

**DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL
DISTRICT NO. 61-8**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AND
INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

JUNE 30, 2021

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JUNE 30, 2021

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

School Board
Dakota Valley School District No. 61-8
Union County, South Dakota

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund and aggregate remaining fund information of Dakota Valley School District No. 61-8, Union County, South Dakota, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the School District's basic financial statements as listed in the Table of Contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The School District's management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal controls relevant to the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatements, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

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

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the School 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 School District's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

Basis for Qualified Opinions

Management has elected not to record their long-term financial obligations and commitments related to other postemployment benefits (OPEB) in the governmental activities Statement of Net Position. Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require OPEB costs to be recognized and reported in a systematic, accrual-basis measurement over a period that approximates employees' years of service, which would most likely increase long-term liabilities and expenditures and decrease net assets in the governmental activities Statement of Net Position. Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America also require information to be provided about actuarial accrued liabilities associated with OPEB and whether, and to what extent, progress is being made in funding the plan. The amount by which this departure would affect the liabilities, net position and expenditures of the governmental activities is not reasonably determinable.

Qualified Opinions

In our opinion, except for the effects of not recording their long-term financial obligations and commitments related to OPEB as described in the preceding paragraph, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities of Dakota Valley School District No. 61-8 as of June 30, 2021, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable cash flows, thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Unmodified Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to previously present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Dakota Valley School District No. 61-8 as of June 30, 2021, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A), the Budgetary Comparison Schedules, the Schedule of the Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Asset, the Schedule of the School District Contributions, and Schedule of Changes in Total OPEB Liability, as listed in the Table of Contents, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of the financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during the audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Dakota Valley School District's basic financial statements. The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards, which is 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) listed in the Table of Contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the 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 basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated June 15, 2022, on our consideration of the School District's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. 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 Dakota Valley School District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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Elk Point, SD
June 15, 2022

**DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT 61-8
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (MD&A)
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021**

This discussion and analysis of the Dakota Valley School District's financial performance provides an overview of the District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended on June 30, 2021. Please read it in conjunction with the District's financial statements and accompanying notes, which follow this section.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

During the year, the district generated revenue of \$11,298,477 from taxes and \$5,976,367 from other revenue sources of the governmental fund activities. The district had a total expense of \$15,410,864 of the governmental funds activities resulting in a net increase of \$1,863,980. There was a total of \$814,014 revenue generated from business-type funds and \$753,994 in expenses of the business-type funds. There was a net increase of \$55,141 in the food service fund and a net increase of \$4,879 in the driver's education fund.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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

- The first two statements are government-wide financial statements that provide both long-term and short-term information about the District's overall financial status.
- The remaining statements are fund financial statements that focus on individual parts of the school government, reporting the school's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements.
 - The governmental fund statements tell how general government services were financed in the short-term as well as what remains for future spending.
 - Proprietary fund statements offer short and long-term financial information about the activities that the District operates like businesses. The only proprietary fund operated by the District is the Food Service Operation.
 - Fiduciary fund statements provide information about financial relationships, in which the school acts solely as a trustee or agent for the benefit of others. These funds are not available to finance operations.

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

Figure A-1

Required Components of the Dakota Valley School District's Annual Financial Report:

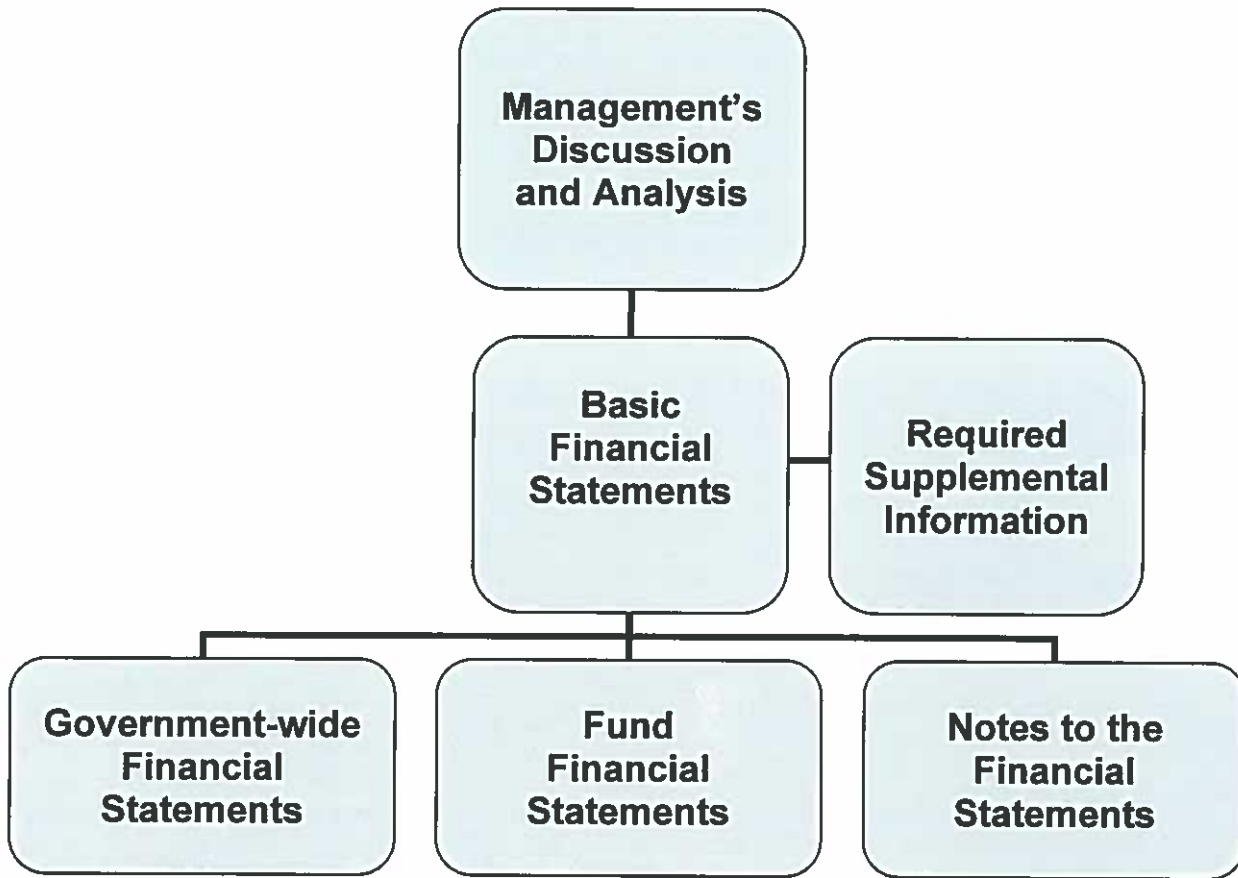


Figure A-2 summarizes the major features of the District's financial statements, including the portion of the school government covered and the types of information contained. The remainder of the overview section of the management's discussion and analysis explains the structure and contents of each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

Figure A-2
Major Features of Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

	Government-wide Statements	Fund Statements		
		Governmental Funds	Proprietary Funds	Fiduciary Funds
Scope	Entire district (except fiduciary funds)	The activities of the School that are not proprietary or fiduciary, such as elementary and high school education programs	Activities the School operates similar to private businesses, the food service operation.	Instances in which the School is the trustee or agent for someone else's resources.
Required Financial Statements	*Statement of Net Position *Statement of Activities	*Balance Sheet *Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances	*Statement of Net Position *Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position *Statement of Cash Flow	*Statement of Net Position *Statement of Changes in Net Position
Accounting Basis and Measurement Focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Modified accrual accounting and current financial resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus
Type of Asset/Liability Information	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, and short-term and long-term	Only assets expected to be used up and liabilities that come due during the year or soon thereafter; no capital assets included	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, and short-term and long-term	All assets and liabilities, both short-term and long-term; the School's funds do not currently contain capital assets although they can
Type of Inflow/Outflow Information	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	Revenues for which cash is received during or soon after the end of the year; expenditures when goods or services have been received and payment is due during the year or soon thereafter	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	All revenues and expense during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid

Government-wide Statements

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

The two government-wide statements report the District's net position and how they have changed. Net position – the difference between the school's assets and liabilities – is one way to measure the District's financial health or position.

- Increases or decreases in the District's net position are an indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating, respectively.
- To assess the overall health of the District, you need to consider additional nonfinancial factors such as changes in the District's property tax base and changes in the state school aid funding formula from the State of South Dakota.

The government-wide financial statements of the District are reported in two categories:

- **Governmental Activities** - This category includes the District's basic instructional services, such as elementary, middle and high school educational programs, support services (guidance counselors, executive administration, board of education, fiscal services, facilities management, etc.), debt service payments, extra-curricular activities (athletics, fine arts, etc.), and capital equipment purchases. Property taxes, state grants, federal grants and investment earnings finance most of these activities.
- **Business-Type Activities** - Students may purchase breakfast and/or lunch from the school based on a pricing schedule set by the board. The Food Service Fund is the only business-type activity of the District.

Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the District's most significant funds. Funds are accounting devices that the school uses to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending for particular purposes.

- State Law requires some of the funds.
- The School Board establishes other funds to control and manage money for particular purposes.

The District has three kinds of funds:

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

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT AS A WHOLE

Statement of Net Position

The District's combined net position changed as follows:

Table A-1
DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT
Statement of Net Position

	Primary Government						
	Governmental Activities		Business-Type Activities		Total		% Change
	FY2020	FY2021	FY2020	FY2021	FY2020	FY2021	% Change
Current and Other Assets	\$ 11,856,735.18	\$ 13,559,629.97	\$ 442,620.38	\$ 460,176.03	\$ 12,299,355.56	\$ 14,019,806.00	13.99%
Capital Assets	40,820,724.25	40,110,450.52	100,168.83	103,498.80	40,920,893.08	40,213,949.32	-1.73%
Total Assets	52,677,459.43	53,670,080.49	542,789.21	563,674.83	53,220,248.64	54,233,755.32	1.90%
Pension Related Deferred Outflow s	1,769,260.88	2,277,481.48			1,769,260.88	2,277,481.48	28.73%
Total Deferred Outflows of Resourc	1,769,260.88	2,277,481.48			1,769,260.88	2,277,481.48	
Long-Term Debt Outstanding	29,343,792.05	28,014,990.20			29,343,792.05	28,014,990.20	-4.53%
Other Liabilities	1,304,738.04	1,299,221.10	91,253.79	52,119.23	1,395,991.83	1,351,340.33	-3.20%
Total Liabilities	30,648,530.09	29,314,211.30	91,253.79	52,119.23	30,739,783.88	29,366,330.53	-4.47%
Pension Related Deferred Inflow s	724,518.12	1,860,754.86			724,518.12	1,860,754.86	156.83%
Taxes Levied for a Future Period	5,159,934.25	4,994,456.16			5,159,934.25	4,994,456.16	-3.21%
Total Deferred Inflows of Resource	5,884,452.37	6,855,211.02			5,884,452.37	6,855,211.02	16.50%
Net Position:							
Net Investment in Capital Assets	11,863,517.35	12,310,015.38	100,168.83	103,498.80	11,963,686.18	12,413,514.18	3.76%
Restricted	4,130,800.56	4,514,173.63			4,130,800.56	4,514,173.63	9.28%
Unrestricted	1,919,419.94	2,953,950.64	351,366.59	408,056.80	2,270,786.53	3,362,007.44	48.05%
Beginning Net Position	18,058,814.54	17,913,737.85	391,590.39	451,535.42	18,450,404.93	18,365,273.27	
Ending Net Position	\$ 17,913,737.85	\$ 19,778,139.65	\$ 451,535.42	\$ 511,555.60	\$ 18,365,273.27	\$ 20,289,695.25	

The Statement of Net Position reports all financial and capital resources. The statement presents the assets and liabilities in order of relative liquidity. The liabilities with average maturities greater than one year are reported in two components – the amount due within one year and the amount due in more than one year. The long-term liabilities of the District may consist of general obligation bonds, compensated absences payable, early retirement benefits payable, other postemployment benefits payable and/or financing leases. The difference between the District's assets and liabilities are its net position.

Changes in Net Position

This section will show the financial comparison of revenues and expenses from last year to this year for both governmental activities and business-type activities.

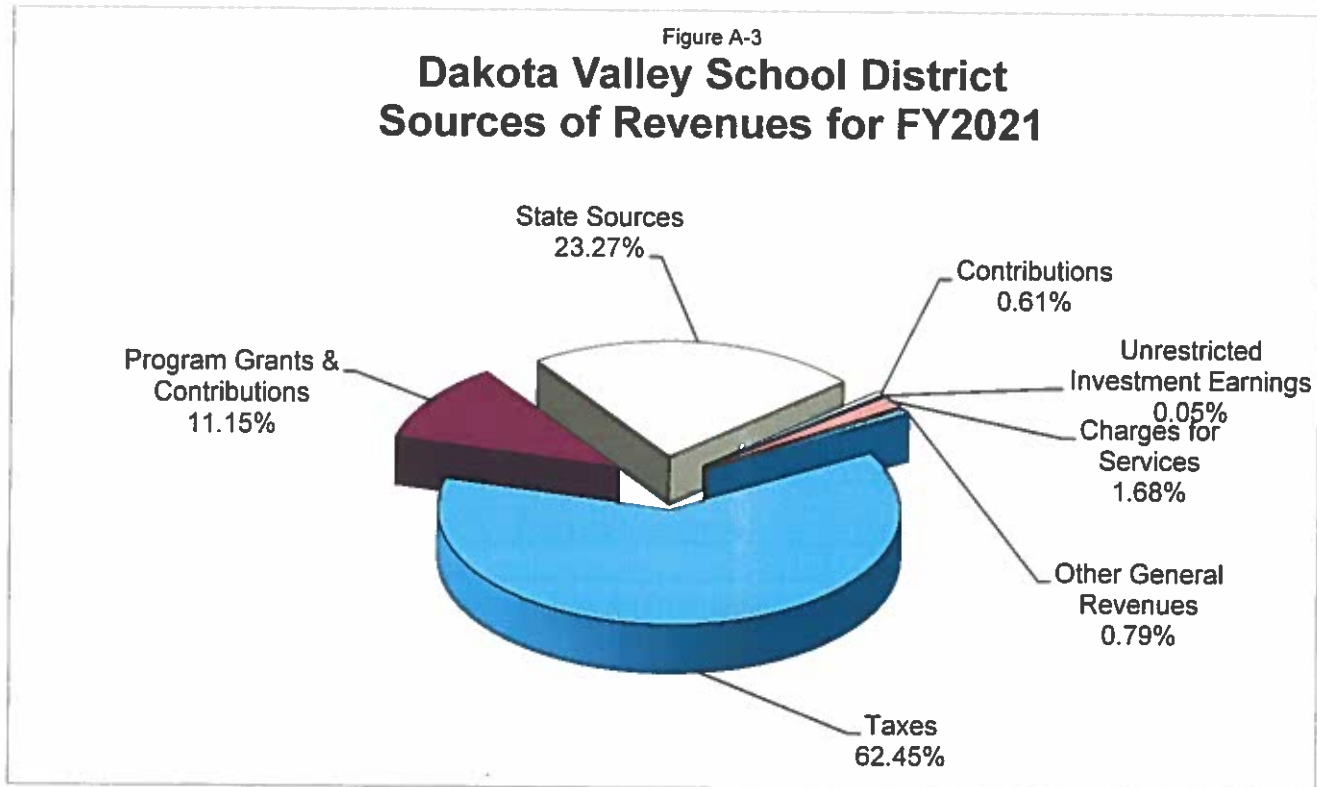
GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES

Table A-2 and the narrative that follows consider the operations of the government-wide activities.

TABLE A-2
DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT 61-8
Changes in Net Position

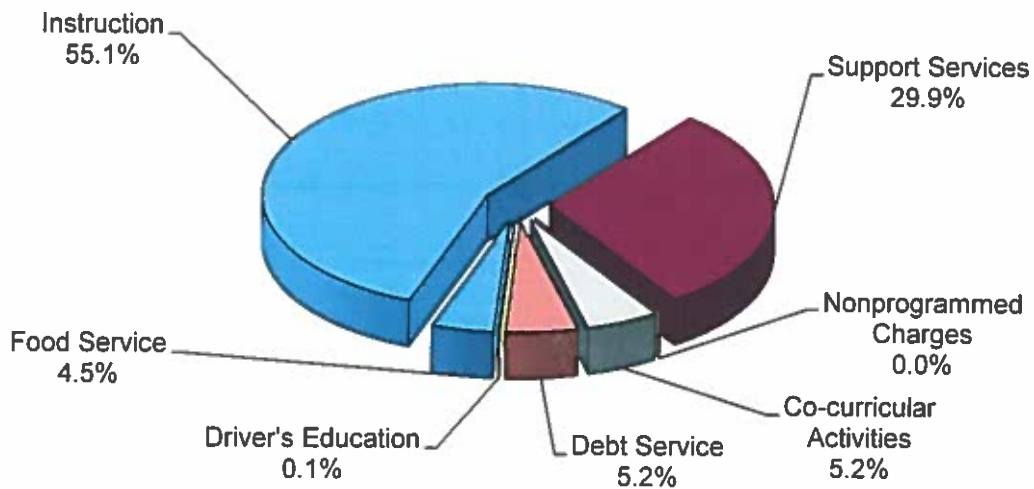
	Total Governmental Activities		Total Business-Type Activities		Total	
	<u>FY2020</u>	<u>FY2021</u>	<u>FY2020</u>	<u>FY2021</u>	<u>FY2020</u>	<u>FY2021</u>
Revenues						
Program Revenues						
Charges for Services	\$ 83,255.58	\$ 73,957.59	\$ 474,372.62	\$ 229,527.04	\$ 557,628.20	\$ 303,484.63
Operating Grants and Contributions	443,859.08	1,432,020.09	255,213.87	584,000.68	699,072.95	2,016,020.77
General Revenues						
Taxes	9,817,737.94	11,298,477.14			9,817,737.94	11,298,477.14
Revenue State Sources	4,049,514.15	4,208,454.38			4,049,514.15	4,208,454.38
Contributions	105,964.96	110,068.71			105,964.96	110,068.71
Other General Revenue	174,791.24	142,680.99			174,791.24	142,680.99
Unrestricted Investment Earnings	9,436.30	9,185.35	396.01	486.17	9,832.31	9,671.52
Total Revenues	14,684,559.25	17,274,844.25	729,982.50	814,013.89	15,414,541.75	18,088,858.14
Expenses						
Instruction	8,732,738.09	8,902,204.74			8,732,738.09	8,902,204.74
Support Services	3,896,721.31	4,825,616.37			3,896,721.31	4,825,616.37
Debt Services	1,404,094.32	834,956.80			1,404,094.32	834,956.80
Cocurricular Activities	796,082.22	848,086.52			796,082.22	848,086.52
Driver's Education			22,988.52	19,320.51	22,988.52	19,320.51
Food Service			647,048.95	734,673.20	647,048.95	734,673.20
Total Expenses	14,829,635.94	15,410,864.43	670,037.47	753,993.71	15,499,673.41	16,164,858.14
Increase (Decrease) in Net Position	\$ (145,076.69)	\$ 1,863,979.82	\$ 59,945.03	\$ 60,020.18	\$ (85,131.66)	\$ 1,924,000.00
Prior Period Adjustment	-	421.98			-	421.98
NET POSITION - ENDING	\$ 17,913,737.85	\$ 19,778,139.65	\$ 451,535.42	\$ 511,555.60	\$ 18,365,273.27	\$ 20,289,695.25

The District's FY2021 revenues totaled \$18,088,858, an increase of \$2,674,316. (See Table A-2) A significant portion of the revenue from governmental activities was derived from property and other taxes (See Figure A-3). The District received donations and contributions totaling \$110,069. The remaining revenue is comprised of state sources (i.e. state aid and school and public lands allocation), intermediate sources (i.e. county apportionment and revenue for joint facilities), local sources (i.e. admissions for pupil activities and facility usage fees), charges for services (i.e. food service operations, tuition and internal sales), operating grants and contributions (i.e. Federal Grant programs) and earnings from investments.



The District's expenses for FY2021 totaled \$16,164,858 as compared to \$15,499,673 in FY2020, an increase of \$665,185 (See Table A-2) and covered a range of services including: instruction, support services, debt service, co-curricular activities and food service (See Figure A-4).

Figure A-4
**Dakota Valley School District
Functional Expenses for FY2021**



BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES

- The district contracts food service with Lunchtime Solutions. The school district also has a driver's education fund.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE SCHOOL'S FUNDS

The general fund had an increase of \$1,034,379 in its fund balance for fiscal year 2021. The ending fund balance for the General Fund was \$3,030,465. The district requested 100% of the available \$600,000 Opt Out that was adopted in 2001 for taxes payable in 2002 and beyond. The district is under no obligation to request all or any of the additional tax request, however, because these funds have been budgeted for recurring expenses (i.e. salaries and programs), the district will continue utilizing this additional tax levy into the foreseeable future. The Capital Outlay Fund increased by \$294,105 and had an ending fund balance of \$1,732,481. The Special Education fund had an increase of \$217,085, ending with a fund balance of \$539,670.

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

Over the course of the year, the School Board did not revise the District's budget.

CAPITAL ASSET ADMINISTRATION

By the end of 2021, the District had invested \$58,424,449 (before depreciation) in a broad range of capital assets, including land, buildings, improvements, and equipment. (See Table A-3.) This amount represents a net increase (including additions and deductions) of \$880,435 from the previous year.

Table A-3
DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT 61-8 - Capital Assets

	Governmental Activities		Business-Type		Totals	
	FY2020	FY2021	FY2020	FY2021	FY2020	FY2021
Land	\$ 625,964	\$ 625,964	\$	\$	\$ 625,964	\$ 625,964
Construction Work in Progress		60,881				60,881
Buildings	50,877,906	50,999,894			50,877,906	50,999,894
Improvements other than Building	3,557,664	3,557,664			3,557,664	3,557,664
Machinery and Equipment	1,831,565	2,519,812	377,889	395,211	2,209,454	2,915,023
Library Books	273,026	265,023			273,026	265,023
Total Capital Assets	\$ 57,166,125	\$ 58,029,238	\$ 377,889	\$ 395,211	\$ 57,544,014	\$ 58,424,449
Accumulated Depreciation	(16,345,400)	(17,918,788)	(277,721)	(291,712)	(16,623,121)	(18,210,500)
Ending Book Value	\$ 40,820,725	\$ 40,110,450	\$ 100,168	\$ 103,499	\$ 40,920,893	\$ 40,213,949

LONG-TERM DEBT

As of fiscal year-end, the district has \$27,800,435 in general obligation bonds outstanding. Accrued absence salaries increased by \$7,388.44 during the year. This policy is described in more detail below. Overall, the District's outstanding debt decreased by \$1,328,803 from FY2020 as compared to FY2021 per Table A-4 below

Table A-4
DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT 61-8
Outstanding Debt and Obligations

	Governmental Activities		Total
	<u>FY2020</u>	<u>FY2021</u>	<u>% Change</u>
General Obligation Bonds	\$ 28,602,207.90	\$ 27,800,435.14	-2.80%
Capital Outlay Certificates	355,000.00		-100.00%
Capital Acquisition Leases	281,182.34	101,763.81	-63.81%
Compensated Absences	<u>105,402.81</u>	<u>112,791.25</u>	<u>7.01%</u>
Total Long-Term Liabilities	<u>\$ 29,343,793.05</u>	<u>\$ 28,014,990.20</u>	-4.53%
Net Increase (Decrease)			-4.53%

The District has a certain amount of compensated absence liability at the end of each fiscal year. Teachers and administrators may sell unused sick leave to the District according to established policies. In addition, the superintendent may be compensated for unused vacation leave according to his negotiated contract.

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGETS AND RATES

The State of South Dakota establishes funding for schools by apportioning funds from their General Fund Budget in the form of aid to education. This funding is now calculated based on the number of teachers needed and a target teacher salary.

Given the amount of construction of new homes and apartments in the District and economic expansion in the area, enrollment decreased in FY2021 to 1,376 students, which will result in a slightly lower funding basis for subsequent fiscal planning.

The District's enrollment decreased by from 1,382 in FY20 to 1,376 in FY21.

CONTACTING THE SCHOOL'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances, and to demonstrate the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional information, contact the Dakota Valley Business Office, 1150 Northshore Drive, North Sioux City, SD 57049 or call (605) 422-3800 between 8:00 am and 4:00 pm, Monday – Friday.

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
JUNE 30, 2021

	Primary Government		
	Governmental	Business-Type	
	Activities	Activities	Total
ASSETS:			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 7,501,509.61	\$ 443,175.37	\$ 7,944,684.98
Investments-Certificate of Deposit	431,679.71		431,679.71
Taxes Receivable	5,062,009.54		5,062,009.54
Accounts Receivable	421.98	5,115.62	5,537.60
Due from Other Governments	549,817.75	10,726.67	560,544.42
Inventory		1,158.37	1,158.37
Net Pension Asset	14,191.38		14,191.38
Capital Assets:			
Land & Construction in Progress	686,845.35		686,845.35
Other Capital Assets, Net of Depreciation	39,423,605.17	103,498.80	39,527,103.97
TOTAL ASSETS	53,670,080.49	563,674.83	54,233,755.32
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES:			
Pension Related Deferred Outflows	2,277,481.48		2,277,481.48
TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	2,277,481.48		2,277,481.48
LIABILITIES:			
Accounts Payable	102,835.75	9,995.21	112,830.96
Contracts and Benefits Payable	1,135,504.10	6,137.10	1,141,641.20
Construction Payable	60,881.25		60,881.25
Deposits Payable		35,986.92	35,986.92
Noncurrent Liabilities:			
Due Within One Year	1,072,286.54		1,072,286.54
Due in More than One Year	26,942,703.66		26,942,703.66
TOTAL LIABILITIES	29,314,211.30	52,119.23	29,366,330.53
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES:			
Pension Related Deferred Inflows	1,860,754.86		1,860,754.86
Taxes Levied for a Future Period	4,994,456.16		4,994,456.16
TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	6,855,211.02		6,855,211.02
NET POSITION:			
Net Investment in Capital Assets	12,310,015.38	103,498.80	12,413,514.18
Restricted for:			
Capital Outlay	1,520,074.81		1,520,074.81
Special Education	547,242.99		547,242.99
Science Center	431,679.71		431,679.71
SDRS Pension Purposes	430,918.00		430,918.00
Debt Services	1,584,258.12		1,584,258.12
Unrestricted	2,953,950.64	408,056.80	3,362,007.44
TOTAL NET POSITION	\$ 19,778,139.65	\$ 511,555.60	\$ 20,289,695.25

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61-8
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Functions/Programs	Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position			
	Program Revenues		Primary Government	
	Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities
Primary Government:				
Governmental Activities:				
Instruction	\$ 8,902,204.74	\$ 19,538.47	\$ 1,432,020.09	\$ (7,450,646.18)
Support Services	4,825,616.37			(4,825,616.37)
*Interest on Long-term Debt	834,956.80			(834,956.80)
Cocurricular Activities	848,086.52	54,419.12		(793,667.40)
Total Governmental Activities	15,410,864.43	73,957.59	1,432,020.09	(13,904,886.75)
Business-type Activities:				
Food Service	734,673.20	205,327.04	584,000.68	54,654.52
Driver's Education	19,320.51	24,200.00		4,879.49
Total Business-type Activities	753,993.71	229,527.04	584,000.68	59,534.01
Total Primary Government	\$ 16,164,858.14	\$ 303,484.63	\$ 2,016,020.77	(13,845,352.74)

*The District does not have interest expense related to the functions presented above. This amount includes indirect interest expense on general long-term debt.

General Revenues:		
Taxes:		
Property Taxes	11,210,822.39	11,210,822.39
Utility Tax	87,654.75	87,654.75
Revenue from State Sources:		
State Aid	4,208,454.38	4,208,454.38
Unrestricted Investment Earnings	9,185.35	9,671.52
Contributions not Restricted to Specific Programs	110,068.71	110,068.71
Other General Revenues	142,680.99	142,680.99
Total General Revenues	15,768,866.57	15,769,352.74
Change in Net Position	1,863,979.82	1,924,000.00
Net Position-Beginning	17,913,737.85	18,365,273.27
Restatement due to GASB 84 (See Note 15)	421.98	421.98
Adjusted Net Position-Beginning	17,914,159.83	18,365,695.25
NET POSITION - ENDING	\$ 19,778,139.65	\$ 20,289,695.25

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DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61-8
BALANCE SHEET
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2021

	General Fund	Capital Outlay Fund	Special Education Fund	Science Center Fund
ASSETS:				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 3,530,784.35	\$ 1,815,103.87	\$ 581,530.29	\$
Investments-Certificates of Deposit				431,679.71
Taxes Receivable--Current	2,196,763.15	1,240,507.84	677,626.27	
Taxes Receivable--Delinquent	36,276.74	13,566.24	7,543.38	
Accounts Receivable	421.98			
Due from Other Fund	124,208.81			
Due from Other Governments	438,484.75		111,333.00	
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 6,326,939.78</u>	<u>\$ 3,069,177.95</u>	<u>\$ 1,378,032.94</u>	<u>\$ 431,679.71</u>
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCES:				
Liabilities:				
Accounts Payable	\$ 74,682.08	\$ 21,741.43	\$ 6,412.24	\$
Contracts Payable	800,065.96		119,231.01	
Construction Payable		60,881.25		
Due to Other Fund				
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings and Employer Matching Payable	188,686.70		27,520.43	
Total Liabilities	<u>1,063,434.74</u>	<u>82,622.68</u>	<u>153,163.68</u>	
Deferred Inflows of Resources:				
Taxes Levied for a Future Period	2,196,763.15	1,240,507.84	677,626.27	
Unavailable Revenue-Property Taxes	36,276.74	13,566.24	7,543.38	
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	<u>2,233,039.89</u>	<u>1,254,074.08</u>	<u>685,169.65</u>	
Fund Balances:				
Restricted		1,732,481.19	539,699.61	431,679.71
Unassigned	3,030,465.15			
Total Fund Balances	<u>3,030,465.15</u>	<u>1,732,481.19</u>	<u>539,699.61</u>	<u>431,679.71</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 6,326,939.78</u>	<u>\$ 3,069,177.95</u>	<u>\$ 1,378,032.94</u>	<u>\$ 431,679.71</u>

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Debt Service Funds				
High School Debt Service	Elementary School Debt Service	New High School Debt Service	High School Building Capital Project	Total Governmental Funds
\$ 84,048.32	\$ 108,336.39	\$ 1,381,706.39	\$	\$ 7,501,509.61
		879,558.90		431,679.71
	482.58	9,684.44		4,994,456.16
				67,553.38
				421.98
				124,208.81
				549,817.75
<u>\$ 84,048.32</u>	<u>\$ 108,818.97</u>	<u>\$ 2,270,949.73</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 13,669,647.40</u>
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 102,835.75
				919,296.97
				60,881.25
			124,208.81	124,208.81
				216,207.13
			<u>124,208.81</u>	<u>1,423,429.91</u>
		879,558.90		4,994,456.16
	482.58	9,684.44		67,553.38
	482.58	889,243.34		5,062,009.54
84,048.32	108,336.39	1,381,706.39		4,277,951.61
			(124,208.81)	2,906,256.34
<u>84,048.32</u>	<u>108,336.39</u>	<u>1,381,706.39</u>	<u>(124,208.81)</u>	<u>7,184,207.95</u>
<u>\$ 84,048.32</u>	<u>\$ 108,818.97</u>	<u>\$ 2,270,949.73</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 13,669,647.40</u>

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET
TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
JUNE 30, 2021

Total Fund Balances - Governmental Funds	\$ 7,184,207.95
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Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds.

Cost of Capital Assets	\$ 58,029,238.18	
Accumulated Depreciation	(17,918,787.66)	40,110,450.52

Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds. Long-term liabilities at year-end consist of:

General Obligation Bonds Payable	(27,800,435.14)	
Accrued Compensated Absences	(112,791.25)	
Capital Acquisition Lease Payable	(101,763.81)	(28,014,990.20)

Net Pension Asset reported in governmental activities is not an available financial resource and therefore is not reported in the funds.

14,191.38

Pension & OPEB related deferred outflows are components of pension asset and therefore are not reported in the funds.

2,277,481.48

Pension & OPEB related deferred inflows are components of pension liability and therefore are not reported in the funds

(1,860,754.86)

Assets such as taxes receivable (delinquent) are not available to pay for current period expenditures and therefore are deferred in the funds.

67,553.38

Net Position- Governmental Funds	\$ <u>19,778,139.65</u>
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DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	General Fund	Capital Outlay Fund	Special Education Fund
Revenues:			
Revenue from Local Sources:			
Taxes:			
Ad Valorem Taxes	\$ 4,953,995.59	\$ 2,737,502.03	\$ 1,512,966.96
Prior Years' Ad Valorem Taxes	16,178.00	9,285.33	5,251.73
Utility Taxes	87,654.75		
Earnings on Investments and Deposits	5,971.48		
Tuition and Fees:			
Tuition from Pupils and Students	630.00		
Cocurricular Activities:			
Admissions	45,297.22		
Other Pupil Activity Income	9,121.90		
Other Revenue from Local Sources:			
Contributions and Donations	7,262.79		
Charges for Services	7,216.77		11,691.70
Other	102,805.92		
Revenue from Intermediate Sources:			
County Sources:			
County Apportionment	142,680.99		
Revenue from State Sources:			
Grants-in-Aid:			
Unrestricted Grants-in-Aid	4,208,454.38		
Restricted Grants-in-Aid	15,214.25		
Revenue from Federal Sources:			
Grants-in-Aid:			
Unrestricted Grants-in-Aid Received from Federal Government Through the State	688,000.00		
Restricted Grants-in-Aid Received from Federal Government Through the State	447,487.16		281,318.68
Total Revenue	<u>10,737,971.20</u>	<u>2,746,787.36</u>	<u>1,811,229.07</u>

Science Center Fund	Debt Service Funds			High School Building Capital Project	Total Governmental Funds
	High School Debt Service	Elementary School Debt Service	New High School Debt Service		
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
	4,249.32	1,158.28	1,969,235.31		11,173,699.89
			2,202.94		38,325.60
					87,654.75
3,213.87					9,185.35
					630.00
					45,297.22
					9,121.90
					7,262.79
					18,908.47
					102,805.92
					142,680.99
					4,208,454.38
					15,214.25
					688,000.00
					728,805.84
<u>3,213.87</u>	<u>4,249.32</u>	<u>1,158.28</u>	<u>1,971,438.25</u>		<u>17,276,047.35</u>

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	General Fund	Capital Outlay Fund	Special Education Fund
Expenditures:			
Instruction:			
Regular Programs:			
Elementary	1,815,439.72	9,422.28	
Middle/Junior High	1,868,098.02	11,569.18	
High School	1,834,678.25	33,411.95	
Special Programs:			
Programs for Special Education			1,166,924.71
Programs for Educationally Deprived	246,551.36		
Other Special Programs	174,262.40		
Support Services:			
Pupils:			
Guidance	233,443.90		
Health	96,423.20		
Psychological			75,973.38
Speech Pathology			134,239.63
Student Therapy			74,482.26
Support Services - Instructional Staff:			
Improvement of Instruction	67,896.87	91,435.87	
Educational Media	464,083.00		
Support Services - General Administration:			
Board of Education	220,926.03		
Executive Administration	190,286.57		
Support Services - School Administration:			
Office of the Principal	507,946.31		
Other	2,520.87		
Support Services - Business:			
Fiscal Services	204,935.74	18,712.05	
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	1,155,692.88	247,300.84	
Pupil Transportation	464,850.72	93,765.31	
Internal Services	81,462.77		
Support Services - Central:			
Staff	7,279.85		
Support Services - Special Education:			
Administrative Costs			142,523.82
Debt Services		540,822.09	

Science Center Fund	Debt Service Funds				Total Governmental Funds
	High School Debt Service	Elementary School Debt Service	New High School Debt Service	High School Building Capital Project	
					1,824,862.00
					1,879,667.20
					1,868,090.20
					1,166,924.71
					246,551.36
					174,262.40
					233,443.90
					96,423.20
					75,973.38
					134,239.63
					74,482.26
					159,332.74
					464,083.00
					220,926.03
					190,286.57
					507,946.31
					2,520.87
					223,647.79
					1,402,993.72
					558,616.03
					81,462.77
					7,279.85
					142,523.82
			1,630,325.00		2,171,147.09

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61-8
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	General Fund	Capital Outlay Fund	Special Education Fund
Cocurricular Activities:			
Male Activities	107,668.73		
Female Activities	93,655.01		
Transportation	66,486.03		
Combined Activities	277,146.92	32,749.84	
Capital Outlay	<u>21,856.58</u>	<u>873,493.25</u>	
Total Expenditures	<u>10,203,591.73</u>	<u>1,952,682.66</u>	<u>1,594,143.80</u>
Excess of Revenue Over (Under) Expenditures	<u>534,379.47</u>	<u>794,104.70</u>	<u>217,085.27</u>
Other Financing Sources:			
Transfer In	500,000.00		
Transfer (Out)		(500,000.00)	
Total Other Financing Sources	<u>500,000.00</u>	<u>(500,000.00)</u>	
Net Change in Fund Balances	<u>1,034,379.47</u>	<u>294,104.70</u>	<u>217,085.27</u>
Beginning Fund Balance	1,995,663.70	1,438,376.49	322,614.34
Restatement Due to GASB 84 (See Note 15)	<u>421.98</u>		
Adjusted Beginning Fund Balance	<u>1,996,085.68</u>	<u>1,438,376.49</u>	<u>322,614.34</u>
ENDING FUND BALANCE	<u>\$ 3,030,465.15</u>	<u>\$ 1,732,481.19</u>	<u>\$ 539,699.61</u>

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Science Center Fund	Debt Service Funds			High School Building Capital Project	Total Governmental Funds
	High School Debt Service	Elementary School Debt Service	New High School Debt Service		
					107,668.73
					93,655.01
					66,486.03
					309,896.76
					895,349.83
			1,630,325.00		15,380,743.19
3,213.87	4,249.32	1,158.28	341,113.25		1,895,304.16
					500,000.00
					(500,000.00)
3,213.87	4,249.32	1,158.28	341,113.25		1,895,304.16
428,465.84	79,799.00	107,178.11	1,040,593.14	(124,208.81)	5,288,481.81
					421.98
428,465.84	79,799.00	107,178.11	1,040,593.14	(124,208.81)	5,288,903.79
\$ 431,679.71	\$ 84,048.32	\$ 108,336.39	\$ 1,381,706.39	\$ (124,208.81)	\$ 7,184,207.95

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND
CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES TO THE GOVERNMENT-WIDE
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Net Change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds \$ 1,895,304.16

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

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

Capital Outlays	\$ 895,349.83	
Depreciation Expense	<u>(1,605,623.56)</u>	(710,273.73)

Governmental funds report property taxes as revenue when they meet the available criteria. Because some property taxes will not be collected for several months after the district's fiscal year ends, they are not considered "available" revenues and are deferred in the governmental funds.

(1,203.10)

Repayment of bond principal and capital leases is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the statement of net position.

General Obligation Certificates	355,000.00	
General Obligation Bonds	725,000.00	
Premium on Debt	76,771.76	
Financing (Capital Acquisition) Leases	<u>179,418.53</u>	1,336,190.29

Changes in the pension related deferred outflows/inflows are direct components of pension liability(asset) and are not reflected in the governmental funds.

(648,649.36)

Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds. This is the change in:

Compensated Absences Payable		<u>(7,388.44)</u>
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Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities		<u>\$ 1,863,979.82</u>
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The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2021

	<u>Enterprise Funds</u>		
	<u>Food Service Fund</u>	<u>Other Enterprise Fund</u>	<u>Totals</u>
ASSETS:			
Current Assets:			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 406,556.05	\$ 36,619.32	\$ 443,175.37
Accounts Receivable	5,115.62		5,115.62
Due from Government	10,726.67		10,726.67
Inventory of Donated Food	1,158.37		1,158.37
Total Current Assets	<u>423,556.71</u>	<u>36,619.32</u>	<u>460,176.03</u>
Capital Assets:			
Machinery and Equipment	395,211.07		395,211.07
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(291,712.27)</u>		<u>(291,712.27)</u>
Total Noncurrent Assets	<u>103,498.80</u>		<u>103,498.80</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>527,055.51</u>	<u>36,619.32</u>	<u>563,674.83</u>
LIABILITIES:			
Current Liabilities:			
Accounts Payable	9,495.21	500.00	9,995.21
Contracts Payable		5,400.00	5,400.00
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings and Employer Matching Payable		737.10	737.10
Deposits Payable	<u>35,986.92</u>		<u>35,986.92</u>
Total Current Liabilities	<u>45,482.13</u>	<u>6,637.10</u>	<u>52,119.23</u>
NET POSITION:			
Net Investment in Capital Assets	103,498.80		103,498.80
Unrestricted Net Position	<u>378,074.58</u>	<u>29,982.22</u>	<u>408,056.80</u>
TOTAL NET POSITION	<u>\$ 481,573.38</u>	<u>\$ 29,982.22</u>	<u>\$ 511,555.60</u>

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DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITON
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	<u>Enterprise Funds</u>		
	<u>Food Service Fund</u>	<u>Other Enterprise Fund</u>	<u>Totals</u>
Operating Revenue:			
Tuition and Fees:			
Drivers Education	\$	\$ 24,200.00	\$ 24,200.00
Sales:			
To Pupils	16,462.00		16,462.00
To Adults	10,374.00		10,374.00
A la Carte	178,366.00		178,366.00
Other	125.04		125.04
Total Operating Revenue	<u>205,327.04</u>	<u>24,200.00</u>	<u>229,527.04</u>
Operating Expenses:			
Other Community Services:			
Salaries	2,380.33	17,000.00	19,380.33
Employee Benefits	324.91	2,320.51	2,645.42
Food Service:			
Purchased Services	659,463.78		659,463.78
Repairs	29,914.96		29,914.96
Supplies	1,635.26		1,635.26
Cost of Sales-Donated Food	24,616.08		24,616.08
Miscellaneous	2,346.24		2,346.24
Depreciation-Local Funds	13,991.64		13,991.64
Total Operating Expenses	<u>734,673.20</u>	<u>19,320.51</u>	<u>753,993.71</u>
Operating Income (Loss)	<u>(529,346.16)</u>	<u>4,879.49</u>	<u>(524,466.67)</u>
Nonoperating Revenue (Expense):			
Local Sources:			
Investment Earnings	486.17		486.17
State Sources:			
Cash Reimbursements	2,472.06		2,472.06
Federal Sources:			
Cash Reimbursements	570,276.01		570,276.01
Donated Food	11,252.61		11,252.61
Total Nonoperating Revenue (Expense)	<u>584,486.85</u>		<u>584,486.85</u>
Change in Net Position	55,140.69	4,879.49	60,020.18
Net Position - Beginning	<u>426,432.69</u>	<u>25,102.73</u>	<u>451,535.42</u>
NET POSITION - ENDING	<u>\$ 481,573.38</u>	<u>\$ 29,982.22</u>	<u>\$ 511,555.60</u>

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	Enterprise Funds		
	Food Service Fund	Other Enterprise	Total
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:			
Receipts from Customers	\$ 199,908.82	\$ 24,200.00	\$ 224,108.82
Payments to Employees	(2,705.24)	(15,683.71)	(18,388.95)
Payments to Suppliers	(698,652.18)	200.00	(698,452.18)
Other Operating Payments	(32,261.20)		(32,261.20)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	<u>(533,709.80)</u>	<u>8,716.29</u>	<u>(524,993.51)</u>
Cash Flows from Noncapital Financing Activities:			
Operating Subsidies	587,993.64		587,993.64
Purchase of Capital Assets	<u>(17,321.61)</u>		<u>(17,321.61)</u>
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:			
Interest Earnings	<u>486.17</u>		<u>486.17</u>
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	<u>\$ 37,448.40</u>	<u>\$ 8,716.29</u>	<u>\$ 46,164.69</u>
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Year	\$ 369,107.65	\$ 27,903.03	\$ 397,010.68
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Year	<u>406,556.05</u>	<u>36,619.32</u>	<u>443,175.37</u>
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	<u>\$ 37,448.40</u>	<u>\$ 8,716.29</u>	<u>\$ 46,164.69</u>
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME (LOSS) TO NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES:			
Operating Income (Loss)	\$ (529,346.16)	\$ 4,879.49	\$ (524,466.67)
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities:			
Depreciation Expense	13,991.64		13,991.64
Value of Commodities Used	24,616.08		24,616.08
Change in Assets and Liabilities:			
Accounts Payable	(37,553.14)	200.00	(37,353.14)
Contracts Payable		3,636.80	3,636.80
Deposits Payable	<u>(5,418.22)</u>		<u>(5,418.22)</u>
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	<u>\$ (533,709.80)</u>	<u>\$ 8,716.29</u>	<u>\$ (524,993.51)</u>
Noncash Investing, Capital and Financing Activities:			
Value of Commodities Received	\$ 11,252.61		

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2021

	Private-Purpose Trust Funds	Custodial Funds
ASSETS:		
Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$	\$ 51,947.43
Investments-Certificate of Deposit	16,039.62	60.38
Accounts Receivable	<u> </u>	<u>34,537.34</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>16,039.62</u>	<u>86,545.15</u>
LIABILITIES:		
Accounts Payable	<u> </u>	6,582.98
Total Liabilities	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 6,582.98</u>
NET POSITION		
Restricted:		
Student Activities		79,962.17
Held in Trust for Scholarships	<u>16,039.62</u>	
Total Net Position	<u>\$ 16,039.62</u>	<u>\$ 79,962.17</u>

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DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET POSITION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	<u>Private-Purpose Trust Funds</u>	<u>Custodial Funds</u>
ADDITIONS:		
Interest on Investments	\$	\$ 330.15
Student Activities		190,769.27
Total Additions		<u>191,099.42</u>
DEDUCTIONS:		
Student Activities		<u>229,192.59</u>
Total Deductions		<u>229,192.59</u>
Change in Net Position		<u>(38,093.17)</u>
Net Position - Beginning	16,039.62	
Restatement - Implementation of GASB 84 (See Note 15)		<u>118,055.34</u>
Net Position - Beginning as Restated	<u>16,039.62</u>	<u>118,055.34</u>
NET POSITION - ENDING	<u>\$ 16,039.62</u>	<u>\$ 79,962.17</u>

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61-8
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of the School District conform to generally accepted accounting principles applicable to government entities of the United States of America.

a. Financial Reporting Entity

The reporting entity of Dakota Valley School District No. 61-8, consists of the primary government (which includes all of the funds, organizations, institutions, agencies, departments, and offices that make up the legal entity, plus those funds for which the primary government has a fiduciary responsibility, even though those fiduciary funds may represent organizations that do not meet the criteria for inclusion in the financial reporting entity); those organizations for which the primary government is financially accountable; and other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the primary government are such that their exclusion would cause the financial reporting entity's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete.

b. Basis of Presentation

Government-wide Financial Statements:

The Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities display information about the reporting entity as a whole. They include all funds of the reporting entity except for fiduciary funds. The statements distinguish between governmental and business-type activities. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other non-exchange revenues. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees charged to external parties for goods or services.

The Statement of Net Position reports all financial and capital resources, in a net position form (assets minus liabilities equal net position). Net Position are displayed in three components, as applicable, net investment in capital assets, restricted (distinguishing between major categories of restrictions), and unrestricted.

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

Fund Financial Statements:

Fund financial statements of the reporting entity are organized into funds, each of which is considered to be a separate accounting entity. Each fund is accounted for by providing a separate set of self-balancing accounts that constitute its assets, liabilities, fund equity, revenues, and expenditures/expenses. Funds are organized into three major categories: governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary. An emphasis is placed on major funds within the

governmental and proprietary categories. A fund is considered major if it is the primary operating fund of the District or it meets the following criteria:

1. Total assets and deferred outflows of resources, liabilities and deferred inflows of resources, revenues, or expenditures/expenses of the individual governmental or enterprise fund are at least 10 percent of the corresponding total for all funds of that category or type, and
2. Total assets and deferred outflows of resources, liabilities and deferred inflows of resources, revenues, or expenditures/expenses of the individual governmental or enterprise fund are at least 5 percent of the corresponding total for all governmental and enterprise funds combined, or
3. Management has elected to classify one or more governmental or enterprise funds as major for consistency in reporting from year to year, or because of public interest in the fund's operations.

The funds of the School District financial reporting entity are described below within their respective fund types:

Governmental Funds:

General Fund - A fund established by South Dakota Codified Laws (SDCL) 13-16-3 to meet all the general operational costs of the school district, excluding capital outlay fund and special education fund expenditures. The General Fund is always a major Fund.

Special Revenue Funds - special revenue funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

Capital Outlay Fund—A fund established by SDCL 13-16-6 to meet expenditures which result in the lease of, acquisition of or additions to real property, plant or equipment, textbooks and instructional software. This fund is financed by property taxes. This is a major fund.

Special Education Fund—A fund established by SDCL 13-37-16 to pay the costs for the special education of all children in need of special assistance and prolonged assistance who reside within the district. This fund is financed by grants and property taxes. This is a major fund.

Science Center Fund—A fund established for the purpose of accounting for other special revenue intended for the building of a new science center. This is a major fund.

Debt Service Funds - debt service funds are used to account for the accumulation of resources for, and the payment of, general long-term debt principal, interest, and related costs.

The High School Bond Debt Service Fund—A fund established by SDCL 13-16-13 to account for the proceeds of a special property tax restricted to use for the payment of principal and interest on general obligation bonded debt. This is a major fund.

The Elementary School Bond Debt Service Fund—A fund established by SDCL 13-16-13 to account for the proceeds of a special property tax restricted to use for the payment of principal and interest on general obligation bonded debt. This is a major fund.

The New High School Bond Debt Service Fund--A fund established by SDCL 13-16-13 to account for the proceeds of a special property tax restricted to use for the payment of principal and interest on general obligation bonded debt. This is a major fund.

Capital Projects Funds – Capital projects funds are used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by proprietary funds and trust funds).

The High School Building Capital Projects Fund is the only capital projects fund maintained by the School District. This is a major fund.

Proprietary Funds:

Enterprise Funds – Enterprise funds may be used to report any activity for which a fee is charged to external users for goods or services. Activities are required to be reported as enterprise funds if any one of the following criteria is met.

- a. *The activity is financed with debt that is secured solely by a pledge of the net revenues from fees and charges of the activity. Debt that is secured by a pledge of net revenues from fees and charges and the full faith and credit of a related primary government or component unit—even if that government is not expected to make any payments—is not payable solely from fees and charges of the activity. (Some debt may be secured, in part, by a portion of its own proceeds but should be considered as payable "solely" from the revenues of the activity.)*
- b. *Laws or regulations require that the activity's costs of providing services, including capital costs (such as depreciation or debt service), be recovered with fees and charges, rather than with taxes or similar revenues.*
- c. *The pricing policies of the activity establish fees and charges designed to recover its costs, including capital costs (such as depreciation or debt service).*

Food Service Fund-- A fund used to record financial transactions related to food service operations. This fund is financed by user charges and grants. This is a major fund.

Other Enterprise Fund-- An enterprise fund maintained by the School District to record financial transactions related to Driver's Education. The fund is financed by user charges and grants. This is a major fund.

Fiduciary Funds:

Fiduciary Funds consist of the following sub-categories and are never considered to be major funds:

Private-Purpose Trust Funds- private-purpose trust funds are used to account for all other trust arrangements under which principal and income benefit individuals, private organizations, and other governments. The School District maintains a private-purpose trust fund for fine arts camp scholarships.

Custodial Funds - custodial funds are used to report fiduciary activities that are not required to be reported in pension (and other employee benefit) trust funds, investment trust funds, or private-purpose trust funds. The School District maintains custodial funds to hold assets as an agent in a trustee capacity for various classes, clubs, and so on.

c. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

Measurement focus is a term used to describe “how” transactions are recorded within the various financial statements. Basis of accounting refers to “when” revenues and expenditures or expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements, regardless of the measurement focus.

Measurement Focus:

Government-wide Financial Statements:

In the government-wide Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities, both governmental and business-type activities are presented using the economic resources measurement focus, applied on the accrual basis of accounting.

Fund Financial Statements:

In the fund financial statements, the “current financial resources” measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting are applied to governmental funds, while the “economic resources” measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting are applied to the proprietary and fiduciary funds.

Basis of Accounting:

Government-wide Financial Statements:

In the government-wide Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities, governmental and business-type activities are presented using the accrual basis of accounting. Under the accrual basis of accounting, revenues and related assets generally are recorded when earned (usually when the right to receive cash vests); and, expenses and related liabilities are recorded when an obligation is incurred (usually when the obligation to pay cash in the future vests).

Fund Financial Statements:

All governmental funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Their revenues, including property taxes, generally are recognized when they become measurable and available. “Available” means resources are collected or to be collected soon enough after the end of the fiscal year that they can be used to pay liabilities of the current period. The accrual period does not exceed one bill-paying cycle, and for the Dakota Valley School District No. 61-8, the length of that cycle is 60 days. The revenues that were accrued at June 30, 2021 are amounts due from other governments for grants and other accounts receivable.

Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, receivables may be measurable but not available. Available means collectable within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Unavailable revenues, where asset recognition criteria have been met, but for which revenue recognition criteria have not been met, are reported as a deferred inflow of resources.

Expenditures generally are recognized when the related fund liability is incurred. Exceptions to this general rule include principal and interest on general long-term debt which are recognized when due.

All proprietary funds and fiduciary funds are accounted for using the accrual basis of accounting. Their revenues are recognized when they are earned, and their expenses are recognized when they are incurred.

d. Interfund Eliminations and Reclassifications

Government-wide Financial Statements:

In the process of aggregating data for the government-wide financial statements, some amounts reported as interfund activity and balances in the fund financial statements have been eliminated or reclassified, as follows:

1. In order to minimize the grossing-up effect on assets and liabilities within the governmental and business-type activities columns of the primary government, amounts reported as interfund receivables and payables have been eliminated in the governmental and business-type activities columns.

e. Deposits and Investments:

For the purpose of financial reporting, "cash and cash equivalents" includes all demand and savings accounts and certificates of deposit or short-term investments with a term to maturity at date of acquisition of three months or less. Investments in open-end mutual fund shares, or similar investments in external investment pools, are also considered to be cash equivalents.

Investments classified in the financial statements consist entirely of certificates of deposit whose term to maturity at date of acquisition exceeds three months, and/or those types of investment authorized by South Dakota Codified Law (SDCL) 4-5-6.

f. Capital Assets

Capital assets include land, buildings, machinery and equipment, and all other tangible or intangible assets that are used in operations and that have initial useful lives extending beyond a single reporting period.

The accounting treatment over capital assets depends on whether the assets are used in governmental fund operations or proprietary fund operations and whether they are reported in the government-wide or fund financial statements.

Government-Wide Statements

All capital assets are valued at historical cost or estimated historical cost if actual historical cost is not available. Donated capital assets are valued at their estimated fair value on the date donated. Reported cost values include ancillary charges necessary to place the asset into its intended location and condition for use. Subsequent to initial capitalization, improvements or betterments that are significant, and which extend the useful life of a capital asset are also capitalized.

For governmental activities Capital Assets, construction-period interest is not capitalized, in accordance with USGAAP, while for capital assets used in business-type activities/proprietary fund's operations, construction period interest is capitalized in accordance with USGAAP.

The total June 30, 2021 balance of capital assets for governmental activities includes approximately .60% for which costs were determined by estimates of original costs. The total June 30, 2021 balance of capital assets for business-type activities includes approximately 6.29% for which the values were determined by estimates of the original cost. These estimated original costs were established by deflated current replacement costs.

Depreciation of all exhaustible fixed assets is recorded as an allocated expense in the government-wide Statement of Activities, with net capital assets reflected in the Statement of Net Position. Capitalization thresholds (the dollar values above which asset acquisitions are added to the capital asset accounts), depreciation methods, and estimated useful lives of capital assets reported in the government-wide statements and proprietary funds are as follows:

	Capitalization Threshold	Depreciation Method	Estimated Useful Life
Land	All	NA	NA
Improvements	\$ 25,000.00	Straight Line	10-50 yrs
Buildings	25,000.00	Straight Line	50-75 yrs
Machinery and Equipment	5,000.00	Straight Line	5-20 yrs
Food Service Machinery and Equipment	2,500.00	Straight Line	10 yrs

Land is an inexhaustible capital asset and is not depreciated.

Fund Financial Statements

In the fund financial statements, capital assets used in governmental fund operations are accounted for as capital expenditures of the appropriate governmental fund upon acquisition. Capital assets used in proprietary fund operations are accounted for on the accrual basis, the same as in the government-wide statements.

g. Long-Term Liabilities:

The accounting treatment of long-term liabilities depends on whether the assets are used in governmental fund operations or proprietary fund operations and whether they are reported in the government-wide or fund financial statements.

All long-term liabilities to be repaid from governmental and business-type resources are reported as liabilities in the government-wide statements. The long-term liabilities primarily consist of general obligation bonds payable, general obligation certificates payment, financing (capital acquisition) leases, and compensated absences.

In the fund financial statements, debt proceeds are reported as revenues (other financing sources), while payments of principal and interest are reported as expenditures when they become due. The accounting for proprietary fund long-term debt is on the accrual basis, the same in the fund statements as in the government-wide statements.

h. Program Revenues

In the government-wide Statement of Activities, reported program revenues derive directly from the program itself or from parties other than the School District's taxpayers or citizenry, as a whole. Program revenues are classified into three categories, as follows:

1. Charges for services – These arise from charges to customers, applicants, or others who purchase, use, or directly benefit from the goods, services, or privileges provided, or are otherwise directly affected by the services.
2. Program-specific operating grants and contributions – These arise from mandatory and voluntary non-exchange transactions with other governments, organizations, or individuals that are restricted for use in a particular program.
3. Program-specific capital grants and contributions – These arise from mandatory and voluntary non-exchange transactions with other governments, organizations, or individuals that are restricted for the acquisition of capital assets for use in a particular program.

i. Proprietary Funds Revenue and Expense Classifications:

In the proprietary fund's Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Net Position, revenues and expenses are classified in a manner consistent with how they are classified in the Statement of Cash Flows. That is, transactions for which related cash flows are reported as capital and related financing activities, noncapital financing activities, or investing activities are not reported as components of operating revenues or expenses.

j. Cash and Cash Equivalents:

The School District pools its cash resources for depositing and investing purposes. Accordingly, the enterprise fund has access to its cash resources on demand. Accordingly, all reported enterprise fund deposit and investment balances are considered to be cash equivalents for the purpose of the Statement of Cash Flows.

k. Equity Classifications

Government-wide Statements:

Equity is classified as Net Position and is displayed in three components

1. Net Investment in Capital Assets – Consists of capital assets, including restricted capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation (if applicable) and reduced by the outstanding balances of any bonds, mortgages, notes, or other borrowings that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets.
2. Restricted Net Position – Consists of Net Position with constraints placed on their use either by (a) external groups such as creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws and regulations of other governments; or (b) law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
3. Unrestricted Net Position – All other Net Position that do not meet the definition of "restricted" or "net investment in capital assets."

Fund Financial Statements:

Governmental fund equity is classified as fund balance, and may distinguish between Nonspendable, Restricted, Committed, Assigned or Unassigned components. Proprietary fund equity is classified the same as in the government-wide financial statements. Fiduciary fund equity is reported as restricted net position.

l. Application of Net Position:

It is the School District's policy to first use restricted Net Position, prior to the use of unrestricted Net Position, when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted Net Position are available.

m. Deferred Inflows and Deferred Outflows of Resources:

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position reports a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. Deferred outflows of resources represent consumption of net position that applies to a future period or periods. These items will not be recognized as an outflow of resources until the applicable future period.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position reports a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. Deferred inflows of resources represent acquisitions of net position that applies to a future period or periods. These items will not be recognized as an inflow of resources until the applicable future period.

n. Fund Balance Classification Policies and Procedures:

In accordance with Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) No. 54, Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions, the School District classifies governmental fund balances as follows:

- Nonspendable – includes fund balance amounts that cannot be spent either because it is not in spendable form or because of legal or contractual constraints.
- Restricted – includes fund balance amounts that are constrained for specific purposes which are externally imposed by providers, such as creditors or amounts constrained due to constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- Committed – includes fund balance amounts that are constrained for specific purposes that are internally imposed by the government through formal action of the highest level of decision-making authority and does not lapse at year-end.
- Assigned – includes fund balance amounts that are intended to be used for specific purposes that are neither considered restricted or committed. Fund Balance may be assigned by the school board.
- Unassigned – includes positive fund balance within the General Fund which has not been classified within the above-mentioned categories and negative fund balances in other governmental funds.

The School District uses *restricted/committed* amounts first when both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available unless there are legal documents/contracts that prohibit doing this, such as a grant agreement requiring dollar for dollar spending. Additionally, the district would first use *committed*, then *assigned*, and lastly, *unassigned* amounts of unrestricted fund balance when expenditures are made.

The School District does not have a formal minimum fund balance policy.

The purpose of the major Science Center Special Revenue Fund was to account for revenues from donations for the building and maintenance of the school's science center.

A schedule of fund balances is provided as follows:

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61-8							
DISCLOSURE OF FUND BALANCES REPORTED ON BALANCE SHEET							
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS							
	General	Capital	Special	Science	Combined	Capital	Total
	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Outlay</u>	<u>Education</u>	<u>Center</u>	<u>Debt</u>	<u>Project</u>	<u>Governmental</u>
		<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Service</u>	<u>Funds</u>	<u>Funds</u>
Fund Balances:							
Restricted for:							
Capital Outlay	\$	\$ 1,732,481.19	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 1,732,481.19
Special Education			539,699.61				539,699.61
Bond Redemption-HS					1,465,754.71		1,465,754.71
Bond Redemption-ES					108,336.39		108,336.39
Science Center				431,679.71			431,679.71
Unassigned	3,030,465.15					(124,208.81)	2,906,256.34
Total Fund Balances	\$ 3,030,465.15	\$ 1,732,481.19	\$ 539,699.61	\$ 431,679.71	\$ 1,574,091.10	\$ (124,208.81)	\$ 7,184,207.95

o. Pensions:

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability (asset), deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense (revenue), information about the fiduciary net position of the South Dakota Retirement System (SDRS) and additions to/deletions from SDRS's fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by SDRS. School District contributions and net pension liability (asset) are recognized on an accrual basis of accounting.

NOTE 2 – IMPLEMENTATION OF NEW ACCOUNTING STANDARD

In 2021, the School District implemented the provisions of Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 84, Fiduciary Activities accounting standard. This statement improves guidance regarding the identification of fiduciary activities for accounting and financial reporting purposes and how those activities should be reported. The implementation of this standard required that the School District present a Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position for Custodial Funds for 2021. The implementation of this standard required the School District to reclassify previously reported agency funds as custodial funds. The impact to the School District resulted in certain activities previously reported as fiduciary not being considered fiduciary under GASB 84. The effect of the implementation of this standard on beginning net position is disclosed in Note 15.

NOTE 3 – DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS CREDIT RISK, CONCENTRATIONS OF CREDIT RISK AND INTEREST RATE RISK

The School District follows the practice of aggregating the cash assets of various funds to maximize cash management efficiency and returns. Various restrictions on deposits and investments are imposed by statutes. These restrictions are summarized below:

Deposits - The School District's deposits are made in qualified public depositories as defined by SDCL 4-6A-1, 13-16-15, 13-16-15.1 and 13-16-18.1. Qualified depositories are required by SDCL 4-6A-3 to maintain at all times, segregated from their other assets, eligible collateral having a value equal to at least 100 percent of the public deposit accounts which exceed deposit insurance such as the FDIC and NCUA. In lieu of pledging eligible securities, a qualified public depository may furnish irrevocable standby letters of credit issued by federal home loan banks accompanied by written evidence of that bank's public debt rating which may not be less than "AA" or a qualified public depository may furnish a corporate surety bond of a corporation authorized to do business in South Dakota.

Investments – In general, SDCL 4-5-6 permits school funds to be invested in (a) securities of the United States and securities guaranteed by the United States Government either directly or indirectly; or (b) repurchase agreements fully collateralized by securities described in (a) above; or in shares of an open-end, no-load fund administered by an investment company whose investments are in securities described in (a) above and repurchase agreements described in (b) above. Also, SDCL 4-5-9 requires that investments shall be in the physical custody of the political subdivision or may be deposited in a safekeeping account with any bank or trust company designated by the political subdivision as its fiscal agent.

Interest Rate Risk- The school district does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from interest rates.

Credit Risk- State law limits eligible investments for the School District, as discussed above. The School District had no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices.

Concentration of Credit Risk- The school district places no limit on the amount that may be invested in any one issuer. The school district does not have any investments with an external investment pool as of June 30, 2021.

Assignment of Investment Income - State law allows income from deposits and investments to be credited to either the General Fund or the fund making the investment. The School District's policy is to credit all income from investments to the fund making the investment, except the Special Education Fund whose income is credited to the General Fund. USGAAP, on the other hand, requires income from deposits and investments to be reported in the fund whose assets generated that income. Where the governing board has discretion to credit investment income to a fund other than the fund that provided the resources for investment, a transfer to the designated fund is reported. Accordingly, in the fund financial statements, interfund transfers of investment earnings are reported, while in the government-wide financial statements, they have been eliminated, except for the net amounts transferred between governmental activities and business-type activities. These interfund transfers are not violations of the statutory restrictions on interfund transfers.

NOTE 4 – RECEIVABLES AND PAYABLES

Receivables and Payables are not aggregated in these financial statements. The School District expects all receivables to be collected within one year. No allowance has been made for estimated uncollectible amounts.

NOTE 5 - INVENTORY

Inventory is stated at the lower of cost or market. The cost valuation method is the first in, first out method. Donated commodities are valued at estimated market value based on the USDA price list at date of receipt.

In the government-wide financial statements and the enterprise fund type financial statements, inventory items are initially recorded as assets and charged to expense in the various functions of government as they are consumed.

In the governmental fund financial statements, inventories in the General and Special Revenue Funds consist of expendable supplies held for consumption. The cost is recorded as an expenditure at the time individual inventory items are consumed. No material inventories were on hand as of June 30, 2021 in the governmental funds.

NOTE 6 - PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes are levied on or before each October 1, attach as an enforceable lien on property, and become due and payable as of the following January 1, and are payable in two installments on or before the following April 30 and October 31. The county bills and collects the School District's taxes and remits them to the School District.

School District property tax revenues are recognized to the extent that they are used to finance each year's appropriations. Revenue related to current year property taxes receivable which is not intended to be used to finance the current year's appropriations and therefore are not susceptible to accrual has been reported as deferred revenue in both the fund financial statements and the government-wide financial statements. Additionally, in the fund financial statements, revenue from property taxes may be limited by any amount not collected during the current fiscal period or within the "availability period".

A summary of changes in capital assets for the year ended June 30, 2021 is as follows:

Business-type Activities	
Food Service	\$ 13,991.64

Construction Work in Progress at June 30, 2021 is composed of the following:

<u>Project Name</u>	<u>Project Authorization</u>	<u>Expended Thru 6/30/2021</u>	<u>Committed</u>
Clock/Public Address System	\$ 81,175.00	\$ 60,881.25	\$ 20,293.75

NOTE 8 - LONG -TERM LIABILITIES

A summary of the changes in long-term liabilities for the year ended June 30, 2021 is as follows:

<i>Primary Government:</i>	<u>6/30/2020</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>6/30/2021</u>	<u>Due Within One Year</u>
Governmental Activities:					
General Obligation Bond:	\$ 26,990,000.00	\$	\$ 725,000.00	\$ 26,265,000.00	\$ 800,000.00
Premium on Bonds	1,612,206.90		76,771.76	1,535,435.14	76,771.76
Capital Outlay Certificate:	355,000.00		355,000.00		
Financing (Capital Acquisition) Lease	281,182.34		179,418.53	101,763.81	82,723.53
Accrued Compensated Absences	105,402.81	102,180.29	94,791.85	112,791.25	112,791.25
Total Governmental Activities	<u>\$ 29,343,792.05</u>	<u>\$ 102,180.29</u>	<u>\$ 1,430,982.14</u>	<u>\$ 28,014,990.20</u>	<u>\$ 1,072,286.54</u>

Compensated absences for governmental activities and other postemployment benefits typically have been liquidated from the General and Special Education Funds.

The annual debt service requirements to maturity for all debt outstanding, other than compensated absences, and other postemployment benefits, as of June 30, 2021 are as follows:

<u>F/Y</u>	<u>General Obligation Bonds (including premium)</u>		<u>Capital (Financing) Leases</u>		<u>Total</u>	
	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>
2022	\$ 800,000	\$ 888,450	\$ 82,723	\$	\$ 882,723	\$ 888,450
2023	850,000	865,450	9,520		859,520	865,450
2024	925,000	829,950	9,520		934,520	829,950
2025	985,000	774,213			985,000	774,213
2026	1,040,000	756,175			1,040,000	756,175
2027-2031	6,145,000	520,287			6,145,000	520,287
2032-2036	7,885,000	1,821,925			7,885,000	1,821,925
2037-2041	7,635,000	469,575			7,635,000	469,575
Totals	<u>\$ 26,265,000</u>	<u>\$ 6,926,025</u>	<u>\$ 101,763</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 26,366,763</u>	<u>\$ 6,926,025</u>

The purchase price at the commencement of the financing (capital acquisition) leases was:

	<u>Copier</u>	<u>HP Laptops</u>	<u>HP Laptops</u>	<u>HP Laptops</u>
Principal	\$ 47,600.70	\$ 290,085.00	\$ 180,570.00	\$ 39,040.17
Interest				
Total	<u>\$ 47,600.70</u>	<u>\$ 290,085.00</u>	<u>\$ 180,570.00</u>	<u>\$ 39,040.17</u>

Governmental Activities

Liabilities payable (not including premium) at June 30, 2021 are comprised of the following

General Obligation Bonds:

Series 2016 Crossover Partial Refunding, Issued September 29, 2016, interest rates from 1.5 to 4.0% depending on length to maturity; Interest payable semi-annually; Final payment July 2039 Payments from the Debt Service Fund.	\$ 26,265,000.00
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Capital Leases:

Financing Lease with HP Financial Services, for the purchase of computers, matures June 30, 2022. Payments to be made from Capital Outlay Fund	60,190.00
Financing Lease with HP Financial Services, for the purchase of computers, matures June 30, 2022. Payments to be made from Capital Outlay Fund	13,013.39
Financing Lease with A&B Business Solutions, Inc., for the purchase of copiers, matures June 30, 2024. Payments to be made from Capital Outlay Fund	28,560.42

Compensated Absences:

Vested leave. Payments to be made from the General Fund and Special Education Fund.	112,791.25
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NOTE 9 – INDIVIDUAL FUND INTERFUND BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS

Interfund receivable and payable balances at June 30, 2021 were as follows:

	Interfund Receivable	Interfund Payable
Major Funds:		
General Fund	\$ 124,208.81	\$
High School Capital Projects Fund		124,208.81

These interfund balances are from cash balance shortages created from the new high school building project. These will be liquidated during the next fiscal year.

NOTE 10 – RESTRICTED NET POSITION

The following table shows the Net Position restricted for other purposes as shown in the statement of Net Position.

<u>Major Purposes</u>	<u>Restricted by</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Capital Outlay Purposes	Law	\$ 1,520,074.81
Special Education Purposes	Law	547,242.99
Science Center Purposes	Donor Stipulation	431,679.71
SDRS Pension Purposes	Law	430,918.00
Debt Service Purposes	Debt Covenants	1,584,258.12
Total Restricted Net Position		<u>\$ 4,514,173.63</u>

NOTE 11 – INTERFUND TRANSFERS

Interfund transfers for the year ended June 30, 2021 were as follows:

<u>Transfer To:</u>	<u>Transfer From:</u>
General Fund	<u>Capital Outlay</u>
	\$ 500,000.00

The School District transferred monies from the Capital Outlay Fund to the General Fund to offset expenses per SDCL.

NOTE 12 – PENSION PLAN

Plan Information:

All employees, working more than 20 hours per week during the school year, participate in the South Dakota Retirement System (SDRS), a cost sharing, multiple employer defined benefit pension plan administered by SDRS to provide retirement benefits for employees of the State of South Dakota and its political subdivisions. The SDRS provides retirement, disability, and survivors' benefits. The right to receive retirement benefits vests after three years of credited service. Authority for establishing, administering and amending plan provisions are found in SDCL 3-12. The SDRS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained at <http://www.sdrs.sd.gov/publications/> or by writing to the SDRS, P.O. Box 1098, Pierre, SD 57501-1098 or by calling (605) 773-3731.

Benefits Provided:

SDRS has three different classes of employees, Class A general members, Class B public safety and judicial members, and Class C Cement Plant Retirement Fund members.

Members that were hired before July 1, 2017, are Foundation members. Class A Foundation members and Class B Foundation members who retire after age 65 with three years of contributory service are entitled to an unreduced annual retirement benefit. An unreduced annual retirement benefit is also available after age 55 for Class A Foundation members where the sum of age and credited service is equal to or greater than 85 or after age 55 for Class B Foundation judicial members where the sum of age and credited service is equal to or greater than 80. Class B Foundation public safety members can retire with an unreduced annual

retirement benefit after age 55 with three years of contributory service. An unreduced annual retirement benefit is also available after age 45 for Class B Foundation public safety members where the sum of age and credited service is equal to or greater than 75. All Foundation retirements that do not meet the above criteria may be payable at a reduced level.

Members that were hired on/after July 1, 2017, are Generational members. Class A Generational members and Class B Generational judicial members who retire after age 67 with three years of contributory service are entitled to an unreduced annual retirement benefit. Class B Generational public safety members can retire with an unreduced annual retirement benefit after age 57 with three years of contributory service. At retirement, married Generational members may elect a single-life benefit, a 60 percent joint and survivor benefit, or a 100 percent joint and survivor benefit. All Generational retirement benefits that do not meet the above criteria may be payable at a reduced level. Generational members will also have a variable retirement account (VRA) established, in which they will receive up to 1.5 percent of compensation funded by part of the employer contribution. VRAs will receive investment earnings based on investment returns.

Legislation enacted in 2017 established the current COLA process. At each valuation date:

- Baseline actuarial accrued liabilities will be calculated assuming the COLA is equal to long-term inflation assumption of 2.25%.
- If the fair value of assets is greater or equal to the baseline actuarial accrued liabilities, the COLA will be:
 - The increase in the 3rd quarter CPI-W, no less than 0.5% and no greater than 3.5%.
- If the fair value of assets is less than the baseline actuarial accrued liabilities, the COLA will be:
 - The increase in the 3rd quarter CPI-W, no less than 0.5% and no greater than a restricted maximum such that, that if the restricted maximum is assumed for future COLAs, the fair value of assets will be greater or equal to the accrued liabilities.

All benefits except those depending on the Member's Accumulated Contributions are annually increased by the Cost-of-Living Adjustment.

Contributions:

Per SDCL 3-12, contribution requirements of the active employees and the participating employers are established and may be amended by the SDRS Board. Covered employees are required by state statute to contribute the following percentages of their salary to the plan; Class A Members, 6.0% of salary; Class B Judicial Members, 9.0% of salary; and Class B Public Safety Members, 8.0% of salary. State statute also requires the employer to contribute an amount equal to the employee's contribution. State statute also requires the employer to make an additional contribution in the amount of 6.2 percent for any compensation exceeding the maximum taxable amount for social security for general employees only. The School District's share of contributions to the SDRS for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2021, 2020, and 2019 \$444,171.99, \$429,906.55, and \$415,964.02, respectively, equal to the required contributions each year.

Pension Liabilities (Assets), Pension Expense (Revenue), and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources to Pensions:

At June 30, 2020, SDRS is 100.04% funded and accordingly has a net pension asset. The proportionate shares of the components of the net pension asset of South Dakota Retirement System, for the School District as of June 30, 2021 are as follows:

Proportionate share of net position restricted for pension benefits	\$ 40,169,328.85
Less proportionate share of total pension benefits	<u>40,183,520.23</u>
Proportionate share of net pension benefits	<u>\$ (14,191.38)</u>

At June 30, 2021, the School District reported a liability (asset) of \$(14,191.38) for its proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset). The net pension liability (asset) was measured as of June 30, 2020 and the total pension liability (asset) used to calculate the net pension liability (asset) was based on a projection of the School District's share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all participating entities. At June 30, 2020, the School District's proportion was .32676600%, which is an increase (decrease) of (0.0018529%) from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2019.

For the year ended June 30, 2021, the School District recognized pension expense (reduction of pension expense) of \$648,649.36. At June 30, 2021, the School District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$ 54,289.78	\$ 11,117.15
Changes in assumption	457,115.67	1,843,573.21
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	1,319,019.61	
Changes in proportion and difference between District contributions and proportionate share of contributions	2,884.43	6,064.50
District contributions subsequent to the measurement date	<u>444,171.99</u>	
TOTAL	<u>\$ 2,277,481.48</u>	<u>\$ 1,860,754.86</u>

\$444,171.99 reported as deferred outflow of resources related to pensions resulting from School District contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability (asset) in the year ending June 30, 2022. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense (revenue) as follows:

Year Ended June 30:		
2022	\$	(163,807.96)
2023		(126,308.23)
2024		19,949.96
2025		<u>245,900.93</u>
TOTAL	\$	<u>(24,265.30)</u>

Actuarial Assumptions:

The total pension liability (asset) in the June 30, 2020 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation 2.25 percent

Salary Increases	6.50% at entry to 3.00% after 25 years of service
Investment Rate of Return	6.50% net of plan investment expense
Future COLAs	1.41%

Mortality rates were based on 97% of the RP-2014 Mortality Table, adjusted to 2006 and projected generationally with Scale MP-2016, white collar rates for females and total dataset rates for males. Mortality rates for disabled members were based on the RP-2014 Disabled Retiree Mortality Table, adjusted to 2006 and projected generationally with Scale MP-2016.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2020 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period of July 1, 2011, to June 30, 2016.

Investment portfolio management is the statutory responsibility of the South Dakota Investment Council (SDIC), which may utilize the services of external money managers for management of a portion of the portfolio. SDIC is governed by the Prudent Man Rule (i.e., the council should use the same degree of care as a prudent man). Current SDIC investment policies dictate limits on the percentage of assets invested in various types of vehicles (equities, fixed income securities, real estate, cash, private equity, etc.). The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighing the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of real rates of return for each major asset class included in the pension plan's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2020 (see the discussion of the pension plan's investment policy) are summarized in the following table using geometric means:

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Target Allocation</u>	<u>Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return</u>
Global Equity	58.0%	5.1%
Fixed Income	30.0%	1.5%
Real Estate	10.0%	6.2%
Cash	<u>2.0%</u>	1.0%
Total	<u>100%</u>	

Discount Rate:

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability (asset) was 6.50%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that plan member contributions will be made at the current contribution rate and that matching employer contributions will be made at rates equal to the member rate. Based on these assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability (asset).

Sensitivity of liability (asset) to changes in the discount rate:

The following presents the School District's proportionate share of net pension liability (asset) calculated using the discount rate of 6.50% as well as what the School District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower (5.50%) or 1-percentage point higher (7.50%) than the current rate:

	<u>1% Decrease</u>	<u>Current Discount Rate</u>	<u>1% Increase</u>
School District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$ 5,505,316.18	\$ (14,191.38)	\$ (4,529,039.86)

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position:

Detailed information about the plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued SDRS financial report.

NOTE 13 - RISK MANAGEMENT

The school district is exposed to various risks of loss related to tort; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. During the period ended June 30, 2021, the school district managed its risks as follows:

Employee Health Insurance

The school district purchases health insurance for its employees from a commercial insurance carrier.

Liability Insurance

The school district purchases liability insurance for risks related to torts; theft of, or damage to property; and errors and omissions of public officials from a commercial insurance carrier. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded the liability coverage during the past three years.

Worker's Compensation

The school district purchases liability insurance for worker's compensation from a commercial carrier. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded the liability coverage in the past three years.

Unemployment Benefits

The school district provides coverage for unemployment benefits by paying into the unemployment compensation fund established by state law and managed by the State of South Dakota

During the year ended June 30, 2021, no claims for unemployment benefits were paid. At June 30, 2021, no claims had been filed for unemployment benefits and none are anticipated in the next fiscal year.

NOTE 14 – SIGNIFICANT CONTINGENCIES - LITIGATION

At June 30, 2021, the school district was not involved in any litigation.

NOTE 15 – IMPLEMENTATION OF NEW STANDARD AND RESTATEMENT

As of June 30, 2021, the School District implemented GASB Statement No 84, *Fiduciary Activities* (GASB 84). The School District restated the net position and fund balance of the Fiduciary Fund indicated below to appropriately reflect the July 1, 2020 balances as follows:

Custodial Fund

Net position at June 30, 2020, as previously stated	\$
Restatement - Implementation of GASB 84	<u>118,055.34</u>
Net Position July 1, 2020 As Restated	<u>\$ 118,055.34</u>

General Governmental Fund

Net position at June 30, 2020, as previously stated	\$ 1,995,663.70
Restatement - Implementation of GASB 84	<u>421.98</u>
Net Position July 1, 2020 As Restated	<u>\$ 1,996,085.68</u>

Governmental Activities

Net position at June 30, 2020, as previously stated	\$ 17,913,737.85
Restatement - Implementation of GASB 84	<u>421.98</u>
Net Position July 1, 2020 As Restated	<u>\$ 17,914,159.83</u>

**REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE-BUDGETARY BASIS
GENERAL FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021**

	<u>Budgeted Amounts</u>		Actual Amounts (Budgetary Basis)	Variance Positive (Negative)
	<u>Original</u>	<u>Final</u>		
Revenues:				
Revenue from Local Sources:				
Taxes:				
Ad Valorem Taxes	\$ 4,900,469.00	\$ 4,900,469.00	\$ 4,953,995.59	\$ 53,526.59
Prior Years' Ad Valorem Taxes			16,178.00	16,178.00
Utility Taxes	69,648.00	69,648.00	87,654.75	18,006.75
Penalties and Interest on Taxes	12,500.00	12,500.00		(12,500.00)
Tuition and Fees:				
Tuition from Pupils or Parents			630.00	630.00
Earnings on Investments/ Deposits	3,500.00	3,500.00	5,971.48	2,471.48
Cocurricular Activities:				
Admissions	30,000.00	30,000.00	45,297.22	15,297.22
Other Pupil Activity Income			9,121.90	9,121.90
Other Revenue from Local Sources:				
Contributions and Donations	10,000.00	10,000.00	7,262.79	(2,737.21)
Charges for Services			7,216.77	7,216.77
Other	125,000.00	125,000.00	102,805.92	(22,194.08)
Revenue from Intermediate Sources:				
County Sources:				
County Apportionment	185,000.00	185,000.00	142,680.99	(42,319.01)
Revenue from State Sources:				
Grants-in-Aid:				
Unrestricted Grants-in-Aid	3,996,218.00	3,996,218.00	4,208,454.38	212,236.38
Restricted Grants-in-Aid	7,970.00	7,970.00	15,214.25	7,244.25
Revenue from Federal Sources:				
Unrestricted Grants-in-Aid Received from Federal Government through the State			688,000.00	688,000.00
Restricted Grants-in-Aid Received from Federal Government through the State	969,900.00	969,900.00	447,487.16	(522,412.84)
Total Revenue	<u>10,310,205.00</u>	<u>10,310,205.00</u>	<u>10,737,971.20</u>	<u>427,766.20</u>
Expenditures:				
Instruction:				
Regular Programs:				
Elementary School	1,795,014.00	1,795,014.00	1,815,439.72	(20,425.72)
Middle/Junior High	2,010,138.00	2,010,138.00	1,868,098.02	142,039.98
High School	1,743,426.00	1,743,426.00	1,856,534.83	(113,108.83)
Special Programs:				
Educationally Deprived	283,449.00	283,449.00	246,551.36	36,897.64
Other Special Programs	459,175.00	459,175.00	174,262.40	284,912.60

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DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE-BUDGETARY BASIS
GENERAL FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	<u>Budgeted Amounts</u>		<u>Actual</u> <u>Amounts</u> <u>(Budgetary</u> <u>Basis)</u>	<u>Variance</u> <u>Positive</u> <u>(Negative)</u>
	<u>Original</u>	<u>Final</u>		
Support Services:				
Pupils:				
Guidance	240,050.00	240,050.00	233,443.90	6,606.10
Health	101,285.00	101,285.00	96,423.20	4,861.80
Support Services - Instructional Staff:				
Improvement of Instruction	66,147.00	66,147.00	67,896.87	(1,749.87)
Educational Media	404,319.00	404,319.00	464,083.00	(59,764.00)
Support Services - General Administration:				
Board of Education	227,449.00	227,449.00	220,926.03	6,522.97
Executive Administration	177,090.00	177,090.00	190,286.57	(13,196.57)
Support Services - School Administration:				
Office of the Principal	75,106.00	75,106.00	507,946.31	(432,840.31)
Other	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,520.87	(20.87)
Support Services - Business:				
Fiscal Services	214,341.00	214,341.00	204,935.74	9,405.26
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	1,537,255.00	1,537,255.00	1,155,692.88	381,562.12
Pupil Transportation	504,000.00	504,000.00	464,850.72	39,149.28
Internal Services	87,500.00	87,500.00	81,462.77	6,037.23
Support Services - Central:				
Staff	8,000.00	8,000.00	7,279.85	720.15
Cocurricular Activities:				
Male Activities	116,035.00	116,035.00	107,668.73	8,366.27
Female Activities	94,651.00	94,651.00	93,655.01	995.99
Transportation	80,000.00	80,000.00	66,486.03	13,513.97
Combined Activities	327,822.00	327,822.00	277,146.92	50,675.08
Contingencies	200,000.00	200,000.00		200,000.00
Total Expenditures	<u>10,754,752.00</u>	<u>10,754,752.00</u>	<u>10,203,591.73</u>	<u>551,160.27</u>
Excess of Revenue Over (Under)				
Expenditures	(444,547.00)	(444,547.00)	534,379.47	978,926.47
Other Financing Sources (Uses):				
Transfer In	<u>600,000.00</u>	<u>600,000.00</u>	<u>500,000.00</u>	<u>(100,000.00)</u>
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>600,000.00</u>	<u>600,000.00</u>	<u>500,000.00</u>	<u>(100,000.00)</u>
Net Change in Fund Balances	<u>155,453.00</u>	<u>155,453.00</u>	<u>1,034,379.47</u>	<u>878,926.47</u>
Beginning Fund Balance	1,995,663.70	1,995,663.70	1,995,663.70	
Restatement Due to GASB 84			421.98	421.98
Adjusted Beginning Fund Balance	<u>1,995,663.70</u>	<u>1,995,663.70</u>	<u>1,996,085.68</u>	<u>421.98</u>
ENDING FUND BALANCE	<u>\$ 2,151,116.70</u>	<u>\$ 2,151,116.70</u>	<u>\$ 3,030,465.15</u>	<u>\$ 879,348.45</u>

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE-BUDGETARY BASIS
CAPITAL OUTLAY FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts (Budgetary Basis)	Variance Positive Negative
	Original	Final		
Revenues:				
Revenue from Local Sources:				
Taxes:				
Ad Valorem Taxes	\$ 2,681,874.00	\$ 2,681,874.00	\$ 2,737,502.03	\$ 55,628.03
Prior Years' Ad Valorem Taxes			9,285.33	9,285.33
Other Revenue from Local Sources:				
Other	84,890.00	84,890.00		(84,890.00)
Total Revenue	2,766,764.00	2,766,764.00	2,746,787.36	(19,976.64)
Expenditures:				
Instruction:				
Regular Programs:				
Elementary	22,500.00	22,500.00	21,129.13	1,370.87
Middle/Junior High	30,500.00	30,500.00	23,276.03	7,223.97
High School	30,100.00	30,100.00	45,118.80	(15,018.80)
Support Services - Instructional Staff:				
Improvement of Instruction	91,000.00	91,000.00	91,435.87	(435.87)
Educational Media	812,609.00	812,609.00	716,384.70	96,224.30
Support Services - Business:				
Fiscal Services	13,000.00	13,000.00	18,712.05	(5,712.05)
Operation & Maintenance of Plant	839,203.00	839,203.00	369,288.84	469,914.16
Pupil Transportation	124,492.00	124,492.00	93,765.31	30,726.69
Debt Services	358,106.00	358,106.00	540,822.09	(182,716.09)
Cocurricular Activities:				
Combined Activities	40,000.00	40,000.00	32,749.84	7,250.16
Total Expenditures	2,361,510.00	2,361,510.00	1,952,682.66	408,827.34
Excess Revenue Over (Under)				
Expenditures	405,254.00	405,254.00	794,104.70	388,850.70
Other Financing Sources (Uses):				
Transfer Out	(600,000.00)	(600,000.00)	(500,000.00)	100,000.00
Net Change in Fund Balances	(194,746.00)	(194,746.00)	294,104.70	488,850.70
Beginning Fund Balance	1,438,376.49	1,438,376.49	1,438,376.49	
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$ 1,243,630.49	\$ 1,243,630.49	\$ 1,732,481.19	\$ 488,850.70

**REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE-BUDGETARY BASIS
SPECIAL EDUCATION FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021**

	<u>Budgeted Amounts</u>		Actual Amounts (Budgetary Basis)	Variance Positive (Negative)
	<u>Original</u>	<u>Final</u>		
Revenues:				
Revenue from Local Sources:				
Taxes:				
Ad Valorem Taxes	\$ 1,501,609.00	\$ 1,501,609.00	\$ 1,512,966.96	\$ 11,357.96
Prior Years' Ad Valorem Taxes			5,251.73	5,251.73
Other Revenue from Local Sources:				
Charges for Services	10,000.00	10,000.00	11,691.70	1,691.70
Revenue from Federal Sources:				
Grants-in-Aid:				
Restricted Grants-in-Aid Received from Federal Government Through the State	<u>281,269.00</u>	<u>281,269.00</u>	<u>281,318.68</u>	<u>49.68</u>
Total Revenue	<u>1,792,878.00</u>	<u>1,792,878.00</u>	<u>1,811,229.07</u>	<u>18,351.07</u>
Expenditures:				
Special Programs:				
Programs for Special Education	1,269,934.00	1,269,934.00	931,972.74	337,961.26
Severe Disabilities			55,124.92	(55,124.92)
Day Programs			30,568.02	(30,568.02)
Residential Programs			35,497.42	(35,497.42)
Early Childhood Programs			113,761.61	(113,761.61)
Support Services				
Pupils:				
Psychological	143,615.00	143,615.00	75,973.38	67,641.62
Speech Pathology	146,663.00	146,663.00	134,239.63	12,423.37
Student Therapy Services	100,980.00	100,980.00	74,482.26	26,497.74
Support Services - Special Education				
Administrative Costs	<u>148,836.00</u>	<u>148,836.00</u>	<u>142,523.82</u>	<u>6,312.18</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>1,810,028.00</u>	<u>1,810,028.00</u>	<u>1,594,143.80</u>	<u>215,884.20</u>
Excess Revenue Over (Under)				
Expenditures	<u>(17,150.00)</u>	<u>(17,150.00)</u>	<u>217,085.27</u>	<u>234,235.27</u>
Net Change in Fund Balance	(17,150.00)	(17,150.00)	217,085.27	234,235.27
Beginning Fund Balance	<u>322,614.34</u>	<u>322,614.34</u>	<u>322,614.34</u>	
ENDING FUND BALANCE	<u>\$ 305,464.34</u>	<u>\$ 305,464.34</u>	<u>\$ 539,699.61</u>	<u>\$ 234,235.27</u>

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61-8
NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
Schedules of Budgetary Comparisons for the General Fund
And for each major Special Revenue Fund with a legally required budget

NOTE 1 – BUDGETS AND BUDGETARY ACCOUNTING

The School District followed these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements:

1. Prior to the first regular board meeting in May of each year the board causes to be prepared a proposed budget for the next fiscal year according to the budgetary standards prescribed by the Auditor General.
2. The proposed budget is considered by the board at the first regular meeting held in the month of May of each year.
3. The proposed budget is published for public review no later than July 15 each year.
4. Public hearings are held to solicit taxpayer input prior to the approval of the budget.
5. Before October 1 of each year, the board must approve the budget for the ensuing fiscal year for each fund, except fiduciary funds.
6. After adoption by the board, the operating budget is legally binding and actual expenditures of each fund cannot exceed the amounts budgeted, except as indicated in number 8.
7. A line item for contingencies may be included in the annual budget. Such a line item may not exceed 5 percent of the total school district budget and may be transferred by resolution of the board to any other budget category, except for capital outlay, that is deemed insufficient during the year.
8. If it is determined during the year that sufficient amounts have not been budgeted, state statute allows the adoption of supplemental budgets when moneys are available to increase legal spending authority.
9. Unexpended appropriations lapse at year-end unless encumbered by resolution of the school board.
10. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year for the General Fund and each major special revenue fund.
11. Budgets for the General Fund and each major special revenue fund are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP).

NOTE 2 – GAAP/BUDGETARY ACCOUNTING BASIS DIFFERENCES

The financial statements prepared in conformity with USGAAP present capital outlay expenditure information in a separate category of expenditures. Under the budgetary basis of accounting, capital outlay expenditures are reported within the function to which they relate. For example, the purchase of a new school bus would be reported as a capital outlay expenditure on the Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances, however in the Budgetary RSI Schedule, the purchase of a school bus would be reported as an expenditure of the Support Services-Business/Pupil Transportation function of government, along with all other current Pupil Transportation related expenditures.

Schedule of Required Supplementary Information
DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT

SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY (ASSET)

South Dakota Retirement System

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
District's proportion of the net pension liability (asset)	0.3198142%	0.3167222%	0.3201444%	0.3272075%	0.3278770%	0.3286189%	0.3267660%
District's proportionate share of net pension liability (asset)	\$ (2,304,131)	\$ (1,343,309)	\$ 1,081,416	\$ (29,694)	\$ (7,647)	\$ (34,825)	\$ (14,191)
District's covered-employee payroll	\$ 5,592,667	\$ 5,761,556	\$ 6,057,885	\$ 6,597,328	\$ 6,816,317	\$ 6,938,765	\$ 7,171,105
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	-41.20%	-23.32%	17.85%	-0.45%	-0.11%	-0.50%	-0.20%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability (asset)	107.30%	104.10%	96.89%	100.10%	100.02%	100.09%	100.04%

* The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the measurement date of the collective net pension liability (asset) which is 6/30 of the previous fiscal year. This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, governments should present information for those years for which information is available.

Schedule of Required Supplementary Information
DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS
South Dakota Retirement System

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Contractually required contribution	\$ 335,560	\$ 345,695	\$ 363,474	\$ 396,172	\$ 408,975	\$ 415,964	\$ 429,907	\$ 444,172
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	\$ 335,560	\$ 345,695	\$ 363,474	\$ 396,172	\$ 408,975	\$ 415,964	\$ 429,907	\$ 444,172
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
District's covered-employee payroll	\$5,592,667	\$5,761,556	\$6,057,885	\$6,597,328	\$6,816,317	\$6,938,765	\$7,171,105	\$7,402,922
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	6.00%	6.00%	6.00%	6.01%	6.00%	5.99%	5.99%	6.00%

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

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61-8
NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
Schedules of the Proportional Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) and
Schedule of Contributions

CHANGES FROM PRIOR VALUATION

The June 30, 2020 Actuarial Valuation reflects no changes in actuarial methods from the June 30, 2019 Actuarial Valuation. One change in actuarial assumptions and two plan provision changes are reflected and described below.

The details of the changes since the last valuation are as follows:

BENEFIT PROVISION CHANGES

Legislation enacted in 2020 established a Qualified Benefit Preservation Arrangement (QBPA) Section 415(m) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). The QBPA is effective July 1, 2020 and pays a portion of SDRS benefits that are restricted by IRC Section 415(b). The total benefits paid from SDRS and the QBPA will be limited to the applicable 415(b) annual limit, unreduced for early Commencement if Members retire prior to age 62 and actuarially increased for late retirement up to age 70 if Members retire after age 65. The Actuarial Valuation considers benefits payable from both SDRS and the QBPA.

Legislation enacted in 2020 also brought the assets and the liabilities of the South Dakota Department of Labor and Regulation Plan into SDRS effective July 1, 2020. With the exception of the accounting results presented in Section 6 of this report, all exhibits include the assets, liabilities, and member counts of the former Department of Labor and Regulation Plan Members.

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION CHANGES

The SDRS COLA equals the percentage increase in the most recent third calendar quarter CPI-W over the prior year, no less than 0.5% and no greater than 3.5%. However, if the FVFR assuming the long-term COLA is equal to the baseline COLA assumption (currently 2.25%) is less than 100%, the maximum COLA payable will be limited to the increase that if assumed on a long-term basis, results in a FVFR equal to or exceeding 100%. That condition existed as of June 30, 2019 and exists again this year as of June 30, 2020. Future COLAs are assumed to equal the current restricted maximum COLA which was 1.88% as of June 30, 2019 and is 1.41% as of June 30, 2020.

The changes in actuarial assumptions due to the 1.41% restricted maximum COLA decreased the Actuarial Accrued Liability by \$595 million, or 4.6% of the Actuarial Accrued Liability based on the 1.88% restricted maximum COLA.

Actuarial assumptions are reviewed in depth periodically, with the next experience analysis anticipated before the June 30, 2022 Actuarial Valuation and any recommended changes anticipated to be first implemented in the June 30, 2022 Actuarial Valuation.

ACTUARIAL METHOD CHANGES

No changes in actuarial methods were made since the prior valuation.

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

<u>Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor</u>	<u>Federal CFDA Number</u>	<u>Pass-Through Grantor's Number</u>	<u>Expenditures Amount 2021</u>
U.S. Department of Agriculture:			
Pass-Through the SD Department of Education			
Child Nutrition Cluster: (Note 4)			
Non-cash Assistance: (Commodities)			
National School Lunch Program	10.555	NSLP-61008-21	\$ 11,252.61
Cash Assistance: (Note 3)			
School Breakfast Program	10.553	NSLP-61008-21	84,276.93
National School Lunch Program	10.555	NSLP-61008-21	485,999.08
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			<u>581,528.62</u>
U.S. Department of the Treasury:			
Pass-Through State of South Dakota:			
Coronavirus Relief Fund (Note 4)	21.019	CRF-61008-21	688,000.00
U.S. Department of Education:			
Pass-Through the SD Department of Education:			
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	84.010	TIA-61008-21	46,714.00
Career and Technical Education - Basic Grants to States	84.048	N/A	1,000.00
Improving Teacher Quality Grants	84.367	TIIA-61008-21	34,363.00
Special Education -Grants for Infants and Families with Disabilities	84.181	N/A	49.68
Special Education Cluster:			
Special Education - Grants to States	84.027	611-61008-21	274,869.00
Special Education - Preschool Grants	84.173	619-61008-21	6,400.00
Total Special Education Cluster:			<u>281,269.00</u>
Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief	84.425D	ESF-61008-21	<u>365,410.16</u>
Total U. S. Department of Education:			<u>728,805.84</u>
Grand Total			<u><u>\$1,998,334.46</u></u>

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61- 8
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Note 1: *Basis of Presentation*

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the "Schedule") includes the federal award activity of the School District under programs of the federal government for the year ended June 30, 2021. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of *Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance)*. Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the School District, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net position, or cash flows of the School District.

Note 2: *Summary of Significant Accounting Policies*

Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowed or are limited as to reimbursement. The School District has elected to use the 10-percent de minimis indirect cost rate as allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

Note 3: *Federal Reimbursement*

Federal reimbursements are not based upon specific expenditures. Therefore, the amounts reported here represent cash received rather than federal expenditures.

Note 4: *Major Federal Financial Assistance Program*

This represents a major federal financial assistance program.

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

School Board
Dakota Valley School District No. 61-8
Union County, South Dakota

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 the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Dakota Valley School District No. 61-8, Union County, South Dakota (School District), as of June 30, 2021 and for the year then ended, which collectively comprise the School District's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated June 15, 2022, which was qualified because long-term financial obligations and commitments related to other postemployment benefits was not recorded.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of Dakota Valley School 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 preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. We did identify a certain deficiency in internal control, described in the accompanying Schedule of Current Audit Findings and Questioned Costs as items 2021-001 that we consider to be a material weakness.

Compliance and Other Matters

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

Dakota Valley School District's Response to Finding

Dakota Valley School District's response to the finding identified in our audit is described in the accompanying Corrective Action Plan as listed in the Table of Contents. Dakota Valley School District's response was not subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose. As required by South Dakota Codified Law 4-11-11, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited.

Quam, Berglin & Post P.C.

Quam, Berglin & Post P.C.
Elk Point, SD

June 15, 2022

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM AND REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

School Board
Dakota Valley School District No. 61-8
Union County, South Dakota

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Dakota Valley School District No. 61-8, South Dakota (School District) compliance 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 its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2021. The Dakota Valley School District's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying Schedule of Current Audit Findings and Questioned Costs.

Management's Responsibility

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

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the School District's major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the comptroller General of the United States; and 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 School District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

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

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, Dakota Valley School District No. 61-8 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 June 30, 2021.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

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

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

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

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 purposes. As required by South Dakota Codified Law 4-11-11, this report and our report on compliance for each major federal program are matters of public record and their distribution is not limited.

Quam, Berglin & Post P.C.

Quam, Berglin & Post, P.C.
June 15, 2022

**DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61-8
SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021**

PRIOR FEDERAL AUDIT FINDINGS:

The prior audit report contained no written federal audit findings.

PRIOR OTHER AUDIT FINDING NUMBER 2020-001:

A material weakness was reported for a lack of segregation of duties for revenues, expenditures and payroll. This comment results from the size of the district, which precludes staffing at a level sufficient to provide an ideal environment for internal control.

Corrective Action Plan:

This audit finding has not been corrected and is restated as finding number 2021-001 on the Schedule of Current Audit Findings and Questioned Costs.

**DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61-8
SCHEDULE OF CURRENT AUDIT FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021**

SUMMARY OF INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S RESULTS:

Financial Statements

- a. An unmodified opinion was issued on the financial statements of the business-type activities, the capital outlay, special education, and bond redemption governmental funds and the food service and driver's education enterprise funds. A qualified opinion for the lack of reporting long-term financial obligations and commitments related to other postemployment benefits was issued for the statements of the governmental activities.
- b. A significant deficiency was disclosed by our audit of the financial statements for a lack of segregation of duties as discussed in finding number 2021-001.
- c. Our audit did not disclose any noncompliance which was material to the financial statements.

Federal Awards

- d. An unmodified opinion was issued on compliance with the requirements applicable to major programs.
- e. Our audit did not disclose any audit findings that need to be disclosed in accordance with the Uniform Guidance.
- f. The federal awards tested as major programs included:

<u>Pass-Through the SD Department of Education:</u>	<u>CFDA #</u>
Child Nutrition Cluster	
National School Lunch Program	10.555
 <u>Pass-Through the SD Department of Treasury:</u>	
Coronavirus Relief Fund	21.019

- g. The dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B federal award programs was \$750,000.
- h. The Dakota Valley School District did not qualify as a low-risk entity.

**DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 61-8
SCHEDULE OF CURRENT AUDIT FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021**

CURRENT FEDERAL AUDIT FINDINGS:

There are no written current federal compliance audit findings to report.

CURRENT OTHER AUDIT FINDINGS:

Internal Control Related Findings - Material Weakness:

Audit Finding Number 2021-001:

Criteria:

In order to achieve proper internal control, it is necessary to have segregation of duties provided between performance, review and record keeping of the tasks related to revenues, expenditures, and payroll. Lack of this segregation of duties could adversely affect the organization's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial data consistent with management assertions.

Condition, Cause and Effect:

The size of the accounting staff employed by the entity precludes an adequate segregation of duties.

Recommendation:

We recommend that the Dakota Valley School District officials be cognizant of this lack of segregation of duties and attempt to provide compensating controls, whenever and wherever possible and practical.

Corrective Action Plan:

Jill Sponder, Business Manager for Dakota Valley School District is the contact person responsible for the corrective action plan for this comment. This comment is a result of the size of the entity which precludes staffing at a level sufficient to provide an ideal environment for internal controls. The School District Board of Education has prepared a response to this finding found in the Corrective Action Plan.



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Superintendent

CORRECTIVE PLAN OF ACTION

June 30, 2021

Dakota Valley School District No. 61-8 has considered the lack of segregation of duties. At this time, it is not cost effective for Dakota Valley School District to hire the additional staff needed to achieve segregation of duties. Alternate procedures have been implemented by Dakota Valley School District to decrease the likelihood that financial data is adversely affected.

The Dakota Valley School District's Board will continue to monitor the necessity to have segregation of duties and implement such segregation as budget dollars and board authority allow.

The Mission of the Dakota Valley School District is:

TO ENSURE ALL STUDENTS RECEIVE AN ENRICHED EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE IN A SAFE ENVIRONMENT

DAKOTA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER