%
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	0.9	-	-	-	0.9	-	0.0%
Net Position:							
Net Investment in Capital Assets	35.0	31.9	0.2	0.3	35.2	32.2	9.3%
Restricted For:							
Federal and State Programs	-	-	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.8	12.5%
Debt Service	2.7	2.7	-	-	2.7	2.7	0.0%
Unrestricted	25.7	28.2	-	-	25.7	28.2	-8.9%
Total Net Position	63.4	62.8	1.1	1.1	64.5	63.9	0.9%

Approximately \$2.7 million of the District's restricted net position represents proceeds from local taxes. These proceeds, when spent, are restricted for debt service. The balance of restricted net position, \$0.9 million is restricted for use in state & federal programs. The \$25.7 million of unrestricted net position represents resources available to fund the programs of the District next year.

Changes in net position. The District's total revenues were \$44.6 million. A significant portion, 40.9%, of the District's revenue comes from taxes. 44.5% comes from state aid, while 3.6% relates to charges for services.

The total cost of all programs and services was \$40.7 million.

Table A-2
Changes in Gregory-Portland Independent School District's Net Position
(in millions of dollars)

	Governmental Activities		Business-type Activities		Total		Total Percentage Change 2015-2014
	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	
Program Revenues:							
Charges for Services	0.2	0.3	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.6	0.0%
Operating Grants and Contributions	3.8	3.9	-	-	3.8	3.9	-2.6%
General Revenues:							
Property Taxes	18.3	16.9	-	-	18.3	16.9	8.3%
State Aid – Formula	18.7	19.1	-	-	18.7	19.1	-2.1%
Grants Not Restricted	-	-	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.0%
Other	1.1	0.9	-	-	1.1	0.9	22.2%
Total Revenues	42.1	41.1	2.5	2.4	44.6	43.5	2.5%
Expenses:							
Instruction	20.6	19.6	-	-	20.6	19.6	5.1%
Instructional Resources and Media Services	1.3	1.3	-	-	1.3	1.3	0.0%
Curriculum Dev. and Instructional Staff Dev.	0.3	0.2	-	-	0.3	0.2	50.0%
Instructional Leadership	0.6	0.6	-	-	0.6	0.6	0.0%
School Leadership	2.4	2.3	-	-	2.4	2.3	4.3%
Guidance, Counseling and Evaluation Services	1.2	1.2	-	-	1.2	1.2	0.0%
Health Services	0.6	0.5	-	-	0.6	0.5	20.0%
Student (Pupil) Transportation	0.9	0.8	-	-	0.9	0.8	12.5%
Food Services	0.1	0.1	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	0.0%
Curricular/Extracurricular Activities	1.2	1.0	-	-	1.2	1.0	20.0%
General Administration	1.5	1.4	-	-	1.5	1.4	7.1%
Plant Maintenance & Oper.	4.1	3.7	-	-	4.1	3.7	10.8%
Security & Monitoring Services	0.2	0.1	-	-	0.2	0.1	100.0%
Debt Service	1.6	1.5	-	-	1.6	1.5	6.7%
Facilities Acquisition and Construction	0.3	0.2	-	-	0.3	0.2	50.0%
Pmts to Shared Service Arrangement	1.0	1.0	-	-	1.0	1.0	0.0%
Payments to Tax Incremental Charges	0.1	0.1	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0%
Other Intergovernmental Charges	0.3	0.3	-	-	0.3	0.3	0.0%
Total Expenses	38.3	35.9	2.4	2.4	40.7	38.3	6.3%
Increase (Decrease) in Net Position	3.8	5.2	0.1	-	3.9	5.2	-25.0%

Table A-3 presents the cost of each of the District's largest functions as well as each function's net cost (total cost less fees generated by the activities and intergovernmental aid). The net cost reflects what was funded by state revenues as well as local tax dollars.

- The cost of all *governmental* activities this year was \$38.3 million.

- However, the amount that our taxpayers paid for these activities through property taxes was only \$18.3 million.
- Some of the cost was paid by those who directly benefited from the programs, \$0.2 million, or
- By grants and contributions \$3.8 million.

Table A-3
Net Cost of Selected Gregory-Portland Independent School District Functions
(in millions of dollars)

	Total Cost of Services			Net Cost of Services		
	2015	2014	% Change	2015	2014	% Change
Instruction	20.6	19.6	5.1%	19.1	18.1	5.5%
School Administration	1.5	1.4	7.1%	1.5	1.4	7.1%
Plant Maintenance & Operations	4.1	3.7	10.8%	4.1	3.7	10.8%
Debt Service - Interest & Fiscal Charges	1.6	1.5	6.7%	1.3	0.9	44.4%

Business-type Activities

Revenues of the District's business-type activities increased \$127,466 and expenses increased \$74,489 from the preceding year.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT'S FUNDS

Revenues from governmental fund types totaled \$41.5 million, an increase of 1.8% from the preceding year.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Over the course of the year, the Board of Trustees reviewed the District budget and made budget amendments. Even with these adjustments, actual expenditures were \$1.3 million below final budget amounts. Some large construction and maintenance projects were budgeted but not completed in fiscal year 2014-15. Staffing was also an area of positive variance. Staffing is budgeted for full employment and benefits throughout the entire year.

Resources available were \$1.1 million above the final budgeted amount.

CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

At the end of 2014-15, the District had invested \$90.2 million in a broad range of capital assets, including land, equipment, buildings, and vehicles. (See Table A-4.) This amount represents a net increase (including additions and deductions) of \$15.9 million or 21.4% percent from last year.

Table A-4
Gregory-Portland Independent School District's Capital Assets
(in millions of dollars)

	Governmental Activities		Business-type Activities		Total		Total Percentage Change 2015-2014
	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	
Land	1.8	1.8	-	-	1.8	1.8	0.0%
Buildings and Improvements	62.2	61.9	-	-	62.2	61.9	0.5%
Construction in Progress	21.3	5.9	-	-	21.3	5.9	261.0%
Vehicles	2.4	2.3	-	-	2.4	2.3	4.3%
Equipment	1.7	1.6	0.8	0.8	2.5	2.4	4.2%
Totals at Historical Cost	89.4	73.5	0.8	0.8	90.2	74.3	21.4%
Total Accumulated Depreciation	21.1	19.8	0.6	0.5	21.7	20.3	6.9%
Net Capital Assets	68.3	53.7	0.2	0.3	68.5	54.0	26.9%

Long Term Debt

At year-end the District had \$57.5 million in bonds and capital leases outstanding as shown in Table A-5. More detailed information about the District's debt is presented in the notes to the financial statements.

As a result of the District adopting GASB 68 in fiscal year 2015, the District's proportional share of the Teacher Retirement System net pension liability is reflected as a long-term debt of the District at August 31, 2015.

Bond Ratings

The District's bonds presently carry "AAA" enhanced rating with underlying ratings as follows: Standard & Poors "AA-"; Moody's Aa3.

Table A-5
Gregory-Portland Independent School District's Long Term Debt
(in millions of dollars)

	Governmental Activities		Business-type Activities		Total		Total Percentage Change 2015-2014
	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	
Bonds Payable	54.3	44.8	-	-	54.3	44.8	21.2%
Bond Premium	3.1	2.4	-	-	3.1	2.4	29.2%
Capital Lease	0.1	0.1	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.0%
Sub-Total	57.5	47.3	-	-	57.5	47.3	21.6%
Net Pension Liability	2.8	-	-	-	2.8	-	0.0%
Total Long-Term Debt	60.3	47.3	-	-	60.3	47.3	27.5%

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGETS AND RATES

Factors taken into consideration during budget planning include the following:

- Appraised value used for the 2015-16 budget preparation is up \$236 million, or 16.23% from the prior year—estimated value.
- Anticipating that average daily attendance (ADA) would grow, the 2015-16 budget was developed using an estimated ADA of 4,344.
- General operating fund spending per student in average daily attendance increases in the 2015-16 budget from \$7,939 to \$8,396.
- Increasing starting Teacher Salary to \$47,704 to maintain the highest starting salary in ESC 2
- Adding staff for projected growth in enrollment

Amounts available for appropriation in the general fund budget are \$38.4 million, an increase of 9.21% from the original 2014-15 budget of \$35.2 million. Total property tax revenue for the general fund will increase approximately \$2,864,773. State formula revenue is expected to increase \$403,646 from the amount budgeted for prior year.

General fund expenditures are budgeted to increase 7.36% to \$36.5 million. The District's largest budget item remains payroll. For the 2015-16 school year, the Board of Trustees approved a 3.0% raise based on the mid-point system for all employees. The competitive salary schedule adjustments allowed the District to open the 2015-16 school year with no teacher vacancies.

The District continues to increase in expenditure needs because of salaries, curriculum needs, security needs, aging facilities, and increasing uncontrollable costs. Unfinished construction and maintenance projects will be budgeted and completed in 2015-16. In addition, the Board has identified several areas of need to be addressed by commitments of fund balance.

The School Board has supported senior District management which has been in place for 15+ years and has assured stability in financial management. The District uses conservative principles to manage financial activities, underestimating projected annual enrollment and/or increases to annual property valuations to insure that budgets remain within projected revenues.

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to demonstrate the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact the Office of the Chief Financial Officer, Gregory-Portland Independent School District at (361) 777-1091.

Basic Financial Statements

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GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
AUGUST 31, 2015

Data Control Codes	1	2	3
	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
ASSETS:			
1110	\$ 56,216,576	\$ 878,349	\$ 57,094,925
1225	397,357	--	397,357
1240	1,193,392	32,918	1,226,310
1290	21,015	--	21,015
1300	7,529	--	7,529
1410	79,671	--	79,671
Capital Assets:			
1510	1,798,625	--	1,798,625
1520	43,099,845	--	43,099,845
1530	2,116,926	239,492	2,356,418
1580	21,247,387	--	21,247,387
1000	<u>126,178,323</u>	<u>1,150,759</u>	<u>127,329,082</u>
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES:			
1701	892,344	--	892,344
1705	790,361	--	790,361
1700	<u>1,682,705</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>1,682,705</u>
LIABILITIES:			
2110	1,109,094	21,535	1,130,629
2140	82,494	--	82,494
2165	1,936,968	--	1,936,968
2300	165,925	15,642	181,567
2400	8,738	--	8,738
Noncurrent Liabilities:			
2501	2,673,012	--	2,673,012
2502	54,806,056	--	54,806,056
2540	2,817,304	--	2,817,304
2000	<u>63,599,591</u>	<u>37,177</u>	<u>63,636,768</u>
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES:			
2605	861,821	--	861,821
2600	<u>861,821</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>861,821</u>
NET POSITION:			
3200	35,022,319	239,492	35,261,811
Restricted For:			
3820	20,788	874,090	894,878
3850	2,682,646	--	2,682,646
3900	25,673,863	--	25,673,863
3000	<u>\$ 63,399,616</u>	<u>\$ 1,113,582</u>	<u>\$ 64,513,198</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

Data Control Codes	Functions/Programs	1 Expenses	3 Program Revenues		4 Operating Grants and Contributions
			Charges for Services		
	Governmental Activities:				
11	<i>Instruction</i>	\$ 20,558,190	\$ 35,355		\$ 1,397,638
12	<i>Instructional Resources and Media Services</i>	1,320,983	--		19,328
13	<i>Curriculum and Staff Development</i>	236,964	--		37,094
21	<i>Instructional Leadership</i>	631,524	--		80,502
23	<i>School Leadership</i>	2,416,034	--		16,833
31	<i>Guidance, Counseling, & Evaluation Services</i>	1,199,571	--		204,322
33	<i>Health Services</i>	613,572	--		155,698
34	<i>Student Transportation</i>	840,946	--		5,012
35	<i>Food Service</i>	81,073	--		18,486
36	<i>Cocurricular/Extracurricular Activities</i>	1,181,715	204,880		7,468
41	<i>General Administration</i>	1,517,860	--		14,227
51	<i>Facilities Maintenance and Operations</i>	4,129,226	--		29,350
52	<i>Security and Monitoring Services</i>	133,289	--		1,445,920
53	<i>Data Processing Services</i>	7,430	--		50
61	<i>Community Services</i>	6,590	--		6,569
72	<i>Interest on Long-term Debt</i>	1,428,663	--		319,462
73	<i>Bond Issuance Costs and Fees</i>	189,691	--		--
81	<i>Capital Outlay</i>	340,414	--		2,283
93	<i>Payments Related to Shared Services Arrangements</i>	1,011,657	--		7,468
97	<i>Payments to Tax Increment Fund</i>	136,217	--		--
99	<i>Other Intergovernmental Charges</i>	296,436	--		--
TG	Total Governmental Activities	<u>38,278,045</u>	<u>240,235</u>		<u>3,767,710</u>
	Business-type Activities:				
05	Food Services	2,429,541	1,355,512		10,606
TP	Total Primary Government	<u>\$ 40,707,587</u>	<u>\$ 1,595,747</u>		<u>\$ 3,778,316</u>
	General Revenues:				
MT	<i>Property Taxes, Levied for General Purposes</i>				
DT	<i>Property Taxes, Levied for Debt Service</i>				
IE	<i>Investment Earnings</i>				
GC	<i>Grants and Contributions Not Restricted to Specific Programs</i>				
MI	<i>Miscellaneous</i>				
	<i>Chapter 313 Payment</i>				
TR	Total General Revenues				
CN	Change in Net Position				
NB	Net Position - Beginning				
NE	Net Position - Ending				

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Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position

<u>Governmental Activities</u>	<u>Business-type Activities</u>	<u>Total</u>
\$ (19,125,197)		\$ (19,125,197)
(1,301,655)		(1,301,655)
(199,870)		(199,870)
(551,022)		(551,022)
(2,399,201)		(2,399,201)
(995,249)		(995,249)
(457,874)		(457,874)
(835,934)		(835,934)
(62,587)		(62,587)
(969,367)		(969,367)
(1,503,633)		(1,503,633)
(4,099,876)		(4,099,876)
1,312,631		1,312,631
(7,380)		(7,380)
(21)		(21)
(1,109,201)		(1,109,201)
(189,691)		(189,691)
(338,131)		(338,131)
(1,004,189)		(1,004,189)
(136,217)		(136,217)
(296,436)		(296,436)
<u>(34,270,100)</u>		<u>(34,270,100)</u>
--	\$ (1,063,423)	(1,063,423)
<u>(34,270,101)</u>	<u>(1,063,423)</u>	<u>(35,333,524)</u>
15,714,354	--	15,714,354
2,554,280	--	2,554,280
73,346	--	73,346
18,719,036	1,153,810	19,872,846
532,518	--	532,518
528,513	--	528,513
<u>38,122,047</u>	<u>1,153,810</u>	<u>39,275,857</u>
3,851,946	90,387	3,942,333
59,547,670	1,023,195	60,570,865
<u>\$ 63,399,616</u>	<u>\$ 1,113,582</u>	<u>\$ 64,513,198</u>

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
AUGUST 31, 2015

Data Control Codes	10 General Fund	60 Capital Projects Fund	Other Governmental Funds	98 Total Governmental Funds
ASSETS:				
1110	\$ 27,265,719	\$ 24,191,293	\$ 2,776,044	\$ 54,233,056
1225	341,970	--	55,387	397,357
1240	1,059,797	--	133,595	1,193,392
1260	61,418	--	--	61,418
1290	--	16,015	5,000	21,015
1300	7,529	--	--	7,529
1410	79,671	--	--	79,671
1000	<u>28,816,104</u>	<u>24,207,308</u>	<u>2,970,026</u>	<u>55,993,438</u>
LIABILITIES:				
Current Liabilities:				
2110	\$ 643,247	\$ 448,337	\$ --	\$ 1,091,584
2150	61,187	--	--	61,187
2160	1,396,331	--	--	1,396,331
2170	--	60,832	--	60,832
2200	--	351,880	--	351,880
2300	162,104	--	3,821	165,925
2400	8,738	--	--	8,738
2000	<u>2,271,607</u>	<u>861,049</u>	<u>3,821</u>	<u>3,136,477</u>
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES:				
2601	341,969	--	55,387	397,356
2600	<u>341,969</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>55,387</u>	<u>397,356</u>
FUND BALANCES:				
Nonspendable Fund Balances:				
3410	7,529	--	--	7,529
3430	79,671	--	--	79,671
Restricted Fund Balances:				
3450	--	--	16,826	16,826
3480	--	--	2,709,753	2,709,753
3490	--	23,346,259	3,962	23,350,221
Committed Fund Balances:				
3510	9,975,225	--	--	9,975,225
3545	7,562,280	--	--	7,562,280
Assigned Fund Balances:				
3590	--	--	180,277	180,277
3600	8,577,823	--	--	8,577,823
3000	<u>26,202,528</u>	<u>23,346,259</u>	<u>2,910,818</u>	<u>52,459,605</u>
4000	<u>\$ 28,816,104</u>	<u>\$ 24,207,308</u>	<u>\$ 2,970,026</u>	<u>\$ 55,993,438</u>

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GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
*RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET
TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
AUGUST 31, 2015*

Total fund balances - governmental funds balance sheet \$ 52,459,605

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not reported in the funds.	68,262,781
Property taxes receivable unavailable to pay for current period expenditures are deferred in the funds.	397,353
The assets and liabilities of internal service funds are included in governmental activities in the SNP.	1,837,859
Payables for bond principal which are not due in the current period are not reported in the funds.	(54,256,000)
Payables for capital leases which are not due in the current period are not reported in the funds.	(78,293)
Payables for bond interest which are not due in the current period are not reported in the funds.	(82,494)
Premiums on issuance of bonds to be amortized over life of debt.	(3,144,775)
Deferred charge for refunding is expended in the funds, but is amortized in the statement of net position.	892,344
Recognition of the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability is not reported in the funds.	(2,817,304)
Deferred Resource Inflows related to TRS are not reported in the funds.	(861,821)
Deferred Resource Outflows related to TRS are not reported in the funds.	<u>790,361</u>

Net position of governmental activities - Statement of Net Position \$ 63,399,616

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GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES
IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

Data Control Codes	10 General Fund	60 Capital Projects Fund	Other Governmental Funds	98 Total Governmental Funds
REVENUES:				
5700 Local and Intermediate Sources	\$ 16,112,039	\$ 31,449	\$ 2,880,674	\$ 19,024,162
5800 State Program Revenues	20,171,164	5,835	335,750	20,512,749
5900 Federal Program Revenues	240,948	--	1,733,049	1,973,997
5020 Total Revenues	<u>36,524,151</u>	<u>37,284</u>	<u>4,949,473</u>	<u>41,510,908</u>
EXPENDITURES:				
Current:				
0011 Instruction	19,003,919	--	1,244,836	20,248,755
0012 Instructional Resources and Media Services	1,312,985	--	9,996	1,322,981
0013 Curriculum and Staff Development	191,987	--	37,403	229,390
0021 Instructional Leadership	543,088	--	76,485	619,573
0023 School Leadership	2,151,942	--	198,473	2,350,415
0031 Guidance, Counseling, & Evaluation Services	978,045	--	197,139	1,175,184
0033 Health Services	445,974	--	152,398	598,372
0034 Student Transportation	1,081,379	--	--	1,081,379
0035 Food Service	--	--	18,486	18,486
0036 Cocurricular/Extracurricular Activities	1,011,291	--	134,494	1,145,785
0041 General Administration	1,472,194	--	3,415	1,475,609
0051 Facilities Maintenance and Operations	4,100,931	--	--	4,100,931
0052 Security and Monitoring Services	128,158	--	--	128,158
0053 Data Processing Services	7,430	--	--	7,430
0061 Community Services	--	--	6,590	6,590
0071 Principal on Long-term Debt	312,935	--	1,935,000	2,247,935
0072 Interest on Long-term Debt	39,728	--	1,467,039	1,506,767
0073 Bond Issuance Costs and Fees	--	188,491	1,200	189,691
0081 Capital Outlay	2,726,467	13,059,815	--	15,786,282
0093 Payments to Shared Service Arrangements	1,011,657	--	--	1,011,657
0097 Payments to Tax Increment Fund	136,217	--	--	136,217
0099 Other Intergovernmental Charges	296,436	--	--	296,436
6030 Total Expenditures	<u>36,952,763</u>	<u>13,248,306</u>	<u>5,482,954</u>	<u>55,684,023</u>
1100 Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)				
1100 Expenditures	<u>(428,612)</u>	<u>(13,211,022)</u>	<u>(533,481)</u>	<u>(14,173,115)</u>
Other Financing Sources and (Uses):				
7911 Capital-Related Debt Issued (Regular Bonds)	--	11,710,000	--	11,710,000
7916 Premium on Issuance of Bonds	--	491,505	530,927	1,022,432
7949 Other Resources - Chapter 313 Payment	528,512	--	--	528,512
7080 Total Other Financing Sources and (Uses)	<u>528,512</u>	<u>12,201,505</u>	<u>530,927</u>	<u>13,260,944</u>
1200 Net Change in Fund Balances	99,900	(1,009,517)	(2,554)	(912,171)
0100 Fund Balances - Beginning	26,102,628	24,355,776	2,913,372	53,371,776
3000 Fund Balances - Ending	<u>\$ 26,202,528</u>	<u>\$ 23,346,259</u>	<u>\$ 2,910,818</u>	<u>\$ 52,459,605</u>

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GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds	\$ (912,171)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities ("SOA") are different because:	
Capital outlays are not reported as expenses in the SOA.	16,078,552
The depreciation of capital assets used in governmental activities is not reported in the funds.	(1,523,048)
Trade-in or disposal of capital assets decrease net position in the SOA but not in the funds.	(4,692)
Certain property tax revenues are deferred in the funds. This is the change in these amounts this year.	80,549
Repayment of bond principal is an expenditure in the funds but is not an expense in the SOA.	2,209,000
Repayment of capital lease principal is an expenditure in the funds but is not an expense in the SOA.	38,935
(Increase) decrease in accrued interest from beginning of period to end of period.	(18,255)
The net revenue (expense) of internal service funds is reported with governmental activities.	235,897
Amortization of bond premium and deferred amount is an expense in the SOA but not in the funds.	96,359
Proceeds of bonds do not provide revenue in the SOA, but are reported as current resources in the funds.	(11,710,000)
Bond premiums are reported in the funds but not in the SOA.	(1,022,432)
Implementing GASB 68 required certain expenditures to be de-expended and recorded as deferred resource outflows.	303,252
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Change in net position of governmental activities - Statement of Activities	<u>\$ 3,851,946</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

INTERNAL SERVICE FUND

AUGUST 31, 2015

Data Control Codes	Nonmajor Enterprise Fund <u>National Breakfast/Lunch Program</u>	Nonmajor Internal Service Fund <u>Worker's Comp. Insurance Fund</u>
ASSETS:		
Current Assets:		
1110	\$ 878,349	\$ 1,983,521
Receivables:		
1240	32,918	--
	<u>911,267</u>	<u>1,983,521</u>
Total Current Assets		
Noncurrent Assets:		
Capital Assets:		
1530	833,427	--
1570	(593,935)	--
	<u>239,492</u>	<u>--</u>
1000	<u>1,150,759</u>	<u>1,983,521</u>
Total Assets		
LIABILITIES:		
Current Liabilities:		
2110	\$ 21,535	\$ 17,510
2170	--	586
2200	--	127,566
2300	15,642	--
	<u>37,177</u>	<u>145,662</u>
2000	<u>37,177</u>	<u>145,662</u>
Total Liabilities		
NET POSITION:		
3200	239,492	--
3800	874,090	--
3900	--	1,837,859
3000	<u>\$ 1,113,582</u>	<u>\$ 1,837,859</u>
Total Net Position		

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GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES
 IN FUND NET POSITION - INTERNAL SERVICE FUND
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

Data Control Codes	Nonmajor Enterprise Fund <u>National Breakfast/Lunch Program</u>	Nonmajor Internal Service Fund <u>Worker's Comp. Insurance Fund</u>
OPERATING REVENUES:		
5700 <i>Local and Intermediate Sources</i>	\$ 1,355,512	\$ 392,324
5800 <i>State Program Revenues</i>	10,606	--
5020 Total Revenues	<u>1,366,118</u>	<u>392,324</u>
OPERATING EXPENSES:		
6100 <i>Payroll Costs</i>	905,859	--
6200 <i>Professional and Contracted Services</i>	79,509	54,795
6300 <i>Supplies and Materials</i>	1,292,467	--
6400 <i>Other Operating Costs</i>	151,706	102,390
6030 Total Expenses	<u>2,429,541</u>	<u>157,185</u>
Operating Income (Loss)	<u>(1,063,423)</u>	<u>235,139</u>
NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):		
7952 <i>National School Breakfast Program</i>	215,710	--
7953 <i>National School Lunch Program</i>	831,748	--
7954 <i>USDA Donated Commodities</i>	106,352	--
7955 <i>Earnings from Temp. Deposits and Investments</i>	--	758
8030 Total Non-operating Revenues (Expenses)	<u>1,153,810</u>	<u>758</u>
1300 Change in Net Position	90,387	235,897
0100 Total Net Position - Beginning	1,023,195	1,601,962
3300 Total Net Position - Ending	<u>\$ 1,113,582</u>	<u>\$ 1,837,859</u>

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GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

PROPRIETARY FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

	Nonmajor Enterprise Fund National Breakfast/Lunch Program	Internal Service Funds
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:		
<i>Cash Received from Customers</i>	\$ 1,355,512	\$ --
<i>Cash Received from Grants</i>	10,606	--
<i>Cash Receipts (Payments) for Quasi-external Operating Transactions with Other Funds</i>	--	392,324
<i>Cash Payments to Employees for Services</i>	(905,859)	--
<i>Cash Payments to Other Suppliers for Goods and Services</i>	(1,497,815)	(143,591)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	<u>(1,037,556)</u>	<u>248,733</u>
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities:		
<i>Proceeds from Grants</i>	1,153,810	--
Net Cash Provided (Used) for Capital & Related Financing Activities	<u>1,153,810</u>	<u>--</u>
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:		
<i>Interest and Dividends on Investments</i>	--	758
Net Cash Provided (Used) for Investing Activities	<u>--</u>	<u>758</u>
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	116,254	249,491
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Year	762,095	1,734,030
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Year	<u>\$ 878,349</u>	<u>\$ 1,983,521</u>
Reconciliation of Operating Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:		
Operating Income (Loss)	\$ (1,063,423)	\$ 235,139
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities		
<i>Depreciation</i>	66,092	--
Change in Assets and Liabilities:		
<i>Decrease (Increase) in Receivables</i>	(5,281)	--
<i>Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable</i>	(23,251)	17,509
<i>Increase (Decrease) in Interfund Payables</i>	--	(7,292)
<i>Increase (Decrease) in Accrued Expenses</i>	--	3,377
<i>Increase (Decrease) in Unearned Revenue</i>	(11,693)	--
Total Adjustments	<u>25,867</u>	<u>13,594</u>
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	<u>\$ (1,037,556)</u>	<u>\$ 248,733</u>

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GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
 FIDUCIARY FUNDS
 AUGUST 31, 2015

Data Control Codes	Agency Fund	Student Activity
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
ASSETS:		
1110 <i>Cash and Cash Equivalents</i>	\$	187,236
1000 Total Assets		<u>187,236</u>
LIABILITIES:		
Current Liabilities:		
2190 <i>Due to Student Groups</i>	\$	187,236
2000 Total Liabilities		<u>187,236</u>
NET POSITION:		
3000 Total Net Position	\$	<u> -- </u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

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A. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The basic financial statements of Gregory-Portland Independent School District (the "District") have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP") applicable to governmental units in conjunction with the Texas Education Agency's Financial Accountability System Resource Guide ("Resource Guide"). The Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles.

1. Reporting Entity

The Board of School Trustees ("Board"), a seven-member group, has governance responsibilities over all activities related to public elementary and secondary education within the jurisdiction of the District. The Board is elected by the public and has the exclusive power and duty to govern and oversee the management of the public schools of the District. All powers and duties not specifically delegated by statute to the Texas Education Agency ("TEA") or to the State Board of Education are reserved for the Board, and the TEA may not substitute its judgment for the lawful exercise of those powers and duties by the Board. The District receives funding from local, state and federal government sources and must comply with the requirements of those funding entities. However, the District is not included in any other governmental reporting entity and there are no component units included within the District's reporting entity.

2. Basis of Presentation, Basis of Accounting

a. Basis of Presentation

Government-wide Financial Statements: The statement of net position and the statement of activities include the financial activities of the overall government, except for fiduciary activities. Eliminations have been made to minimize the double-counting of internal activities. These statements distinguish between the governmental and business-type activities of the District. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other nonexchange transactions. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees charged to external parties.

The statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for the different business-type activities of the District and for each function of the District's governmental activities. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a program or function and, therefore, are clearly identifiable to a particular function. The District does not allocate indirect expenses in the statement of activities. Program revenues include (a) fees, fines, and charges paid by the recipients of goods or services offered by the programs and (b) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Revenues that are not classified as program revenues, including all taxes, are presented as general revenues.

Fund Financial Statements: The fund financial statements provide information about the District's funds, with separate statements presented for each fund category. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major governmental and enterprise funds, each displayed in a separate column. All remaining governmental and enterprise funds are aggregated and reported as nonmajor funds.

Proprietary fund operating revenues, such as charges for services, result from exchange transactions associated with the principal activity of the fund. Exchange transactions are those in which each party receives and gives up essentially equal values. Nonoperating revenues, such as subsidies and investment earnings, result from nonexchange transactions or ancillary activities.

The District reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund: This is the District's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the District except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

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Capital Projects Fund: The proceeds from long-term debt financing and revenues and expenditures related to authorized construction and other capital asset acquisitions are accounted for in a capital projects fund.

The District reports the following major enterprise funds:

Food Service Fund: This fund is used to account for child nutrition service operations financed from the NSLP program and user charges.

In addition, the District reports the following fund types:

Internal Service Funds: These funds are used to account for revenues and expenses related to services provided to parties inside the District. These funds facilitate distribution of support costs to the users of support services on a cost-reimbursement basis. Because the principal users of the internal services are the District's governmental activities, this fund type is included in the "Governmental Activities" column of the government-wide financial statements.

Fiduciary funds are reported in the fiduciary fund financial statements. However, because their assets are held in a trustee or agent capacity and are therefore not available to support District programs, these funds are not included in the government-wide statements.

b. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting

Government-wide, Proprietary, and Fiduciary Fund Financial Statements: These financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus. The government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements are reported using the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred, regardless of when the related cash flows take place. Nonexchange transactions, in which the District gives (or receives) value without directly receiving (or giving) equal value in exchange, include property taxes, grants, entitlements, and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied. Revenue from grants, entitlements, and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied.

Governmental Fund Financial Statements: Governmental funds are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under this method, revenues are recognized when measurable and available. The District considers all revenues reported in the governmental funds to be available if the revenues are collected within sixty days after year-end. Revenues from local sources consist primarily of property taxes. Property tax revenues and revenues received from the State 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. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for principal and interest on general long-term debt, claims and judgments, and compensated absences, which are recognized as expenditures to the extent they have matured. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Proceeds of general long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

When the District incurs an expenditure or expense for which both restricted and unrestricted resources may be used, it is the District's policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources.

3. Financial Statement Amounts

a. Cash and Cash Equivalents

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, highly liquid investments are considered to be cash equivalents if they have a maturity of three months or less when purchased.

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b. 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 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. Property tax revenues are considered available when they become due or past due and receivable within the current period.

Allowances for uncollectible tax receivables within the General and Debt Service Funds are based upon historical experience in collecting property 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.

c. Inventories and Prepaid Items

Inventories of supplies on the balance sheet are stated at weighted average cost, while inventories of food commodities are recorded at market values supplied by the Texas Department of Human Services. Inventory items are recorded as expenditures when they are consumed. Supplies are used for almost all functions of activity, while food commodities are used only in the food service program. Although commodities are received at no cost, their fair market value is supplied by the Texas Department of Human Services and recorded as inventory and deferred revenue when received. When requisitioned, inventory and deferred revenue are relieved, expenditures are charged, and revenue is recognized for an equal amount. Inventories also include plant maintenance and operation supplies as well as instructional supplies.

Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items.

d. Capital Assets

Purchased or constructed capital assets are reported at cost or estimated historical cost. Donated fixed assets are recorded at their estimated fair value at the date of the donation. The cost of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend assets' lives are not capitalized. A capitalization threshold of \$5,000 is used.

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

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Estimated Useful Lives</u>
Buildings	50
Building Improvements	20
Vehicles	10
Equipment	10

e. Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statements of financial position (the government-wide Statement of Net Position and governmental funds balance sheet) will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position and/or fund balance that applies to one or more future periods and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then.

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

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f. Receivable and Payable Balances

The District believes that sufficient detail of receivable and payable balances is provided in the financial statements to avoid the obscuring of significant components by aggregation. Therefore, no disclosure is provided which disaggregates those balances.

Except for delinquent taxes, there are no significant receivables which are not scheduled for collection within one year of year end.

g. Interfund Activity

Interfund activity results from loans, services provided, reimbursements or transfers between funds. Loans are reported as interfund receivables and payables as appropriate and are subject to elimination upon consolidation. Services provided, deemed to be at market or near market rates, are treated as revenues and expenditures or expenses. Reimbursements occur when one fund incurs a cost, charges the appropriate benefiting fund and reduces its related cost as a reimbursement. All other interfund transactions are treated as transfers. Transfers In and Transfers Out are netted and presented as a single "Transfers" line on the government-wide statement of activities. Similarly, interfund receivables and payables are netted and presented as a single "Internal Balances" line of the government-wide statement of net position.

h. Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires the use of management's estimates.

i. Data Control Codes

Data Control Codes appear in the rows and above the columns of certain financial statements. The TEA requires the display of these codes in the financial statements filed with TEA in order to ensure accuracy in building a statewide database for policy development and funding plans.

j. Fund Balances - Governmental Funds

Fund balances of the governmental funds are classified as follows:

Nonspendable Fund Balance - represents amounts that cannot be spent because they are either not in spendable form (such as inventory or prepaid insurance) or legally required to remain intact (such as notes receivable or principal of a permanent fund).

Restricted Fund Balance - represents amounts that are constrained by external parties, constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Committed Fund Balance - represents amounts that can only be used for a specific purpose because of a formal action by the District's Board of Trustees. Committed amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the Board of Trustees removes those constraints by taking the same type of formal action. Committed fund balance amounts may be used for other purposes with appropriate due process by the Board of Trustees. Commitments are typically done through adoption and amendment of the budget. Committed fund balance amounts differ from restricted balances in that the constraints on their use do not come from outside parties, constitutional provisions, or enabling legislation.

Assigned Fund Balance - represents amounts which the District intends to use for a specific purpose, but that do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted or committed. Intent may be stipulated by the Board of Trustees or by an official or body to which the Board of Trustees delegates the authority. Specific amounts that are not restricted or committed in a special revenue, capital projects, debt service or permanent fund are assigned for purposes in accordance with the nature of their fund type or the fund's primary purpose. Assignments within the general fund convey that the intended use of those amounts is for a specific purpose that is narrower than the general purposes of the District itself.

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Unassigned Fund Balance - represents amounts which are unconstrained in that they may be spent for any purpose. Only the general fund reports a positive unassigned fund balance. Other governmental funds might report a negative balance in this classification because of overspending for specific purposes for which amounts had been restricted, committed or assigned.

4. 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' 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.

At August 31, 2015 the District reported the following:

Net Pension Asset	\$	--
Net Pension Liability	\$	2,817,304

5. New Accounting Standards Adopted

In fiscal year 2015, the District adopted five new statements of financial accounting standards issued by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB):

- Statement No. 67, *Financial Reporting for Pension Plans - an amendment of GASB Statement No. 25*
- Statement No. 68, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions - an amendment of GASB Statement No. 27*
- Statement No. 69, *Government Combinations and Disposals of Governmental Operations*
- Statement No. 70, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Nonexchange Financial Guarantees*
- Statement No. 71, *Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date - an amendment of GASB Statement No. 68.*

- a. Statement No. 67 establishes financial reporting standards, but not funding or budgetary standards, for state and local government defined benefit pension plans and defined contribution pension plans that are administered through trusts or equivalent arrangements (Pension Trusts) in which:
- 1) Contributions from employers and nonemployer contributing entities to the pension plan and earnings on those contributions are irrevocable.
 - 2) Pension plan assets are dedicated to providing pensions to plan members in accordance with the benefit terms.
 - 3) Pension plan assets are legally protected from the creditors of employers, nonemployer contributing entities, and the pension plan administrator. If the plan is a defined benefit pension plan, plan assets also are legally protected from creditors of the plan members.

For defined benefit pension plans, this Statement establishes standards of financial reporting for separately issued financial reports and presentation as pension trust funds in the financial statements of another government, and specifies the required approach to measuring the pension liability of employers and any nonemployer contributing entities for benefits provided through the pension plan (the net pension liability), about which certain information is required to be presented. Distinctions are made regarding the particular presentation requirements depending upon the type of pension plan administered. For defined contribution plans, the Statement provides specific note disclosure requirements.

The adoption of Statement No. 67 has no impact on the District's financial statements.

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- b. Statement No. 68 establishes standards of accounting and financial reporting, but not funding or budgetary standards, for defined benefit pensions and defined contribution pensions provided to the employees of state and local government employers through pension plans that are administered through trusts or equivalent arrangements criteria detailed above in the description of Statement No. 67. This Statement replaces the requirements of Statement No. 27, *Accounting for Pensions by State and Local Governmental Employers*, as well as the requirements of Statement No. 50, *Pension Disclosures*, as they relate to pensions that are provided through pension plans within the scope of the Statement.

The requirements of Statement No. 68 apply to the financial statements of all state and local governmental employers whose employees are provided with pensions through pension plans that are administered through trusts or equivalent arrangements as described above, and to the financial statements of state and local governmental nonemployer contributing entities that have a legal obligation to make contributions directly to such pension plans. This Statement establishes standards for measuring and recognizing liabilities, deferred outflows of resources, and deferred inflows of resources, and expense/expenditures related to pensions. Note disclosure and RSI requirements about pensions also are addressed. For defined benefit pension plans, this Statement identifies the methods and assumptions that should be used to project benefit payments, discount projected benefit payments to their actuarial present value, and attribute that present value to periods of employee service.

The adoption of Statement No. 68 has no impact on the District's governmental fund financial statements, which continue to report expenditures in the contribution amount determined legislatively for the TRS plan. The calculation of pension contributions is unaffected by the change. However, the adoption has resulted in the restatement of the District's beginning net position for the fiscal year 2014 government-wide financial statements to reflect the reporting of net pension liability and deferred inflows of resources and deferred outflows of resources for its qualified pension plan and the recognition of pension expense in accordance with the provisions of the Statement.

- c. Statement No. 69 improves financial reporting by addressing accounting and financial reporting for government combinations and disposals of government operation. The term "government combinations" is used to refer to a variety of arrangements including mergers and acquisitions. Mergers include combinations of legally separate entities without the exchange of significant consideration. Government acquisitions are transactions in which a government acquires another entity, or its operations, in exchange for significant consideration. Government combinations also include transfers of operations that do not constitute entire legally separate entities in which no significant consideration is exchanged. Transfers of operations may be present in shared service arrangements, reorganizations, redistricting, annexations, and arrangements in which an operation is transferred to a new government created to provide those services.

There was no impact on the District's financial statements as a result of the implementation of Statement No. 69.

- d. Statement No. 70 was issued to improve accounting and financial reporting by state and local governments that extend and receive nonexchange financial guarantees.

The Statement requires a government that extends a nonexchange financial guarantee to recognize a liability when qualitative factors and historical data indicate that it is more likely than not that the government will be required to make a payment on the guarantee. The Statement requires a government that has issued an obligation guaranteed in a nonexchange transaction to recognize revenue to the extent of the reduction in its guaranteed liabilities. The Statement requires a government that is required to repay a guarantor for making a payment on a guaranteed obligation or legally assuming the guaranteed obligation to continue to recognize a liability until legally released as an obligor. When a government is released as an obligor, the government should recognize revenue as a result of being relieved of the obligation. This Statement also provides additional guidance for intra-entity nonexchange financial guarantees involving blended component units.

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There was no impact on the District's financial statements as a result of the implementation of Statement No. 70.

- e. Statement No. 71 amends Statement No. 68 to require that, at transition, a government recognize a beginning deferred outflow of resources for its pension contributions, if any, made subsequent to the measurement date of the beginning net pension liability. Since the measurement date of the pension plan was different than the District's final year-end, the effects from the District's reported contributions to the plan subsequent to the respective measurement date of the plan as an increase in deferred outflow of resources and a decrease in net position.

B. Compliance and Accountability

1. Finance-Related Legal and Contractual Provisions

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 38, "Certain Financial Statement Note Disclosures," violations of finance-related legal and contractual provisions, if any, are reported below, along with actions taken to address such violations:

<u>Violation</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
Functional expenses exceeded functional appropriation in the following fund: Child Nutrition Enterprise Fund	In the future, the budget will be amended before overspending.

2. Deficit Fund Balance or Fund Net Position of Individual Funds

Following are funds having deficit fund balances or fund net position at year end, if any, along with remarks which address such deficits:

<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Deficit Amount</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
None reported	Not applicable	Not applicable

C. Deposits and Investments

Legal and Contractual Provisions Governing Deposits and Investments

The Public Funds Investment Act (Texas Government Code Chapter 2256) 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 (9) and 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, (10) and 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.

The District's funds are required to be deposited and invested under the terms of a depository contract. The depository bank deposits for safekeeping and trust with the District's agent bank approved pledged securities in an amount sufficient to protect District funds on a day-to-day basis during the period of the contract. The pledge of approved securities is waived only to the extent of the depository bank's dollar amount of Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") insurance.

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1. Cash Deposits:

At August 31, 2015, the carrying amount of the District's deposits (cash, certificates of deposit, and interest-bearing savings accounts included in temporary investments) was \$1,326,621 and the bank balance was \$1,735,712. The District's cash deposits at August 31, 2015 and during the year ended August 31, 2015, were entirely covered by FDIC insurance or by pledged collateral held by the District's agent bank in the District's name.

2. Investments:

As of August 31, 2015, the District had the following investments and maturities:

Investment Type	Fair Value	Investment Maturities (In Years)		
		Less than 1	1 to 2	2 to 3
Investment Pools:				
Investment in TexPool	3,943,906	3,943,906	--	--
Investment in Lone Star Pool	52,011,634	52,011,634	--	--
Total Fair Value	<u>\$ 55,955,540</u>	<u>\$ 55,955,540</u>	<u>\$ --</u>	<u>\$ --</u>

Interest Rate Risk - In accordance with state law and District policy, the District does not purchase any investments with maturities greater than 10 years.

Credit Risk - In accordance with state law and the District's investment policy investments in mutual funds, and investment pools must be rated at least AAA, commercial paper must be rated at least A-1 or P-1, and investments in obligations from other states, municipalities, counties, etc. must be rated at least A. The District's investments in investment pools were rated AAA.

Concentration of Credit Risk - The District does not place a limit on the amount the District may invest in any one issuer. The District does not have a concentration of credit risk.

Custodial Credit Risk - For an investment, custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the District will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The District does not have a custodial credit risk.

The local government investment pools such as TexPool and Lone Star Pool are not evidenced by securities in physical form. They are managed conservatively to provide safe, efficient and liquid investments to Texas governmental entities. The pools both seek to maintain a \$1 value per share as required by the Texas Public Funds Investment Act.

Federated Investors manages the assets, provides participant services, and arranges for all custody and other functions in support of TexPool operations under a contract with the State Comptroller of Public Accounts. The state comptroller maintains oversight responsibility for TexPool, including the ability to influence operations, designation of management and accountability for fiscal matters. Although TexPool is not registered with the SEC as an investment company, it operates in a manner consistent with the SEC's Rule 2a7 of the Investment Company Act of 1940. GASB 31 allows 2a7-like pools to use amortized cost (which excludes unrealized gains and losses) rather than market value to report net assets to compute share price. The fair value of the District's position in TexPool is the same as the value of TexPool shares.

Lone Star Investment Pool is administered by FIRST Public. The fair value of the funds in Lone Star is also the same as the value of Lone Star shares.

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D. Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the year ended August 31, 2015, was as follows:

	Beginning Balances	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balances
<u>Governmental activities:</u>				
<i>Capital assets not being depreciated:</i>				
Land	\$ 1,798,625	\$ --	\$ --	\$ 1,798,625
Construction in progress	5,939,507	15,307,880	--	21,247,387
Total capital assets not being depreciated	<u>7,738,132</u>	<u>15,307,880</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>23,046,012</u>
<i>Capital assets being depreciated:</i>				
Buildings and improvements	61,914,605	292,221	--	62,206,826
Equipment	1,607,563	136,999	--	1,744,562
Vehicles	2,266,140	341,452	189,926	2,417,666
Total capital assets being depreciated	<u>65,788,308</u>	<u>770,672</u>	<u>189,926</u>	<u>66,369,054</u>
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings and improvements	(17,894,154)	(1,212,827)	--	(19,106,981)
Equipment	(748,845)	(147,112)	--	(895,957)
Vehicles	(1,171,473)	(163,109)	(185,237)	(1,419,819)
Total accumulated depreciation	<u>(19,814,472)</u>	<u>(1,523,048)</u>	<u>(185,237)</u>	<u>(21,522,757)</u>
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	45,973,836	(752,376)	4,689	45,216,149
Governmental activities capital assets, net	<u>\$ 53,711,968</u>	<u>\$ 14,555,504</u>	<u>\$ 4,689</u>	<u>\$ 68,262,783</u>
	Beginning Balances	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balances
<u>Business-type activities:</u>				
<i>Capital assets not being depreciated:</i>				
Land	\$ --	\$ --	\$ --	\$ --
Construction in progress	--	--	--	--
Total capital assets not being depreciated	<u>--</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>--</u>
<i>Capital assets being depreciated:</i>				
Buildings and improvements	--	--	--	--
Equipment	799,544	--	--	799,544
Vehicles	33,883	--	--	33,883
Total capital assets being depreciated	<u>833,427</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>833,427</u>
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings and improvements	--	--	--	--
Equipment	(500,736)	(62,704)	--	(563,440)
Vehicles	(27,107)	(3,388)	--	(30,495)
Total accumulated depreciation	<u>(527,843)</u>	<u>(66,092)</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>(593,935)</u>
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	305,584	(66,092)	--	239,492
Business-type activities capital assets, net	<u>\$ 305,584</u>	<u>\$ (66,092)</u>	<u>\$ --</u>	<u>\$ 239,492</u>

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Depreciation was charged to functions as follows:

Governmental Activities:	
Instruction	\$ 775,895
Instructional Resources and Media Services	53,607
Curriculum and Staff Development	7,839
Instructional Leadership	22,173
School Leadership	87,860
Guidance, Counseling, & Evaluation Services	39,932
Health Services	18,208
Student Transportation	163,109
Food Services	80,363
Extracurricular Activities	41,289
General Administration	60,107
Plant Maintenance and Operations	167,434
Security and Monitoring Services	5,232
	<u>\$ 1,523,048</u>
Business-type Activities:	
Food Services	\$ 66,092
	<u>\$ 66,092</u>

E. Interfund Balances and Activities

1. Due To and From Other Funds

Balances due to and due from other funds at August 31, 2015, consisted of the following:

<u>Due To Fund</u>	<u>Due From Fund</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Purpose</u>
General Fund	Capital Projects Fund	\$ 60,832	Expenditures reimbursement
General Fund	Internal Service Fund	586	Short-term loans
	Total	<u>\$ 61,418</u>	

All amounts due are scheduled to be repaid within one year.

2. Transfers To and From Other Funds

There were no transfers to and from other funds at August 31, 2015.

F. Long-Term Obligations

1. Long-Term Obligation Activity

On August 11, 2015, the district issued \$11,710,000 Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds, Series 2015 in part as serial bonds and part as term bonds with interest rates varying from 3.25% and 5.00%. The bonds will be used to construct, design, acquire and equip school facilities in the District, purchase necessary sites for school facilities, purchase of new school buses and pay for professional services related to the costs of issuance of the bonds. The bonds are secured by a levy of an annual ad valorem tax and is payable over a period of 26 years. Payments will be made semi-annually on February 15 and August 15, with the first payment due August 15, 2015 and the final payment due February 15, 2041. Bonds maturing on or after February 15, 2026 are subject to optional redemption prior to their scheduled maturities at the option of the District, in whole or in part in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, on February 15, 2025 or any date thereafter at the redemption price of par plus accrued but unpaid interest to such redemption date. The term bonds are also subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption prior to stated maturity.

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Long-term obligations include debt and other long-term liabilities. Changes in long-term obligations for the year ended August 31, 2015, are as follows:

Description	Interest Rate Payable	Amounts Original Issue	Amounts Outstanding 9/1/14	Issued	Retired	Amounts Outstanding 8/31/15	Amounts Due Within One Year
Public Property Finance Contractual Obligations							
Series 2012	1.79%	2,864,000	2,335,000	--	274,000	2,061,000	279,000
Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds							
Series 2013	4.00%	13,050,000	13,050,000	--	1,935,000	11,115,000	2,030,000
Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds							
Series 2013	3.50%	6,565,000	6,565,000	--	--	6,565,000	--
Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds	3.00% to						
Series 2013	4.00%	22,805,000	22,805,000	--	--	22,805,000	--
Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds	3.25% to						
Series 2015	5.00%	--	--	11,710,000	--	11,710,000	--
Subtotals			<u>44,755,000</u>	<u>11,710,000</u>	<u>2,209,000</u>	<u>54,256,000</u>	<u>2,309,000</u>
Bond Premium			<u>2,410,647</u>	<u>1,022,432</u>	<u>288,306</u>	<u>3,144,773</u>	<u>324,936</u>
Total Bonds			<u>47,165,647</u>	<u>12,732,432</u>	<u>2,497,306</u>	<u>57,400,773</u>	<u>2,633,936</u>
Other Liabilities:							
Capital Leases			117,229	--	38,935	78,294	39,076
Total Governmental Activities			<u>\$ 47,282,876</u>	<u>\$ 12,732,432</u>	<u>\$ 2,536,241</u>	<u>\$ 57,479,067</u>	<u>\$ 2,673,012</u>

The Debt Service Fund makes the debt payments for the Unlimited Tax Bonds and the General Fund pays the debt for the Contractual Obligation Bonds.

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2. Debt Service Requirements

Debt service requirements on long-term debt for bonds payable by the Debt Service fund at August 31, 2015, are as follows:

Year Ending August 31,	Governmental Activities		
	Principal	Interest	Total
2016	\$ 2,309,000	1,936,789	\$ 4,245,789
2017	2,414,000	1,848,550	4,262,550
2018	2,509,000	1,756,421	4,265,421
2019	2,604,000	1,660,604	4,264,604
2020	2,725,000	1,560,587	4,285,587
2021-2025	12,165,000	6,739,172	18,904,172
2026-2030	13,825,000	4,444,425	18,269,425
2031-2035	10,780,000	2,077,444	12,857,444
2036-2040	4,000,000	751,250	4,751,250
2041	925,000	23,124	948,124
Totals	\$ 54,256,000	\$ 22,798,366	\$ 77,054,366

The District has entered into a continuing disclosure undertaking to provide Annual Reports and Material Event Notices to the State Information Depository of Texas, which is the Municipal Advisory Council. This information is required under SEC Rule 15c2-12 to enable investors to analyze the financial condition and operations of the District.

There were no defeased bonds outstanding at August 31, 2015.

Authorized But Not Issued Debt

The District has \$105,300,00 in Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds authorized but unissued. The District plans to issue these bonds in fiscal years 2016 and 2017 to construct, design, acquire and equip school facilities in the District, purchase necessary sites for school facilities, and purchase new school buses.

3. Capital Leases

During 2013, the District entered into a lease agreement to upgrade the Districts IP telephone system at a cost of \$195,383. The District made an initial down payment of \$39,360 and financed the remaining \$156,023. The lease agreement qualifies as a capital lease for accounting purposes, and therefore has been recorded at the present value of future minimum lease payments as of the date of inception.

Future combined minimum lease payments to be paid by the General Fund are as follows:

Year Ending August 31,	
2016	\$ 39,360
2017	39,360
Total	<u>78,720</u>
Less amount representing interest (Rate 0.35%)	(426)
Present value of future minimum lease payments	<u>\$ 78,294</u>

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G. Risk Management

insurance to cover general liabilities. There were no significant reductions in coverage in the past fiscal year and there were no settlements exceeding insurance coverage for each of the past three fiscal years.

Unemployment Compensation

During the year ended August 31, 2015, Gregory-Portland ISD provided unemployment compensation coverage to its employees through participation in the TASB Risk Management Fund (the Fund). The Fund was created and is operated under the provisions of the Interlocal Cooperation Act, Chapter 791 of the Texas Government Code. All districts participating in the Fund execute Interlocal Agreements that define the responsibilities of the parties.

The Fund's Unemployment Compensation Program is authorized by Section 22.005 of the Texas Education Code and Chapter 172 of the Texas Local Government Code. The Fund meets its obligations to the Texas Workforce Commission. Expenses are accrued each month until the quarterly payment has been made. Expenses can be reasonably estimated; therefore, there is no need for specific or aggregate stop loss coverage for Unemployment Compensation pool members.

The Fund engages the services of an independent auditor to conduct an independent financial audit after the close of each plan year on August 31. The audit is approved by the Fund's Board of Trustees in February of the following year. The Fund's audited financial statements as of August 31, 2014, are available at the TASB offices and have been filed with the Texas State Board of Insurance in Austin.

Worker's Compensation

The District has established the Worker's Compensation Internal Service Fund to account for and finance workers compensation claims. It is a modified self-insurance plan, known as SchoolComp. The Plan year began September 1, 2014 and ended September 1, 2015. The District's maximum financial exposure for the plan year is \$263,861. Any costs above \$263,681 for the 2014-2015 plan year are the shared responsibility of the remaining School Comp members. The District's self-insured retention per occurrence is \$88,169.

Costs for any one claim above the self-insured retention are the shared responsibility of the remaining SchoolComp members. Excess insurance is provided by Safety National Casualty Corporation and admitted carrier. The policy provides for specific stop-loss attachment at \$350,000 per occurrence and aggregate stop-loss attachment at \$7,796,049. Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

All funds of the District participate in the program and make payments to the fund based on actuarial estimates of the amounts needed to pay prior-year and current-year claims and to establish a reserve for losses relating to catastrophes. That reserve was \$1,601,962 at 8/31/15 and is reported as net position in the Workers' Compensation Internal Service Fund. The claims liability of \$127,566 reported in the fund at 8/31/15, is based on the requirements of Governmental Accounting Standards Board 10, which requires that a liability for claims be reported if information prior to the issuance of the financial statements indicates that it is probable that a liability has been incurred at the date of the financial statements and the amount of the loss can be reasonably estimated.

Changes in the balances of claims liabilities during the past two years are:

	Year Ended 08/31/15	Year Ended 08/31/14
Unpaid claims, beginning of year	\$ 124,189	\$ 121,961
Current year claims and changes in estimate	63,098	51,266
Claim payments	(59,721)	(49,038)
Unpaid claims, end of year	<u>\$ 127,566</u>	<u>\$ 124,189</u>

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H. Pension Plan

1. Plan Description

The District participates in a cost-sharing multiple employer defined benefit pension plan that has a special funding situation. The plan is administered by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS). TRS' defined benefit pension plan is established and administered in accordance with the Texas Constitution, Article XVI, Sec. 67, and Texas Government Code, Title 8, Subtitle C. The TRS 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.

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.

2. Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the TRS' 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 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.

3. 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 percent (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 5 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 5 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 in (1.) above.

4. 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 6% of the member's annual compensation and a state contribution rate of not less than 6% and not more than 10% of the aggregate annual compensation paid to members of the system during the fiscal year. Texas Government Code section 821.006 prohibits benefit improvements, if as a result of the particular action, the time required to amortize TRS' 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 through 2017. It also added a 1.5% contribution for employers not paying Old Age Survivor and Disability Insurance (OASDI) on certain employees effective Appropriations Act (GAA) established the employer contribution rates for fiscal years 2014 and 2015.

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	<u>Contribution Rates</u>	
	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>
Member	6.4%	6.7%
Non-Employer Contributing Entity (NECE - State)	6.8%	6.8%
Employers	6.8%	6.8%
District's 2014 Employer Contributions	\$ 267,401	
District's 2014 Member Contributions	\$ 1,377,198	
NECE 2014 On-Behalf Contributions to District	\$ 1,208,328	

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 statutes and the General Appropriations Act (GAA).

As the non-employer contributing entity for public education and junior colleges, 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 TRS pension trust fund during that fiscal year reduced by the amounts described below which are paid by the employers. Employers (public school, junior college, other entities or the State of Texas as the employer for senior universities and medical 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 sources, a privately sponsored source, from non-educational and general, or local funds.
- When the employing district is a public junior college or junior college district, the employer shall contribute to the retirement system an amount equal to 50% of the state contribution rate for certain instructional or administrative employees; and 100% of the state contribution rate for all other employees.

In addition to the employer contributions listed above, when employing a retiree of the TRS the employer shall pay both the member contribution and the state contribution as an employment after retirement surcharge.

5. Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability in the August 31, 2014 actuarial evaluation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

Valuation Date	August 31, 2014
Actuarial Cost Method	Individual Entry Age Normal
Amortization Method	Level Percentage of Payroll, Open
Remaining Amortization Period	30 Years
Asset Valuation Method	5 Year Market Value
Discount Rate	8%
Long-term Expected Rate of Return*	8%
Salary Increases*	4.25% to 7.25%
Weighted-Average at Valuation Date	5.55%
Payroll Growth Rate	3.5%

* Includes inflation of 3%

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The actuarial methods and assumptions are primarily based on a study of actual experience for the four year period ending August 31, 2010 and adopted on April 8, 2011. With the exception of the post-retirement mortality rates for healthy lives and a minor change to the expected retirement age for inactive vested members stemming from the actuarial audit performed in the Summer of 2014, the assumptions and methods are the same as used in the prior valuation. When the mortality assumptions were adopted in 2011, they contained significant margin for possible future mortality improvements. As of the date of the valuation there has been a significant erosion of this margin to the point that the margin has been eliminated. Therefore, the post-retirement mortality rates for current and future retirees was decreased to add additional margin for future improvement in mortality in accordance with the Actuarial Standards Practice No. 35.

6. Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 8%. There was no change in the discount rate since the previous fiscal 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 expected rate of return on pension plan investments is 8%. 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. 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, 2014 are summarized below:

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Real Return Geometric Basis	Long-term Expected Portfolio Real Rate of Return *
Global Equity			
U.S.	18%	7.0%	1.4%
Non-U.S. Developed	13%	7.3%	1.1%
Emerging Markets	9%	8.1%	0.9%
Directional Hedge Funds	4%	5.4%	0.2%
Private Equity	13%	9.2%	1.4%
Stable Value			
U.S. Treasuries	11%	2.9%	0.3%
Absolute Return	0%	4.0%	0.0%
Stable Value Hedge Funds	4%	5.2%	0.2%
Cash	1%	2.0%	0.0%
Real Return			
Global Inflat. Linked Bonds	3%	3.1%	0.0%
Real Assets	16%	7.3%	1.5%
Energy & Natural Resources	3%	8.8%	0.3%
Commodities	0%	3.4%	0.0%
Risk Parity			
Risk Parity	5%	8.9%	0.4%
Alpha			1.0%
Total	<u>100%</u>		<u>8.7%</u>

* The expected contribution to returns incorporates the volatility drag resulting from the conversion between arithmetic and geometric mean returns.

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7. Discount Rate Sensitivity Analysis

The following schedule shows the impact of the net pension liability if the discount rate used was 1 percentage point less and 1 percentage point greater than the discount rate that was used (8%) in measuring the 2014 net pension liability.

	1% Decrease 7%	Current Discount Rate 8%	1% Increase 9%
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 5,034,350	\$ 2,817,304	\$ 1,159,366
Plan net pension liability (in millions from TRS CAFR)	\$ 47,737	\$ 26,717	\$ 10,998

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

At August 31, 2015, the District reported a liability of \$2,817,304 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	\$ 2,817,304
State's proportionate share of the net pension liability associated with the District	<u>12,757,955</u>
Total	<u>\$ 15,575,259</u>

The net pension liability was measured as of August 31, 2014 and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the District's contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all employers to the plan for the period September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2014.

There were no changes of assumptions or other inputs that affected measurement of the total pension liability during the measurement period.

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

There was a change in employer contribution requirements that occurred after the measurement date of the net pension liability and the employer's measurement date. A 1.5% contribution for employers not paying Old Age Survivor and Disability Insurance (OASDI) on certain employees went into law effective September 1, 2014. The amount of the expected resultant change in the employer's proportion cannot be determined at this time.

For the year ended August 31, 2015, the District recognized pension expense of \$1,179,449 and revenue of \$1,179,449 for support provided by the State.

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At August 31, 2015, the District reported its proportionate share of the TRS' deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows	Deferred Inflows
Differences between expected and actual economic experience	\$ 43,571	\$ --
Changes in actuarial assumptions	183,128	--
Difference between projected and actual investment earnings	--	861,083
Changes in proportion and differences between the District's contributions and the proportionate share of contributions	--	738
District contributions paid to TRS subsequent to the measurement date	<u>563,662</u>	
Total	<u>\$ 790,361</u>	<u>\$ 861,821</u>

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

Year Ended August 31		
2016	\$	(177,151)
2017	\$	(177,151)
2018	\$	(177,151)
2019	\$	(177,151)
2020	\$	38,119
Thereafter	\$	35,363

I. Retiree Health Care Plans

1. TRS-Care

a. Plan Description

The District contributes to the Texas Public School Retired Employees Group Insurance Program (TRS-Care), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit postemployment health care plan administered by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS). TRS-Care Retired Plan provides health care coverage for certain persons (and their dependents) who retired under the Teacher Retirement System of Texas. The statutory authority for the program is Texas Insurance Code, Chapter 1575. Section 1575.052 grants the TRS Board of Trustees the authority to establish and amend basic and optional group insurance coverage for participants. The TRS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for TRS-Care. That report may be obtained by visiting the TRS web site at www.trs.state.tx.us under the TRS Publications heading, by writing to the Communications Department of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas at 1000 Red River Street, Austin, Texas 78701, or by calling the TRS Communications Department at 1-800-223-8778.

b. Funding Policy

Contribution requirements are not actuarially determined but are legally established each biennium by the Texas Legislature. Texas Insurance Code, Sections 1575.202, 203, and 204 establish state, active employee, and public school contributions, respectively. Funding for free basic coverage is provided by the program based upon public school district payroll. Per Texas Insurance Code, Chapter 1575, the public school contribution may not be less than 0.25% or greater than 0.75% of the salary of each active

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employee of the public school. Funding for optional coverage is provided by those participants selecting the optional coverage. The State of Texas contribution rate was 1% for fiscal years 2015 and 2014, and 0.5% for fiscal year 2013. The active public school employee contributions rates were 0.65% of public school payroll, with school districts contributing a percentage of payroll set at 0.55% for fiscal years 2015, 2014 and 2013. For the years ended August 31, 2015, 2014, and 2013, the State's contributions to TRS-Care were \$226,781, \$215,188, and \$204,639, respectively, the active member contributions were \$147,408, \$139,873, and \$133,015, respectively, and the District's contributions were \$124,729, \$118,353, and \$112,554, respectively, which equaled the required contributions each year.

2. Medicare Part D Subsidies

The Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003, which was effective January 1, 2006, established prescription drug coverage for Medicare beneficiaries known as Medicare Part D. One of the provisions of Medicare Part D allows for the Texas Public School Retired Employee Group Insurance Program (TRS-Care) to receive retiree drug subsidy payments from the federal government to offset certain prescription drug expenditures for eligible TRS-Care participants. For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2015, 2014, and 2013, the subsidy payments received by TRS-Care on behalf of the District were \$95,988, \$55,616, and \$51,680, respectively.

J. Employee Health Care Coverage

During the year ended August 31, 2015, employees of the District were covered by a health insurance plan (the Plan). The District paid premiums of \$250 per month per employee to the Plan. Employees, at their option, authorized payroll withholdings to pay premiums for dependents. All premiums were paid to a third party administrator, acting on behalf of the licensed insurer. The Plan was authorized by Section 21.922, Texas Education Code and was documented by contractual agreement.

The contract between the District and the third party administrator is renewable September 1, 2015, and terms of coverage and premium costs are included in the contractual provisions.

Latest financial statements for the Aetna TRS Active Care are available for the year ended December 31, 2014, have been filed with the Texas State Board of Insurance, Austin, Texas, and are public records.

K. Commitments and Contingencies

1. Contingencies

The District participates in 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 collectibility 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 basic financial statements for such contingencies.

2. Litigation

No reportable litigation was pending against the District at August 31, 2015.

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L. Unearned Revenue

Unearned revenue at year end consisted of the following:

<u>Revenue Description</u>	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Other Governmental Funds</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>	<u>Food Service Enterprise Fund</u>
State Entitlements	\$ --	\$ 2,115	\$ 2,115	\$ 15,642
Federal Grant Programs	--	1,661	1,661	--
Other	162,104	45	162,149	--
Total Unearned Revenue	\$ 162,104	\$ 3,821	\$ 165,925	\$ 15,642

M. Due From Other Governments

The District participates in a variety of federal and state programs from which it receives grants to partially or fully finance certain activities. In addition, the District receives entitlements from the State through the School Foundation and Per Capita Programs. Amounts due from federal and state governments as of August 31, 2015, as reported on the combined financial statements as Due from Other Governments and are summarized below:

<u>Fund</u>	<u>State Entitlements</u>	<u>Federal Grants</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Total</u>
General	\$ 1,046,140	\$ --	\$ 13,657	\$ 1,059,797
Other Governmental Funds	11,249	120,245	2,101	133,595
Total Governmental Funds	\$ 1,057,389	\$ 120,245	\$ 15,758	\$ 1,193,392
Enterprise Fund	--	32,918	--	32,918
Total	\$ 1,057,389	\$ 153,163	\$ 15,758	\$ 1,226,310

N. Fund Balances

The following is a summary of Governmental Fund fund balances of the District at the year ended August 31, 2015:

General Fund

Nonspendable:	
Inventories	\$ 7,529
Prepaid Items	79,671
	<u>87,200</u>
Committed:	
Land and building purchase	1,000,000
Potential tax settlement	1,800,000
Major maintenance	3,512,280
Claims and judgments	250,000
Insurance deductible	1,000,000
Construction	9,975,225
	<u>17,537,505</u>
Unassigned:	<u>8,577,823</u>
Total General Fund fund balance	<u>26,202,528</u>

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Capital Projects Fund

Restricted	
Construction	23,346,259

Other Governmental Funds

Restricted:	
State Textbook Fund	16,826
Spectra Energy Foundation	750
OxyChem Corporation	4
Cheniere LNG	3,208
Retirement of Long-term debt	2,709,753
	<u>2,730,541</u>

Assigned:	
Campus Activity	180,277

Total Other Governmental Fund fund balance 2,910,818

Total Governmental fund balance \$ 52,459,605

O. Texas Economic Development Code, Chapter 313

The District is a participant in a Chapter 313 program. The purpose of this program is to attract large-scale projects by the school district offering a business property value limitation that reduces its property tax liability for an eight-year period. During 2015, the District received \$528,512 from the company in payment for revenue loss, which was provided for in the Chapter 313 agreement with the company.

P. Construction Commitments

The District has several construction projects in various stages of development:

- * Replacement school for East Cliff Elementary School
- * Stephen F. Austin Elementary School Addition
- * New Gregory-Portland ISD Athletic Complex

Each of these projects are part of voter approved Bond Issues that are being managed by the District's administrative staff with support from architects, construction managers, legal counsel, and other related service providers. The school board is providing the oversight required by law and board policy. Any additional information may be requested from the Office of the Chief Financial Officer at (361) 777-1091.

Q. Restatement of Net Position

Beginning net position as of September 1, 2014, has been restated as follows for the implementation of GASB Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, as amended by GASB Statement No. 71, Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date.

	Governmental Activities Net Position	Business-type Activities Net Position	Total Net Position
Beginning net position, as originally stated	\$ 62,739,688	\$ 1,023,195	\$ 63,762,883
Prior period adjustment-implementation of GASB 68:			
Net pension liability (measurement date as of August 31, 2014)	(3,459,419)	--	(3,459,419)
Deferred outflows - district contributions made during FY 2014	267,401	--	267,401
Beginning net position, as restated	<u>\$ 59,547,670</u>	<u>\$ 1,023,195</u>	<u>\$ 60,570,865</u>

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Required Supplementary Information

Required supplementary information includes financial information and disclosures required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board but not considered a part of the basic financial statements.

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GENERAL FUND
 BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
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Data Control Codes	Budgeted Amounts			Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)	
	1	2	3		
	Original	Final	Actual		
REVENUES:					
5700	Local and Intermediate Sources	\$ 15,615,464	\$ 15,676,333	\$ 16,112,039	\$ 435,706
5800	State Program Revenues	19,434,536	19,570,754	20,171,164	600,410
5900	Federal Program Revenues	150,000	150,000	240,948	90,948
5020	Total Revenues	<u>35,200,000</u>	<u>35,397,087</u>	<u>36,524,151</u>	<u>1,127,064</u>
EXPENDITURES:					
Current:					
Instruction & Instructional Related Services:					
0011	Instruction	18,987,041	19,024,356	19,003,919	20,437
0012	Instructional Resources and Media Services	1,315,197	1,376,891	1,312,985	63,906
0013	Curriculum and Staff Development	206,685	252,109	191,987	60,122
	Total Instruction & Instr. Related Services	<u>20,508,923</u>	<u>20,653,356</u>	<u>20,508,891</u>	<u>144,465</u>
Instructional and School Leadership:					
0021	Instructional Leadership	555,346	548,796	543,088	5,708
0023	School Leadership	2,198,574	2,175,864	2,151,942	23,922
	Total Instructional & School Leadership	<u>2,753,920</u>	<u>2,724,660</u>	<u>2,695,030</u>	<u>29,630</u>
Support Services - Student (Pupil):					
0031	Guidance, Counseling and Evaluation Services	960,950	979,259	978,045	1,214
0033	Health Services	521,020	520,976	445,974	75,002
0034	Student (Pupil) Transportation	744,995	1,161,258	1,081,379	79,879
0036	Cocurricular/Extracurricular Activities	1,047,671	1,044,615	1,011,291	33,324
	Total Support Services - Student (Pupil)	<u>3,274,636</u>	<u>3,706,108</u>	<u>3,516,689</u>	<u>189,419</u>
Administrative Support Services:					
0041	General Administration	1,730,817	1,714,967	1,472,194	242,773
	Total Administrative Support Services	<u>1,730,817</u>	<u>1,714,967</u>	<u>1,472,194</u>	<u>242,773</u>
Support Services - Nonstudent Based:					
0051	Plant Maintenance and Operations	4,027,442	4,102,672	4,100,931	1,741
0052	Security and Monitoring Services	115,002	148,149	128,158	19,991
0053	Data Processing Services	20,000	20,000	7,430	12,570
	Total Support Services - Nonstudent Based	<u>4,162,444</u>	<u>4,270,821</u>	<u>4,236,519</u>	<u>34,302</u>
Debt Service:					
0071	Principal on Long-Term Debt	274,000	312,935	312,935	--
0072	Interest on Long-Term Debt	58,784	40,849	39,728	1,121
	Total Debt Service	<u>332,784</u>	<u>353,784</u>	<u>352,663</u>	<u>1,121</u>
Capital Outlay:					
0081	Capital Outlay	--	3,362,426	2,726,467	635,959
	Total Capital Outlay	<u>--</u>	<u>3,362,426</u>	<u>2,726,467</u>	<u>635,959</u>
Intergovernmental Charges:					
0093	Payments to Fiscal Agent/Member Dist.-SSA	928,880	1,013,880	1,011,657	2,223
0097	Payments to Tax Increment Fund	--	136,218	136,217	1
0099	Other Intergovernmental Charges	280,000	298,000	296,436	1,564
	Total Intergovernmental Charges	<u>1,208,880</u>	<u>1,448,098</u>	<u>1,444,310</u>	<u>3,788</u>
6030	Total Expenditures	<u>33,972,404</u>	<u>38,234,220</u>	<u>36,952,763</u>	<u>1,281,457</u>

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

EXHIBIT G-1
Page 2 of 2

Data Control Codes		1	2	3	Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)
		Budgeted Amounts		Actual	
		Original	Final		
1100	Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)				
1100	Expenditures	1,227,596	(2,837,133)	(428,612)	2,408,521
	Other Financing Sources (Uses):				
7949	Other Resources	--	528,512	528,512	--
7080	Total Other Financing Sources and (Uses)	--	528,512	528,512	--
1200	Net Change in Fund Balance	1,227,596	(2,308,621)	99,900	2,408,521
0100	Fund Balance - Beginning	26,102,628	26,102,628	26,102,628	--
3000	Fund Balance - Ending	\$ 27,330,224	\$ 23,794,007	\$ 26,202,528	\$ 2,408,521

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY
 TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

	2015
District's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability (Asset)	0.0105472%
District's Proportionate Share of Net Pension Liability (Asset)	\$ 2,817,304
States Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) associated with the District	12,757,955
Total	\$ 15,575,259
District's Covered Employee Payroll	\$ 21,518,775
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) as a percentage of its Covered Employee Payroll	13.09%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a percentage of the Total Pension Liability	83.25%

Note: Only one year of data is presented in accordance with GASB #68, paragraph 138. "The information for all periods for the 10-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."

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS
TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2015

	<u>2015</u>
Contractually Required Contribution	\$ 563,662
Contribution in Relation to the Contractually Required Contribution	<u>(563,662)</u>
Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	<u>\$ -</u>
District's Covered Employee Payroll	\$ 22,678,134
Contributions as a percentage of Covered Employee Payroll	2.49%

Note: GASB 68, Paragraph 81.2.b requires that the data in this schedule be presented as of the District's current fiscal year as opposed to the time period covered by the measurement date of September 1, 2013 - August 31, 2014.

Note: Only one year of data is presented in accordance with GASB #68, paragraph 138. "The information for all periods for the 10-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."

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

*NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015*

Budget

The official budget was prepared for adoption for all Governmental Fund Types. The budget was prepared in accordance with accounting practices generally accepted in the United States of America. The following procedures are followed in establishing the budgetary data.:

- a. Prior to August 21 of the preceding fiscal year, the District prepares a budget for the next succeeding fiscal year. 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 after ten days' public notice of the meeting has been given.
- c. Prior to the beginning of the fiscal year, the budget is legally enacted through passage of a resolution by the Board.

Once a budget is approved, it can be amended at function and fund level only by approval of a majority of the members of the Board. Amendments are presented to the Board at its regular meetings.

Each amendment must have Board approval. Such amendments are made before the fact, are reflected in the official minutes of the Board and are not made after fiscal year end as required by law.

Each amendment is controlled by the budget coordinator at the revenue and expenditure function/object level. Budgeted amounts are as amended by the Board. All budget appropriations lapse at year end.

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 end-of-year outstanding encumbrances that were provided for in the subsequent year's budget.

Defined Benefit Pension Plan

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

There were no changes of assumptions or other inputs that affected measurement of the total pension liability during the measurement period.

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NATIONAL SCHOOL BREAKFAST AND LUNCH PROGRAM
ENTERPRISE FUND
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

EXHIBIT H-1

Data Control Codes	Budgeted Amounts			Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)	
	1	2	3		
	Original	Final	Actual		
OPERATING REVENUES:					
5700	<i>Local and Intermediate Sources</i>	\$ 1,278,897	\$ 1,278,897	\$ 1,355,512	\$ 76,615
5800	<i>State Program Revenues</i>	11,000	11,000	10,606	(394)
5020	Total Revenues	<u>1,289,897</u>	<u>1,289,897</u>	<u>1,366,118</u>	<u>76,221</u>
OPERATING EXPENSES:					
6100	<i>Payroll Costs</i>	856,800	856,800	905,859	(49,059)
6200	<i>Professional and Contracted Services</i>	69,500	82,500	79,509	2,991
6300	<i>Supplies and Materials</i>	1,384,896	1,444,329	1,292,467	151,862
6400	<i>Other Operating Costs</i>	31,500	96,500	151,706	(55,206)
6600	<i>Capital Outlay - Land, Buildings & Equipment</i>	--	37,567	--	37,567
6030	Total Expenses	<u>2,342,696</u>	<u>2,517,696</u>	<u>2,429,541</u>	<u>88,155</u>
	Operating Income (Loss)	<u>(1,052,799)</u>	<u>(1,227,799)</u>	<u>(1,063,423)</u>	<u>164,376</u>
NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):					
7952	<i>National School Breakfast Program</i>	220,114	220,114	215,710	(4,404)
7953	<i>National School Lunch Program</i>	782,685	782,685	831,748	49,063
7954	<i>USDA Donated Commodities</i>	50,000	50,000	106,352	56,352
8030	Total Non-operating Revenues (Expenses)	<u>1,052,799</u>	<u>1,052,799</u>	<u>1,153,810</u>	<u>101,011</u>
1300	Change in Net Position	--	(175,000)	90,387	265,387
0100	Total Net Position - Beginning	1,023,195	1,023,195	1,023,195	--
3300	Total Net Position - Ending	<u>\$ 1,023,195</u>	<u>\$ 848,195</u>	<u>\$ 1,113,582</u>	<u>\$ 265,387</u>

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Other Supplementary Information

This section includes financial information and disclosures not required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board and not considered a part of the basic financial statements. It may, however, include information which is required by other entities.

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

SCHEDULE OF DELINQUENT TAXES RECEIVABLE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

Year Ended August 31	1		2		3	
	Tax Rates				Assessed/Appraised Value For School Tax Purposes	
	Maintenance		Debt Service			
2006 and Prior Years	\$	Various	\$	Various	\$	Various
2007		1.37		.24		876,526,259
2008		1.04		.32		1,010,112,247
2009		1.17		.19		1,135,213,714
2010		1.17		.19		1,156,862,116
2011		1.17		.20		1,090,810,194
2012		1.17		.20		1,034,995,666
2013		1.17		.18		1,072,620,402
2014		1.17		.18		1,244,177,778
2015 (School Year Under Audit)		1.17		.18		1,347,522,592
1000 Totals						

10 Beginning Balance 9/1/14	20 Current Year's Total Levy	31 Maintenance Collections	32 Debt Service Collections	40 Entire Year's Adjustments	50 Ending Balance 8/31/15
\$ 165,572	\$ --	\$ 1,252	\$ 201	\$ (1,676)	\$ 162,443
23,062	--	230	40	(1,019)	21,773
23,654	--	786	242	(931)	21,695
25,797	--	1,124	183	(628)	23,862
36,826	--	1,998	325	(637)	33,866
35,326	--	2,541	434	10,281	42,632
45,792	--	6,736	1,151	9,815	47,720
66,912	--	18,890	2,906	9,020	54,136
210,674	--	107,763	16,579	9,267	95,599
--	18,191,555	15,395,216	2,505,351	(1)	290,987
<u>\$ 633,615</u>	<u>\$ 18,191,555</u>	<u>\$ 15,536,536</u>	<u>\$ 2,527,412</u>	<u>\$ 33,491</u>	<u>\$ 794,713</u>

Fiscal Year End	Levies and Collections			
	Levy Year	Adjusted Tax Levy	Current Collections	Percent of Levy
08/31/06	2,005	14,119,128	13,851,810	98.11%
08/31/07	2,006	14,454,054	13,941,044	96.45%
08/31/08	2,007	13,796,567	13,439,332	97.41%
08/31/09	2,008	14,803,546	14,401,197	97.28%
08/31/10	2,009	15,109,246	14,764,585	97.72%
08/31/11	2,010	15,131,139	14,828,259	98.00%
08/31/12	2,011	15,463,629	15,238,841	98.55%
08/31/13	2,012	14,652,131	14,446,021	98.59%
08/31/14	2,013	16,846,506	16,635,832	98.75%
08/31/15	2,014	18,191,554	17,900,567	98.40%

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
FUND BALANCE AND CASH FLOW CALCULATION WORKSHEET (UNAUDITED)
GENERAL FUND
AS OF AUGUST 31, 2015

EXHIBIT J-2

Data Control Codes	Explanation	Amount
1	Total General Fund Fund Balance as of August 31, 2015 (Exhibit C-1 object 3000 for the General Fund only)	\$ 26,202,528
2	Total General Fund Nonspendable Fund Balance (from Exhibit C-1 - total of object 341X-344X for the General Fund only)	87,200
3	Total General Fund Restricted Fund Balance (from Exhibit C-1 - total of object 345X-349X for the General Fund only)	--
4	Total General Fund Committed Fund Balance (from Exhibit C-1 - total of object 351X-354X for the General Fund only)	17,537,505
5	Total General Fund Assigned Fund Balance (from Exhibit C-1 - total of object 355X-359X for the General Fund only)	--
6	Estimated amount needed to cover fall cash flow deficits in the General Fund (net of borrowed funds and funds representing deferred revenues)	--
7	Estimate of two months' average cash disbursements during the fiscal year	6,078,734
8	Estimate of delayed payments from state sources (58XX)	1,057,389
9	Estimate of underpayment from state sources equal to variance between Legislative Payment Estimate (LPE) and District Planning Estimate (DPE) or District's calculated earned state aid amount	--
10	Estimate of delayed payments from federal sources (59XX)	120,245
11	Estimate of expenditures to be reimbursed to General Fund from Capital Projects Fund (uses of General Fund cash after bond referendum and prior to issuance of bonds)	--
12	General Fund Optimum Fund Balance and Cash Flow (Lines 2+3+4+5+6+7+8+9+10+11)	24,881,073
13	Excess (Deficit) Unassigned General Fund Fund Balance (1-12)	\$ 1,321,455

If Item 13 is a Positive Number

Explanation of need for and/or projected use of net positive Unassigned General Fund Fund Balance:

The District is expecting to enter High Wealth Status within the next two years and is increasing reserves to help with that transition.

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

EXHIBIT J-3

*DEBT SERVICE FUND
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015*

Data Control Codes				Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)
	1	2	3	
	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	
Original	Final			
REVENUES:				
5700	<i>Local and Intermediate Sources</i>			\$ (36,078)
5800	<i>State Program Revenues</i>			147
5020	Total Revenues			<u>(35,931)</u>
EXPENDITURES:				
Debt Service:				
0071	<i>Principal on Long-Term Debt</i>			--
0072	<i>Interest on Long-Term Debt</i>			15,218
0073	<i>Bond Issuance Costs and Fees</i>			2,543
	Total Debt Service			<u>17,761</u>
6030	Total Expenditures			<u>17,761</u>
1100	Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)			
1100	Expenditures			<u>(18,170)</u>
Other Financing Sources (Uses):				
7916	<i>Premium or Discount on Issuance of Bonds</i>			530,927
7080	Total Other Financing Sources and (Uses)			<u>530,927</u>
1200	Net Change in Fund Balance			<u>512,757</u>
0100	Fund Balance - Beginning			--
3000	Fund Balance - Ending			<u><u>512,757</u></u>

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Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and
On Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements
Performed In Accordance With *Government Auditing Standards*

Board of Trustees
Gregory-Portland Independent School District
608 College Street
Portland, Texas 78374

Members of the Board of Trustees:

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Gregory-Portland Independent School District, as of and for the year ended August 31, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise Gregory-Portland Independent School District's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 15, 2015.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

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

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Gregory-Portland Independent School District's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the 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 entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lovvorn & Kieschnick, LLP".

Lovvorn & Kieschnick, LLP

Corpus Christi, TX
December 15, 2015

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Independent Auditor's Report on Compliance for Each Major Program and
on Internal Control Over Compliance Required by OMB Circular A-133

Board of Trustees
Gregory-Portland Independent School District
608 College Street
Portland, Texas 78374

Members of the Board of Trustees:

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Gregory-Portland Independent School District's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Gregory-Portland Independent School District's major federal programs for the year ended August 31, 2015. Gregory-Portland Independent School District's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

Management's Responsibility

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

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of Gregory-Portland Independent School District's major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Gregory-Portland Independent School District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Gregory-Portland Independent School District's compliance.

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the Gregory-Portland Independent School District complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs for the year ended August 31, 2015.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

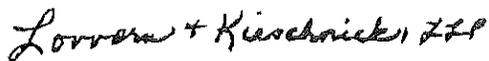
Management of the Gregory-Portland Independent School District is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the Gregory-Portland Independent School District's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Gregory-Portland Independent School District's internal control over compliance.

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

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

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of OMB Circular A-133. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Respectfully submitted,



Lovvorn & Kieschnick, LLP

Corpus Christi, TX
December 15, 2015

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

A. Summary of Auditor's Results

1. Financial Statements

Type of auditor's report issued: Unmodified

Internal control over financial reporting:

One or more material weaknesses identified? Yes X No

One or more significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? Yes X None Reported

Noncompliance material to financial statements noted? Yes X No

2. Federal Awards

Internal control over major programs:

One or more material weaknesses identified? Yes X No

One or more significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? Yes X None Reported

Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs: Unmodified

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with section 510(a) of OMB Circular A-133? Yes X No

Identification of major programs:

<u>CFDA Number(s)</u>	<u>Name of Federal Program or Cluster</u>
	Child Nutrition Cluster:
10.553	School Breakfast Program
10.555	National School Lunch Program
10.559	Summer Feeding Program

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs: \$300,000

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? X Yes No

B. Financial Statement Findings

NONE

C. Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

NONE

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

<u>Finding/Recommendation</u>	<u>Current Status</u>	<u>Management's Explanation If Not Implemented</u>
N/A - No prior findings		

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

Program

Corrective Action Plan

N/A

No corrective action required

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

EXHIBIT K-1

(1)	(2)	(2A)	(3)
Federal Grantor/ Pass-Through Grantor/ Program Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Federal Expenditures
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES			
Passed Through State Department of Education:			
Medicaid Administration Claiming Program	93.778	205-902	\$ 3,549
Total U. S. Department of Health and Human Services			<u>3,549</u>
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION			
Passed Through State Department of Education:			
<i>ESEA Title I Part A - Improving Basic Programs</i>	84.010A	15610101205902	581,321
IDEA-B Cluster:			
<i>IDEA-B Formula</i>	84.027A	15660001205902660	793,167
<i>IDEA-B Preschool</i>	84.173A	15661001205902661	13,939
<i>IDEA-B Discretionary</i>	84.027A	15660006205902668	152,398
Total IDEA-B Cluster			<u>959,504</u>
<i>Career and Technical - Basic Grant</i>	84.048A	15420006205902	42,091
<i>ESEA Title II Part A - Teacher & Principal Training & Recruiting</i>	84.367A	15694501205902	131,647
Total Passed Through State Department of Education			<u>1,714,563</u>
Total U. S. Department of Education			<u>1,714,563</u>
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE			
Passed Through State Department of Education:			
Child Nutrition Cluster:			
School Breakfast Program	10.553	205-902	215,711
National School Lunch Program	10.555	205-902	831,748
Summer Feeding Program	10.559	205-902	18,486
Total Child Nutrition Cluster			<u>1,065,945</u>
Commodity Supplemental Food Program	10.565	205-902	106,352
Total Passed Through State Department of Education			<u>1,172,297</u>
Total U. S. Department of Agriculture			<u>1,172,297</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS			<u>\$ 2,890,409</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this schedule.

GREGORY-PORTLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2015

Note 1: Federal Assistance Reconciliation

Federal Grants and Contracts Revenues per Exhibit C-2	1,973,997
Add: Child Nutrition Program Revenues Reported in Enterprise Fund Exhibit D-2	1,153,811
Less: School Health & Related Services (SHARS) revenues reported in General Fund	<u>(237,399)</u>
Total Federal Revenues per Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards	<u><u>2,890,409</u></u>

Note 2: Basis of Presentation

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards includes the federal grant activity of Gregory-Portland Independent School District and is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, AUDITS OF STATES, LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, AND NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS. Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the general purpose financial statements.