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## **Financial Statements and Federal Single Audit Report**

# **White River School District No. 416**

**For the period September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2020**

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**Office of the Washington State Auditor  
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June 14, 2021

Board of Directors  
White River School District No. 416  
Buckley, Washington

**Report on Financial Statements and Federal Single Audit**

Please find attached our report on White River School District No. 416's financial statements and compliance with federal laws and regulations.

We are issuing this report in order to provide information on the District's financial condition.

Sincerely,

Pat McCarthy  
State Auditor  
Olympia, WA

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## SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

### White River School District No. 416 September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2020

#### SECTION I – SUMMARY OF AUDITOR’S RESULTS

The results of our audit of White River School District No. 416 are summarized below in accordance with Title 2 *U.S. Code of Federal Regulations* (CFR) Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance).

#### Financial Statements

We issued an unmodified opinion on the fair presentation of the District’s financial statements in accordance with its regulatory basis of accounting. Separately, we issued an adverse opinion on the fair presentation with regard to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) because the financial statements are prepared using a basis of accounting other than GAAP.

##### Internal Control over Financial Reporting:

- *Significant Deficiencies:* We reported no deficiencies in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be significant deficiencies.
- *Material Weaknesses:* We identified no deficiencies that we consider to be material weaknesses.

We noted no instances of noncompliance that were material to the financial statements of the District.

#### Federal Awards

##### Internal Control over Major Programs:

- *Significant Deficiencies:* We reported no deficiencies in the design or operation of internal control over major federal programs that we consider to be significant deficiencies.
- *Material Weaknesses:* We identified deficiencies that we consider to be material weaknesses.

We issued an unmodified opinion on the District's compliance with requirements applicable to each of its major federal programs.

We reported findings that are required to be disclosed in accordance with 2 CFR 200.516(a).

## Identification of Major Federal Programs

The following programs were selected as major programs in our audit of compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance.

<u>CFDA No.</u>	<u>Program or Cluster Title</u>
10.553	Child Nutrition Cluster – School Breakfast Program
10.555	Child Nutrition Cluster – National School Lunch Program
10.559	COVID-19 – Child Nutrition Cluster – Summer Food Service Program for Children
84.010	Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies

The dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs, as prescribed by the Uniform Guidance, was \$750,000.

The District qualified as a low-risk auditee under the Uniform Guidance.

## SECTION II – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS

None reported.

## SECTION III – FEDERAL AWARD FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

See Finding 2020-001.

## SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL AWARD FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

### White River School District No. 416 September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2020

#### 2020-001 The District's internal controls were not adequate to ensure compliance with the federal Child Nutrition grant requirements for paid lunch equity.

<b>CFDA Number and Title:</b>	10.553 – School Breakfast Program 10.555 – National School Lunch Program 10.559 – COVID-19 – Summer Food Service Program for Children
<b>Federal Grantor Name:</b>	Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Service
<b>Federal Award/Contract Number:</b>	N/A
<b>Pass-through Entity Name:</b>	WA State Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI)
<b>Pass-through Award/Contract Number:</b>	207WAWA3N1099
<b>Questioned Cost Amount:</b>	\$0

#### *Background*

During fiscal year 2020, the District received \$1,035,663 in funding for the School Breakfast, National School Lunch Program and COVID-19 Summer Food Service Program for Children programs. These programs provide funding for free and reduced-price meals for eligible low-income students whose households meet specific income requirements set by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Federal regulations require recipients of federal awards to establish and follow internal controls to ensure compliance with program requirements. These controls include understanding grant requirements and monitoring the effectiveness of established controls.

#### *Paid Lunch Equity*

The USDA requires school districts participating in the National School Lunch Program to provide sufficient funds to the non-profit school food service account

for meals served to students not eligible for free or reduced-price meals (paid lunches). When the average paid lunch price is less than the difference between the free and paid lunch federal reimbursement rates (known as “equity”), districts must take action by increasing the prices charged for paid lunches or providing additional non-Federal funding to cover the cost of providing full-price lunches. Each year, the USDA issues the Paid Lunch Equity (PLE) tool, which districts must complete to assist with calculations and decisions to meet this requirement.

### *Description of Condition*

#### *Paid Lunch Equity*

The District did not have effective controls in place to complete the PLE tool to ensure it met this requirement.

We consider this deficiency in internal controls to be a material weakness that led to material noncompliance.

The issue was not reported as a finding in the prior audit.

### *Cause of Condition*

The District contracts with an outside company for child nutrition services. During fiscal year 2020, there was turnover at the food service company and the District’s bookkeeper position. The company’s representatives and District bookkeeper were responsible for completing the PLE tool. With turnover in both positions, there was a lack of knowledge as to responsibilities and standard procedures used to complete the PLE tool. In addition, because the District does not historically raise its lunch prices, it believed completion and certification of a fund balance tool, which calculates the amount of non-Federal funding the district actually contributed to its school food account, demonstrated PLE compliance.

### *Effect of Condition*

#### *Paid Lunch Equity (PLE)*

Because the District did not complete the PLE tool as required, it was not able to demonstrate if it met equity requirements and increased full-price lunches or contributed an appropriate amount of local funds to be in compliance.

During the audit, the District completed the PLE tool for the 19-20 school year, which showed that the District met equity and did not need to increase lunch prices.

### ***Recommendation***

We recommend the District improve its internal controls to ensure staff complete the PLE tool each year to demonstrate compliance with equity requirements.

### ***District's Response***

*We would like to thank the State Auditor's Office for their collaboration and professionalism in their work on the federal Child Nutrition program. The District agrees with the auditor's findings. The District will take steps to improve internal controls over completion of the PLE tool on a timely basis to ensure compliance with equity requirements.*

### ***Auditor's Remarks***

We thank the District for its cooperation and assistance throughout the audit, and the steps it is taking to address this issue. We will review the status of the District's corrective action during our next audit.

### ***Applicable Laws and Regulations***

Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance), section 516, Audit findings, establishes reporting requirements for audit findings.

Title 2 CFR Part 200, Uniform Guidance, section 303 Internal controls, describes the requirements for auditees to maintain internal controls over federal programs and comply with federal program requirements.

The American Institute of Certified Public Accountants defines significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in its *Codification of Statements on Auditing Standards*, section 935, Compliance Audits, paragraph 11.

Title 7 CFR Part 210, *National School Lunch Program*, section 14, Resource management, describes the requirements for pricing paid lunches.





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## SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS

### White River School District No. 416 September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2020

This schedule presents the status of findings reported in prior audit periods.

<b>Audit Period:</b> 2018-2019	<b>Report Reference No.:</b> 1026040	<b>Finding Ref. No.:</b> 2019-001	<b>CFDA Number(s):</b> 84.010
<b>Federal Program Name and Granting Agency:</b> Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies – Department of Education		<b>Pass-Through Agency Name:</b> Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI)	
<b>Finding Caption:</b> The District’s internal controls were not adequate to ensure compliance with the federal Title I grant requirements for assessment system security.			
<b>Background:</b> The objective of the Title I program is to improve the teaching and learning of children who are at risk of not meeting state academic standards and who live in areas with high concentrations of low-income families. During fiscal year 2019, the District spent \$424,859 in Title I program funds.  The District did not use the OSPI’s Test Security and Building Plans template and did not have processes in place to ensure written plans included all of the required elements for all standardized tests it administered, as OSPI required. The District could describe the process and had school administrators complete their test security plans using the District’s template. The building plans must contain elements that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Address the school’s test schedules</li><li>• Identify persons responsible for student settings and accessibility features</li><li>• Identify all test administrators</li><li>• Log test administrators’ training with accompanying test security staff assurances</li><li>• Identify test tools and supplies and the person responsible for them</li><li>• Identify persons responsible for participation codes, test communication plans, and test security and logistics</li></ul> Specifically, the District’s plans did not identify the persons responsible for the required tasks.			

**Status of Corrective Action: (check one)**☒ Fully  
Corrected☐ Partially  
Corrected☐ Not Corrected☐ Finding is considered no  
longer valid**Corrective Action Taken:**

*At the time of the audit, the District modified each school's building plan to include all of the required elements as prescribed by OSPI. Because of the move to distance learning in March, and cancellation of state testing for the 2019-20 school year, test plans had not been finalized. In 2020-21, we required the use of OSPI's Test Security and Building Plans template to ensure the inclusion of all of the required elements for all standardized tests administered (specifically noting the persons responsible), and reviewed the test coordinator manual.*

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

### 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*

#### **White River School District No. 416 September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2020**

Board of Directors  
White River School District No. 416  
Buckley, Washington

We have audited, 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, the financial statements of White River School District No. 416, as of and for the year ended August 31, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated May 24, 2021.

We issued an unmodified opinion on the fair presentation of the District's financial statements in accordance with its regulatory basis of accounting. We issued an adverse opinion on the fair presentation with regard to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) because, as described in Note 1, the *Accounting Manual for Public School Districts in the State of Washington* does not require the District to prepare the government-wide statements presenting the financial position and changes in financial position of its governmental activities as required by GAAP. The effects on the financial statements of the variances between the basis of accounting described in Note 1 and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material.

As discussed in Note 4 to the 2020 financial statements, the full extent of the COVID-19 pandemic's direct or indirect financial impact on the District is unknown. Management's plans in response to this matter are also described in Note 4.

## INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the 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 District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the 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 District'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 District's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of the District's 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 District's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the District's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose. However,

this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited. It also serves to disseminate information to the public as a reporting tool to help citizens assess government operations.

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Pat McCarthy

State Auditor

Olympia, WA

May 24, 2021

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program and Report on Internal Control over Compliance in Accordance with the Uniform Guidance

### **White River School District No. 416 September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2020**

Board of Directors  
White River School District No. 416  
Buckley, Washington

## **REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM**

We have audited the compliance of White River School District No. 416, with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. *Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the District's major federal programs for the year ended August 31, 2020. The District's major federal programs are identified in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs.

### **Management's Responsibility**

Management is responsible for compliance with federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal awards applicable to its federal programs.

### **Auditor's Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the 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 the audit requirements of Title 2 *U.S. Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Those standards and the Uniform Guidance 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 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. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on the District's compliance.

### **Opinion on Each Major Federal Program**

In our opinion, the 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 for the year ended August 31, 2020.

### **Other Matters**

The results of our auditing procedures disclosed an instance of noncompliance with those requirements, which is required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance and which is described in the accompanying Schedule of Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs as Finding 2020-001. Our opinion on each major federal program is not modified with respect to these matters.

### **District's Response to Findings**

The District's response to the noncompliance findings identified in our audit is described in the accompanying Schedule of Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs. The District's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

## **REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE**

Management of the 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 District's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program in order 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 the Uniform Guidance, 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 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 and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. We identified certain deficiencies in internal control over compliance, as described in the accompanying Schedule of Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs as Finding 2020-001, that we consider to be a material weakness.

## **District's Response to Findings**

The District's response to the internal control over compliance findings identified in our audit is described in the accompanying Schedule of Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs. The District's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

## **Purpose of this Report**

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose. However, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited. It also



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Pat McCarthy

State Auditor

Olympia, WA

May 24, 2021

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

## Report on the Financial Statements

### **White River School District No. 416 September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2020**

Board of Directors  
White River School District No. 416  
Buckley, Washington

## **REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of White River School District No. 416, as of and for the year ended August 31, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's financial statements, as listed on page 22.

### **Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the financial reporting provisions of state law and the *Accounting Manual for Public School Districts in the State of Washington* (Accounting Manual) described in Note 1. This includes determining that the basis of accounting is acceptable for the presentation of the financial statements in the circumstances. Management is also responsible for 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 from 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 account 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.

### **Unmodified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting (Accounting Manual)**

As described in Note 1, the District has prepared these financial statements to meet the financial reporting requirements of state law using accounting practices prescribed by the Accounting Manual. Those accounting practices differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). The difference in these accounting practices is also described in Note 1.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of White River School District No. 416, as of August 31, 2020, and the changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended in accordance with the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

### **Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. GAAP**

Auditing standards issued by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA) require auditors to formally acknowledge when governments do not prepare their financial statements, intended for general use, in accordance with GAAP. GAAP requires presentation of government-wide financial statements to display the financial position and changes in financial position of its governmental activities.

As described in Note 1, the Accounting Manual does not require the District to prepare the government-wide financial statements, and consequently such amounts have not been determined or presented. We are therefore required to issue an adverse opinion on whether the financial statements are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with GAAP.

## **Adverse Opinion on U.S. GAAP**

The financial statements referred to above were not intended to, and in our opinion they do not, present fairly, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of White River School District No. 416, as of August 31, 2020, or the changes in financial position or cash flows thereof for the year then ended, due to the significance of the matter discussed in the above “Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. GAAP” paragraph.

## **Matters of Emphasis**

As discussed in Note 4 to the 2020 financial statements, the full extent of the COVID-19 pandemic’s direct or indirect financial impact on the District is unknown. Management’s plans in response to this matter are also described in Note 4. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

## **Other Matters**

### ***Supplementary and Other Information***

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements taken as a whole. The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by Title 2 *U.S. Code of Federal Regulations* (CFR) Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). The Schedule of Long-Term Liabilities is also presented for purposes of additional analysis, as required by the prescribed Accounting Manual. These schedules are not a required part of the financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements, and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

## OTHER REPORTING REQUIRED BY GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated May 24, 2021 on our consideration of the 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 the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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Pat McCarthy  
State Auditor  
Olympia, WA

May 24, 2021

## **FINANCIAL SECTION**

### **White River School District No. 416 September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2020**

#### **FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

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White River School District No. 416  
Balance Sheet - Governmental Funds

August 31, 2020

	General Fund	ASB Fund	Debt Service Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Transportation Vehicle Fund	Permanent Fund	Total
<b>Assets</b>							
Cash and Cash Equivalents	1,848,125.18	12,961.72	67,981.27	2,058,528.13	665.75	0.00	3,988,262.05
Minus Warrants Outstanding	-1,653,498.84	-3,525.98	0.00	-1,966,849.19	0.00	0.00	-3,623,874.01
Taxes Receivable	2,368,134.84		3,050,393.08	1,542,087.61	0.00	0.00	6,960,615.53
Due From Other Funds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Due From Other Governmental Units	194,785.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	194,785.17
Accounts Receivable	12,366.21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12,366.21
Interfund Loans Receivable	0.00			0.00			0.00
Accrued Interest Receivable	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Inventory	71,243.90	0.00		0.00			71,243.90
Prepaid Items	0.00	0.00			0.00	0.00	0.00
Investments	12,709,654.65	154,886.87	3,165,013.61	15,516,509.47	473,483.69	0.00	32,019,548.29
Investments/Cash With Trustee	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Investments-Deferred Compensation	0.00			0.00		0.00	0.00
Self-Insurance Security Deposit	0.00					0.00	0.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>15,550,811.11</b>	<b>164,322.61</b>	<b>6,283,387.96</b>	<b>17,150,276.02</b>	<b>474,149.44</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>39,622,947.14</b>
<b>DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES:</b>							
Deferred Outflows of Resources - Other	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES</b>	<b>15,550,811.11</b>	<b>164,322.61</b>	<b>6,283,387.96</b>	<b>17,150,276.02</b>	<b>474,149.44</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>39,622,947.14</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>							
Accounts Payable	341,516.78	27,612.71	0.00	20,804.87	246,142.70	0.00	636,077.06
Contracts Payable Current	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Accrued Interest Payable			0.00				0.00

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

White River School District No. 416  
Balance Sheet - Governmental Funds

August 31, 2020

	General Fund	ASB Fund	Debt Service Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Transportation Vehicle Fund	Permanent Fund	Total
Accrued Salaries	0.00		0.00	0.00			0.00
Anticipation Notes Payable	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00
<b>LIABILITIES:</b>							
Payroll Deductions and Taxes Payable	98,340.22		0.00	0.00			98,340.22
Due To Other Governmental Units	100,198.11		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100,198.11
Deferred Compensation Payable	0.00			0.00			0.00
Estimated Employee Benefits Payable	0.00						0.00
Due To Other Funds	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Interfund Loans Payable	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00
Deposits	0.00		0.00	0.00			0.00
Unearned Revenue	23,149.00		0.00	0.00	0.00		23,149.00
Matured Bonds Payable			0.00				0.00
Matured Bond Interest Payable			0.00				0.00
Arbitrage Rebate Payable	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>563,204.11</b>	<b>27,612.71</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>20,804.87</b>	<b>246,142.70</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>857,764.39</b>
<b>DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES</b>							
Unavailable Revenue	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Unavailable Revenue - Taxes Receivable	2,368,134.84		3,050,393.08	1,542,087.61	0.00		6,960,615.53
<b>TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES</b>	<b>2,368,134.84</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>3,050,393.08</b>	<b>1,542,087.61</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>6,960,615.53</b>
<b>FUND BALANCE:</b>							
Nonspendable Fund Balance	71,243.90		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	71,243.90
Restricted Fund Balance	349,874.86	136,709.90	3,232,994.88	13,223,276.76	228,006.74	0.00	17,170,863.14
Committed Fund Balance	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,364,106.78	0.00	0.00	2,364,106.78
Assigned Fund Balance	3,766,778.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,766,778.77

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White River School District No. 416  
Balance Sheet - Governmental Funds

August 31, 2020

	General Fund	ASB Fund	Debt Service Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Transportation Vehicle Fund	Permanent Fund	Total
Unassigned Fund Balance	8,431,574.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	8,431,574.63
<b>TOTAL FUND BALANCE</b>	<b>12,619,472.16</b>	<b>136,709.90</b>	<b>3,232,994.88</b>	<b>15,587,383.54</b>	<b>228,006.74</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>31,804,567.22</b>
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOW OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCE	15,550,811.11	164,322.61	6,283,387.96	17,150,276.02	474,149.44	0.00	39,622,947.14

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White River School District No. 416

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds

For the Year Ended August 31, 2020

	General Fund	ASB Fund	Debt Service Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Transportation Vehicle Fund	Permanent Fund	Total
<b>REVENUES:</b>							
Local	6,286,249.11	360,546.78	6,643,857.74	4,609,944.31	3,264.42		17,903,862.36
State	44,911,464.89		0.00	1,832,652.13	214,145.84		46,958,262.86
Federal	2,519,626.40		0.00	0.00	0.00		2,519,626.40
Other	244,841.34			0.00	0.00	0.00	244,841.34
<b>TOTAL REVENUES</b>	<b>53,962,181.74</b>	<b>360,546.78</b>	<b>6,643,857.74</b>	<b>6,442,596.44</b>	<b>217,410.26</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>67,626,592.96</b>
<b>EXPENDITURES:</b>							
<b>CURRENT:</b>							
Regular Instruction	29,645,211.47						29,645,211.47
Special Education	7,822,363.24						7,822,363.24
Vocational Education	2,468,467.97						2,468,467.97
Skill Center	0.00						0.00
Compensatory Programs	1,661,685.81						1,661,685.81
Other Instructional Programs	143,281.64						143,281.64
Community Services	1,594,986.68						1,594,986.68
<b>Support Services</b>	<b>11,083,350.27</b>						<b>11,083,350.27</b>
<b>Student Activities/Other</b>		<b>358,773.46</b>				<b>0.00</b>	<b>358,773.46</b>
<b>CAPITAL OUTLAY:</b>							
Sites				897,595.01			897,595.01
Building				36,098,377.48			36,098,377.48
Equipment				852,388.27			852,388.27
Instructional Technology				557,002.63			557,002.63
Energy				0.00			0.00
Transportation Equipment					484,146.54		484,146.54
Sales and Lease				0.00			0.00
Other	105,332.40						105,332.40
<b>DEBT SERVICE:</b>							
Principal	0.00		5,785,000.00	0.00	0.00		5,785,000.00
Interest and Other Charges	0.00		3,806,521.45	0.00	0.00		3,806,521.45

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White River School District No. 416

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds

For the Year Ended August 31, 2020

	General Fund	ASB Fund	Debt Service Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Transportation Vehicle Fund	Permanent Fund	Total
Bond/Levy Issuance							
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	54,524,679.48	358,773.46	9,591,521.45	38,405,363.39	484,146.54	0.00	103,364,484.32
DEBT SERVICE:							
REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	-562,497.74	1,773.32	-2,947,663.71	-31,962,766.95	-266,736.28	0.00	-35,737,891.36
<b>OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) :</b>							
Bond Sales & Refunding Bond Sales	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00
Long-Term Financing	0.00			0.00	0.00		0.00
Transfers In	0.00		3,084,100.00	0.00	0.00		3,084,100.00
Transfers Out (GL 536)	-179,550.00		0.00	-2,904,550.00	0.00	0.00	-3,084,100.00
Other Financing Uses (GL 535)	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00
Other	33,661.70		0.00	0.00	0.00		33,661.70
<b>TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)</b>	-145,888.30		3,084,100.00	-2,904,550.00	0.00	0.00	33,661.70
<b>EXCESS OF REVENUES/OTHER FINANCING SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES</b>	-708,386.04	1,773.32	136,436.29	-34,867,316.95	-266,736.28	0.00	-35,704,229.66
<b>BEGINNING TOTAL FUND BALANCE</b>	13,327,858.20	134,936.58	3,096,558.59	50,454,700.49	494,743.02	0.00	67,508,796.88
Prior Year(s) Corrections or Restatements	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>ENDING TOTAL FUND BALANCE</b>	12,619,472.16	136,709.90	3,232,994.88	15,587,383.54	228,006.74	0.00	31,804,567.22

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White River School District No. 416  
Statement of Fiduciary Net Position  
August 31, 2020

	Private Purpose Trust	Other Trust
<b>ASSETS:</b>		
Imprest Cash	0.00	0.00
Cash On Hand	0.00	0.00
Cash On Deposit with Cty Treas	398.92	0.00
Minus Warrants Outstanding	0.00	0.00
Due From Other Funds	0.00	0.00
Accounts Receivable	0.00	0.00
Accrued Interest Receivable	0.00	0.00
Investments	100,462.89	0.00
Investments/Cash With Trustee	0.00	0.00
Other Assets	0.00	
Capital Assets, Land	0.00	
Capital Assets, Buildings	0.00	
Capital Assets, Equipment	0.00	0.00
Accum Depreciation, Buildings	0.00	
Accum Depreciation, Equipment	0.00	0.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>100,861.81</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>LIABILITIES:</b>		
Accounts Payable	0.00	0.00
Due To Other Funds	0.00	0.00
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>NET POSITION:</b>		
<b>Held in trust for:</b>		
Held In Trust For Intact Trust Principal	0.00	0.00
Held In Trust For Private Purposes	100,861.81	
Held In Trust For Pension Or Other Post-Employment Benefits		0.00
Held In Trust For Other Purposes	0.00	0.00
<b>TOTAL NET POSITION</b>	<b>100,861.81</b>	<b>0.00</b>

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White River School District No. 416  
Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position  
For the Year Ended August 31, 2020

	Private Purpose Trust	Other Trust
<b>ADDITIONS:</b>		
Contributions:		
Private Donations	0.00	0.00
Employer		0.00
Members		0.00
Other	0.00	0.00
<b>TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>
Investment Income:		
Net Appreciation (Depreciation) in Fair Value	0.00	0.00
Interest and Dividends	1,184.17	0.00
Less Investment Expenses	0.00	0.00
Net Investment Income	1,184.17	0.00
<b>Other Additions:</b>		
Rent or Lease Revenue	0.00	0.00
Total Other Additions	0.00	0.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONS</b>	<b>1,184.17</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>DEDUCTIONS:</b>		
Benefits		0.00
Refund of Contributions	0.00	0.00
Administrative Expenses	0.00	0.00
Scholarships	1,600.00	
Other	0.00	0.00
<b>TOTAL DEDUCTIONS</b>	<b>1,600.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>
Net Increase (Decrease)	-415.83	0.00
Net Position--Prior Year August Beginning	101,277.64	0.00
Prior Year F-196 Manual Revision		
Net Position - Total	0.00	0.00
Prior Year(s) Corrections or Restatements	101,277.64	0.00
<b>NET POSITION--ENDING</b>	<b>100,861.81</b>	<b>0.00</b>

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**WHITE RIVER SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 416**  
**Notes to the Financial Statements**  
**September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2020**

**NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The White River School District (District) is a municipal corporation organized pursuant to Title 28A of the Revised Code of Washington (RCW) for the purposes of providing public school services to students in grades K–12. Oversight responsibility for the District's operations is vested with the independently elected board of directors. Management of the District is appointed by and is accountable to the board of directors. Fiscal responsibility, including budget authority and the power to set fees, levy property taxes, and issue debt consistent with provisions of state statutes, also rests with the board of directors.

The District presents governmental fund financial statements and related notes on the modified accrual basis of accounting in accordance with the *Accounting Manual for Public School Districts in the State of Washington*, issued jointly by the State Auditor's Office and the Superintendent of Public Instruction by the authority of RCW 43.09.200, RCW 28A.505.140, RCW 28A.505.010(1) and RCW 28A.505.020. This manual prescribes a financial reporting framework that differs from generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) in the following manner:

- (1) Districtwide statements, as defined in GAAP, are not presented.
- (2) A Schedule of Long-Term Liabilities is presented as supplementary information.
- (3) Supplementary information required by GAAP is not presented.
- (4) Property Taxes collected after the end of the fiscal period are not considered available for revenue accrual as described below.

**Fund Accounting**

Financial transactions of the District are reported in individual funds. Each fund uses a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, fund equity, revenues, and expenditures (or expenses) as appropriate. All funds are considered major funds. The various funds in the report are grouped into governmental (and fiduciary) funds as follows:

***Governmental Funds***

**General Fund**

This fund is used to account for all expendable financial resources, except for those that are required to be accounted for in another fund. In keeping with the principle of having as few funds as are necessary, activities such as food services, maintenance, data processing, printing, and student transportation are included in the General Fund.

### Capital Projects Funds

These funds account for financial resources that are to be used for the construction or acquisition of major capital assets. There are two funds that are considered to be of the capital projects fund type: the Capital Projects Fund and the Transportation Vehicle Fund.

Capital Projects Fund. This fund is used to account for resources set aside for the acquisition and construction of major capital assets such as land and buildings.

Transportation Vehicle Fund. This fund is used to account for the purchase, major repair, rebuilding, and debt service expenditures that relate to pupil transportation equipment.

### Debt Service Fund

This fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for and the payment of matured general long-term debt principal and interest.

### Special Revenue Fund

In Washington state, the only allowable special revenue fund for school districts is the Associated Student Body (ASB) Fund. This fund is accounted for in the District's financial statements as the financial resources legally belong to the District. As a special revenue fund, amounts within the ASB Fund may only be used for those purposes that relate to the operation of the Associated Student Body of the District.

### Permanent Funds

These funds are used to report resources that are legally restricted such that only earnings, and not principal, may be expended. Amounts in the Permanent Fund may only be spent in support of the District's programs and may not be used to the benefit of any individual.

### ***Fiduciary Funds***

Fiduciary funds include pension and other employee benefit trust funds, private-purpose trust funds, and agency funds, and are used to account for assets that are held in trust by the District in a trustee and agency capacity.

### Private-Purpose Trust Fund

This fund is used to account for resources that are legally held in trust by the District. The trust agreement details whether principal and interest may both be spent, or whether only interest may be spent. Money from a Private-Purpose Trust Fund may not be used to support the District's programs, and may be used to benefit individuals, private organizations, or other governments.

## **Measurement focus, basis of accounting, and fund financial statement presentation**

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are measurable and available. Revenues are considered “measurable” if the amount of the transaction can be readily determined. Revenues are considered “available” when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the District considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days after year-end. Categorical program claims and interdistrict billings are measurable and available and are accrued. Property taxes not collected by the fiscal year end are measurable and recorded as a receivable, however the receivable is not considered available as a revenue accrual but is recorded as a deferred inflow of resources.

Expenditures are recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related fund liability is incurred, except for unmatured principal and interest on long-term debt which are recorded when due. Purchases of capital assets are expensed during the year of acquisition. For federal grants, the recognition of expenditures is dependent on the obligation date. (Obligation means a purchase order has been issued, contracts have been awarded, or goods and/or services have been received.)

## **Budgets**

Chapter 28A.505 RCW and Chapter 392-123 Washington Administrative Code (WAC) mandate school district budget policies and procedures. The board adopts annual appropriated budgets for all governmental funds. These budgets are appropriated at the fund level. The budget constitutes the legal authority for expenditures at that level. Appropriations lapse at the end of the fiscal period.

Budgets are adopted on the same modified accrual basis as used for financial reporting. Fund balance is budgeted as available resources and, under statute, may not be negative, unless the District enters into binding conditions with state oversight pursuant to RCW 28A.505.110.

## **The government’s policy regarding whether to first apply restricted or unrestricted resources when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available.**

The District receives state funding for specific categorical education-related programs. Amounts that are received for these programs that are not used in the current fiscal year may be carried forward into the subsequent fiscal year, where they may be used only for the same purpose as they were originally received. When the District has such carryover, those funds are expended before any amounts received in the current year are expended.

Additionally, the District has other restrictions placed on its financial resources. When expenditures are recorded for purposes for which a restriction or commitment of fund balance is available, those funds that are restricted or committed to that purpose are considered first before any unrestricted or unassigned amounts are expended.



## **The government's fund balance classifications policies and procedures.**

The District classifies ending fund balance for its governmental funds into five categories.

**Nonspendable Fund Balance.** The amounts reported as Nonspendable are resources of the District that are not in spendable format. They are either non-liquid resources such as inventory or prepaid items, or the resources are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

**Restricted Fund Balance.** Amounts that are reported as Restricted are those resources of the District that have had a legal restriction placed on their use either from statute, WAC, or other legal requirements that are beyond the control of the board of directors. Restricted fund balance includes anticipated recovery of revenues that have been received but are restricted as to their usage.

**Committed Fund Balance.** Amounts that are reported as Committed are those resources of the District that have had a limitation placed upon their usage by formal action of the District's board of directors. Commitments are made either through a formal adopted board resolution or are related to a school board policy. Commitments may only be changed when the resources are used for the intended purpose or the limitation is removed by a subsequent formal action of the board of directors.

**Assigned Fund Balance.** In the General Fund, amounts that are reported as Assigned are those resources that the District has set aside for specific purposes. These accounts reflect tentative management plans for future financial resource use such as the replacement of equipment or the assignment of resources for contingencies. Assignments reduce the amount reported as Unassigned Fund Balance, but may not reduce that balance below zero.

In other governmental funds, Assigned fund balance represents a positive ending spendable fund balance once all restrictions and commitments are considered. These resources are only available for expenditure in that fund and may not be used in any other fund without formal action by the District's board of directors and as allowed by statute.

The Superintendent is the only person who has the authority to create Assignments of fund balance.

**Unassigned Fund Balance.** In the General Fund, amounts that are reported as Unassigned are those net spendable resources of the District that are not otherwise Restricted, Committed, or Assigned, and may be used for any purpose within the General Fund.

In other governmental funds, Unassigned fund balance represents a deficit ending spendable fund balance once all restrictions and commitments are considered.

A negative Unassigned fund balance means that the legal restrictions and formal commitments of the District exceed its currently available resources.

## **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

All of the District's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

## **Inventory**

Inventory is valued at cost using the first-in, first-out (FIFO) method. The consumption method of inventory is used, which charges inventory as an expenditure when it is consumed. A portion of fund balance, representing inventory, is considered Nonspendable. Such reserves for inventory indicate that a portion of net current assets is set aside to replace or increase the inventory. USDA commodity inventory consists of food donated by the United States Department of Agriculture. It is valued at the prices paid by the USDA for the commodities.

## **NOTE 2: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS**

All of the District's bank balances are insured by the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation (FDIC) or by collateral held in a multiple financial institution collateral pool administered by the Washington Public Deposit Protection Commission (PDPC).

Statutes authorize the District to invest in (1) securities, certificates, notes, bonds, short-term securities, or other obligations of the United States, and (2) deposits in any state bank or trust company, national banking association, stock savings bank, mutual savings bank, savings and loan association, and any branch bank engaged in banking in the state in accordance with RCW 30.04.300 if the institution has been approved by the Public Deposit Protection Commission to hold public deposits and has segregated eligible collateral having a value of not less than its maximum liability.

The Pierce County Treasurer is the *ex officio* treasurer for the District and holds all accounts of the District. The District directs the County Treasurer to invest those financial resources of the District that the District has determined are not needed to meet the current financial obligations of the District.

The district's deposits and certificates of deposit are mostly covered by federal depository insurance (FDIC) or by collateral held in a multiple financial institution collateral pool administered by the Washington Public Deposit Protection Commission (PDPC).

All of the District's investments during the year and at year-end were insured or registered and held by the District or its agent in the District's name.

Washington State statutes authorize the district to invest in the following types of securities:

- Certificates, notes, or bonds of the United States, its agencies, or any corporation wholly owned by the government of the United States,
- Obligations of government-sponsored corporations which are eligible as collateral for advances to member banks as determined by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System,
- Bankers' acceptances purchased on the secondary market,
- Repurchase agreements for securities listed in the three items above, provided that the transaction is structured so that the public treasurer obtains control over the underlying securities,
- Investment deposits with qualified public depositories,
- Washington State Local Government Investment Pool, and
- County Treasurer Investment Pools.

The District's investments as of August 31, 2020, are as follows:

Type of Investment	District's own investments	Investments held by district as an agent for other organizations	Total
State Treasurer's Investment Pool	\$32,019,548	\$100,463	\$32,120,011

The District is a participant in the Local Government Investment Pool (LGIP). The LGIP was authorized by Chapter 294, Laws of 1986, and is managed and operated by the Washington State Treasurer. The State Finance Committee is the administrator of the statute that created the LGIP and adopts rules. The State Treasurer is responsible for establishing the investment policy for the LGIP and reviews the policy annually; proposed changes are reviewed by the LGIP Advisory Committee.

The LGIP is an unrated external investment pool. Investments in the Pool are reported at amortized cost, which approximates fair value. The Pool is invested in manner that meets the maturity, quality, diversification and liquidity requirements set forth by generally accepted accounting principles for external investment pools that elect to measure, for financial reporting purposes, investments at amortized cost. The Pool does not have any legally binding guarantees of share values.

The Pool does not impose liquidity fees or redemption gates on participant withdrawals. It is the policy of the Pool to permit participants to withdraw their investments on a daily basis; therefore, the District's investment balance in the Pool is equal to fair value. Fair value is measured using quoted prices in active markets for identical assets that the pool can access at the measurement date (Level 1 Inputs). Observable markets include exchange markets, dealer markets, brokered markets and principal-to-principal markets.

The Office of the State Treasurer prepares a stand-alone LGIP financial report. A copy of the report is available from the Office of the State Treasurer, PO Box 40200, Olympia, Washington 98504-0200, online at <http://www.tre.wa.gov>.

### **NOTE 3: SIGNIFICANT CONTINGENT LIABILITIES**

#### **Litigation**

The District has no known legal obligations that would materially impact the financial position of the District.

### **NOTE 4: SIGNIFICANT EFFECTS OF SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

#### **COVID-19 Pandemic**

In February 2020, Governor Inslee declared a state of emergency in response to the spread of a deadly new virus. In the weeks following the declaration, precautionary measures to slow the spread of the virus were ordered. These measures included closing schools, canceling public events, limiting gathering sizes, and requiring people to stay home unless they were leaving for an essential function. On April 6, 2020, the Governor closed all public and private K–12 school buildings throughout the remainder of the 2019–20 school year. The school district, however, continued to operate, educating students using continuous learning models.

Many of the precautionary measures put in place during the 2019–20 school year remain in effect; and are affecting the district for the 2020–21 school year in new ways.

The district is using a distance learning model to begin the 2020-21 school year. All staff are on site applying both synchronous and asynchronous instruction. Small groups of students who need additional support are also on site. Campus activity is currently limited. The district experienced a decrease in enrollment of approximately 2%. This decrease has been mitigated through careful examination of all staff vacancies to determine if they must be filled immediately. Most external professional development has been placed on hold.

Due to the closure of facilities and event restrictions, the ASB fund revenues will likely decrease in 2020-2021.

The length of time these measures will be in place, and the full extent of the financial impact on the school district, is unknown at this time.

## **NOTE 5: PENSION PLANS**

### **General Information**

The Washington State Department of Retirement Systems (DRS), a department within the primary government of the state of Washington, prepares a stand-alone comprehensive annual financial report (CAFR) that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for each pension plan. The pension plan's basic financial statement is accounted for using the accrual basis of accounting. The measurement date of the pension plans is June 30. 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.

The school district is reporting the net pension liability in the notes and on the Schedule of Long-term Liabilities calculated as the district's proportionate allocation percentage multiplied by the total plan collective net pension liability. The DRS total collective net pension liabilities for the pension plans school districts participate in are shown here.

### **The Collective Net Pension Liability**

The collective net pension liabilities for the pension plans districts participated in are reported in the following tables.

The Collective Net Pension Liability as of June 30, 2020				
	Total Pension Liability	Plan fiduciary net position	Participating employers' net pension liability	Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability
PERS 1	\$11,256,796,000	(\$7,726,256,000)	\$3,530,540,000	68.64%
SERS 2/3	\$7,043,384,000	(\$6,511,420,000)	\$531,964,000	92.45%
TRS 1	\$8,179,362,000	(\$5,770,576,000)	\$2,408,786,000	70.55%
TRS 2/3	\$18,559,021,000	(\$17,023,040,000)	\$1,535,981,000	91.72%

Detailed information about the pension plans' fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued DRS CAFR. Copies of the report may be obtained by contacting the Washington State Department of Retirement Systems, P.O. Box 48380, Olympia, WA 98504-8380; or online at [Annual Financial Reports](#) or <http://www.drs.wa.gov/administrations/annual-report>.

## Membership Participation

Substantially all school district full-time and qualifying part-time employees participate in one of the following three contributory, multi-employer, cost-sharing statewide retirement systems managed by DRS: Teachers' Retirement System (TRS), Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) and School Employees' Retirement System (SERS).

Membership participation by retirement plan as of June 30, 2020, was as follows:

Plan	Retirees and Beneficiaries Receiving Benefits	Inactive Plan Members Entitled to but not yet Receiving Benefits	Active Plan Members
PERS 1	44,359	310	1,181
SERS 2	11,112	6,274	28,943
SERS 3	11,200	9,064	36,772
TRS 1	31,777	92	263
TRS 2	6,201	2,808	22,980
TRS 3	15,316	8,279	56,593

## Membership & Plan Benefits

Certificated employees are members of TRS. Classified employees are members of PERS (if Plan 1) or SERS. Plan 1 under the TRS and PERS programs are defined benefit pension plans whose members joined the system on or before September 30, 1977. TRS 1 and PERS 1 are closed to new entrants.

### TRS Plan Information

TRS was established in 1938, and its retirement provisions are contained in RCW Chapters 41.34 and 41.32. TRS is a cost-sharing multi-employer retirement system comprised of three separate plans for membership purposes: Plans 1 and 2 are defined benefit plans and Plan 3 is a defined benefit plan with a defined contribution component. TRS eligibility for membership requires service as a certificated, public school employee working in an instructional, administrative or supervisory capacity.

TRS is comprised of three separate plans for accounting purposes: Plan 1, Plan 2/3, and Plan 3. Plan 1 accounts for the defined benefits of Plan 1 members. Plan 2/3 accounts for the defined benefits of Plan 2 members and the defined benefit portion of benefits for Plan 3 members. Plan 3 accounts for the defined contribution portion of benefits for Plan 3 members. Although members can only be a member of either Plan 2 or Plan 3, the defined

benefit portions of Plan 2 and Plan 3 are accounted for in the same pension trust fund. All assets of this Plan 2/3 defined benefit plan may legally be used to pay the defined benefits of any of the Plan 2 or Plan 3 members or beneficiaries, as defined by the terms of the plan. Therefore, Plan 2/3 is considered to be a single plan for accounting purposes.

TRS Plan 1 provides retirement, disability and death benefits. TRS 1 members were vested after the completion of five years of eligible service. Retirement benefits are determined as two percent of the average final compensation (AFC), for each year of service credit, up to a maximum of 60 percent, divided by twelve. The AFC is the total earnable compensation for the two consecutive highest-paid fiscal years, divided by two. Members are eligible for retirement at any age after 30 years of service, or at the age of 60 with five years of service, or at the age of 55 with 25 years of service. Other benefits include temporary and permanent disability payments, an optional cost-of-living adjustment (COLA), and a one-time duty-related death benefit, if found eligible by the Department of Labor and Industries.

TRS Plan 2/3 provides retirement, disability and death benefits. Retirement benefits are determined as two percent of the average final compensation (AFC) per year of service for Plan 2 members and one percent of AFC for Plan 3 members. The AFC is the monthly average of the 60 consecutive highest-paid service credit months. There is no cap on years of service credit. Members are eligible for normal retirement at the age of 65 with at least five years of service credit. Retirement before age 65 is considered an early retirement. TRS Plan 2/3 members, who have at least 20 years of service credit and are 55 years of age or older, are eligible for early retirement with a reduced benefit.

The benefit is reduced by a factor that varies according to age, for each year before age 65. TRS Plan 2/3 members who have 30 or more years of service credit, were hired prior to May 1, 2013, and are at least 55 years old, can retire under one of two provisions: With a benefit that is reduced by three percent for each year before age 65; or with a benefit that has a smaller (or no) reduction (depending on age) that imposes stricter return-to-work rules. TRS Plan 2/3 members hired on or after May 1, 2013, have the option to retire early by accepting a reduction of five percent for each year of retirement before age 65. This option is available only to those who are age 55 or older and have at least 30 years of service. TRS Plan 2/3 retirement benefits are also actuarially reduced to reflect the choice of a survivor benefit. Other benefits include duty and non-duty disability payments, a cost-of-living allowance (based on the Consumer Price Index), capped at three percent annually and a one-time duty-related death benefit, if found eligible by the Department of Labor and Industries.

#### PERS Plan Information

PERS was established in 1947, and its retirement benefit provisions are contained in RCW Chapters 41.34 and 41.40. PERS is a cost-sharing, multi-employer retirement system. PERS Plan 1 provides retirement, disability and death benefits. PERS 1 members were vested after the completion of five years of eligible service. Retirement benefits are determined as two percent of the member's average final compensation (AFC) times the member's years of service. The AFC is the average of the member's 24 highest consecutive service months. Members are eligible for retirement from active status at any age with at least 30 years of service, at age 55 with at least 25 years of service, or at age 60 with at least five years of service.

Members retiring from inactive status prior to the age of 65 may receive actuarially reduced benefits. PERS Plan 1 retirement benefits are actuarially reduced to reflect the choice of a

survivor benefit. Other benefits include duty and non-duty disability payments, an optional cost-of-living adjustment (COLA), and a one-time duty-related death benefit, if found eligible by the Department of Labor and Industries.

#### SERS Plan Information

SERS was established by the legislature in 1998, and the plan became effective in 2000. SERS retirement benefit provisions are established in RCW Chapters 41.34 and 41.35. SERS is a cost-sharing, multiemployer retirement system comprised of two separate plans for membership purposes. SERS Plan 2 is a defined benefit plan and SERS Plan 3 is a defined benefit plan with a defined contribution component. SERS members include classified employees of school districts and educational service districts.

SERS is reported as two separate plans for accounting purposes: Plan 2/3 and Plan 3. Plan 2/3 accounts for the defined benefits of Plan 2 members and the defined benefit portion of benefits for Plan 3 members. Plan 3 accounts for the defined contribution portion of benefits for Plan 3 members. Although members can only be a member of either Plan 2 or Plan 3, the defined benefit portions of Plan 2 and Plan 3 are accounted for in the same pension trust fund. All assets of this Plan 2/3 defined benefit plan may legally be used to pay the defined benefits of any of the Plan 2 or Plan 3 members or beneficiaries. Therefore, Plan 2/3 is considered to be a single plan for accounting purposes.

SERS provides retirement, disability and death benefits. Retirement benefits are determined as two percent of the member's average final compensation (AFC) times the member's years of service for Plan 2 and one percent of AFC for Plan 3. The AFC is the monthly average of the member's 60 highest-paid consecutive service months before retirement, termination or death. There is no cap on years of service credit. Members are eligible for retirement with a full benefit at 65 with at least five years of service credit. Retirement before age 65 is considered an early retirement. SERS members, who have at least 20 years of service credit and are 55 years of age or older, are eligible for early retirement with a reduced benefit.

The benefit is reduced by a factor that varies according to age, for each year before age 65. SERS members who have 30 or more years of service credit and are at least 55 years old can retire under one of two provisions, if hired prior to May 2, 2013: With a benefit that is reduced by three percent for each year before age 65; or with a benefit that has a smaller (or no) reduction (depending on age) that imposes stricter return-to-work rules. SERS members hired on or after May 1, 2013, have the option to retire early by accepting a reduction of five percent for each year of retirement before age 65. This option is available only to those who are age 55 or older and have at least 30 years of service. SERS retirement benefits are also actuarially reduced to reflect the choice of a survivor benefit. Other benefits include duty and non-duty disability payments, a cost-of-living allowance (based on the Consumer Price Index), capped at three percent annually and a one-time duty-related death benefit, if found eligible by the Department of Labor and Industries.

### **Plan Contributions**

The employer contribution rates for PERS, TRS, and SERS (Plans 1, 2, and 3) and the TRS and SERS Plan 2 employee contribution rates are established by the Pension Funding Council based upon the rates set by the Legislature. The methods used to determine the contribution requirements are established under chapters 41.34 and 41.40 RCW for PERS, 41.34 and 41.35



RCW for SERS, and 41.32 and 41.34 RCW for TRS. Employers do not contribute to the defined contribution portions of TRS Plan 3 or SERS Plan 3. Under current law the employer must contribute 100 percent of the employer-required contribution. The employee contribution rate for Plan 1 in PERS and TRS is set by statute at six percent and does not vary from year to year.

The employer and employee contribution rates for the PERS plan were effective as of July 1, 2019. SERS and TRS contribution rates are effective as of September 1, 2019. All plans will not have a contribution rate change until September 1, 2020. The pension plan contribution rates (expressed as a percentage of covered payroll) for fiscal year 2020 are listed below:

<b>Pension Contribution Rates from September 01, 2019 to August 31, 2020</b>			
	Employer	Employee	
PERS Plan 1	12.86%	6.00%	
TRS Plan 1	15.51%	6.00%	
TRS Plan 2/3	15.51%	7.77%	*/**
SERS Plan 2/3	13.19%	8.25%	*/**
<i>Note: The Employer rates include .0018 DRS administrative expense.</i>			
* – TRS and SERS Plan 3 Employee Contribution Variable from 5% to 15% based on rate selected by the employee member.			
** – TRS and SERS Plan 2/3 Employer Contributions for defined benefit portion only.			

### **The School District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (NPL)**

At June 30, 2020, the school district reported a total liability of **\$15,606,435** for its proportionate shares of the individual plans' collective net pension liability. Proportion of net pension liability is based on annual contributions for each of the employers participating in the DRS administered plans. At June 30, 2020, the district's proportionate share of each plan's net pension liability is reported below:

June 30, 2020	PERS 1	SERS 2/3	TRS 1	TRS 2/3
District's Annual Contributions	\$428,817	\$734,075	\$1,551,595	\$1,740,518
Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$2,088,948	\$1,805,837	\$7,116,912	\$4,594,739

At June 30, 2020, the school district's percentage of the proportionate share of the collective net pension liability was as follows and the change in the allocation percentage from the prior period is illustrated below.

Allocation percentages	PERS 1	SERS 2/3	TRS 1	TRS 2/3
Current year proportionate share of the Net Pension Liability	0.059168%	0.339466%	0.295456%	0.299140%
Prior year proportionate share of the Net Pension Liability	0.059792%	0.346396%	0.307454%	0.310511%
Net difference percentage	-0.000624%	-0.006930%	-0.011998%	-0.011371%

## Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liabilities for TRS 1, TRS 2/3, PERS 1 and SERS 2/3 were determined by actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2019, with the results rolled forward to June 30, 2020, using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all prior periods included in the measurement:

Inflation	2.75% total economic inflation, 3.50% salary inflation
Salary increases	In addition to the base 3.50% salary inflation assumption, salaries are also expected to grow by promotions and longevity.
Investment rate of return	7.40%

### Mortality Rates

Mortality rates used in the plans were developed using the Society of Actuaries' Pub.H-2010 Mortality rates, which vary by member status as the base table. OSA applies age offsets for each system to better tailor the mortality rates to the demographics of each plan. OSA applied the long-term MP-2017 generational improvement scale to project mortality rates for every year after the 2010 base table. The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2019, valuation were based on the results of the *2013–2018 Demographic Experience Study Report and the 2019 Economic Experience Study*. Additional assumptions for subsequent events and law changes are current as of the 2019 actuarial valuation report.

### Long-term Expected Rate of Return

OSA selected a 7.40% long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments using a building-block method. In selecting the assumptions, OSA reviewed the historical experience data, considered the historical conditions that produced past annual investment returns, and considered Capital Market Assumptions (CMAs) and simulated expected investment returns the Washington State Investment Board (WSIB) provided.

The CMAs contain three pieces of information for each class of assets the WSIB currently invest in:

- Expected annual return
- Standard deviation of the annual return
- Correlations between the annual returns of each asset class with every other asset class

WSIB uses the CMAs and their target asset allocation to simulate future investment returns over various time horizons.

The expected future rates of return are developed by the WSIB for each major asset class.

Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in the pension plans' target asset allocation as of June 30, 2020, are summarized in the following table:

TRS 1, TRS 2/3, PERS 1, and SERS 2/3		
Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-term Expected Real Rate of Return
Fixed Income	20.00%	2.20%
Tangible Assets	7.00%	5.10%
Real Estate	18.00%	5.80%
Global Equity	32.00%	6.30%
Private Equity	23.00%	9.30%

The inflation component used to create the above table is 2.20 percent, and represents WSIB's most recent long-term estimate of broad economic inflation.

#### Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.40 percent. To determine the discount rate, an asset sufficiency test was completed to test whether the pension plan's fiduciary net position was sufficient to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Based on the assumptions described in the DRS CAFR Certification Letter, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return, a 7.40 percent on pension plan investments was applied to determine the total pension liability.

## Sensitivity of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following table presents the White River School District's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability (NPL) calculated using the discount rate of 7.40 percent, as well as what the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage-point lower (6.40 percent) or one percentage-point higher (8.40 percent) than the current rate. Amounts are calculated using the school district's specific allocation percentage, by plan, to determine the proportionate share of the collective net pension liability.

	1% Decrease (6.40%)	Current Discount Rate (7.40%)	1% Increase (8.40%)
<b>PERS 1 NPL</b>	\$4,422,202,000	\$3,530,540,000	\$2,752,919,000
Allocation Percentage	0.059168%	0.059168%	0.059168%
Proportionate Share of Collective NPL	\$2,616,526	\$2,088,948	\$1,628,845
<b>SERS 2/3 NPL</b>	\$1,517,879,000	\$531,964,000	(\$283,583,000)
Allocation Percentage	0.339466%	0.339466%	0.339466%
Proportionate Share of Collective NPL	\$5,152,682	\$1,805,837	(\$962,668)
<b>TRS 1 NPL</b>	\$3,051,911,000	\$2,408,786,000	\$1,847,550,000
Allocation Percentage	0.295456%	0.295456%	0.295456%
Proportionate Share of Collective NPL	\$9,017,066	\$7,116,912	\$5,458,704
<b>TRS 2/3 NPL</b>	\$4,526,645,000	\$1,535,981,000	(\$903,643,000)
Allocation Percentage	0.299140%	0.299140%	0.299140%
Proportionate Share of Collective NPL	\$13,541,023	\$4,594,739	(\$2,703,161)

## **NOTE 6: ANNUAL OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFIT COST AND NET OPEB OBLIGATIONS**

The state, through the Health Care Authority (HCA), administers a defined benefit other post-employment benefit (OPEB) plan that is not administered through a qualifying trust. The Public Employees Benefits Board (PEBB), created within the HCA, is authorized to design benefits and determine the terms and conditions of retired employee participation and coverage, including establishment of eligibility criteria. Benefits purchased by PEBB include medical, dental, life insurance and long-term disability insurance.

Employers participating in the PEBB plan include the state of Washington (which includes general government agencies and higher education institutions), political subdivisions and tribal governments. Additionally, the PEBB plan is available to the retirees of K–12 school districts and ESDs. The District's retirees are eligible to participate in the PEBB plan under this arrangement.

### **Eligibility**

District members are eligible for retiree medical benefits after becoming eligible for service retirement pension benefits (either reduced or full pension benefits) under Plan 2 or 3 of TRS or SERS.

Former members who are entitled to a deferred vested pension benefit are not eligible to receive medical and life insurance benefits after pension benefit commencement. Survivors of covered members who die are eligible for medical benefits.

### **Medical Benefits**

Upon retirement, members are permitted to receive medical benefits. Retirees pay the following monthly rates for pre-65 medical coverage for 2020.

<b>Members not eligible for Medicare (or enrolled in Part A only)</b>			
<b>Descriptions</b>	<b>Type of Coverage</b>		
	<b>Employee</b>	<b>Employee &amp; Spouse</b>	<b>Full Family</b>
Kaiser Permanente NW Classic	\$715.66	\$1,426.75	\$1,959.20
Kaiser Permanente NW CDHP	\$608.85	\$1,206.99	\$1,611.85
Kaiser Permanente WA Classic	\$752.15	\$1,499.24	\$2,059.55
Kaiser Permanente WA CDHP	\$610.16	\$1,210.10	\$1,616.32
Kaiser Permanente WA Sound Choice	\$618.49	\$1,231.92	\$1,692.00
Kaiser Permanente WA Value	\$675.71	\$1,346.36	\$1,849.35
UMP Classic	\$679.72	\$1,354.37	\$1,860.37
UMP CDHP	\$608.35	\$1,206.48	\$1,611.34
UMP Plus-Puget Sound High Value Network	\$644.97	\$1,284.88	\$1,764.82
UMP Plus-UW Medicine Accountable Care Network	\$644.97	\$1,284.88	\$1,764.82

Retirees enrolled in Medicare Parts A and B receive an explicit subsidy in the form of reduced premiums on Medicare supplemental plans. Retirees pay the following monthly rates.

Members enrolled in Part A and B of Medicare	Type of Coverage		
	Employee	Employee & Spouse <sup>1</sup>	Full Family <sup>1</sup>
Kaiser Permanente NW Senior Advantage	\$173.01	\$342.75	\$875.70
Kaiser Permanente WA Medicare Plan	\$174.55	\$344.04	N/A
Kaiser Permanente WA Classic	N/A	N/A	\$904.36
Kaiser Permanente WA Sound Choice	N/A	N/A	\$804.11
Kaiser Permanente WA Value	N/A	N/A	\$847.03
UMP Classic	\$320.54	\$636.02	\$1,142.01
Note 1: Employee–Spouse and Full Family with two Medicare eligible subscribers.			

### Funding Policy

The funding policy is based upon pay-as-you go financing.

The School Employee Benefits Board (SEBB) collects benefit premiums from all school district entities for covered employees. The premium includes a fee, established in state law. The purpose of this fee is to cover the impact of the subsidized rate of health care benefits for school retirees who elect to purchase their health care benefits through the state Health Care Authority PEBB plan. For the fiscal year 2019-20, SEBB was required to collect for the HCA \$69.56 per month per eligible employee to support the program. This amount is set forth in the state's operating budget and is subject to change on an annual basis. This amount is not actuarially determined and is not placed in a trust to pay the obligations for post-employment health care benefits.

The District has no control over the benefits offered to retirees, the rates charged to retirees, nor the fee paid to the Health Care Authority. The District does not determine its annual required contribution, nor the net other post-employment benefit obligation associated with this plan. These amounts are not shown on the financial statements.

For further information on the results of the actuarial valuation of the employer provided subsidies associated with the state's PEBB plan, refer to the [Office of the State Actuary](#).

The plan does not issue a separate report; however, additional information is included in the State of Washington Comprehensive Annual Financial Report, which is available on the [OFM](#) website.

## **NOTE 7: COMMITMENTS UNDER LEASES**

The District has the following copier lease:

Lessor	Balance Outstanding, 08/31/2019	Annual Installment	Final Installment Date	Interest Rate	Remaining Balance 08/31/2020
<b>Other Long-Term Commitments</b>					
Pacific Office Automation	\$272,640		12/2024	N/A	
FY2019-2020		\$51,120			\$221,520
FY2020-2021		\$51,120			
FY2021-2022		\$51,120			
FY2022-2023		\$51,120			
FY2023-2024		\$51,120			
FY2024-12/2024		\$17,040			
<i>Total Other Long-Term Commitments</i>					\$221,520

## **NOTE 8: OTHER SIGNIFICANT COMMITMENTS**

The District has active construction projects as of August 31, 2020:

Project	Project Authorization Amount	Expended as of 8/31/20	Additional Local Funds Committed	Additional State Funds Committed
Elk Ridge Modernization	\$29,459,900	\$29,384,716	\$0	\$75,184
Wilkeson Modernization	\$17,590,488	\$17,563,155	\$0	\$27,333
WRHS Stadium & Parking	\$5,071,225	\$5,027,714	\$43,511	\$0
Glacier Modernization/Replacement	\$61,439,330	\$55,032,214	\$0	\$6,407,116
Districtwide Upgrades	\$8,473,840	\$6,550,538	\$1,923,302	\$0
Early Learning Center Renovation	\$2,437,319	\$2,417,069	\$20,250	\$0
Foothills Addition	\$9,241,490	\$869,679	\$4,988,261	\$3,383,550
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$133,713,592</b>	<b>\$116,845,085</b>	<b>\$6,975,324</b>	<b>\$9,893,183</b>

## Encumbrances

Encumbrance accounting is employed in governmental funds. Purchase orders, contracts, and other commitments for the expenditure of moneys are recorded in order to reserve a portion of the applicable appropriation. Encumbrances lapse at the end of the fiscal year and may be re-encumbered the following year. The following encumbrance amounts were re-encumbered by fund on September 1, 2020:

Fund	Amount
General	\$115,353
Capital Projects Fund	\$8,567,681

## **NOTE 9: REQUIRED DISCLOSURES ABOUT CAPITAL ASSETS**

The District's capital assets are insured in the amount of \$163,377,770 for fiscal year 2019-20. In the opinion of the District's insurance consultant, the amount is sufficient to adequately fund replacement of the District's assets.

## **NOTE 10: REQUIRED DISCLOSURES ABOUT LONG-TERM LIABILITIES**

### Long-Term Debt

The following is a summary of changes in long-term debt of the District for the fiscal year ending August 31, 2020:

Governmental Activities	Balance 09/01/2019	Increases	Decreases	Balance 08/31/2020	Due within One Year
General Obligation Bonds	\$82,415,000	\$0	\$3,060,000	\$79,355,000	\$3,325,000
Non-Voted Debt	\$12,400,000	\$0	\$2,725,000	\$9,675,000	\$2,955,000
Total	\$94,815,000	\$0	\$5,785,000	\$89,030,000	\$6,280,000

Long-term debt at August 31, 2020, are comprised of the following individual issues:

Issue Name	Amount Authorized	Annual Installments	Final Maturity	Interest Rate(s)	Amount Outstanding
General Obligation Bonds	\$87,235,000	\$2,190,000 - \$8,610,000	12/01/2033	4% - 5%	\$79,355,000
Total General Obligation Bonds	\$87,235,000				\$79,355,000
Non-Voted Debt	\$12,400,000	\$2,725,000 – 3,485,000	12/01/2022	2.61%	\$9,675,000
Total Non-Voted Debt	\$12,400,000				\$9,675,000



Debt service requirements on long-term debt as of August 31, 2020, are as follows:

Years Ending August 31	Principal	Interest	Total
2021	\$6,280,000	\$3,527,480	\$9,807,480
2022	\$6,830,000	\$3,299,950	\$10,129,950
2023	\$7,415,000	\$3,024,129	\$10,439,129
2024	\$4,290,000	\$2,773,150	\$7,063,150
2025	\$4,665,000	\$2,549,275	\$7,214,275
2026 – 2030	\$28,530,000	\$9,227,125	\$37,757,125
2031 – 2034	\$31,020,000	\$2,596,800	\$33,616,800
Total	\$89,030,000	\$26,997,909	\$116,027,909

At August 31, 2020, the District had \$3,232,995 available in the Debt Service Fund to service the general obligation bonds.

## **NOTE 11: INTERFUND BALANCES AND TRANSFERS**

The following table depicts interfund transfer activity:

Transferred From (Fund) 535 or 536	Transferred To (Fund) 965 9901	Amount	Description
General Fund	Debt Service Fund	\$179,550	LGO Interest
Capital Projects FUnd	Debt Service Fund	\$2,904,550	LGO Principal & Interest

## **NOTE 12: ENTITY RISK MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES**

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

The district is a member of the Washington Schools Risk Management Pool (WSRMP). Chapter 48.62 RCW authorizes the governing body of any one or more governmental entities to form together into or join a pool or organization for the joint purchasing of insurance, and/or joint self-insuring, and/or joint hiring or contracting for risk management services to the same extent that they may individually purchase insurance, self-insure, or hire or contract for risk management services. An agreement to form a pooling arrangement was made pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 39.34 RCW, the Interlocal Cooperation Act. WSRMP was formed in 1986 when educational service districts and school districts in the state of Washington joined by signing the Cooperative Risk Management Pool Account Agreement (Account Agreement) to pool their self-insured losses and jointly purchase insurance and administrative services. Over 90 school and educational service districts have joined WSRMP.

WSRMP allows members to jointly purchase insurance coverage, establish a plan of self-insurance, and provide related services, such as risk management. WSRMP provides the following coverages for its members: property, liability, vehicle, school board liability, crime, employment practices, errors and omissions, equipment breakdown, cyber security, terrorism, and stop gap liability.

Members make an annual contribution to fund WSRMP. WSRMP purchases reinsurance and excess insurance from unrelated carriers subject to a per-occurrence self-insured retention of \$1 million risk shared by WSRMP. Reinsurance or Excess carriers cover losses over \$1 million to the maximum limits of each policy. Members are responsible for varied deductibles for auto and property claims. Since WSRMP is a cooperative program, there is a joint liability among the participating members.

Members contract to remain in WSRMP for a minimum of three years and must give notice three years before terminating participation. The Account Agreement is renewed automatically each year after the initial three-year period. Even after termination, a member is still responsible for their share of contributions to WSRMP for any unresolved, unreported, and in-process claims for the period in which they were a signatory to the Account Agreement.

WSRMP is fully funded by its member participants and is governed by a board of directors that consists of one designated representative from each participating member. An executive board is elected at the annual meeting and is responsible for overseeing the business affairs of WSRMP.

### **NOTE 13: PROPERTY TAXES**

Property tax revenues are collected as the result of special levies passed by the voters in the District. Taxes are levied on January 1. The taxpayer has the obligation of paying all taxes on April 30 or one-half then and one-half on October 31. Typically, slightly more than half of the collections are made on the April 30 date. The tax collections occurring after the end of the fiscal period are unavailable for revenue accrual. Therefore, the fall portion of property taxes is not accrued as revenue. Instead, the property taxes due after the end of the fiscal period are recorded as a deferred inflow of resources.

### **NOTE 14: JOINT VENTURES AND JOINTLY GOVERNED ORGANIZATIONS**

The District is a member of the King County Director's Association (KCDA). KCDA is a purchasing cooperative designed to pool the member districts' purchasing power. The board authorized joining the association by passing Resolution 74-10 dated April 22, 1974, and has remained in the joint venture ever since. The District's current equity of \$45,796 is the accumulation of the annual assignment of KCDA's operating surplus based upon the percentage derived from KCDA's total sales to the District compared to all other districts applied against paid administrative fees. The District may withdraw from the joint venture and will receive its equity in ten annual allocations of merchandise or 15 annual payments.)

## **NOTE 15: FUND BALANCE CLASSIFICATION DETAILS**

The District's financial statements include the following amounts presented in the aggregate.

	General Fund	ASB Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Debt Service Fund	Transportation Vehicle Fund
Nonspendable Fund Balance					
Inventory and Prepaid Items	\$71,244				
Restricted Fund Balance					
For Debt Service				\$3,232,995	
For Fund Purpose		\$136,710			\$228,007
For Carryover of Restricted Revenues	\$349,875				
Restricted from Bond Proceeds			\$8,923,012		
Committed from Levy Proceeds			\$2,364,107		
Restricted from State Proceeds			\$2,885,557		
Restricted from Impact Fee Proceeds			\$782,631		
Restricted from Other Proceeds			\$632,076		
Committed Fund Balance					
For Economic Stabilization					
Other Commitments					
Assigned Fund Balance					
Contingencies					
Other Capital Projects	\$500,000				
Other Purposes	\$3,266,779				
Fund Purposes					
Unassigned to Minimum Fund Balance Policy	\$4,197,052				
Unassigned Fund Balance	\$4,234,522				

The board of directors has established a minimum fund balance policy for the general fund to provide for financial stability and contingencies within the District. The policy is that the District shall maintain a fund balance equal to 7% of the District's budgeted General Fund expenditures. Portions of fund balance that are set aside for the purpose of meeting this policy are recorded on the financial statements as a part of Unassigned fund balance.

## **NOTE 16: DEFINED CONTRIBUTION PENSION**

### **457 Plan – Deferred Compensation Plan**

District employees have the option of participating in a deferred compensation plan as defined in §457 of the Internal Revenue Code that is administered by the state deferred compensation plan, or the District. The District does not make employer contributions to the plan.

### **403(b) Plan – Tax Sheltered Annuity (TSA)**

The District offers a tax deferred annuity plan for its employees. The plan permits participants to defer a portion of their salary until future years under elective deferrals (employee contribution).

The District complies with IRS regulations that require school districts to have a written plan to include participating investment companies, types of investments, loans, transfers, and various requirements. The plan is administered by a third party administrator. The plan assets are assets of the District employees, not the school district, and are therefore not reflected on these financial statements. For the year ended August 31, 2020, the District made \$103,694 in discretionary employer contributions to the plan.

## **NOTE 17: TERMINATION BENEFITS**

### **Compensated Absences**

Employees earn sick leave at a rate of 12 days per year up to a maximum of one contract year.

Under the provisions of RCW 28A.400.210, sick leave accumulated by District employees is reimbursed at death or retirement at the rate of one day for each four days of accrued leave, limited to 180 accrued days. This chapter also provides for an annual buyout of an amount up to the maximum annual accumulation of 12 days. For buyout purposes, employees may accumulate such leave to a maximum of 192 days, including the annual accumulation, as of December 31 of each year.

These expenditures are recorded when paid, except termination sick leave that is accrued upon death, retirement, or upon termination provided the employee is at least 55 years of age and has sufficient years of service. Vested sick leave was computed using the termination payment method.

White River School District No. 416  
Schedule of Long-Term Liabilities  
For the Year Ended August 31, 2020

Description	Beginning Outstanding Debt September 1, 2019	Amount Issued / Increased	Amount Redeemed / Decreased	Ending Outstanding Debt August 31, 2020	Amount Due Within One Year
<b>Voted Debt</b>					
Voted Bonds	82,415,000.00	0.00	3,060,000.00	79,355,000.00	3,325,000.00
LOCAL Program Proceeds Issued in Lieu of Bonds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Non-Voted Debt and Liabilities</b>					
Non-Voted Bonds	12,400,000.00	0.00	2,725,000.00	9,675,000.00	2,955,000.00
LOCAL Program Proceeds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Capital Leases	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Contracts Payable	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Non-Cancellable Operating Leases	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Claims & Judgements	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Compensated Absences	340,915.96	63,714.00	0.00	404,629.96	90,820.00
Long-Term Notes	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Anticipation Notes Payable	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lines of Credit	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other Non-Voted Debt	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Other Liabilities</b>					
<b>Non-Voted Notes Not Recorded as Debt</b>	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Net Pension Liabilities:					
Net Pension Liabilities TRS 1	7,611,957.00	0.00	495,045.00	7,116,912.00	
Net Pension Liabilities TRS 2/3	1,870,937.00	2,723,803.00	0.00	4,594,740.00	
Net Pension Liabilities SERS 2/3	812,291.00	993,546.00	0.00	1,805,837.00	
Net Pension Liabilities PERS 1	2,299,215.00	0.00	210,267.00	2,088,948.00	
<b>Total Long-Term Liabilities</b>	<b>107,750,315.96</b>	<b>3,781,063.00</b>	<b>6,490,312.00</b>	<b>105,041,066.96</b>	<b>6,370,820.00</b>

**White River School District No. 416**  
**Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards**  
**For the Year Ended August 31, 2020**

Federal Agency (Pass-Through Agency)	Federal Program	CFDA Number	Other Award Number	Expenditures			Passed through to Subrecipients	Note
				From Pass- Through Awards	From Direct Awards	Total		
Child Nutrition Cluster								
FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICE, AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF (via WA State Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction)	School Breakfast Program	10.553	207WAWA3N10 99	85,838	-	85,838	-	
	National School Lunch Program	10.555	207WAWA3N10 99	291,840	-	291,840	-	
	National School Lunch Program	10.555	Commodities 207WAWA3N10 99	49,385	-	49,385	-	5
Total CFDA 10.555:				341,225	-	341,225	-	
FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICE, AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF (via WA State Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction)	COVID 19 - Summer Food Service Program for Children	10.559	NA (8901)	608,600	-	608,600	-	
	Total Child Nutrition Cluster:			1,035,663	-	1,035,663	-	
	Forest Service Schools and Roads Cluster							
FOREST SERVICE, AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF (via WA State Treasurer)	Schools and Roads - Grants to States	10.665	Federal Forests (0100-55)	2,458	-	2,458	-	
	Total Forest Service Schools and Roads Cluster:			2,458	-	2,458	-	
DEPARTMENTAL OFFICES, TREASURY, DEPARTMENT OF THE (via Pierce County)	COVID 19 - Coronavirus Relief Fund	21.019	NA (0718)	82,534	-	82,534	-	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this schedule.

**White River School District No. 416**  
**Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards**  
**For the Year Ended August 31, 2020**

Federal Agency (Pass-Through Agency)	Expenditures						Passed through to Subrecipients	Note
	Federal Program	CFDA Number	Other Award Number	From Pass- Through Awards	From Direct Awards	Total		
OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF (via WA State Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction)	Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	84.010	203273 (5100)	409,737	-	409,737	-	3, 6
<b>Special Education Cluster (IDEA)</b>								
OFFICE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES, EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF (via WA State Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction)	Special Education Grants to States	84.027	306639 (2400)	791,224	-	791,224	-	3, 4
OFFICE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES, EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF (via WA State Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction)	Special Education Grants to States	84.027	338297 (2426)	2,642	-	2,642	-	
<b>Total CFDA 84.027:</b>				<b>793,866</b>	-	<b>793,866</b>	-	
OFFICE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES, EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF (via WA State Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction)	Special Education Preschool Grants	84.173	366139 (2428)	21,498	-	21,498	-	3, 4
<b>Total Special Education Cluster (IDEA):</b>				<b>815,364</b>	-	<b>815,364</b>	-	
OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF	Indian Education Grants to Local Educational Agencies	84.060	S060A192314 (6880)	-	42,764	42,764	-	4

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**White River School District No. 416**  
**Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards**  
**For the Year Ended August 31, 2020**

Federal Agency (Pass-Through Agency)	Federal Program	Expenditures					Passed through to Subrecipients	Note
		CFDA Number	Other Award Number	From Pass- Through Awards	From Direct Awards	Total		
OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF (via WA State Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction)	English Language Acquisition State Grants	84.365	402829 (6416)	157	-	157	-	3
OFFICE OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF (via WA State Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction)	Supporting Effective Instruction State Grants (formerly Improving Teacher Quality State Grants)	84.367	524746 (5200)	51,866	-	51,866	-	3
EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF, EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF (via WA State Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction)	Student Support and Academic Enrichment Program	84.424	430591 (5278)	27,905	-	27,905	-	3
EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF, EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF (via WA State Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction)	COVID 19 - Education Stabilization Fund	84.425D	120103 (0717)	48,823	-	48,823	-	
<b>Total Federal Awards Expended:</b>				<b>2,474,507</b>	<b>42,764</b>	<b>2,517,271</b>	<b>-</b>	

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**White River School  
District #416**

**Notes to the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards  
For the Year Ended August 31, 2020**

Note 1 – BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

This Schedule is prepared on the same basis of accounting as the White River School District's financial statements. The district uses the modified accrual basis of accounting. Expenditures represent only the federally funded portions of the program. District records should be consulted to determine amounts expended or matched from non-federal sources.

Note 2 – FEDERAL DE MINIMIS INDIRECT RATE

The district has not elected to use the 10-percent de minimis indirect cost rate allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

Note 3 – FEDERAL INDIRECT RATE

The district used the federal restricted rate of 4.78%.

Note 4 – PROGRAM COSTS

The amounts shown as current year expenditures represent only the federal grant portion of the program costs. Entire program costs, including the district's portion, may be more than shown. Such expenditures are recognized following, as applicable, either the cost principles in the OMB Circular A-87, Cost Principles for State, Local, and Indian Tribal Governments, or the cost principles contained in Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement.

Note 5 – NONCASH AWARDS

The amount of commodities reported on the Schedule is the value of commodities received by the district during current year and priced as prescribed by OSPI.

Note 6 – SCHOOLWIDE PROGRAMS

The district operates a "schoolwide program" in one middle school. Using federal funding, schoolwide programs are designed to upgrade an entire educational program within a school for all students, rather than limit services to certain targeted students. The following federal program amounts were expended by the White River School District in its schoolwide program: Title I (84.010) \$296,782.



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## CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN FOR FINDINGS REPORTED UNDER UNIFORM GUIDANCE

**White River School District No. 416**  
**September 1, 2019 through August 31, 2020**

This schedule presents the corrective action planned by the District for findings reported in this report in accordance with Title 2 *U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance).

<b>Finding ref number:</b> 2020-001	<b>Finding caption:</b> The District's internal controls were not adequate to ensure compliance with the federal Child Nutrition grant requirements for paid lunch equity.
<b>Name, address, and telephone of District contact person:</b> Donna Morey, Finance Director P.O. Box 2050 Buckley, WA 98321 (360) 829-3393	
<b>Corrective action the auditee plans to take in response to the finding:</b> <i>The District's Food Service bookkeeper and the Food Service Management Company's (Sodexo) on site manager have been provided with the resource tools from OSPI for future reference to complete the PLE tool. The "Tools and Rules to Manage CN Program Finance" and the "School Meal Program Calendar" will be used as reference to make sure the (PLE) Paid Lunch Equity Tool and all other requirements are completed in a timely manner in the future. The PLE tool will be completed by March of each year to allow the district ample time to evaluate any potential pricing changes for the coming school year.</i>	
<b>Anticipated date to complete the corrective action:</b> Since the SFSP program is in effect for the 20/21 and 21/22 school year, there will be no sales data to complete the PLE tool for those years. The tool will be completed at the time the District begins charging students for meals again under the regular Child Nutrition program.	

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