



Financial and Performance Audits
Building Fund (Measure S)
2018 General Obligation Bonds
June 30, 2022

Vallejo City Unified School District

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Independent Auditor's Report

Governing Board and
Citizens Oversight Committee
Vallejo City Unified School District
Vallejo, California

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of the Building Fund (Measure S) of the Vallejo City Unified School District (the District), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Building Fund (Measure S) of the Vallejo City Unified School District, as of June 30, 2022, and the changes in its financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally 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 (GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*). 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 Vallejo City Unified School 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 opinion.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 1, the financial statements present only Building Fund (Measure S), and do not purport to, and do not, present fairly the financial position of the Vallejo City Unified School District as of June 30, 2022, the changes in its financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance 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.

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 opinion. 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 GAAS and *Government Auditing Standards* 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 judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS and *Government Auditing Standards*, we

- Exercise professional judgment 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.
- Obtain 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 Vallejo City Unified School 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.

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 Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated February 15, 2023 on our consideration of the Building Fund (Measure S) of the Vallejo City Unified 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 the

Building Fund (Measure S) of the Vallejo City Unified 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 the Building Fund (Measure S) of the Vallejo City Unified School District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Eide Bailly LLP

San Ramon, California
February 15, 2023

Vallejo City Unified School District
Building Fund (Measure S)
Balance Sheet
June 30, 2022

Assets	
Deposits and investments	\$ 43,058,958
Due from other funds	<u>142,339</u>
Total Assets	<u><u>\$ 43,201,297</u></u>
Liabilities and Fund Balance	
Liabilities	
Accounts payable	<u>\$ 1,632,894</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>1,632,894</u>
Fund Balance	
Restricted for capital projects	<u>41,568,403</u>
Total fund balance	<u>41,568,403</u>
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance	<u><u>\$ 43,201,297</u></u>

Vallejo City Unified School District
 Building Fund (Measure S)
 Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance
 June 30, 2022

Revenues	
Interest and investment income (loss)	\$ (370,823)
Other local revenue	<u>142,339</u>
Total revenues	<u>(228,484)</u>
Expenditures	
Current	
Classified salaries and benefits	286,506
Materials and supplies	136,494
Services and operating expenditures	108,183
Capital outlay	
Sites and improvements	72,223
Building improvements	<u>29,839,100</u>
Total expenditures	<u>30,442,506</u>
Net Change in Fund Balance	(30,670,990)
Fund Balance - Beginning	<u>72,239,393</u>
Fund Balance - Ending	<u><u>\$ 41,568,403</u></u>

Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies of the Vallejo City Unified School District's (the District) Building Fund (Measure S) conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). The Vallejo City Unified School District Building Fund accounts for financial transactions in accordance with the policies and procedures of the California School Accounting Manual.

Financial Reporting Entity

The financial statements include only the Building Fund of the Vallejo City Unified School District used to account for Measure S projects. This Fund was established to account for the expenditures of general obligation bonds issued by the District under Measure S. These financial statements are not intended to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of the Vallejo City Unified School District in compliance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Fund Accounting

The operations of the Building Fund are accounted for in a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, fund balance, revenues, and expenditures. Resources are allocated to and accounted for in the fund based upon the purpose for which they are to be spent and the means by which spending activities are controlled.

Basis of Accounting

The Building Fund is accounted for using a flow of current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities generally are included on the balance sheet. The statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance reports on the sources (revenues and other financing sources) and uses (expenditures and other financing uses) of current financial resources.

Encumbrances

The District utilizes an encumbrance accounting system under which purchase orders, contracts and other commitments for the expenditure of monies are recorded in order to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation. Encumbrances are liquidated when the commitments are paid, and all outstanding encumbrances lapse at June 30.

Fund Balance - Building Fund (Measure S)

As of June 30, 2022, the fund balance is classified as follows:

Restricted - amounts that can be spent only for specific purposes because of constitutional provisions or enabling legislation or because of constraints that are externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or the laws or regulations of other governments.

Spending Order Policy

When an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available, the District considers restricted funds to have been spent first. When an expenditure is incurred for which committed, assigned, or unassigned fund balances are available, the District considers amounts to have been spent first out of committed funds, then assigned funds, and finally unassigned funds, as needed, unless the governing board has provided otherwise in its commitment or assignment actions.

Use of Estimates

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

Note 2 - Investments

Policies and Practices

The District is authorized under California Government Code to make direct investments in local agency bonds, notes, or warrants within the State: U.S. Treasury instrument; registered State warrants or treasury notes: securities of the U.S. Government, or its agencies; bankers acceptances; commercial paper; certificates of deposit placed with commercial banks and/or savings and loan companies; repurchase or reverse repurchase agreement; medium term corporate notes; shares of beneficial interest issued by diversified management companies, certificates of participation, obligations with first priority security, and collateralized mortgage obligations.

Investment in County Treasury

The District is considered to be an involuntary participant in an external investment pool as the District is required to deposit all receipts and collections of monies with their County Treasurer (Education Code Section 41001). The fair value of the District's investment in the pool is reported in the accounting financial statement at amounts based upon the District's pro-rata share of the fairly value provided by the County Treasurer for the entire portfolio (in relation to the amortized cost of that portfolio). The balance available for withdrawal is based on the accounting records maintained by the County Treasurer, which is recorded on the amortized cost basis.

General Authorizations

Limitations as they relate to interest rate risk, credit risk, and concentration of credit risk are indicated in the schedules below:

Authorized Investment Type	Maximum Remaining Maturity	Maximum Percentage of Portfolio	Maximum Investment in One Issuer
Local Agency Bonds, Notes, Warrants	5 years	None	None
Registered State Bonds, Notes, Warrants	5 years	None	None
U.S. Treasury Obligations	5 years	None	None
U.S. Agency Securities	5 years	None	None
Banker's Acceptance	180 days	40%	30%
Commercial Paper	270 days	25%	10%
Negotiable Certificates of Deposit	5 years	30%	None
Repurchase Agreements	1 year	None	None
Reverse Repurchase Agreements	92 days	20% of base	None
Medium-Term Corporate Notes	5 years	30%	None
Mutual Funds	N/A	20%	10%
Money Market Mutual Funds	N/A	20%	10%
Mortgage Pass-Through Securities	5 years	20%	None
County Pooled Investment Funds	N/A	None	None
Local Agency Investment Fund (LAIF)	N/A	None	None
Joint Powers Authority Pools	N/A	None	None

Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in market interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Generally, the longer the maturity of an investment, the greater the sensitivity of its fair value is to changes in market interest rates. The District manages its exposure to interest rate risk by investing in the Solano County Treasury Investment Pool. The District maintains a Building Fund (Measure S) investment of \$43,058,958 with the Solano County Treasury Investment Pool, with an average maturity of 548 days.

Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk that an issuer of an investment will not fulfill its obligation to the holder of the investment. This is measured by the assignment of a rating by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization. The District's investment in the County Pool is not required to be rated, nor has it been rated as of June 30, 2022.

Note 3 - Investments

Investments in the Solano County Treasury Investment Pool are considered uncategorized in the fair value hierarchy.

Note 4 - Interfund Transactions

Interfund Receivables/Payables (Due To/Due From)

Interfund receivable and payable balances arise from interfund transactions and are recorded by all funds affected in the period in which transactions are executed. Interfund receivable and payable balances at June 30, 2022, between governmental funds are as follows:

The Building Fund has balance of \$142,339 due from the General fund for community development revenue.

Note 5 - Accounts Payable

Accounts payable at June 30, 2022, consisted of all vendor payables.

Note 6 - Commitments and Contingencies

As of June 30, 2022, the Building Fund (Measure S) had the following commitments with respect to unfinished projects:

Description	Remaining Construction Commitment	Expected Date of Completion
Modernization at various sites		
Hogan Middle School modernization	\$ 1,527,084	7/1/25
Lincoln/Federal Terrace modernization	399,120	6/30/25
Dan Mini/Cooper modernization	2,961,917	2/1/23
Vallejo High School modernization	4,708,736	TBD
	<u>\$ 9,596,857</u>	

Litigation

The District is not currently a party to any legal proceedings related to the Building Fund (Measure S) as of June 30, 2022.



Independent Auditor's Report
June 30, 2022

Vallejo City Unified School District

**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***

Governing Board and
Citizens Oversight Committee
Vallejo City Unified School District
Vallejo, California

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the Building Fund (Measure S) of the Vallejo City Unified School District (the District) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022, and the related notes of the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated February 15, 2023.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 1, the financial statements of the Building Fund specific to Measure S are intended to present the financial position and the changes in financial position attributable to the transactions of that Fund. They do not purport to, and do not, present fairly the financial position of Vallejo City Unified School District as of June 30, 2022, and the changes in financial position for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered Vallejo City Unified School District's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing 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 Vallejo City Unified School District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Vallejo City Unified School District's internal control.

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

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

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

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

Purpose of this Report

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



San Ramon, California
February 15, 2023

None reported.

Vallejo City Unified School District
Building Fund (Measure S)
Summary Schedule of Prior Audit Findings
June 30, 2022

There were no audit findings reported in the prior year's Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs.



Performance Audit
Building Fund (Measure S)
2018 General Obligation Bonds
June 30, 2022

Vallejo City Unified School District



Independent Auditor's Report on Performance

Governing Board and
Citizens Oversight Committee
Vallejo City Unified School District
Vallejo, California

We were engaged to conduct a performance audit of the Building Fund (Measure S) of the Vallejo City Unified School District (the District) for the year ended June 30, 2022.

We conducted this performance audit in accordance with generally accepted government auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain sufficient, appropriate evidence to provide a reasonable basis for our findings and conclusions based on our audit objectives. We believe that the evidence obtained provides a reasonable basis for our findings and conclusions based on our audit objectives.

Our audit was limited to the objectives listed within the report which includes determining the District's compliance with the performance requirements Outlined in Article XIII A, Section 1 of the California Constitution. Management is responsible for the District's compliance with those requirements.

In planning and performing our performance audit, we obtained an understanding of the District's internal control in order to determine if the internal controls were adequate to help ensure the District's compliance with the requirements outlined in Article XIII A, Section 1 of the California Constitution, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion of the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

The results of our tests indicated that the District expended Building Fund (Measure S) funds only for the specific projects approved by the voters, in accordance with requirements outlined in Article XIII A, Section 1 of the California Constitution.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the District, Governing Board, and Citizens Oversight Committee, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Eide Bailly LLP".

San Ramon, California
February 15, 2023

Authority for Issuance

The Bonds are being issued by the District under and pursuant to the provisions of Article XIII A, Section 1 and Article XVI, Section 18 of the California State Constitution, the provisions of Government Code Section 53506 *et seq.* and all laws amendatory to or supplemental thereof, certain provisions of Education Code Section 15100 *et seq.*, and all laws amendatory to or supplemental thereof, and pursuant to the provisions of the Resolution and the Paying Agent Agreement. The District may incur bonded indebtedness upon the vote of two-thirds or more of the qualified electors of the District voting on the proposition pursuant to Article XIII A, subject to the debt limitations set forth in Article XVI of the State Constitution and the Education Code.

General Obligation Bond Election of 2018. Pursuant to provisions of State law, the District Board adopted a resolution calling for an election to authorize the issuance of \$194 million in aggregate principal amount of general obligation bonds for authorized school purposes. On November 6, 2018, at an election duly held pursuant to State law (the “2018 Election”), more than two-thirds of the votes received from qualified voters within the boundaries of the District approved “Measure S” as follows:

“To improve classroom education, safety, and college/ career preparation by repairing/updating classrooms, roofs, and bathrooms; updating science/technology labs; improving security/disability access, acquiring, constructing, and modernizing sites/facilities/equipment, shall Vallejo City Unified School District issue \$194,000,000 of bonds raising approximately \$10 million annually on average for 33 years at a projected rate of 6 cents per \$100 of assessed value of legal interest rates with citizen oversight, annual audits, and no money for administrators’ salaries/pensions?”

The bonds represent the first and second series of the authorized bonds to be issued under the 2018 Authorization.

Purpose of Issuance

The Bonds are being issued by the District to (i) finance the specific school facilities projects set forth in the ballot measure approved by the District’s voters at an election held on November 6, 2018, and (ii) pay certain costs of issuance of the Bonds.

Objectives of the Audit

1. Determine whether expenditures charged to the Building Fund have been made in accordance with the bond project list approved by the voters through the approval of Measure S.
2. Determine whether salary transactions, charged to the Building Fund were in support of Measure S and not for District general administration or operations.

Scope of the Audit

The scope of our performance audit covered the period of July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022. The population of expenditures tested included all object and project codes associated with the bond projects. The propriety of expenditures for capital projects and maintenance projects funded through other State or local funding sources, other than proceeds of the bonds, were not included within the scope of the audit. Expenditures incurred subsequent to June 30, 2022, were not reviewed or included within the scope of our audit or in this report.

Methodology

We obtained the general ledger expenditure reports prepared by the District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2022, for the Building Fund (Measure S). Within the fiscal year audited, we obtained the actual invoices, purchase orders, and other supporting documentation for a sample of expenditures to ensure compliance with the requirements of Article XIII A, Section 1 of the California Constitution and Measure S as to the approved bond project list. We performed the following procedures:

1. We identified expenditures and projects charged to the general obligation bond proceeds by obtaining the general ledger and project listing.
2. We selected a sample of expenditures using the following criteria:
 - a. We considered all expenditures recorded in all object codes, including transfers out.
 - b. We considered all expenditures recorded in all projects that were funded from July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022 from Measure S bond proceeds.
 - c. We selected all expenditures that were individually significant expenditures. Individually significant based on our assessment of materiality.
 - d. For all items below the individually significant threshold identified in item 2c, judgmentally selected expenditures based on risk assessment and consideration of coverage of all object codes, including transfers out, and projects for period starting July 1, 2021 and ending June 30, 2022.
3. Our sample included transactions totaling \$26,139,969. This represents 86 percent of the total expenditures of \$30,442,506.
4. We reviewed the actual invoices and other supporting documentation to determine that:
 - a. Expenditures were supported by invoices with evidence of proper approval and documentation of receipting goods or services.
 - b. Expenditures were supported by proper bid documentation, as applicable.
 - c. Expenditures were expended in accordance with voter-approved bond project list.
 - d. Bond proceeds were not used for salaries of school administrators or other operating expenses of the District.

5. We determined that the District has met the compliance requirement of Measure S if the following conditions were met:
 - a. Supporting documents for expenditures were aligned with the voter-approved bond project list.
 - b. Supporting documents for expenditures were not used for salaries of school administrators or other operating expenses of the Districts.

Conclusion

The results of our tests indicated that, in all significant respects, the Vallejo City Unified School District has properly accounted for the expenditures held in the Building Fund (Measure S) and that such expenditures were made for authorized Bond projects.

None reported.

Vallejo City Unified School District
Building Fund (Measure S)
Summary Schedule of Prior Audit Findings
June 30, 2022

There were no audit findings reported in the prior year's Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs.