

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Westwood, Texas

ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

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INTRODUCTORY SECTION

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
CERTIFICATE OF BOARD
August 31, 2023

Westwood Independent School District
Name of School District

Anderson
County

001-908
Co.-Dist. Number

We, the undersigned, certify that the attached annual financial reports of the above-named school district were reviewed and (check one) _____ approved _____ disapproved for the year ended August 31, 2023, at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of such school district on the 11th day of December, 2023.

Signature of Board Secretary

Signature of Board President

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

FINANCIAL SECTION

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Trustees
Westwood Independent School District
Palestine, Texas

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, proprietary fund, fiduciary funds and the aggregate remaining fund information of Westwood Independent School District ("the District"), as of and for the year ended August 31, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, proprietary fund, fiduciary funds and the aggregate remaining fund information of Westwood Independent School District, as of August 31, 2023, and the respective changes in financial position, and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles general accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

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

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

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

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

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

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards*, we:

- Exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.

- Obtaining an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgement, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

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

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

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

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements. The introductory section, combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements, and other supplementary information, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by Title 2, U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements for Federal Awards, and is also not a required part of the basic financial statements. The accompanying other supplementary information is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is also not a required part of the basic financial statements.

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

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

Other Reporting Required by *Government Auditing Standards*

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 11, 2023, on our consideration of Westwood Independent School District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely 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 effectiveness of Westwood Independent School District's 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 Westwood Independent School District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Axley & Rode LLP
 CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Lufkin, Texas
 December 11, 2023



WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

In this section of the Annual Financial and Compliance Report, we, the managers of Westwood Independent School District, discuss and analyze the District's financial performance for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2023. Please read it in conjunction with our transmittal letter, the independent auditor's report, and the District's Basic Financial Statements.

USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

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

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

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

The combining statements for non-major funds in the Supplementary Information section contain additional information about the District's individual funds. The sections labeled Other Supplementary Information and Federal Awards Section contain data used by monitoring or regulatory agencies for assurance that the District is using funds supplied in compliance with the terms of grants.

REPORTING THE DISTRICT AS A WHOLE

The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities

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

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

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

In the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities, we present the District's one kind of basic activity.

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

Reporting the District's Most Significant Funds

Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements, found in the independent auditor's report, provide detailed information about the most significant funds - not the District as a whole. Laws and contracts require the District to establish some funds, such as grants from the U.S. Department of Education. The District's administration establishes many other funds to help control and manage for particular purposes (such as campus activities).

Governmental funds - The District's basic services are reported in governmental funds. These use the modified accrual basis of accounting (a method that measures the receipt and disbursement of cash and all other financial assets that can be readily converted to cash) and report balances that are available for future spending. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the District's general operations and the basic services it provides. We describe the difference between governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) and governmental funds in reconciliation schedules following each of the fund financial statements.

The District as Trustee

Reporting the District's Fiduciary Responsibilities

The District is the trustee, or fiduciary, for money raised by student activities. All of the District's fiduciary activities are reported in separate Statements of Fiduciary Net Position. We exclude these resources from the District's other financial statements because the District cannot use these assets to finance its operations. The District is only responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in these funds are used for their intended purposes.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

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

Net Position of the District's governmental activities increased from \$13,193,129 to \$19,408,370. Unrestricted net position, the part of net position that can be used to finance day-to-day operations without constraints established by debt covenants, enabling legislation, or other legal requirements - was \$(33,552,480) at August 31, 2023. Although the district reports a deficit, the deficit is primarily due to reporting the Districts' proportionate share of the net OPEB liability and the new bond issue that is restricted for construction. The total district liability is reported in the governmental activities; however, the actual liability does not require the use of current resources at the fund level, which results in a timing difference since the TRS-Care plan is funded on a pay-as-you-go basis.

The District's total revenues were \$27,145,523. The cost of all governmental programs and services this year was \$20,903,282 compared to \$23,027,242 last year. However, as shown in the Statement of Activities, the amount that our taxpayers ultimately financed for these activities through the District taxes was only \$8,102,527 because some of the consists were paid by those who directly benefitted from the programs \$271,734, by other governments and organizations that subsidized certain programs with grants and contributions \$5,229,760, by State equalization funding \$11,363,931, or by investment earning and other miscellaneous revenue \$2,177,571.

THE DISTRICT'S FUNDS

As the District completed the year, its governmental funds (as presented on the balance sheet in the independent auditor's report) reported a combined fund balance of \$36,613,099, which is less than last year's total of \$47,717,512. Included in this year's total change in fund balance is an increase of \$19,295 in the District's general fund. The District's General Fund balance of \$8,558,902 reported in the audit differs from the General Fund's budgetary fund balances of \$6,761,801 reported in the budgetary comparison schedule. This is primarily because revenues totaled over \$1,180,983 more than budgeted and expenses ended under budget by more than \$202,334.

Over the course of the year, the Board of Trustees revised the District's budget several times primarily due to the actual revenue realized and costs incurred by the District being higher or lower than original estimates. The most significant budget amendments were for architectural services and bus purchases.

CAPITAL ASSET AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

CAPITAL ASSETS

At the end of the fiscal year 2023, the District had \$30,037,590 invested in a broad range of capital assets, including facilities and equipment for instruction, transportation, athletics, administration, and maintenance. The total accumulated depreciation was \$1,109,676. See Table III.

This year's major additions included a bus and a land purchase.

DEBT

The District has bonds outstanding of \$34,945,600, leases outstanding of \$37,460, and right of use payables of \$243,954. See Notes for further details.

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET AND RATES

The District's elected officials considered many factors when setting the fiscal-year 2023 budget and tax rates. One of those factors is the community the District serves. In the fiscal year 2022-2023 the taxable base of the District increased slightly compared to the previous fiscal year. The increase was due to a slightly increase in taxable property values in the area.

Other factors considered include the State property tax rules, which interact with the TEA Foundation revenue rules to calculate a substantial part of the funding received for the operation of most school functions.

The District's maintenance and operating property tax rate for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2023, was \$1.0106 per \$100 property valuation. For the next year ending August 31, 2024, the District has lowered the tax rate to \$1.268985 to align with state tax compression. The District's budgeted general fund expenditures for 2023-2024 are \$17,792,865.

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers, and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to show the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact the District's business office, at Westwood Independent School District, 4524 West Oak, Palestine, Texas 75802.

**Table 1
The District's Net Position**

	GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES			PERCENTAGE CHANGE
	2023	2022	CHANGE	2023 - 2022
<i>Governmental Activities</i>				
Current and other assets	\$ 41 623 560	\$ 49 448 508	\$ (7 824 948)	(16)
Capital and long-term assets	30 037 590	16 025 657	14 011 933	87
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>71 661 150</u>	<u>65 474 165</u>	<u>6 186 985</u>	9
Deferred outflows	6 858 565	3 124 551	3 734 014	120
TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS	<u>6 858 565</u>	<u>3 124 551</u>	<u>3 734 014</u>	120
Current liabilities	4 771 610	1 887 111	2 884 499	153
Long term liabilities	46 749 317	47 419 098	(669 781)	(1)
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>51 520 927</u>	<u>49 306 209</u>	<u>2 214 718</u>	4
Deferred inflows	7 590 418	6 099 378	1 491 040	24
TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS	<u>7 590 418</u>	<u>6 099 378</u>	<u>1 491 040</u>	24
Net Position:				
Invested in capital assets	24 906 653	16 049 747	8 856 906	55
Restricted	28 054 197	39 177 905	(11 123 708)	(28)
Unrestricted	(33 552 480)	(42 034 523)	8 482 043	(20)
TOTAL NET POSITION	<u>\$ 19 408 370</u>	<u>\$ 13 193 129</u>	<u>\$ 6 215 241</u>	47

**Table 2
Summary of Activities and Changes in Net Position**

	GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES			PERCENTAGE CHANGE
	2023	2022	AMOUNT OF CHANGE	2023 - 2022
Revenues:				
Program Revenues:				
Charges for services	\$ 271 734	\$ 258 616	\$ 13 118	5
Operating grants and contributions	5 229 760	4 220 797	1 008 963	24
General Revenues:				
Property taxes	8 102 527	6 078 101	2 024 426	33
State aid - Formula grants	11 363 931	10 882 965	480 966	4
Investment earnings	2 040 242	357 506	1 682 736	471
Other general revenues	137 329	90 518	46 811	52
TOTAL REVENUES/CONTRIBUTIONS	<u>27 145 523</u>	<u>21 888 503</u>	<u>5 257 020</u>	24
Expenses:				
Instruction	8 559 080	10 445 831	(1 886 751)	(18)
Instructional resources and media services	169 789	183 846	(14 057)	(8)
Curriculum and staff development	489 647	713 154	(223 507)	(31)
Instructional leadership	67 448	80 018	(12 570)	(16)
School leadership	1 348 768	1 638 504	(289 736)	(18)
Guidance, counseling, and evaluation services	336 900	494 796	(157 896)	(32)
Health services	288 193	230 456	57 737	25
Student transportation	1 015 832	1 032 816	(16 984)	(2)
Food services	1 131 421	1 173 251	(41 830)	(4)
Co-curricular/extracurricular activities	1 277 869	1 194 435	83 434	7
General admission	899 650	970 123	(70 473)	(8)
Plant maintenance and operations	2 279 855	2 467 838	(187 983)	(8)
Security and monitoring services	454 159	19 245	434 914	2 260
Data processing services	534 802	717 864	(183 062)	(26)
Community services	1 121	-	1 121	-
Debt service	1 303 997	1 128 630	175 367	16
Capital outlay	149 679	-	149 679	-
Payments to shared service arrangements	491 489	432 916	58 573	14
Other intergovernmental charges	130 583	103 519	27 064	26
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>20 930 282</u>	<u>23 027 242</u>	<u>(2 096 960)</u>	(9)
CHANGE IN NET POSITION	6 215 241	(1 138 739)	7 353 980	(646)
Prior period adjustment	-	15 985	(15 985)	(100)
Beginning net position	13 193 129	14 315 883	(1 122 754)	(8)
ENDING NET POSITION	<u>\$ 19 408 370</u>	<u>\$ 13 193 129</u>	<u>\$ 6 215 241</u>	48

Table 3
Summary of the District's Capital Assets

	GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES			PERCENTAGE CHANGE
	2023	2022	CHANGE	2023 - 2022
<i>Governmental Activities</i>				
Land	\$ 1 119 847	\$ 1 119 847	\$ -	-
Construction in progress	14 870 830	1 828 410	13 042 420	713
Buildings and improvements	25 898 562	24 952 521	946 041	4
Equipment	4 718 628	4 437 273	281 355	6
Vehicles	2 437 289	2 274 569	162 720	7
Capital lease assets	98 763	98 763	-	-
Right of use assets	371 970	-	371 970	100
TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES	49 515 889	34 711 383	14 804 506	43
Less accumulated depreciation	(19 478 299)	(18 685 726)	(792 573)	4
NET CAPITAL ASSETS	\$ <u>30 037 590</u>	\$ <u>16 025 657</u>	\$ <u>14 011 933</u>	87

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT A-1

DATA CONTROL CODES		1 GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES
	ASSETS	
1110	Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 39 670 822
1220	Taxes receivable	565 892
1230	Allowance for uncollectible taxes	(28 295)
1240	Due from other governments	1 131 856
1290	Other receivables	274 285
1410	Prepaid expenses	9 000
	Capital Assets:	
1510	Land	1 119 847
1520	Building, net	11 557 752
1530	Furniture and equipment, net	2 189 526
1540	Capital leased assets	34 168
1550	Right to use assets, net	265 467
1580	Construction in process	14 870 830
1000	TOTAL ASSETS	71 661 150
	DEFERRED OUTFLOWS	
	Deferred outflows related to pension	4 084 942
	Deferred outflows related to OPEB	2 773 623
1700	TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS	6 858 565
	LIABILITIES	
	Current Liabilities:	
2110	Accounts payable	3 053 914
2140	Interest payable	58 554
2150	Accrued liabilities	40 054
2160	Accrued wages payable	818 819
2501	Due within one year	800 269
	Noncurrent Liabilities:	
2502	Due in more than one year	34 426 144
2516	Bond premium	3 889 648
2540	Net pension liability	5 128 816
2545	Net OPEB liability	3 304 709
2000	TOTAL LIABILITIES	51 520 927
	DEFERRED INFLOWS	
	Deferred inflows: Pension	1 947 258
	Deferred inflows: OPEB	5 643 160
2600	TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS	7 590 418
	NET POSITION	
3200	Net investment in capital assets	24 906 653
	Restricted for:	
3820	Federal and state programs	274 292
3850	Debt service	376 084
3860	Capital projects and contract obligations	27 403 821
3900	Unrestricted	(33 552 480)
3000	TOTAL NET POSITION	\$ 19 408 370

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT B-1

DATA CONTROL CODES	FUNCTIONS/PROGRAMS	1 EXPENSES	PROGRAM REVENUES		NET (EXPENSE) REVENUE AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES
			3 CHARGES FOR SERVICES	4 OPERATING GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS	
	Governmental Activities:				
11	Instruction	\$ 8 559 080	\$ 78 824	\$ 2 428 935	\$ (6 051 321)
12	Instruction resources and media services	169 789	-	4 262	(165 527)
13	Curriculum and staff development	489 647	-	266 286	(223 361)
21	Instructional leadership	67 448	-	12 135	(55 313)
23	School leadership	1 348 768	-	290 476	(1 058 292)
31	Guidance, counseling, and evaluation services	336 900	-	106 972	(229 928)
33	Health services	288 193	-	11 217	(276 976)
34	Student (pupil) transportation	1 015 832	-	153 493	(862 339)
35	Food services	1 131 421	26 602	1 278 523	173 704
36	Extracurricular activities	1 277 869	25 006	85 153	(1 167 710)
41	General administration	899 650	141 302	103 586	(654 762)
51	Plant maintenance and operations	2 279 855	-	173 067	(2 106 788)
52	Security and monitoring services	454 159	-	232 706	(221 453)
53	Data processing services	534 802	-	82 949	(451 853)
61	Community service	1 121	-	-	(1 121)
71	Debt service	1 303 997	-	-	(1 303 997)
81	Capital outlay	149 679	-	-	(149 679)
93	Payments for shared service arrangements	491 489	-	-	(491 489)
99	Other intergovernmental charges	130 583	-	-	(130 583)
TG	TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES	\$ <u>20 930 282</u>	\$ <u>271 734</u>	\$ <u>5 229 760</u>	<u>(15 428 788)</u>
	General Revenues:				
MT	Property taxes, levied for general purposes				6 202 780
DT	Property tax, levied for debt service				1 899 747
GC	Grants and contributions not restricted				11 363 931
IE	Investment earnings				2 040 242
MI	Miscellaneous local and intermediate revenue				137 329
TR	TOTAL GENERAL REVENUES				<u>21 644 029</u>
CN	CHANGE IN NET POSITION				6 215 241
NB	Net position - Beginning				<u>13 193 129</u>
NE	NET POSITION - ENDING				<u>\$ 19 408 370</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT C-1

DATA CONTROL CODES		10	60	OTHER GOVERN- MENTAL	98 TOTAL GOVERN- MENTAL FUNDS
		GENERAL FUND	CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND		
	ASSETS				
1110	Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 8 622 396	\$ 30 095 476	\$ 671 569	\$ 39 389 441
1220	Property taxes - Delinquent	521 278	-	44 614	565 892
1230	Allowance for uncollectible taxes	(26 064)	-	(2 231)	(28 295)
1240	Due from other governments	815 020	-	316 836	1 131 856
1260	Due from other funds	184 069	-	-	184 069
1290	Other receivables	266 132	-	8 113	274 245
1410	Prepaid expenditures	9 000	-	-	9 000
1000	TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 10 391 831</u>	<u>\$ 30 095 476</u>	<u>\$ 1 038 901</u>	<u>\$ 41 526 208</u>
	LIABILITIES				
2110	Accounts payable	\$ 179 869	\$ 2 691 655	\$ 81 092	\$ 2 952 616
2150	Other accrued expenses	40 054	-	-	40 054
2160	Accrued wages payable	737 838	-	80 981	818 819
2170	Due to other funds	-	-	184 069	184 069
2000	TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>957 761</u>	<u>2 691 655</u>	<u>346 142</u>	<u>3 995 558</u>
	DEFERRED INFLOWS				
2600	Unavailable revenue	875 168	-	42 383	917 551
	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED INFLOWS	<u>1 832 929</u>	<u>2 691 655</u>	<u>388 525</u>	<u>4 913 109</u>
	FUND BALANCES				
3430	Non-spendable - prepaid	9 000	-	-	9 000
	Restricted:				
3450	Federal/State grants	-	-	274 292	274 292
3470	Capital acquisitions and contract obligations	-	27 403 821	-	27 403 821
3480	Retirement of long-term debt	-	-	376 084	376 084
3600	Unassigned	8 549 902	-	-	8 549 902
3000	TOTAL FUND BALANCE	<u>8 558 902</u>	<u>27 403 821</u>	<u>650 376</u>	<u>36 613 099</u>
4000	TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS, AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 10 391 831</u>	<u>\$ 30 095 476</u>	<u>\$ 1 038 901</u>	<u>\$ 41 526 208</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT C-1R

TOTAL FUND BALANCES FOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS	\$	36 613 099
Amounts Reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of Net Position are Different Because:		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not reported in the funds.		30 037 590
The asset and liabilities of internal service funds are included in governmental activities in the SNP.		180 123
Property tax unavailable to pay for current period expenditures is deferred in the funds.		917 551
Long term debt and related activities are not reported in the funds		(35 227 278)
Bond premium are amortized in the SNA but not in the funds.		(3 889 648)
Recognition of the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability is not reported in the funds.		(5 128 816)
Deferred resource outflows related to the pension plan are not reported in the funds.		4 084 942
Deferred resource inflows related to the pension plan are not reported in the funds.		(1 947 258)
Recognition of the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability is not reported in the funds.		(3 304 709)
Deferred resources outflows related to the OPEB plan are not reported in the funds.		2 773 623
Deferred resources inflows related to the OPEB plan are not reported in the funds.		<u>(5 643 160)</u>
NET POSITION OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES - STATEMENT OF NET POSITION	\$	<u>19 466 059</u>

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WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES -
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT C-2

DATA CONTROL CODES		10	60	98	TOTAL GOVERN- MENTAL FUNDS
		GENERAL FUND	CAPITAL PROJECT FUND	OTHER GOVERN- MENTAL	
	Revenues:				
5700	Local and intermediate sources	\$ 6 400 380	\$ 1 649 733	\$ 2 083 017	\$ 10 133 130
5800	State program revenues	10 890 293	-	248 424	11 138 717
5900	Federal program revenues	337 756	-	2 959 203	3 296 959
5020	TOTAL REVENUES	<u>17 628 429</u>	<u>1 649 733</u>	<u>5 290 644</u>	<u>24 568 806</u>
	Expenditures:				
0011	Instruction	7 551 660	-	1 279 395	8 831 055
0012	Instructional resources and media services	165 527	-	4 262	169 789
0013	Curriculum and staff development	319 173	-	179 105	498 278
0021	Instructional leadership	67 089	-	1 420	68 509
0023	School leadership	1 106 376	-	258 734	1 365 110
0031	Guidance, counseling and evaluation services	322 523	-	22 718	345 241
0033	Health services	276 976	-	11 217	288 193
0034	Student transportation	881 711	-	72 376	954 087
0035	Food services	1 105	-	1 114 536	1 115 641
0036	Extracurricular activities	1 184 446	-	1 420	1 185 866
0041	General administration	860 811	-	15 876	876 687
0051	Plant maintenance and operations	1 846 222	-	34 088	1 880 310
0052	Security and monitoring services	587 836	-	203 193	791 029
0053	Data processing services	703 738	-	40 681	744 419
0061	Community service	-	-	1 112	1 112
0071	Debt service	-	-	1 834 075	1 834 075
0081	Capital outlay	136 869	13 964 868	-	14 101 737
0093	Payment to fiscal agent/member districts of the SSA	491 489	-	-	491 489
0099	Other intergovernmental charges	130 583	-	-	130 583
6030	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>16 634 134</u>	<u>13 964 868</u>	<u>5 074 217</u>	<u>35 673 219</u>
1100	EXCESS/(DEFICIT) REVENUE OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	<u>994 295</u>	<u>(12 315 135)</u>	<u>216 427</u>	<u>(11 104 413)</u>
	Other Financing Sources and (Uses):				
7915	Transfer in	-	975 000	-	975 000
8911	Transfer out	(975 000)	-	-	(975 000)
7080	TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	<u>(975 000)</u>	<u>975 000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
1200	NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	19 295	(11 340 135)	216 427	(11 104 413)
0100	Fund balance - Beginning	8 539 607	38 743 956	433 949	47 717 512
3000	FUND BALANCE - ENDING	<u>\$ 8 558 902</u>	<u>\$ 27 403 821</u>	<u>\$ 650 376</u>	<u>\$ 36 613 099</u>

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WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES,
 EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF
 GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
 For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT C-3

NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES - TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS	\$	(11 104 413)
Amounts Reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of Activities ("SOA") are Different Because:		
Capital outlays are not reported as expenses in the SOA.		15 156 854
The depreciation of capital assets used in governmental activities is not reported in the funds.		(1 109 676)
Gain/(loss) on disposal of capital assets are not reported in the funds		(35 425)
Certain property tax revenues are deferred in the funds. This is the change in these amounts this year.		448 436
Expenses not requiring the use of current financial resources are not reported as an expenditure in the funds.		593 091
The net revenue (expense) of internal service funds is reported with governmental activities.		106 894
Debt proceeds and accrued interest are reported as revenue and expenses in the funds.		(5 324)
The SOA recognizes the District's OPEB expense and the change in related deferred balances from the funds.		355 656
The SOA recognizes the District's pension expense and the change in related deferred balances from the funds.		<u>1 866 567</u>
CHANGE IN NET POSITION OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES - STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES	\$	<u>6 272 930</u>

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WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF FUND NET POSITION
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT D-1

DATA CONTROL CODES		INTERNAL SERVICE FUND
	ASSETS	
1110	Cash and investments	\$ 281 381
1290	Other receivables	40
1000	TOTAL ASSETS	281 421
	LIABILITIES	
2110	Accounts payable	101 298
2000	TOTAL LIABILITIES	101 298
	NET POSITION	
3900	Unrestricted net position	180 123
3000	TOTAL NET POSITION	\$ 180 123

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WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT D-2

DATA CONTROL CODES		INTERNAL SERVICE FUND
	Revenues:	
5700	Local and intermediate sources	\$ 141 393
5020	TOTAL REVENUES	<u>141 393</u>
	Expenses:	
6143	Workers comp claims	91
6143	Workers comp fixed costs	<u>34 408</u>
6030	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	<u>34 499</u>
1300	CHANGE IN NET POSITION	106 894
0100	Total net position - Beginning	<u>73 229</u>
3000	TOTAL NET POSITION - ENDING	\$ <u>180 123</u>

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WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
Year Ended August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT D-3

	INTERNAL SERVICE FUND
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:	
Cash receipts from Quasi interfund transfers	\$ 141 393
Refunds for claims adjustments	(20 099)
Cash payments for administration/reinsurance	(34 448)
TOTAL CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	86 846
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	86 846
Cash and investments - Beginning	194 535
CASH AND INVESTMENTS - ENDING	\$ 281 381
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME TO NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
Operating income (loss)	\$ 106 894
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:	
Increase (decrease) in receivables	(40)
Increase (decrease) in claims payable	(20 008)
NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$ 86 846

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WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT E-1

	PRIVATE- PURPOSE TRUSTS	CUSTODIAL FUNDS STUDENT ACTIVITY
ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 5 013	\$ 111 879
TOTAL ASSETS	5 013	111 879
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable	-	-
TOTAL LIABILITIES	-	-
NET POSITION		
Restricted net position	5 013	111 879
TOTAL NET POSITION	\$ 5 013	\$ 111 879

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WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT E-2

	PRIVATE- PURPOSE TRUSTS	CUSTODIAL FUNDS
		STUDENT ACTIVITY
Additions:		
Local and intermediate sources	\$ 3 520	\$ 227 612
TOTAL ADDITIONS	3 520	227 612
Deductions:		
Payments	2 500	169 747
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	2 500	169 747
CHANGE IN NET POSITION	1 020	57 865
Beginning net position	3 993	54 014
ENDING NET POSITION	\$ 5 013	\$ 111 879

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
August 31, 2023

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

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

A. The Reporting Entity

The Board of School Trustees (Board), a seven member group, has governance responsibilities over all activities related to public elementary and secondary education within the jurisdiction of the District. The Board is elected by the public and as a body corporate has the exclusive power and duty to govern and oversee the management of the public schools of the District. All powers and duties not specifically delegated by statute to the Texas Education Agency (Agency) or to the State Board of Education are reserved for the Board, and the Agency may not substitute its judgment for the lawful exercise of those powers and duties by the Board. The District is not included in any other governmental "reporting entity" as defined by GASB in its Statement No. 14, "The Financial Reporting Entity."

As required by generally accepted accounting principles, the financial statements of the reporting entity include those of the District (primary government) and its component units. There are no component units reported at year end.

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

B. Basis of Presentation - Basis of Accounting

1. Basis of Presentation

Government-wide Statements: The statement of net position (SNP) and the statement of activities include the financial activities of the overall government, except for fiduciary activities. Eliminations have been made to minimize the double-counting of internal activities. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental revenues and other nonexchange transactions.

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

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

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

The District reports the following major governmental funds:

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

Capital Projects Fund - This fund accounts for resources segregated for construction and maintenance of school buildings and equipment.

In addition, the District reports the following fund types:

Debt Service Fund - This fund is used to account for accumulation of resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned for the payment of principal and interest on long-term obligations of the District.

Special Revenue Funds - The District accounts for resources restricted to or designated for specific purposes by the District or a grantor in a special revenue fund. Most Federal and some State financial assistance is accounted for in a special revenue fund, and sometimes unused balances must be returned to the grantor at the close of specified project periods. The Board can commit specific types of resources to specific purposes which are included as special revenue funds.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED
August 31, 2023

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED

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

Fiduciary Funds - These funds are used to account for assets held by the District in a trustee capacity or as an custodian for individuals, private organizations, or other governments. These include private purpose (Orange and White scholarship) funds and custodial funds. Scholarship funds accumulate contributions and other sources of revenue which are subsequently awarded to worthy recipients. Custodial funds do not involve measurement of results of operations.

2. Measurement Focus - Basis of Accounting

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

Governmental Fund Financial Statements - Governmental funds are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under this method, revenues are recognized when measurable and available.

The District considers all revenues reported in the governmental funds to be available if the revenues are collected within sixty days after year-end. Revenues from local sources consist primarily of property taxes. Property tax revenues and revenues received from the State are recognized under the susceptible-to-accrual concept. Miscellaneous revenues are recorded as revenue when received in cash because they are generally not measurable until actually received. Investment earnings are recorded as earned, since they are both measurable and available. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for principal and interest on long-term debt, which are recognized as expenditures to the extent they have matured. Capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Proceeds of long-term debt and acquisitions under capital lease are reported as other financing sources.

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

Under GASB Statement No. 20, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Proprietary Funds and Other Governmental Entities That Use Proprietary Fund Accounting," all proprietary funds will continue to follow Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) standards issued on or before November 30, 1989. However, from that date forward, proprietary funds will have the option of either 1) choosing not to apply future FASB standards (including amendments of earlier pronouncements), or 2) continuing to follow new FASB pronouncements unless they conflict with GASB guidance. The District has chosen not to apply future FASB Standards.

C. Budgetary Data

The official budget was prepared for adoption for the general, food service and debt service funds. The following procedures are followed in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the basic financial statements:

1. Prior to August 20 of the preceding fiscal year, the District prepares a budget for the next succeeding fiscal year beginning September 1.
2. A meeting of the Board is called for the purpose of adopting the proposed budget with public notice given at least 10 days prior to the meeting.
3. Prior to the expenditure of funds, the budget is adopted by the Board.

After adoption, the budget may be amended through action by the Board. Budget amendments are approved at the functional expenditure level. All amendments are before the fact and reflected in the official minutes of the Board. Budgets are controlled at the function level by personnel responsible for organizational financial reporting. All budget appropriations lapse at the year end. Budget amendments throughout the year were not significant.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED
 August 31, 2023

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED

D. Financial Statement Amounts

Cash and Investments

The District pools cash resources of its various funds in order to facilitate the management of cash. Cash applicable to a particular fund is readily identifiable. The balance in the pooled accounts is available to meet current operating requirements. Cash in excess of current requirements is invested in various interest-bearing securities and disclosed as a part of the District's cash and temporary investments.

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

Fund Equity

Governmental Funds utilize a fund balance presentation for equity. Fund balance is categorized as nonspendable, restricted, committed, assigned or unassigned.

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

Restricted fund balance - represents amounts with external constraints placed on the use of these resources (such as debt covenants, grantors, other governments, etc.) or imposed by enabling legislation. Restrictions may be changed or lifted only with the consent of resource providers.

Committed fund balance - represents amounts that can only be used for specific purposes imposed by a formal action of the district's highest level of decision-making authority, the Board. Committed resources cannot be used for any other purpose unless the Board removes or changes the specific use by taking the same formal action that imposed the constraint originally.

Assigned fund balance - represents amounts the District intends to use for specific purposes as expressed by the Board or an official delegated the authority. The Board has delegated the authority to assign fund balances to the Superintendent.

Unassigned fund balance - represents the residual classification for the general fund or deficit balances in other funds.

In circumstances where an expenditure is to be made for a purpose for which amounts are available in multiple fund balance classifications, the order in which resources will be expended is as follows: restricted fund balance, followed by committed fund balance, assigned fund balance, and lastly, unassigned fund balance.

Capital Assets

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

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

ASSET CLASS	ESTIMATED USEFUL LIVES
Land improvements	15
Buildings	50
Building improvements	15
Vehicles (other than buses)	5
Buses	10
Computer equipment	5
Office and other equipment	7

Land and construction in progress are not depreciated.

E. Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets and liabilities, the government-wide Statement of Net Position and governmental fund Balance Sheet report separate sections for deferred outflows and deferred inflows of resources. Deferred outflows of resources represent a consumption of net position/fund balance that applies to a future period and will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. Deferred inflows of resources represent the acquisition of net position/fund balance that applies to a future period and will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The District reports certain deferred inflows and outflows related to pensions and other post-employment benefits on the government-wide Statement of Net Position and overpayments of formula funds from TEA. At the governmental fund level, earned but unavailable revenue is reported as a deferred inflow of resources.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED
August 31, 2023

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED

F. Receivable and Payable Balances

The District believes that sufficient detail of receivable and payable balances is provided in the financial statements to avoid the obscuring of significant components by aggregation. See additional disclosure on Note 13.

There are no significant receivables which are not scheduled for collection within one year of year end.

G. Interfund Activities

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

H. Vacation, Sick Leave and Other Compensated Absences

District employees are entitled to certain compensated absences based on their length of employment. Sick leave accrues at various rates established by the State and adopted by the Board of Trustees. Sick leave does not vest but accumulates and is recorded as an expenditure as it is paid.

I. Pensions

The fiduciary net position of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) has been determined using the flow of economic resources measurement focus and full accrual basis of accounting. For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) and additions to/deductions from TRS's fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by TRS. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

J. Other Post-Employment Benefits

The fiduciary net position of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) TRS Care Plan has been determined using the flow of economic resources measurement focus and full accrual basis of accounting. This includes for purposes of measuring the net OPEB liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to other post-employment benefits, OPEB expenses, and information about assets, liabilities and additions to/deductions from TRS Care's fiduciary net position. Benefit payments are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit term. There are no investments as this pay-as-you-go plan and all cash is held in a cash account.

K. Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires the use of management's estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could vary from these estimates.

L. Data Control Codes

Data control codes refer to the account code structure prescribed by the Agency in the *Guide*. The Agency requires the District to display these codes in its financial statements filed with the Agency in order to ensure accuracy in building a statewide database for policy development and funding plans.

M. Accounting System

In accordance with Texas Education Code, Chapter 44, Subchapter A, the District adopted and implemented an accounting system which at least meets the minimum requirements prescribed by the State Board of Education and approved by the State Auditor. The District's accounting system uses codes and the code structure presented in the accounting code section of the *Guide*. Mandatory codes are utilized in the form provided in that section.

N. Inventories and Prepaid Items

The District records purchases of supplies as expenditures, utilizing the purchase method of accounting for inventory in accordance with the Resource Guide.

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

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED
 August 31, 2023

NOTE 2 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

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

CASH DEPOSITS

At August 31, 2023, the carrying amount of the District's deposits was \$39,787,714, and the bank balance was \$40,095,316. The District's cash deposits during the year ended August 31, 2023, were entirely covered by FDIC insurance or by pledged collateral held by the District's agent bank in the District's name.

INVESTMENTS

The District is required by Government Code Chapter 2256, The Public Funds Investment Act, to adopt, implement, and publicize an investment policy. That policy must address the following areas: (1) safety of principal and liquidity, (2) portfolio diversification, (3) allowable investments, (4) acceptable risk levels, (5) expected rates of return, (6) maximum allowable stated maturity of portfolio investments, (7) maximum average dollar-weighted maturity allowed based on the stated maturity date for the portfolio, (8) investment staff quality and capabilities, and (9) bid solicitation preferences for certificates of deposit.

Investment Accounting Policy

The District's general policy is to report money market investments and short-term participating interest-earning investment contracts at amortized cost and to report nonparticipating interest-earning investment contracts using a cost-based measure. However, if the fair value of an investment is significantly affected by the impairment of the credit standing of the issuer or by other factors, it is reported at fair value. All other investments are reported at fair value unless a legal contract exists which guarantees a higher value. The term "short-term" refers to investments which have a remaining term of one year or less at time of purchase. The term "nonparticipating" means that the investment's value does not vary with market interest rate changes. Nonnegotiable certificates of deposit are examples of nonparticipating interest-earning investment contracts.

The Public Funds Investment Act ("Act") requires an annual audit of investment practices. Audit procedures in this area conducted as a part of the audit of the basic financial statements disclosed that in the areas of investment practices, management reports and establishment of appropriate policies, the District adhered to the requirements of the act. Additionally, investment practices of the District were in accordance with local policies.

The Act determines the types of investments which are allowable for the District. These include, with certain restrictions, 1) obligations of the U.S. Treasury, U.S. agencies, and the State of Texas, 2) certificates of deposit, 3) certain municipal securities, 4) securities lending program, 5) repurchase agreements, 6) bankers acceptances, 7) mutual funds, 8) investment pools, 9) guaranteed investment contracts, and 10) commercial paper.

The District's investments at August 31, 2023 are shown below:

<u>Investment or Investment Type</u>	<u>Weighted Average Maturity (Days)</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>	<u>Credit Rating</u>
First Public/Lone Star Investment Pool:			AAAm
Government Overnight Fund	18	\$ 1 147 439	AAA
Corporate Overnight Fund	32	35 647 984	AAA
TOTAL REPORTING ENTITY		<u>\$ 36 795 423</u>	

ANALYSIS OF SPECIFIC DEPOSIT AND INVESTMENT RISKS

GASB Statement No. 40 requires a determination as to whether the District was exposed to the following specific investment risks at August 31, 2023 and if so, the reporting of certain related disclosures:

a. Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. The ratings of securities by nationally recognized rating agencies are designed to give an indication of credit risk. At August 31, 2022, the District was not significantly exposed to credit risk.

b. Custodial Credit Risk

Deposits are exposed to custodial credit risk if they are not covered by depository insurance and the deposits are uncollateralized, collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution, or collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent but not in the District's name. All deposits not covered by FDIC insurance were fully collateralized.

Investment securities are exposed to custodial credit risk if the securities are uninsured, are not registered in the name of the government, and are held by either the counterparty or the counterparty's trust department or agent but not in the District's name.

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NOTE 2 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - CONTINUED

- c. Concentration of Credit Risk
 District's investment portfolio is diversified in terms of investment instruments and maturity scheduling to reduce risk of loss resulting from overconcentration of assets.
- d. Interest Rate Risk
 In accordance with the District's investment policy, investments are made in a manner that ensures the preservation of capital in the overall portfolio.
- e. Foreign Currency Risk
 As of August 31, 2022, there are no foreign currency investments in the District's portfolio.

NOTE 3 - PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes are levied by October 1, in conformity with Subtitle E, Texas Property Tax Code. Taxes are due on receipt of the tax bill and are delinquent if not paid before February 1, of the year following the October 1 levy date. On January 1 of each year, a tax lien attaches to property to secure the payment of all taxes, penalties, and interest ultimately imposed. Property tax revenues are considered available when collected within the current period or expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period.

Property taxes are prorated between maintenance and debt service based on rates adopted for the year of the levy. Allowance for uncollectibles within the General and Debt Service Funds are based upon historical experience in collecting property taxes. Section 33.05, Property Tax Code, requires the tax collector for the District to cancel and remove from the delinquent tax rolls a tax on real property that has been delinquent for more than 20 years or a tax on personal property that has been delinquent for more than 10 years. Delinquent taxes meeting these criteria may not be canceled if litigation concerning these taxes is pending.

The District levied taxes on property within the District at \$0.9497 to fund general operations and \$0.319285 to debt service. The rates were levied on property assessed totaling \$606,535,538.

NOTE 4 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activities during the year were as follows:

	BEGINNING BALANCES	INCREASES	DECREASES	ENDING BALANCES
Governmental Activities:				
Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated:				
Land	\$ 1 119 847	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1 119 847
Construction in process	1 828 410	13 042 420	-	14 870 830
TOTAL CAPITAL ASSETS NOT BEING DEPRECIATED	<u>2 948 257</u>	<u>13 042 420</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>15 990 677</u>
Capital Assets Being Depreciated:				
Buildings and improvements	24 952 521	946 041	-	25 898 562
Equipment	4 437 273	281 355	-	4 718 628
Vehicles	2 274 569	515 068	(352 348)	2 437 289
Capital lease assets	98 763	-	-	98 763
Right of use assets	-	371 970	-	371 970
TOTAL CAPITAL ASSETS BEING DEPRECIATED	<u>31 763 126</u>	<u>2 114 434</u>	<u>(352 348)</u>	<u>33 525 212</u>
Less Accumulated Depreciation for:				
Buildings and improvements	(13 778 137)	(562 673)	-	(14 340 810)
Equipment	(3 581 534)	(234 173)	-	(3 815 707)
Vehicles	(1 281 213)	(186 574)	317 103	(1 150 684)
Capital lease assets	(44 842)	(19 753)	-	(64 595)
Right of use assets	-	(106 503)	-	(106 503)
TOTAL ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION	<u>(18 685 726)</u>	<u>(1 109 676)</u>	<u>317 103</u>	<u>(19 478 299)</u>
TOTAL CAPITAL ASSETS BEING DEPRECIATED, NET	<u>13 077 400</u>	<u>1 004 758</u>	<u>(35 245)</u>	<u>14 046 913</u>
GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES CAPITAL ASSETS, NET	<u>\$ 16 025 657</u>	<u>\$ 1 004 758</u>	<u>\$ (35 245)</u>	<u>\$ 30 037 590</u>

Depreciation was charged to governmental activities functions as follows:

Instruction	\$ 227 270
School leadership	1 070
Student (pupil) transportation	171 775
Food services	20 900
Cocurricular/extracurricular activities	163 701
General administration	2 327
Plant maintenance and operations	465 782
Security and monitoring	9 144
Data processing	47 707
TOTAL DEPRECIATION EXPENSE	<u>\$ 1 109 676</u>

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NOTE 5 - LONG TERM OBLIGATIONS

Long-Term Obligation Activity:

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

	INTEREST RATE	AMOUNT ORIGINAL ISSUE	AMOUNT OUT-STANDING 08/31/22	ISSUED CURRENT YEAR	CURRENT YEAR PAYMENT	AMOUNT OUT-STANDING 08/31/23	CURRENT AMOUNT DUE
Building Bonds	3.0%-5.0%	\$ 35 570 000	\$ 35 570 000	\$ -	\$ (625 000)	\$ 34 945 000	\$ 660 000
Premium on 2022 Bond		4 023 774	4 023 774	-	(134 126)	3 889 648	-
Capital Lease Payable:							
Cannon Financial Services	0.04%	41 731	26 683	-	(8 255)	18 429	8 288
Xerox printers	1.28%-2.65%	57 032	31 006	-	(11 974)	19 031	11 974
Subscriptions Payable:							
Skyward	3.10%	213 672	-	213 672	(73 409)	140 263	69 061
ISCorp Cloud Hosting	3.10%	30 271	-	30 271	(10 400)	19 871	9 784
Frontline	3.10%	31 666	-	31 666	(10 879)	20 787	10 235
Linewize Content Filter	3.79%	20 618	-	20 618	(7 130)	13 488	6 619
Cardonex	3.68%	27 500	-	27 500	(9 500)	18 000	8 838
Microsoft Office 365	3.95%	36 390	-	36 390	(12 603)	23 787	11 663
Freshworks Subscriptions	3.72%	11 853	-	11 853	(4 096)	7 757	3 807
TOTALS		\$ 40 064 507	\$ 39 651 463	\$ 371 970	\$ (907 372)	\$ 39 116 061	\$ 800 269

Debt Service Requirements:

YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31,	GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES					
	BONDS PAYABLE		LEASES		RIGHT OF USE ASSETS	
	PRINCIPAL	INTEREST	PRINCIPAL	INTEREST	PRINCIPAL	INTEREST
2024	\$ 660 000	\$ 1 176 550	\$ 19 980	\$ 265	\$ 120 007	\$ 8 010
2025	690 000	1 142 800	14 704	77	123 947	4 070
2026	730 000	1 107 300	2 776	2	-	-
2027	765 000	1 069 925	-	-	-	-
2028	805 000	1 030 675	-	-	-	-
2029-2033	4 680 000	4 495 900	-	-	-	-
2034-2038	5 640 000	3 538 100	-	-	-	-
2039-2043	6 505 000	2 670 075	-	-	-	-
2044-2048	7 555 000	1 617 675	-	-	-	-
2049-2050	6 915 000	422 925	-	-	-	-
TOTALS	\$ 34 945 000	\$ 18 271 925	\$ 37 460	\$ 344	\$ 243 954	\$ 12 080

The capital lease payable have an interest rate from 0.4% to 2.65%. The bonds payable have an interest rate from 3% to 5%.

The District issued the Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds, Series 2022 for capital projects, payments due in semiannual installments over 30 years.

NOTE 6 - RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, theft, damage or destruction of assets, errors and omissions, injuries to employees, and natural disasters. During the year ended August 31, 2023, the District purchased commercial insurance to cover general liabilities. There were no significant reductions in coverage in the past fiscal year, and there were no settlements exceeding insurance coverage for each of the past three fiscal years.

NOTE 7 - OTHER INFORMATION

Defined Benefit Pension Plan

Plan Description:

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

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

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NOTE 7 - OTHER INFORMATION - CONTINUED

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position:

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

Benefits Provided:

TRS provides service and disability retirement, as well as death and survivor benefits, to eligible employees (and their beneficiaries) of public and higher education in Texas. The pension formula is calculated using 2.3 percent (multiplier) times the average of the five highest annual creditable salaries times years of credited service to arrive at the annual standard annuity except for members who are grandfathered, the three highest annual salaries are used. The normal service retirement is at age 65 with 5 years of credited service or when the sum of the member's age and years of credited service equals 80 or more years. Early retirement is at age 55 with 5 years of service credit or earlier than 55 with 30 years of service credit. There are additional provisions for early retirement if the sum of the member's age and years of service credit total at least 80, but the member is less than age 60 or 62 depending on date of employment, or if the member was grandfathered in under a previous rule. There are no automatic post-employment benefit changes; including automatic COLAs. Ad hoc post-employment benefit changes, including ad hoc COLAs can be granted by the Texas Legislature as noted in the Plan description in (A) above.

Contributions:

Contribution requirements are established or amended pursuant to Article 16, section 67 of the Texas Constitution which requires the Texas legislature to establish a member contribution rate of not less than 6% of the member's annual compensation and a state contribution rate of not less than 6% and not more than 10% of the aggregate annual compensation paid to members of the system during the fiscal year. Texas Government Code section 821.006 prohibits benefit improvements, if as a result of the particular action, the time required to amortize TRS' unfunded actuarial liabilities would be increase to a period that exceeds 31 years, or, if the amortization period already exceeds 31 years, the period would be increased by such action.

Employee contribution rates are set in state statute, Texas Government Code 825.402. Senate Bill 1458 of the 83rd Texas Legislature amended Texas Government Code 825.402 for member contributions and established employee contribution rates. The 85th Texas Legislature, General Appropriations Act (GAA) established the employer contribution rates for fiscal years 2014 and 2015. The 84th Texas Legislature, General Appropriations Act (GAA) established the employer contribution rates for fiscal years 2022 and 2023.

	CONTRIBUTION RATES	
	2022	2023
Member	8.00%	8.00%
Non-Employer Contributing Entity (State)	7.75%	7.75%
Employers	7.75%	7.75%
Employer Contributions - 2023		\$ 442 937
Member Contributions - 2023		\$ 792 001
NECE On-behalf Contributions - 2022		\$ 591 926

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

As the non-employer contributing entity for public education and junior colleges, the State of Texas contributes to the retirement system an amount equal to the current employer contribution rate times the aggregate annual compensation of all participating members of the pension trust fund during that fiscal year reduced by the amounts described below which are paid by the employers. Employers (public school, junior college, other entities or the State of Texas as the employer for senior universities and medical schools) are required to pay the employer contribution rate in the following instances:

- On the portion of the member's salary that exceeds the statutory minimum for members entitled to the statutory minimum under Section 21.402 of the Texas Education Code.
- During a new member's first 90 days of employment.
- When any part or all of an employee's salary is paid by federal funding sources, a privately sponsored source, from non-educational and general, or local funds.
- When the employing district is a public junior college or junior college district, the employer shall contribute to the retirement system an amount equal to 50% of the state contribution rate for certain instructional or administrative employees; and 100% of the state contribution rate for all other employees.

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

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

Actuarial Assumptions:

The total pension liability in the August 31, 2022 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

Valuation Date	August 31, 2022
Actuarial Cost Method	Individual Entry Age Normal
Asset Valuation Method	Market Value
Single Discount Rate	7.00%
Long-term Expected Investment Rate of Return	7.00%
Inflation	2.30%
Salary Increases	2.95% to 8.95% including inflation
Benefit Changes During the Year	None
Ad Hoc Post-Employment Benefit Changes	None

Discount Rate:

The single discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00 percent. The single discount rate was based on the expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.00 percent and a municipal bond rate of 3.91 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members and those of the contributing employers and the non-employer contributing entity are made at the statutorily required rates. Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was sufficient to finance the benefit payments until the year 2069. As a result, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to projected benefit payments through the year 2069, and the municipal bond rate was applied to all benefit payments after that date. The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimates ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in the Systems target asset allocation as of August 31, 2022 are summarized below:

ASSET CLASS	TARGET** ALLOCATION	LONG-TERM EXPECTED GEOMETRIC REAL RATE OF RETURN***	EXPECTED CONTRIBUTION TO LONG-TERM PORTFOLIO RETURNS
Global Equity	U.S.A.	18%	1.12%
	Non-U.S. Developed	13%	0.90%
	Emerging Markets	9%	0.75%
	Private Equity*	14%	1.55%
Stable Value	Government Bonds	16%	0.22%
	Absolute Return*	-	-
	Stable Value Hedge Funds	5%	0.18%
Real Return	Real Estate	15%	0.94%
	Energy, Natural Resources, and Infrastructure	6%	0.37%
	Commodities	-	-
	Risk Parity	8%	0.43%
Risk Parity	Risk Parity	8%	0.43%
	Cash	2%	0.01%
Asset Allocation Leverage	Asset Allocation Leverage	(6)%	(0.05)%
	Inflation Expectation		2.70%
	Volatility Drag****		(0.91)%
Expected Return	100%		8.21%

* Absolute Return includes Credit Sensitive Investments.

** Target allocations are based on the FY2022 policy model.

*** Capital Market Assumptions come from Aon Hewitt (as of 08/31/2022).

**** The volatility drag results from the conversion between arithmetic and geometric mean returns.

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For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2022, the annual money-weighted rate of return on pension plan investments was 7.00 percent. The annual money-weighted rate of return expresses investment performance, net of investment expense, adjusted for the changing amounts actually invested.

Discount Rate Sensitivity Analysis:

The following schedule shows the impact of the Net Pension Liability if the discount rate used was 1% less than and 1% greater than the discount rate that was used (7.00%) in measuring the Net Pension Liability.

	1% DECREASE IN DISCOUNT RATE (6.00%)	DISCOUNT RATE (7.00%)	1% INCREASE IN DISCOUNT RATE (8.00%)
District proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 7 978 494	\$ 5 128 816	\$ 2 819 019

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

At August 31, 2023, the District reported a liability of \$5,128,816 for its proportionate share of the TRS's net pension liability. This liability reflects a reduction for State pension support provided to the District. The amount recognized by the District as its proportionate share of the net pension liability, the related State support, and the total portion of the net pension liability that was associated with the District were as follows:

District's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability	\$ 5 128 816
State's proportionate share that is associated with the District	7 530 839
TOTAL	\$ 12 659 655

The net pension liability was measured as of August 31, 2022 and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the District's contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all employers to the plan for the period September 1, 2021 thru August 31, 2022.

At August 31, 2022 the District's proportion of the collective net pension liability was 0.0086% which was an increase of 0.0013% from its proportion measured as of August 31, 2021.

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

The total pension liability as of August 31, 2021 was developed using a roll-forward method from the August 31, 2021 valuation.

Demographic assumptions including post-retirement mortality, termination rates, and rates of retirement were updated based on the experience study performed for TRS for the period ending August 31, 2022.

Economic assumptions including rates of salary increase for individual participants was updated based on the same experience study.

The discount rate decreased to 7.00 percent.

For the year ended August 31, 2023, the District recognized pension expense of \$719,863 and revenue of \$719,863 for support provided by the State.

At August 31, 2023, the District reported its proportionate share of the TRS's deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES
Differences between expected and actual economic experience	\$ 74 367	\$ 111 818
Changes in actuarial assumptions	955 665	238 179
Difference between projected and actual investment earnings	1 992 751	1 486 040
Changes in proportion and difference between the employer's contributions and the proportionate share of contributions	619 222	111 221
Contributions paid to TRS subsequent to the measurement date	442 937	-
TOTAL	\$ 4 084 942	\$ 1 947 258

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

YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31,	PENSION EXPENSE AMOUNT
2023	\$ 412,961
2024	\$ 277,734
2025	\$ 146,488
2026	\$ 701,587
2027	\$ 155,977
Thereafter	\$ -

D. Defined Other Post-Employment Benefit Plan

Plan Description:

The District participates in the Texas Public School Retired Employees Group Insurance Program (TRS-Care). It is a multiple-employer, cost-sharing defined Other Post-Employment Benefit (OPEB) plan that has a special funding situation. The plan is administered through a trust by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) Board of Trustees. It is established and administered in accordance with the Texas Insurance Code, Chapter 1575.

OPEB Plan Fiduciary Net Position:

Detail information about the TRS-Care's fiduciary net position is available in the separately-issued TRS Comprehensive Annual Financial Report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained on the Internet at <http://www.trs.state.tx.us/about/documents/cafr.pdf#CAFR>; by writing to TRS at 1000 Red River Street, Austin, Texas 78701-2698; or by calling 512.542.6592.

Benefits Provided:

TRS-Care provides a basic health insurance coverage (TRS-Care 1), at no cost to all retirees from public schools, charter schools, regional education service centers and other educational districts who are members of the TRS pension plan. Optional dependent coverage is available for an additional fee.

Eligible retirees and their dependents not enrolled in Medicare may pay premiums to participate in one of two optional insurance plans with more comprehensive benefits (TRS-Care 2 and TRS-Care 3). Eligible retirees and dependents enrolled in Medicare may elect to participate in one of the two Medicare health plans for an additional fee. To qualify for TRS-Care coverage, a retiree must have at least 10 years of service credit in the TRS pension system. The Board of Trustees is granted the authority to establish basic and optional group insurance coverage for participants as well as to amend benefit terms as needed under Chapter 1575.052. There are no automatic post-employment benefit changes; including automatic COLAs.

The premium rates for the optional health insurance are based on years of service of the member. The schedule below shows the monthly rates for a retiree with and without Medicare coverage.

TRS-Care Monthly for Retirees			
January 1, 2022 - December 31, 2022			
		Medicare	Non-Medicare
Retiree*	\$	135	\$ 200
Retiree and Spouse		529	689
Retiree* and Children		468	408
Retiree and Family		1 020	999

* *or surviving spouse*

Contributions:

Contribution rates for the TRS-Care plan are established in state statute by the Texas Legislature, and there is no continuing obligation to provide benefits beyond each fiscal year. The TRS-Care plan is currently funded on a pay-as-you-go basis and is subject to change based on available funding. Funding for TRS-Care is provided by retiree premium contributions and contributions from the state, active employees, and school districts based upon public school district payroll. The TRS Board of trustees does not have the authority to set or amend contribution rates.

Texas Insurance Code, section 1575.202 establishes the state's contribution rate which is 1.25% of the employee's salary. Section 1575.203 establishes the active employee's rate which is 0.65% of pay. Section 1575.204 establishes an employer contribution rate of not less than 0.25% or not more than 0.75% of the salary of each active employee of the public. The actual employer contribution rate is prescribed by the Legislature in the General Appropriations Act. The following table shows contributions to the TRS-Care plan by type of contributor.

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	<u>Contribution Rates</u>	
	2022	2023
Active Employee	0.65%	0.65%
Non-Employer Contributing Entity	1.25%	1.25%
Employers	0.75%	0.75%
Federal/private Funding remitted by Employers	1.25%	1.25%
Employer Contributions - 2023		\$ 119 253
Member Contributions - 2023		\$ 64 351
NECE On-behalf Contributions - 2022		\$ 138 281

In addition to the employer contributions listed above, there is an additional surcharge all TRS employers are subject to (*regardless of whether or not they participate in the TRS Care OPEB program*). When employers hire a TRS retiree, they are required to pay to TRS Care, a monthly surcharge of \$535 per retiree.

Actuarial Assumptions:

The total OPEB liability in the August 31, 2022 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

Actuarial Methods and Assumptions:

Valuation Date	August 31, 2022
Methods and Assumptions:	
Actuarial Cost Method	Individual Entry Age Normal
Inflation	2.30%
Single Discount Rate	3.91% as of August 31, 2022
Demographic Assumptions	Based on the experience study performed for the Teachers Retirement System of Texas of the period ending August 31, 2020.
Mortality Assumption	The active mortality rates were based on 90% of the RP-2014 Employee Mortality Tables for males and females, with full generational mortality using Scale BB. The post-retirement mortality rates for healthy lives were based on the 2019 TRS of Texas Healthy Pensioner Mortality Tables, with full generational projection, the ultimate improvement rates from the most recently published projection scale ("U-MP").
Healthcare Trend Rates	Initial medical trend rates of 107.74% and 9.00% for Medicare retirees and initial medical trend rate of 6.75% for non-Medicare retirees. Initial prescription drug trend rate of 11.00% for all retirees. The first year medical trend for Medicare retirees (107.74%) reflects the anticipated return of the Health Insurer Fee (HIF) in 2021.
Election Rates	Initial trend rates decrease to an ultimate trend rate of 4.50% over a period of 9 years.
Aging Factors	Normal Retirement: 70% participation prior to age 65 and 75% participation after age 65
Expenses	Based on plan specific experience.
	Third party administrative expenses related to the delivery of health care benefits are included in the age-adjusted claims costs.

The following assumptions and other inputs used for members of TRS-Care are identical to the assumptions used in the August 31, 2022 TRS pension actuarial valuation:

Rates of Mortality	General Inflation
Rates of Retirement	Wage Inflation
Rates of Termination	Expected Payroll Growth
Rates of Disability Incidence	

Discount Rate:

A single discount rate of 3.91% was used to measure the total OPEB liability. There was a change of 1.96% in the discount rate since the previous year. Because the plan is essentially a "pay-as-you-go" plan, the single discount rate is equal to the prevailing municipal bond rate. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from active members and those of the contributing employers and the non-employer contributing entity are made at the statutorily required rates. Based on those assumptions, the OPEB plan's fiduciary net position was projected to *not be able to* make all future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the municipal bond rate was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total OPEB liability.

Discount Rate Sensitivity Analysis:

The following schedule shows the impact of the Net OPEB Liability if the discount rate used was 1% less than and 1% greater than the discount rate that was used (3.91%) in measuring the Net OPEB Liability.

	1% Decrease in Discount Rate (2.91%)	Current Single Discount Rate (3.91%)	1% Increase in Discount Rate (4.91%)
District's proportionate share of the Net OPEB Liability	\$ 3 396 514	\$ 3 304 709	\$ 2 825 271

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
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August 31, 2023

NOTE 7 - OTHER INFORMATION - CONTINUED

The following schedule shows the impact of the Net OPEB Liability if a healthcare trend rate that is 1% less than and 1% greater than the assumed 5.25% rate is used.

	1% Decrease in Healthcare Trend Rate (4.25%)	Current Single Healthcare Trend Rate (5.25%)	1% Increase in Healthcare Trend Rate (6.25%)
District's proportionate share of the Net OPEB Liability	\$ 2 723 095	\$ 3 304 709	\$ 4 058 697

OPEB Liability, OPEB Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEBs:

At August 31, 2023, the District reported a liability of \$3,304,709 for its proportionate share of the TRS's Net OPEB Liability. This liability reflects a reduction for State OPEB support provide to the District. The amount recognized by the District as its proportionate share of the net OPEB liability, the related State support, and the total portion of the net OPEB liability that was associated with the District were as follows:

District's proportionate share of the collective net OPEB liability	\$	3 304 709
State's proportionate share that is associated with District		4 031 226
TOTAL		<u>\$ 7 335 935</u>

The Net OPEB Liability was measured as of August 31, 2022 and the Total OPEB Liability used to calculate the Net OPEB Liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The employer's proportion of the Net OPEB Liability was based on the employer's contributions to the OPEB plan relative to the contributions of all employers to the plan for the period September 1, 2021 thru August 31, 2022.

At August 31, 2022, the employer's proportion of the collective Net OPEB Liability was 0.0138% which is an increase of 0.0022% from measurement at August 31, 2021.

Changes Since the Prior Actuarial Valuation - The following were changes to the actuarial assumptions or other inputs that affected measurement of the Total OPEB liability since the prior measurement period:

The following assumptions and other inputs which are specific to TRS-Care were updated from the prior year's report:

1. The discount rate changed from 1.95 percent as of August 31, 2021 to 3.91 percent as of August 31, 2022. This change increased the TOL.
2. The health care trend rates were reset to better reflect the plan's anticipated experience. This change increased the TOL.
3. The participation rate for pre-65 retirees was lowered from 70 percent to 65 percent. The participation rate for post-65 retirees was lowered from 50 percent to 40 percent. 25 percent of pre-65 retirees are assumed to discontinue their coverage at age 65. There was no lapse assumption in the prior valuation. These changes decreased the TOL.
4. The percentage of retirees who are assumed to have two-person coverage was lowered from 20 percent to 15 percent. In addition, the participation assumption for the surviving spouses of employees that die while actively employed was lowered from 20 percent to 10 percent. These changes decreased the TOL.
5. Change of Benefit Terms Since the Prior Measurement Date - There were no changes in benefit terms since the prior measurement date.

There were no changes of benefit terms that affected measurement of the Total OPEB liability during the measurement period.

For the year ended August 31, 2023, the District recognized OPEB expense of \$572,063 and revenue of \$572,063 for support provided by the State.

At August 31, 2023, the District reported its proportionate share of the TRS's deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to other post-employment benefits from the following resources:

		Deferred Outflows of Resources		Deferred Inflows of Resources
Differences between expected and actual economic experience	\$	183 730	\$	2 753 119
Changes in actuarial assumptions		503 373		2 295 915
Difference between projected and actual investment earnings		9 880		36
Changes in proportion and difference between the employer's contributions and the proportionate share of contributions		1 957 387		594 090
Contributions paid to TRS subsequent to the measurement date		119 253		-
TOTAL	\$	<u>2 773 623</u>	\$	<u>5 643 160</u>

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED
 August 31, 2023

NOTE 7 - OTHER INFORMATION - CONTINUED

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

YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31,	OPEB EXPENSE AMOUNT
2024	\$ (611 272)
2025	\$ (631 237)
2026	\$ (471 095)
2027	\$ (281 368)
2028	\$ (424 598)
Thereafter	\$ (589 220)

The Medicare Modernization Act of 2003 (MMA) created an outpatient prescription drug benefit program (known as Medicare Part D) and a Retiree Drug Subsidy (RDS) program which were made available in 2006. The Texas Public School Retired Employee Group Insurance Program (TRS-Care) is offering a Medicare Part D Plan and is participating in the Retiree Drug Subsidy plan for eligible TRS-Care participants. Under Medicare Part D and the RDS program, TRS-Care received payments from the federal government to offset certain prescription drug expenditures for eligible TRS-Care participants. On-behalf payments must be recognized as equal revenues and expenditures/expenses by each reporting entity. The allocation of these on-behalf payments is based on the ratio of a reporting entity's covered payroll to the entire covered payroll reported by all participating reporting entities. TRS based this allocation percentage on the "completed" report submissions by reporting entities for the month of May. For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2023, 2022 and 2021, the subsidy payments received by TRS-Care on behalf of the District were \$53,584, \$42,746 and \$44,504, respectively.

NOTE 8 - LITIGATION

The District does not appear to be involved in any litigation as of August 31, 2023.

NOTE 9 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

The District participates in numerous state and federal grant programs which are governed by various rules and regulations of the grantor agencies. Costs charged to the respective grant programs are subject to audit and adjustment by the grantor agencies; therefore, to the extent that the District has not complied with the rules and regulations governing the grants, if any, refunds of any money received may be required and the collectability of any related receivable at August 31, 2023 may be impaired. In the opinion of the District, there are no significant contingent liabilities relating to compliance with the rules and regulations governing the respective grants; therefore, no provision has been recorded in the accompanying combined financial statements for such contingencies.

NOTE 10 - JOINT VENTURE SHARED SERVICE ARRANGEMENT

The District participates in a shared service arrangement for special education services with five other school districts. Although a portion of the shared services arrangement is attributable to the District's participation, the District does not account for revenues or expenditures in this program and does not disclose them in these financial statements. The District neither has a joint ownership interest in fixed assets purchased by the fiscal agent, nor does the District have a net equity interest in the fiscal agent. The fiscal agent is neither accumulating significant financial resources nor fiscal exigencies that would give rise to a future additional benefit or burden to the District. The fiscal agent manager is responsible for all financial activities of the shared services arrangement. The District made payments to the fiscal agent of \$491,489.

NOTE 11 - WORKERS COMPENSATION COVERAGE

The District joined together with other school districts in the East Texas area to form the East Texas Educational Insurance Association, a public entity risk pool currently operating a workers' compensation risk management and insurance program for various member school districts. Total workers' compensation claims paid amounted to \$1,878 for current year claims and \$18,836 for claims incurred in prior years. When and if other schools in the Association exceed their annual loss fund maximums, the District will be required to pay a percentage share of the excess.

A reconciliation of changes in the liability for claims for the current and prior fiscal periods is presented below:

	YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2023
Unpaid claims at September 1	\$ 121 306
Incurred claims (including IBNR)	92
Total payments	(20 714)
TOTAL UNPAID CLAIMS AT AUGUST 31	\$ 100 684

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED
 August 31, 2023

NOTE 12 - LOCAL AND INTERMEDIATE REVENUE SOURCES

During the year the District received revenue from local and intermediate sources consisting of the following:

	<u>GENERAL</u>	<u>DEBT SERVICE</u>	<u>CAPITAL PROJECTS</u>	<u>OTHER GOVERNMENTAL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Property taxes	\$ 5 754 344	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5 754 344
Investment income	359 821	1 930 435	1 649 733	-	3 939 989
Food service income	-	-	-	26 602	26 602
Tuition and fees	78 733	-	-	-	78 733
Gifts and bequests	8 122	-	-	125 980	134 102
Insurance proceeds	32 429	-	-	-	32 429
Extracurricular activities	25 006	-	-	-	25 006
Miscellaneous	141 925	-	-	-	141 925
TOTAL	<u>\$ 6 400 380</u>	<u>\$ 1 930 435</u>	<u>\$ 1 649 733</u>	<u>\$ 152 582</u>	<u>\$ 10 133 130</u>

NOTE 13 - INTERFUND BALANCES AND ACTIVITIES

Interfund Receivables and Payables

Interfund receivables and payables consists of the following at year end:

<u>RECEIVABLE FUND</u>	<u>PAYABLE FUND</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>REASON</u>
General Fund	Other Governmental Funds	\$ 184 069	Short-Term Loans
TOTAL		<u>\$ 184 069</u>	

NOTE 14 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The District's management has evaluated subsequent events through December 11, 2023, the date which the financial statements were available for use.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT G-1

DATA CONTROL CODES		1		2		3		VARIANCE WITH FINAL BUDGET POSITIVE (NEGATIVE)
		BUDGETED AMOUNTS		BUDGETED AMOUNTS		ACTUAL		
		ORIGINAL	FINAL	ORIGINAL	FINAL	ACTUAL		
	Revenues:							
5700	Local and intermediate sources	\$ 5 969 461	\$ 5 969 461	\$ 5 969 461	\$ 5 969 461	\$ 6 400 380	\$	430 919
5800	State program revenues	10 477 985	10 477 985	10 477 985	10 477 985	10 890 293		412 308
5900	Federal program revenue	-	-	-	-	337 756		337 756
5020	TOTAL REVENUES	<u>16 447 446</u>	<u>16 447 446</u>	<u>16 447 446</u>	<u>16 447 446</u>	<u>17 628 429</u>		<u>1 180 983</u>
	Expenditures:							
0011	Instruction	7 802 951	7 623 697	7 802 951	7 623 697	7 551 660		72 037
0012	Instructional resources and media services	194 893	170 525	194 893	170 525	165 527		4 998
0013	Curriculum and instructional staff development	329 970	323 072	329 970	323 072	319 173		3 899
0021	Instructional leadership	68 137	72 089	68 137	72 089	67 089		5 000
0023	School leadership	1 099 535	1 112 557	1 099 535	1 112 557	1 106 376		6 181
0031	Guidance, counseling and evaluation services	338 767	326 450	338 767	326 450	322 523		3 927
0033	Health services	199 084	290 290	199 084	290 290	276 976		13 314
0034	Student (pupil) transportation	946 414	894 465	946 414	894 465	881 711		12 754
0035	Food services	-	1 105	-	1 105	1 105		-
0036	Extracurricular activities	1 057 763	1 093 593	1 057 763	1 093 593	1 184 446		9 147
0041	General administration	763 353	866 984	763 353	866 984	860 811		6 173
0051	Plant maintenance and operations	1 929 273	1 854 984	1 929 273	1 854 984	1 846 222		8 762
0052	Security and monitoring services	19 150	611 990	19 150	611 990	587 836		24 154
0053	Data processing services	568 647	710 051	568 647	710 051	703 738		6 313
0081	Capital outlay	-	151 944	-	151 944	136 869		15 075
0093	Payments to fiscal agent/member districts of SSA	429 000	496 489	429 000	496 489	491 489		5 000
0099	Other intergovernmental charges	105 000	136 183	105 000	136 183	130 583		5 600
6030	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>15 851 937</u>	<u>16 836 468</u>	<u>15 851 937</u>	<u>16 836 468</u>	<u>16 634 134</u>		<u>202 334</u>
1100	EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	<u>595 509</u>	<u>(389 022)</u>	<u>595 509</u>	<u>(389 022)</u>	<u>994 295</u>		<u>1 383 317</u>
	Other Financing Sources (Uses):							
8911	Transfers out	<u>(595 509)</u>	<u>(1 388 784)</u>	<u>(595 509)</u>	<u>(1 388 784)</u>	<u>(975 000)</u>		<u>413 784</u>
7080	TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	<u>(595 509)</u>	<u>(1 388 784)</u>	<u>(595 509)</u>	<u>(1 388 784)</u>	<u>(975 000)</u>		<u>413 784</u>
1200	NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	-	(1 777 806)	-	(1 777 806)	19 295		1 797 101
0100	Fund balance - Beginning	<u>8 539 607</u>	<u>8 539 607</u>	<u>8 539 607</u>	<u>8 539 607</u>	<u>8 539 607</u>		<u>-</u>
3000	FUND BALANCE - ENDING	<u>\$ 8 539 607</u>	<u>\$ 6 761 801</u>	<u>\$ 8 539 607</u>	<u>\$ 6 761 801</u>	<u>\$ 8 558 902</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>1 797 101</u>

See independent auditor's report.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY
TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS*

EXHIBIT G-2

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
District's proportion of the net pension liability (asset)	0.0086%	0.0073%	0.0070%	0.0073%	0.0074%	0.0069%	0.0076%	0.0074%	0.0033%
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$ 5 128 816	\$ 3 920 368	\$ 3 755 588	\$ 3 772 508	\$ 4 096 484	\$ 2 205 207	\$ 2 890 085	\$ 2 625 134	\$ 877 175
State's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) associated with the District	<u>7 530 839</u>	<u>3 625 819</u>	<u>8 079 681</u>	<u>7 283 733</u>	<u>8 241 668</u>	<u>5 002 695</u>	<u>6 294 058</u>	<u>6 203 378</u>	<u>5 195 914</u>
TOTAL	\$ <u>12 659 655</u>	\$ <u>7 546 187</u>	\$ <u>11 835 269</u>	\$ <u>11 056 241</u>	\$ <u>12 338 152</u>	\$ <u>7 207 902</u>	\$ <u>9 184 143</u>	\$ <u>8 828 512</u>	\$ <u>6 073 089</u>
District's covered-employee payroll**	\$ 10 203 008	\$ 10 080 478	\$ 10 097 402	\$ 9 293 877	\$ 9 304 247	\$ 9 043 866	\$ 9 309 475	\$ 8 948 858	\$ 8 349 548
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	50.27%	38.89%	37.19%	40.59%	44.03%	24.38%	31.04%	29.33%	10.51%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	75.62%	88.79%	75.54%	75.24%	73.74%	82.17%	78.00%	78.43%	83.25%

* Only nine years' worth of information are currently available.

** As of the measurement date.

See independent auditor's report.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS
TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS*

EXHIBIT G-3

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>
Contractually required contribution	\$ 442 937	\$ 334 492	\$ 315 011	\$ 289 466	\$ 249 889	\$ 244 478	\$ 226 039	\$ 242 997	\$ 219 889
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	<u>(442 937)</u>	<u>(334 492)</u>	<u>(315 011)</u>	<u>(289 466)</u>	<u>(249 889)</u>	<u>(244 478)</u>	<u>(226 039)</u>	<u>(242 997)</u>	<u>(219 889)</u>
CONTRIBUTION DEFICIENCY (EXCESS)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Current fiscal year TRS gross	\$ 9 892 065	\$ 10 203 008	\$ 10 080 478	\$ 10 097 402	\$ 9 293 877	\$ 9 304 247	\$ 9 043 866	\$ 9 309 475	\$ 8 948 858
Contributions as a percentage of covered employee payroll	4.48%	3.28%	3.12%	2.87%	2.69%	2.63%	2.50%	2.61%	2.46%

Note: Only nine years' worth of information are currently available.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF OPEB LIABILITY
AND DISTRICT'S OPEB CONTRIBUTIONS
TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS*

EXHIBIT G-4

<u>District's Proportionate Share of Liability</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
District's proportion of the OPEBL	0.0138%	0.0116%	0.0121%	0.0110%	0.0121%	0.0108%
District's proportionate share of the OPEBL	\$ 3 304 709	\$ 4 492 496	\$ 4 603 085	\$ 5 208 461	\$ 6 034 352	\$ 4 696 237
State share of the OPEBL associated with the District	4 031 226	6 018 943	6 185 442	6 920 880	7 875 689	7 035 198
TOTAL	<u>\$ 7 335 935</u>	<u>\$ 10 511 439</u>	<u>\$ 10 788 527</u>	<u>\$ 12 129 341</u>	<u>\$ 13 910 041</u>	<u>\$ 11 731 435</u>
District's covered-employee payroll* <i>Prior FY TRS Gross - September through August</i>	\$ 10 203 008	\$ 10 080 478	\$ 10 097 402	\$ 9 293 877	\$ 9 304 247	\$ 9 043 866
Proportionate share/covered payroll	32.39%	44.57%	45.59%	56.04%	64.86%	51.93%
Plan fiduciary net position/total OPEB liability	11.52%	6.18%	4.99%	2.66%	1.57%	91.00%

<u>District Contributions</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>
Contractually required contribution	\$ 119 253	\$ 93 749	\$ 92 389	\$ 92 036	\$ 78 635	\$ 77 488
Contributions to required contribution	(119 253)	(93 749)	(92 389)	(92 036)	(78 635)	(77 488)
CONTRIBUTION DEFICIENCY (EXCESS)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
District's covered-employee payroll	\$ 9 892 065	\$ 10 203 008	\$ 10 080 478	\$ 10 097 402	\$ 9 293 877	\$ 9 304 247
Contributions to covered payroll	1.21%	0.92%	0.92%	0.91%	0.85%	0.83%

Information provided by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

* This schedule is illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, this schedule provides the information only for those years for which information is available.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
Year Ended August 31, 2023

A. Budget

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

1. Prior to August 20 of the preceding fiscal year, the District prepares a budget for the next succeeding fiscal year beginning September 1. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them.
2. A meeting of the Board is then called for the purpose of adopting the proposed budget after ten days' public notice of the meeting has been given.
3. Prior to September 1, the budget is legally enacted through passage of a resolution by the Board.

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

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

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

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

B. Defined Benefit Pension Plan and OPEB Plan

See Notes 6 and 7 for changes of assumptions and benefit terms.

OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 COMBINING BALANCE SHEET
 NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
 For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT H-1

DATA CONTROL CODES		SPECIAL REVENUE FUND	DEBT SERVICE FUND	TOTAL NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS (SEE EXHIBIT C-1)
	ASSETS			
1110	Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 296 176	\$ 375 393	\$ 671 569
1220	Property taxes - Delinquent	-	44 614	44 614
1230	Allowance for uncollectible taxes	-	(2 231)	(2 231)
1240	Due from other governments	316 145	691	316 836
1290	Other receivables	8 113	-	8 113
1000	TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 620 434</u>	<u>\$ 418 467</u>	<u>\$ 1 038 901</u>
	LIABILITIES			
2110	Accounts payable	\$ 81 092	-	\$ 81 092
2160	Accrued wages payable	80 981	-	80 981
2170	Due to other funds	184 069	-	184 069
2000	TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>346 142</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>346 142</u>
	DEFERRED INFLOWS			
2600	Unavailable revenue	-	42 383	42 383
	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED INFLOWS	<u>346 142</u>	<u>42 383</u>	<u>388 525</u>
	FUND BALANCES			
	Restricted Fund Balances:			
3450	Federal or state grants	274 292	-	274 292
3480	Retirement of long-term debt	-	376 084	376 084
3000	TOTAL FUND BALANCE	<u>274 292</u>	<u>376 084</u>	<u>650 376</u>
4000	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	<u>\$ 620 434</u>	<u>\$ 418 467</u>	<u>\$ 1 038 901</u>

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WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENDITURES AND
 CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
 NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
 For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT H-2

DATA CONTROL CODES		SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	DEBT SERVICE FUND	TOTAL NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS (SEE EXHIBIT C-2)
	Revenues:			
5700	Local and intermediate sources	\$ 152 582	\$ 1 930 435	\$ 2 083 017
5800	State program revenues	248 424	-	248 424
5900	Federal program revenues	2 959 203	-	2 959 203
5020	TOTAL REVENUES	<u>3 360 209</u>	<u>1 930 435</u>	<u>5 290 644</u>
	Expenditures:			
0011	Instruction	1 279 395	-	1 279 395
0012	Instructional resources and media services	4 262	-	4 262
0013	Curriculum and staff development	179 105	-	179 105
0021	Instructional leadership	1 420	-	1 420
0023	School leadership	258 734	-	258 734
0031	Guidance, counseling and evaluation services	22 718	-	22 718
0033	Health services	11 217	-	11 217
0034	Student transportation	72 376	-	72 376
0035	Food service	1 114 536	-	1 114 536
0036	Extracurricular activities	1 420	-	1 420
0041	General administration	15 876	-	15 876
0051	Plant maintenance and operations	34 088	-	34 088
0052	Security and monitoring services	203 193	-	203 193
0053	Data processing services	40 681	-	40 681
0061	Community Service	1 121	-	1 121
0071	Debt service	-	1 834 075	1 834 075
6030	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>3 240 142</u>	<u>1 834 075</u>	<u>5 074 217</u>
1200	NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	120 067	96 360	216 427
0100	Fund balances - Beginning	154 225	279 724	433 949
3000	FUND BALANCES - ENDING	<u>\$ 274 292</u>	<u>\$ 376 084</u>	<u>\$ 650 376</u>

See independent auditor's report.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 COMBINING BALANCE SHEET
 NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
 For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

DATA CONTROL CODES		211 ESEA TITLE 1 IMPROVING BASIC SKILLS	224 IDEA-B FORMULA	225 ESEA TITLE II PART A	240 NATIONAL SCHOOL BREAKFAST/ LUNCH PROGRAM
	ASSETS				
1110	Cash and cash equivalents	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 238 037
1240	Due from other governments	59 255	42 001	-	71 877
1290	Other receivables	-	-	8 113	-
1000	TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 59 255</u>	<u>\$ 42 001</u>	<u>\$ 8 113</u>	<u>\$ 309 914</u>
	LIABILITIES				
2110	Accounts payable	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 70 411
2160	Accrued wages payable	34 079	7 524	2 177	28 100
2170	Due to other funds	25 176	34 477	5 936	-
2000	TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>59 255</u>	<u>42 001</u>	<u>8 113</u>	<u>98 511</u>
	FUND BALANCES				
	Restricted Fund Balances:				
3450	Federal/State funds grant restrictions	-	-	-	211 403
3000	TOTAL FUND BALANCES	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>211 403</u>
4000	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 59 255</u>	<u>\$ 42 001</u>	<u>\$ 8 113</u>	<u>\$ 309 914</u>

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244 CAREER AND TECH BASIC GRANT	255 TITLE II PART A TRAINING AND RECRUITING	270 TITLE VI, PART B RURAL AND LOW INCOME	282 ESSER III GRANT	289 TITLE IV PART A	397 TEXAS ADVANCED PLACEMENT	410 TEXTBOOK ALLOTMENT	429 GROW YOUR OWN GRANT
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
-	7 823	304	28 358	10 681	-	12 992	82 854
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 7 823</u>	<u>\$ 304</u>	<u>\$ 28 358</u>	<u>\$ 10 681</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 12 992</u>	<u>\$ 82 854</u>
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10 681	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
-	-	-	9 101	-	-	-	-
-	7 823	304	19 257	-	-	8 242	82 854
<u>-</u>	<u>7 823</u>	<u>304</u>	<u>28 358</u>	<u>10 681</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>8 242</u>	<u>82 854</u>
-	-	-	-	-	-	4 750	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	4 750	-
<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 7 823</u>	<u>\$ 304</u>	<u>\$ 28 358</u>	<u>\$ 10 681</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 12 992</u>	<u>\$ 82 854</u>

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 COMBINING BALANCE SHEET
 NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
 For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

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DATA CONTROL CODES		461 INDIGENT MEAL FUND	TOTAL NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
	ASSETS		
1110	Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 58 139	\$ 296 176
1240	Due from other governments	-	316 145
1290	Other receivables	-	8 113
1000	TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 58 139	\$ 620 434
	LIABILITIES		
2110	Accounts payable	\$ -	\$ 81 092
2160	Accrued wages payable	-	80 981
2170	Due to other funds	-	184 069
2000	TOTAL LIABILITIES	-	346 142
	FUND BALANCES		
	Restricted Fund Balances:		
3450	Federal/State funds grant restrictions	58 139	274 292
3000	TOTAL FUND BALANCES	58 139	274 292
4000	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 58 139	\$ 620 434

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WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
 AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
 NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
 For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

DATA CONTROL CODES		211 ESEA TITLE 1 IMPROVING BASIC SKILLS	224 IDEA-B FORMULA	225 ESEA TITLE II PART A	240 NATIONAL SCHOOL BREAKFAST/ LUNCH PROGRAM
	Revenues:				
5700	Local, intermediate, and out-of-state	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 26 602
5800	State program revenues	-	-	-	8 155
5900	Federal program revenues	405 356	164 340	21 162	1 218 658
5020	TOTAL REVENUES	<u>405 356</u>	<u>164 340</u>	<u>21 162</u>	<u>1 253 415</u>
	Expenditures:				
0011	Instruction	305 542	134 802	21 162	-
0012	Instructional resources and media services	-	-	-	-
0013	Curriculum and staff development	88 470	-	-	-
0021	Instructional leadership	-	-	-	-
0023	School leadership	10 223	-	-	-
0031	Guidance, counseling and evaluation services	-	-	-	-
0033	Health services	-	-	-	-
0034	Student transportation	-	29 538	-	-
0035	Food services	-	-	-	1 114 536
0036	Extracurricular activities	-	-	-	-
0041	General administration	-	-	-	-
0051	Plant maintenance and operations	-	-	-	-
0052	Security and monitoring services	-	-	-	-
0053	Data processing services	-	-	-	-
0061	Community services	1 121	-	-	-
2000	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>405 356</u>	<u>164 340</u>	<u>21 162</u>	<u>1 114 536</u>
1200	NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	-	-	-	138 879
0100	Fund balance - Beginning	-	-	-	72 524
3000	ENDING FUND BALANCE	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 211 403</u>

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244 CAREER AND TECH BASIC GRANT	255 TITLE II PART A TRAINING AND RECRUITING	270 TITLE VI, PART B RURAL AND LOW INCOME	282 ESSER III GRANT	289 TITLE IV PART A	397 TEXAS ADVANCED PLACEMENT	410 TEXTBOOK ALLOTMENT	429 GROW YOUR OWN GRANT
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
-	-	-	-	-	-	41 643	198 626
<u>27 407</u>	<u>172 430</u>	<u>38 589</u>	<u>860 800</u>	<u>50 461</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>27 407</u>	<u>172 430</u>	<u>38 589</u>	<u>860 800</u>	<u>50 461</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>41 643</u>	<u>198 626</u>
27 407	69 321	35 982	593 465	49 024	293	41 643	754
-	-	-	4 262	-	-	-	-
-	28 339	-	62 296	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	1 420	-	-	-	-
-	74 770	2 607	26 985	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	21 281	1 437	-	-	-
-	-	-	11 217	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	42 838	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	1 420	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	15 876	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	34 088	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	4 971	-	-	-	198 222
-	-	-	40 681	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>27 407</u>	<u>172 430</u>	<u>38 589</u>	<u>860 800</u>	<u>50 461</u>	<u>293</u>	<u>41 643</u>	<u>198 976</u>
-	-	-	-	-	(293)	-	(350)
-	-	-	-	-	293	4 750	350
<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 4 750</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
 AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
 NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS - CONTINUED
 For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

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DATA CONTROL CODES		INDIGENT MEAL FUND	TOTAL NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
	Revenues:		
5700	Local, intermediate, and out-of-state	\$ 125 980	\$ 152 582
5800	State program revenues	-	248 424
5900	Federal program revenues	-	2 959 203
5020	TOTAL REVENUES	<u>125 980</u>	<u>3 360 209</u>
	Expenditures:		
0011	Instruction	-	1 279 395
0012	Instructional resources and media services	-	4 262
0013	Curriculum and staff development	-	179 105
0021	Instructional leadership	-	1 420
0023	School leadership	144 149	258 734
0031	Guidance, counseling, and evaluation services	-	22 718
0033	Health services	-	11 217
0034	Student transportation	-	72 376
0035	Food services	-	1 114 536
0036	Extracurricular activities	-	1 420
0041	General administration	-	15 876
0051	Plant maintenance and operations	-	34 088
0052	Security and monitoring services	-	203 193
0053	Data processing services	-	40 681
0061	Community services	-	1 121
2000	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>144 149</u>	<u>3 240 142</u>
1200	NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	(18 169)	120 067
0100	Fund balance - Beginning	<u>76 308</u>	<u>154 225</u>
3000	ENDING FUND BALANCE	<u>\$ 58 139</u>	<u>\$ 274 292</u>

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WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 SCHEDULE OF DELINQUENT TAXES RECEIVABLE
 For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

LAST 10 YEARS	(1)	(2)	(3)
	TAX RATES		ASSESSED/APPRaisal VALUE FOR SCHOOL TAX PURPOSES
	MAINTENANCE	DEBT SERVICE	
2014 and prior years	Various	Various	Various
2015	1.1700	-	\$ 436 701 785
2016	1.1700	-	\$ 499 528 540
2017	1.1700	-	\$ 487 618 702
2018	1.1700	-	\$ 483 671 569
2019	1.1700	-	\$ 486 983 726
2020	1.1700	-	\$ 494 363 194
2021	1.1700	-	\$ 516 342 537
2022	1.0683	-	\$ 555 900 851
2023 (School year under audit)	0.9497	0.319285	\$ 606 535 538
TOTALS			

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(10) BEGINNING BALANCE 09/01/2022	(20) CURRENT PERIOD'S TOTAL LEVY	(31) MAINTENANCE TOTAL COLLECTED	(32) DEBT SERVICE COLLECTIONS	(40) ENTIRE PERIOD'S ADJUSTMENTS	(50) ENDING BALANCE 08/31/2023
\$ 173 590	\$ -	\$ 3 663	\$ -	\$ (25 295)	\$ 144 632
23 985	-	1 960	-	409	22 434
22 291	-	2 283	-	496	20 504
24 346	-	3 153	-	(972)	20 221
34 509	-	3 447	-	(254)	30 808
33 452	-	4 268	-	11	29 195
34 300	-	4 794	-	5	29 511
44 023	-	9 685	-	(1 780)	32 558
103 309	-	35 040	-	(9 555)	58 714
<u>-</u>	<u>7 696 845</u>	<u>5 619 823</u>	<u>1 888 658</u>	<u>(11 050)</u>	<u>177 314</u>
<u>\$ 493 805</u>	<u>\$ 7 696 845</u>	<u>\$ 5 688 116</u>	<u>\$ 1 888 658</u>	<u>\$ (47 985)</u>	<u>\$ 565 891</u>

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
 NATIONAL SCHOOL BREAKFAST AND LUNCH PROGRAM
 For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT J-2

DATA CONTROL CODES		1		2		3		VARIANCE WITH FINAL BUDGET POSITIVE OR (NEGATIVE)
		BUDGETED AMOUNTS				ACTUAL AMOUNTS		
		ORIGINAL	FINAL	ORIGINAL	FINAL	AMOUNTS	AMOUNTS	
	Revenues:							
5700	Local and intermediate sources	\$ 35 200	\$ 35 200	\$ 26 602	\$ 26 602	\$ 8 155	\$ 8 155	(8 598)
5800	State program revenues	-	-	8 155	8 155	-	-	8 155
5900	Federal program revenue	1 175 723	1 175 723	1 218 658	1 218 658	-	-	42 935
5020	TOTAL REVENUES	<u>1 210 923</u>	<u>1 210 923</u>	<u>1 253 415</u>	<u>1 253 415</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>42 492</u>
	Expenditures:							
0035	Food service	1 210 923	1 210 923	1 114 536	1 114 536	-	-	96 387
6030	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>1 210 923</u>	<u>1 210 923</u>	<u>1 114 536</u>	<u>1 114 536</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>96 387</u>
1200	NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	-	-	138 879	138 879	-	-	138 879
0100	Fund balance - Beginning	<u>72 524</u>	<u>72 524</u>	<u>72 524</u>	<u>72 524</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
3000	FUND BALANCE - ENDING	<u>\$ 72 524</u>	<u>\$ 72 524</u>	<u>\$ 211 403</u>	<u>\$ 211 403</u>	<u>\$ 138 879</u>	<u>\$ 138 879</u>	<u>\$ 138 879</u>

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WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
 DEBT SERVICE FUND
 For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT J-3

DATA CONTROL CODES		1		2		3		VARIANCE WITH FINAL BUDGET POSITIVE OR (NEGATIVE)
		BUDGETED AMOUNTS				ACTUAL AMOUNTS		
		ORIGINAL	FINAL	ORIGINAL	FINAL	ORIGINAL	FINAL	
	Revenues:							
5700	Local and intermediate sources	\$ 2 063 771	\$ 2 063 771	\$ 1 930 435	\$ 1 930 435	\$ 1 930 435	\$ 1 930 435	\$ (133 336)
5020	TOTAL REVENUES	<u>2 063 771</u>	<u>2 063 771</u>	<u>1 930 435</u>	<u>1 930 435</u>	<u>1 930 435</u>	<u>1 930 435</u>	<u>(133 336)</u>
	Expenditures:							
	Debt Service:							
0071	Principal on long-term debt	1 834 675	1 834 675	1 834 075	1 834 075	1 834 075	1 834 075	600
6030	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>1 834 675</u>	<u>1 834 675</u>	<u>1 834 075</u>	<u>1 834 075</u>	<u>1 834 075</u>	<u>1 834 075</u>	<u>600</u>
1200	NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	229 096	229 096	96 360	96 360	96 360	96 360	(133 936)
0100	Fund balance - Beginning	<u>279 724</u>	<u>279 724</u>	<u>279 724</u>	<u>279 724</u>	<u>279 724</u>	<u>279 724</u>	<u>-</u>
3000	FUND BALANCE - ENDING	<u>\$ 508 820</u>	<u>\$ 508 820</u>	<u>\$ 376 084</u>	<u>\$ 376 084</u>	<u>\$ 376 084</u>	<u>\$ 376 084</u>	<u>\$ (133 936)</u>

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WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATE SUPPLEMENTAL ALLOTMENT COMPLIANCE
USE OF FUNDS REPORT
For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

EXHIBIT J-4

<u>DATA CONTROL CODES</u>		<u>RESPONSES</u>
	<u>Section A: Compensatory Education Programs</u>	
	Districts are required to use at least 55% of state compensatory education state allotment funds on direct program costs. Statutory Authority: Texas Education Code §48.104.	
AP1	Did your district expend any state compensatory education program state allotment funds during the district's fiscal year?	Yes
AP2	Does the district have written policies and procedures for its state compensatory education program?	Yes
AP3	Total state allotment funds received for state compensatory education programs during the district's fiscal year.	\$ <u>1 668 165</u>
AP4	Actual direct program expenditures for state compensatory education programs during the district's fiscal year. (PICs 24,26,28,29,30,34)	\$ <u>739 752</u>
	<u>Section B: Bilingual Education Programs</u>	
	Districts are required to use at least 55% of bilingual education state allotment funds on direct program costs. Statutory Authority: Texas Education Code §48.105.	
AP5	Did your district expend any bilingual education program state allotment funds during the district's fiscal year?	Yes
AP6	Does the district have written policies and procedures for its bilingual education program?	Yes
AP7	Total state allotment funds received for bilingual education programs during the district's fiscal year.	\$ <u>56 798</u>
AP8	Actual direct program expenditures for bilingual education programs during the district's fiscal year. (PICs 25 and 35)	\$ <u>34 925</u>

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

Board of Trustees
Westwood Independent School District
Palestine, Texas

Members of the Board of Trustees:

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 *Governing Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Westwood Independent School District (the District) as of and for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2023 and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 11, 2023.

Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting 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 financial reporting that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

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

Purpose of this Report

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

Lufkin, Texas
December 11, 2023


CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON
INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH UNIFORM GUIDANCE

Board of Trustees
Westwood Independent School District
Palestine, Texas

Members of the Board:

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Westwood Independent School District's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of Westwood Independent School District's major federal programs for the year ended August 31, 2023. Westwood Independent School District's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, Westwood Independent School District complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended August 31, 2023.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the comptroller General of the United States; 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). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

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

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

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

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding Westwood Independent School District's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

- Obtain an understanding of Westwood Independent School District's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Westwood Independent School District's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

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

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A *material weakness in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or a 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 Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance may exist that were not identified.

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

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

Lufkin, Texas
December 11, 2023


CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
 For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

A. Summary of the Auditor's Results

1. Financial Statements

Type of auditor's report issued: Unmodified

Internal control over financial reporting:

Material weakness(es) identified? Yes No

Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? Yes None reported

Noncompliance material to financial statements noted? Yes No

2. Federal Awards

Internal control over major programs:

Material control over major programs:

Material weakness(es) identified? Yes No

Significant deficiency(s) identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? Yes None reported

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

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with Uniform Guidance? Yes No

Identification of major programs:

<u>ALN Number(s)</u>	<u>Name of Federal Program or Cluster</u>
84.425	ESSER

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs: \$750,000

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? Yes No

B. Financial Statement Findings

NONE

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS
For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

None

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN
For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

There were no audit findings; therefore, no corrective action plan was required.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

Exhibit K-1

(1) FEDERAL GRANTOR/ PASS-THROUGH GRANTOR/ PROGRAM TITLE	(2) FEDERAL ALN NUMBER	(3) PASS THROUGH GRANTOR	(4) FEDERAL EXPENDITURES
U.S. Department of Education:			
Passed Through Texas Education Agency:			
IDEA - Part B, Formula	84.027	226600010001902	\$ 164 340
IDEA - Part B, Preschool	84.173	N/A	<u>21 162</u>
TOTAL SPECIAL EDUCATION CLUSTER (IDEA)			<u>185 502</u>
Title I, Part A - Improving Basic Programs	84.010A	22610101001908	405 356
Career and Technical - Basic Grant	84.048	22420006001908	27 407
ESEA, Title II, Part A, Teacher Principal Training	84.367A	22694501001908	172 430
Rural Education	84.358	N/A	38 589
Title IV, Part A - Student Support and Enrichment	84.424A	22680101001908	50 461
Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief	84.425	2252100100908	995 647
TOTAL PASSED THROUGH TEXAS EDUCATION AGENCY			<u>1 689 890</u>
TOTAL U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION			<u>1 875 392</u>
U.S. Department of Agriculture:			
Passed Through Texas Department of Agriculture:			
School Breakfast Program	10.553	71402001	295 464
National School Lunch Program - Cash Assistance	10.555	71302001	787 698
Supply Chain Assistance	10.555	N/A	38 197
TOTAL CHILD NUTRITION CLUSTER			<u>1 121 359</u>
Commodity Supplemental Food Program	10.565	71302001	94 164
Pandemic EBT Advance	10.649	N/A	<u>3 135</u>
TOTAL U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE			<u>1 218 658</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS			<u>\$ 3 094 050</u>
RECONCILIATION TO FEDERAL REVENUE PER C-2			
TOTAL EXPENDITURE OF FEDERAL AWARDS			<u>\$ 3 094 050</u>
Other Federal Programs:			
Passed through Texas Department of Health and Human Services and Medicaid Reimbursement Claiming Program:			
School Health and Related Services	93.990	N/A	<u>202 909</u>
TOTAL OTHER FEDERAL PROGRAMS			<u>202 909</u>
TOTAL FEDERAL REVENUE PER EXHIBIT C-2			<u>\$ 3 296 959</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this schedule.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
For the Year Ended August 31, 2023

1. General

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards includes the federal grant activity of Westwood Independent School District and is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. The information in this schedule is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Uniform Guidance, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in the preparation of, the general purpose financial statements. Special revenue funds are used to account for resources restricted to, or designed for, specific purposes by a grantor. Generally, unused balances are returned to the grantor at the close of the specific project period.

2. Basis of Accounting

The accounting and financial reporting treatment applied to Special Revenue funds is the current financial resource measurement focus. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities are generally included on the balance sheet. Operating statements of these funds present increases and decreases in fund balance. The modified accrual basis of accounting recognizes revenues in the accounting period in which they become measurable and available, and expenditures in the accounting period in which the liability is incurred, except for unmatured interest on long-term debt, which is recognized when matured, and certain compensated absences, pension liability, other post-employment benefits, and claims, which are recognized when the obligations are expected to be liquidated with expendable available resources. Grant funds are considered to be earned as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider are met and expenditures have been incurred, and, accordingly, when such funds are received in advance, they are recorded as deferred revenue until earned.

3. Availability of Funds

The period of availability for federal grant funds for the purpose of liquidation of outstanding obligations made on or before the ending date of the project period extended 30 days beyond the project period ending date.

4. Indirect Cost

The District does not use an indirect cost rate in federal programs.

WESTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 SCHEDULE OF REQUIRED RESPONSES TO SELECTED
 SCHOOL FIRST INDICATORS
 As of August 31, 2023

Exhibit L-1

DATA
CONTROL
CODES

RESPONSES

SF1	Was there an unmodified opinion in the Annual Financial Report on the financial statements as a whole?	Yes
SF2	Were there any disclosures in the Annual Financial Report and/or other sources of information concerning nonpayment of any terms of any debt agreement at fiscal year end?	No
SF3	Did the school district make timely payments to the Teacher Retirement System (TRS), Texas Workforce Commission (TWC), Internal Revenue Service (IRS), and other government agencies? (If the school district was issued a warrant hold and the warrant hold was not cleared within 30 days from the date the warrant hold was issued, the school district is considered to not have made timely payments.) Payments to the TRS and TWC are considered timely if a warrant hold that was issued in connection to the untimely payment was cleared within 30 days from the date the warrant hold was issued. Payments to the IRS are considered timely if a penalty or delinquent payment notice was cleared within 30 days from the date the notice was issued.	Yes
SF4	Was the school district issued a warrant hold? Even if the issue surrounding the initial warrant hold was resolved and cleared within 30 days, the school district is considered to have been issued a warrant hold.	No
SF5	Did the Annual Financial Report disclose any instances of material weaknesses in internal controls over financial reporting and compliance for local, state, or federal funds?	No
SF6	Was there any disclosure in the Annual Financial Report of material noncompliance for grants, contracts, and laws related to local, state, or federal funds?	No
SF7	Did the school district post the required financial information on its website in accordance with Government Code, Local Government Code, Texas Education Code, Texas Administrative Code, and other statutes, laws and rules that were in effect at the school district's fiscal year end?	Yes
SF8	Did the school board members discuss the school district's property values at a board meeting within 120 days before the school district adopted its budget?	Yes
SF9	Total accumulated accretion on CABs included in government-wide financial statements at fiscal year-end.	\$ _____ -